

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, ss:

THE UNDERSIGNED, applicant for LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP on the person and estate of

Adelia Stephan, aged 9 years, May 15, 1887

minor heirs of Henry Stephan, late of Allen County, deceased, represents that said minors reside in Allen County, in the State of Indiana, and are joint owners of Real Estate situate in Allen County, of the probable value of Three Thousand (3000) Dollars, which will rent annually for the sum of Two hundred forty (240) Dollars. Said wards also own personal property of the probable value of One hundred Twenty five Dollars.

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

Ernst Rehling the above applicant, being duly sworn, says that the material facts contained in the above statement and application for Letters of Guardianship, on the persons and estates of the persons therein named, are correct and true, as he verily believes, and further saith not

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24 day of September 1887

Know all Men, That we, Ernst Rehling - George Gorken Elizabeth Stephan

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed and dated, this 24 day of September 1887

If the above bound Adelia Stephan will faithfully discharge his duties as GUARDIAN of the person and property of Adelia Stephan

minor heir of Henry Stephan, deceased, then this obligation is to be void, else to remain in force.

Approved by me, the 24 day of September 1887

Ernst Rehling (Seal) George Gorken (Seal) Elizabeth Stephan (Seal)

George W. Hoag Clerk A. C. C.

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

I, Ernst Rehling swear that I will honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as GUARDIAN of Adelia Stephan

Henry Stephan deceased, according to law, so help me God. minor heir of

Subscribed and sworn to before me, 24 day of September 1887 Ernst Rehling Guardian. George W. Hoag Clerk A. C. C.

State of Indiana, Allen County:

I, George Gorken swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, in real estate Two Thousand five hundred Dollars, as I believe, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 24 day of Sept 1887 George Gorken

State of Indiana, Allen County:

I, Elizabeth Stephan swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, in real estate Two Thousand (2000) Dollars, as I believe, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24 day of September 1887 Elizabeth Stephan

George W. Hoag Clerk A. C. C.

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

I, WILLIS D. MAIER, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, certify that Ernst Rehling of said County, has been appointed guardian of the person and property of Adelia Stephan

minor heir of Henry Stephan late of said County, deceased, and has qualified as such.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court this 24 day of September A. D. 1887

Filed and recorded Sept 24 1887

George W. Hoag Clerk.