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KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

In the Matter of the Application for Letters of Administration of the Goods, Chattels and Credits, which were of

*Limited*

*William J. Bruttie*

Deceased.

Petition filed,	<i>May 31.</i>	1907
Decree made	<i>May 31.</i>	1907

*H. Edwin Oppenheimer*  
Attorney for Petitioner.

Surrogate

### KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

In the Matter of the Application for <sup>sumitted</sup> Letters of Administration of the Goods, Chattels and Credits which were of

*William J Bratter*

Deceased.

#### To the Surrogate's Court of the County of Kings:

THE PETITION OF *Annie M. Bratter*

respectfully shows:

That your Petitioner is a resident of No. *225-Fifteenth Street* in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and is *the widow* of the said *William J Bratter* deceased, and is of full age.

That said deceased departed this life, at the County of Kings, on the *third (3)* day of *May* 190*7*, and was at, or immediately previous to his death a resident of the County of Kings.

That your Petitioner has made diligent search and inquiry for a will of said deceased and has not found any, or obtained any information that he left any; and therefore alleges upon information and belief that said deceased died without leaving any Last Will and Testament.

That said deceased died a <sup>accidental</sup> ~~natural~~ death, and that your Petitioner saw the remains of said deceased after his death.

That said deceased at the time of his death was possessed and the owner of certain ~~no~~ personal property the value of which does not exceed the sum of *except a cause of action against the parties responsible for his death* Dollars.

That said deceased at the time of his death was *not* seized of real estate, the value of which is about \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars.

That said deceased did *not*, during his life-time, make any transfer of property, by deed, grant, bargain, sale or gift in contemplation of his death, or intended to take effect in possession or enjoyment at or after his death.

That the names of the husband or widow, and the next of kin of the deceased, adopted child or children, as far as they are known to your Petitioner or can be ascertained by her with due diligence, are as follows:

- Anna M Bratter (wife of deceased)*
- Elizabeth Bratter (daughters of deceased - 6 years)*
- Sarah Bratter (daughters of deceased - 2 years)*
- Johnathan Bratter - father of deceased*
- Mary Bratter - mother of deceased*

Your Petitioner therefore prays for a decree of the Surrogate's Court of the County of Kings, awarding <sup>Letters</sup> Letters of Administration of the goods, chattels and credits which were of said deceased to h <sup>er</sup> or such other person or persons, having a prior right, as may be entitled thereto, and that all persons having a right prior or equal to that of your Petitioner to such Letters of Administration, and who have not renounced, may be cited to show cause why such a decree should not be made.

Dated the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907

x Anna M. Beattie

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
COUNTY OF KINGS, } ss.:  
City of New York

Anna M. Beattie the above named Petitioner being duly sworn, doth depose and say that she has read the foregoing petition subscribed by her and that the same is true of her own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters she believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907

x Anna M. Beattie

Melvin Friedberg  
Commissioner of Deeds  
New York City  
Notary Public, Kings County.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
COUNTY OF KINGS, } ss.:

I, Anna M. Beattie do solemnly swear and declare that I will, well, faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of Administration of the goods, chattels and credits which were of deceased according to law.

Subscribed and sworn this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1907

x Anna M. Beattie

Melvin Friedberg  
Commissioner of Deeds  
New York City  
Notary Public, Kings County.

At a Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of Kings, at the  
Surrogate's Court Room, in the Hall of Records, in the County of  
Kings, on the 31<sup>st</sup>, day of  
May in the year One thousand  
nine hundred and seven

Present: Hon. JAMES C. CHURCH, Surrogate.

In the Matter of the Application for <sup>Limited</sup> Letters of Administration  
of the Goods, Chattels and Credits which were of

William J. Brattier

Deceased.

ON READING and filing the verified petition of

Anna M. Brattier

praying for a decree awarding <sup>Limited</sup> Letters of Administration of the goods, chattels and credits, which  
were of said deceased to her or to such other person or persons having a prior right, as may  
be entitled thereto;

AND <sup>the said Anna M. Brattier promising</sup> ~~on-reading and filing the bond executed to said Administrat~~ with competent sureties  
~~conditioned~~ faithfully to execute the trusts reposed in her as such Administrat~~rix~~ and to obey  
all orders of the Surrogate of the County of Kings, touching the administration committed to  
her and this Court being satisfied that said

Anna M. Brattier  
is

in all respects competent to act as such Administrat~~rix~~ does hereby order and decree that  
<sup>Limited</sup> Letters of Administration of the goods, chattels and credits which were of said deceased, be  
awarded to the said Petitioner.

And you are hereby restrained from compromising any right of action granted to you as  
Administrat~~rix~~ by special provision of law, and from the enforcement of any judgment recovered  
therein, until the further order of the Surrogate on additional further satisfactory security.

James C. Church

Surrogate.