

Kings County Surrogate's Court.

In the matter of the Application for Letters of Administration on the Estate of

Catherine A. Schmeelck
Deceased, Intestate.

To the Surrogate's Court, Kings County.

The petition of Henry W. Schmeelck.
respectfully shows that he is of full age and husband of
Catherine A. Schmeelck. deceased, and resides at
No. Canarsie L.I. Street, in the City of Brooklyn,
that said deceased, departed this life at the Canarsie L.I.
on the 15th day of December in the year 1880
without leaving any last Will or Testament, that your petitioner was present at the time
of her death, and attended the funeral of said deceased, that said deceased died a natural
death possessed of certain personal property, the value of which does not exceed the sum of
about Twelve hundred dollars,
as I have been informed and believe; that said deceased left surviving

her husband your petitioner but
no children or descendants of her
children but her father Joel Skid-
more, residing at Canarsie.

being all the next of kin of said deceased; that said deceased was at the time of her death
a resident of the County of Kings, and City of Brooklyn and
your petitioner prays for a decree by the Surrogate of Kings County, awarding Letters of
Administration on the estate of said deceased to him, or such other person or persons,
if any, having a prior right thereto, and that such person or persons having such prior or an equal right
to such Letters of Administration, who are residents of this State, and have not renounced, if any,
may be cited to show cause why such a decree should not be made.

Henry W. Schmeelck

State of New York, } SS.
Kings County.

Henry W. Schmeelk.

the above named petitioner, being
duly sworn, doth depose and say that he has read the foregoing petition
subscribed by him and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except
as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to
those matters he believes it to be true.

Henry W. Schmeelk

Sworn before me this 21st day of }
Dec. 1888 }

Edmund J. Bergen
Notary Public.

County of Kings, } SS.
City of Brooklyn.

I, *Henry W. Schmeelk.* do solemnly swear
and declare that I will well, honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of Admin-
istrat^r of the estate of *Catherine A. Schmeelk.* deceased,
according to law.

Sworn before me this 21st day of }
Dec. 1888 }

Henry W. Schmeelk

Edmund J. Bergen
Notary Public.

County of Kings, } SS.
City of Brooklyn.

I, do solemnly swear
and declare that I will well, honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of Admin-
istrat of the estate of deceased,
according to law.

Sworn before me this _____ day of }
_____ 188_____ }

Notary Public.

At a Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of Kings,
at the Surrogate's office, in the City of Brooklyn, on the
21st day of December
in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Present, Hon. ABRAHAM LOTT, Surrogate.

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tration on the Estate of

Catherine G. Schmeelk.
Deceased.

On Reading and filing the verified petition of

Henry W. Schmeelk.

praying for a decree awarding Letters of Administration on the estate of said deceased to
him or to such other person or persons, if any, having a prior or equal right.

And on reading and filing the bond executed by him with two competent sureties, conditioned
faithfully to execute the trusts reposed in him as such administrator and to obey
all orders of the Surrogate of the County of Kings, touching the Administration committed
to him and this Court being satisfied that said

Henry W. Schmeelk is

in all respects competent to act as such Administrator. does hereby order and decree that
Letters of Administration on the estate of the said deceased, be awarded to the said petitioner

Abraham Lott
Surrogate.