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### Petition filed in court for Mears estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

### In the Matter of the Estate of

GENE MEARS, Deceased

### NOTICE OF HEARING

### THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this Court by Carol Mears, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of Gene Mears, deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Will be construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorneys' fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of Gene Mears, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before August 9, 2011, at 10:00 a.m. in the District Court, in St. Francis, Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

Carol Mears, Executor

Case No. 10-PR-01

JAMES M. MILLIKEN, CHARTERED 101 W. Washington, P.O. Box 627 St. Francis, Kansas 67756 (785) 332-2101 Attorney for Executor

Robert Michael Bader was born ed in marriage to Delsie O'Dale on May 9, 1924, to Michael and Sophie (Wall) Bader in Cheyenne County, Kan., near the town of St. Francis. He died on July 2, 2011, in Sutton, Neb. Robert was baptized on June

22, 1924, by Rev. Otto Zeilinger at Salem Lutheran Church in the St. Francis area. As a child, he received instruction in the Christian faith and was confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Cheyenne Valley, Kan., on June 26, 1938, by Rev. E.M. Mueller. His confirmation verse was John 14:6 - Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

Robert entered the U.S. Army in 1944 and served with the infantry. Most of his days in the service were spent in Korea as part of the World War II Army of Occupation. He was honorabley discharged in 1946 and returned to the family farm

On June 21, 1953, he was unit- The highlight of Robert's musical

**Obituary** 

ent's country home by Rev. P.C.

own small business, selling bak-

ery and dairy products. Most of

his customers lived in rural areas

in surrounding communities near

Grand Island. He operated the

business until he retired in 1986

Robert and Delsie moved to

Robert's life-long hobby was

playing country western music on

his guitar and playing accordion

with his brother, Paul and many

other musicians. They played at

all kinds of events and celebra-

In their early years, they played

music on a 15-minute radio pro-

gram on Saturdays in Goodland.

due to his health.

Sutton in 2003.

tions.

moved to Grand Island, Neb.

#### **Robert Michael Bader** May 9, 1924 - July 2, 2011

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Olson in the front yard of her par-

his guitar in a made-for-television movie, "My Antonia," in 1994.

Schroeder, Zion Lutheran Church, Robert and Delsie were blessed St. Francis. They remained on the with 58 years of marriage and enfamily farm until 1963 when they riched their lives with three children, six grandchildren and 11 Robert worked in route sales great-grandchildren. and was soon able to operate his

Robert is survived by his wife, Delsie of Sutton; a daughter and son-in-law, Rachel and Myron Hinrikus of Prosser; a son, Robert Bader, Jr., of Grand Island; a daughter and son-in-law, Ruth

days was the opportunity to play and RaLynn Christ of Sutton; six grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; a brother, Paul Bader of Valentine, Neb.; and a sister, Meta Dankenbring of Bird City. Also surviving are numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and three sisters.

> Following the service, Roberts remains were laid to rest with military honors at Concordia Cemetery near Juniata.

### **Great Tips**

• Spray a bit of perfume on the the flowers. Shake vigorously as light bulb in any room to create the salt will absorb all the dust and a lovely light scent in each room dirt and leave your artificial flowwhen the light is turned on. Place ers looking like new! Works like fabric softener sheets in dresser a charm! drawers and your clothes will smell freshly washed for weeks food from your skillet, simply add to come. You can also do this with

towels and linen. • To clean artificial flowers, pour pan, and bring to a boil on stovesome salt into a paper bag and add top.

• To easily remove burnt on a drop or two of dish soap and enough water to cover bottom of

Petition filed in court Notice to creditors in Keller estate for Browning estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

CHARLES L. BROWNING, DECEASED

Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59

NOTICE OF HEARING

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#### THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this Court by Charlene Meyer, duly appointed, qualified and acting Co-Executor of the Estate of Charles L. Browning, deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined: the Will and First Codicil be construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorneys' fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of Charles L. Browning, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before July 25, 2011, at 1:30 p.m. in the District Court, in St. Francis, Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

Charlene Meyer, Executor

CASE NO. 09-PR-22

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CASE NO. 11-PR-18 VINTA KELLER, Deceased NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on July 8, 2011, a petition was filed in this Court by Melvin John Keller, an heir, devisee and legatee, and executor named in the "Last Will and Testament of Vinta Keller," deceased, dated July 24, 1984 and the "First Codicil to the Last Will and Testament of Vinta Keller," deceased, dated October 11, 1985, praying the Will and First Codicil filed with the petition be admitted to probate and record; petitioner be appointed as executor, without bond; and petitioner be granted Letters Testamentary.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before August 9, 2011, at 1:30 p.m. in the District Court, St. Francis, Chevenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

# Petition filed in court to authorize adoption

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF) TALON LEE POULSOM

CASE NO. 11-AD-03

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

### THE STATE OF KANSAS TO LAMON POULSOM:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in the above-named Court praying for an order and decree of said Court permitting and authorizing the adoption of Talon Lee Poulsom, born on the 3rd day of June, 2001, at Wheatridge, Colorado. You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 26th day of August, 2011, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Mountain Standard Time, in the Courtroom of the Courthouse of Sherman County, Kansas, located in Goodland, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein judgment and decree will be entered on said Petition.

JEFFREY A. MASON #11665

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### Thursday, July 14, 2011

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### Notice of mineral interests lapse

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### NOTICE OF THE LAPSE OF MINERAL INTERESTS

Charles O. Hardy, Homer O. Huntzinger, Florence Huntzinger, B.H. Wierick, TO: their heirs, successors or assigns.

You are hereby notified that pursuant to K.S.A. 55-1601, et seq, your mineral interests have lapsed on the following real estate in Cheyenne County, Kansas, more particularly described as the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section Seven (7), Township Three (3) South, Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the 6th P.M.

This notice is given by the undersigned, who are the surface owners of the above described property and successors in ownership in the lapsed minerals.

Kelly S. Morris Connie L. Morris

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### Notice of mineral interests lapse

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#### NOTICE OF THE LAPSE OF MINERAL INTERESTS

Chan A. Burke, and Dorothy M. Burke, their heirs, successors or assigns. You are hereby notified that pursuant to K.S.A. 55-1601, et seq, your mineral interests have lapsed on the following real estate in Cheyenne County, Kansas, more particularly described as the Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section Six (6), Township Three (3) South, Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the 6th P.M.

This notice is given by the undersigned, who are the surface owners of the above described property and successors in ownership in the lapsed minerals.

> Kelly S. Morris Connie L. Morris

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## Notice published for in the Keller estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

ALBERT CARL KELLER, deceased

CASE NO. 11-PR-17

Melvin John Keller, Petitioner

### NOTICE OF HEARING

### THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by Melvin John Keller, one of the heirs of Albert Carl Keller, deceased, praying:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Cheyenne County, Kansas:

An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in and to the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Three (3) South, Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the 6th P.M. in Cheyenne County, Kansas

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by decedent at the time of death, and that such property and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death be assigned pursuant to the laws of intestate succession.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before August 9, 2011, at 1:30 p.m. in the city of St. Francis, Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

Melvin John Keller, Petitioner

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