

"EXHIBIT A"

Will of Horace E. Freese of Galion, Ohio
To All Concerned — Aug. 21 1961

This document, consisting of two pages, is my only existing Will and it should be found in my safe deposit box, No. 485, at the First National Bank of Galion, Ohio.

I wish to appoint the Cleveland Trust Co. of Cleveland, Ohio to act as executors of this Will.

Upon my death I request the executors to pay my funeral expenses and all other authentic debts and to pay the sum of five thousand dollars to the Galion Mausoleum Endowment Fund.

I wish to make the following bequests —

A To the following persons or their estates, each Five thousand dollars — Dr. John Hunter Wilson, Mrs. Catherine Rowe McClure, Mrs. Martha Rowe Purvis, Mrs. Elizabeth Rowe Huffer.

B To the following persons or their estates, each Three thousand dollars — Herbert Cable, John A. Cable, Kathryn K. Cable and Miss Joyce Hayden.

C To Mrs. Ruth Day Stanford, all furniture and personal belongings contained in my home at 435 West Church St., excepting my automobile.

After selling my home at 435 W. Church St. and my automobile, I request the executors to hold my entire estate in a trust fund in its original form of investments, selling only enough odd lots of stocks to pay fees and taxes.

The net income from this trust fund is to be distributed quarterly as follows —

Fifty percent to Mrs. Ruth Day Stanford

Twenty five percent to Mrs. Lucinda D. Wilson

Fifteen percent to Mrs. Eileen McDonald Hopton

Ten percent to Mrs. Ruth M. Boyd

Upon the death of each of these four women her share of the income will be added to the principal of the Trust fund and invested from time to time in lawfully approved bonds.

Upon the death of all four of these women the Trust Fund shall become the property of the City of Galion Ohio and henceforth it shall be called The Egbert M. Freese Foundation.

The City of Galion may use the income from this fund for college scholarships to worthy high school graduates, for the upkeep or improvement of city parks or for any other purposes.

The City may also liquidate the entire foundation and apply the proceeds to building a recreation hall or for any other community project in proper commemoration of Egbert M. Freese.

The executors will include in my estate the following properties — Stocks and Bonds to be found in my box, No. 485, of the First National Bank of Galion; my checking and savings account at the First National Bank; my savings account at the Galion Building & Loan Co. of Galion; my checking and agency accounts at the Cleveland Trust Co.; my one-half interest in the contents of Box No. 303 registered in the name of E. M. Freese & Co at the First National Bank; my home and its contents at 435 W. Church St. Galion which is located on lots No. 303 and No. 1042; my automobile and my one-third interest in the family home and its contents at 446 So. Union St. Galion, Ohio.

Witnesses —

Signed —

x *Virgil L. Board*

Horace E. Freese

x *Francis Hayden*

Aug. 21 1961

(A third page contains information for executors.)

Information for Executors

Dr. John H. Wilson, % Arthur Booth, Wayne, West
or % Mrs. Lucinda Wilson, 805 Fairview Ave. Galion, C

Mrs. Catherine Rowe McClure, Mrs. Clinton McClure, Jr
P.O. Box 53 North Webster, Indiana

Mrs. Martha Rowe Purvis, Mrs. Frank Purvis

309 So. Independence St. Tipton, Indiana

Mrs. Elizabeth Rowe Huffer, Mrs. James Huffer

2300 Edgelea Drive, La Fayette, Indiana

Herbert, John and Kathryn K. Cable, get addresses
from their father, H. Ed Cable, 1124 Cornell Road
Thornburg, Pittsburgh 5, Penna.

Miss Joyce Hayden, 226 Orange St. Galion, Ohio

Mrs. Ruth D. Stanford, 435 W. Church St. Galion, Ohio
or % her mother, Mrs. David Metz, 90 Second St., Shelby OH

Mrs. Lucinda Wilson, 805 Fairview Ave, Galion, Ohio

Mrs. Eileen Hopton, 214 Saratoga Ave., Los Gatos, Calif.
or % her brother, L.J. McDonald, No. State Rd., Galion, Ohio

Mrs. Ruth M. Boyd, Perrysville, Indiana

or % brother Ralph Boyd, Rt. 5 Danville, Illinois

Mrs. Ruth D. Stanford Born Aug. 29 1917

Mrs. Lucinda Wilson

" Jan. 17 1899

Mrs. Eileen Hopton

" Feb. 19 1909

Mrs. Ruth M. Boyd

" Sept. 8 1906

Title to my automobile is filed at Galion Auto Club.

Stock certificates, etc., (including property of Mrs. Ruth Stanford) may be found in a compartment in the under side of the piano in my home.

Extra keys are in the desk in the library at my home

My brother Arthur lives at 446 So. Union St. Galion, Ohio

Ebert M. Freese Sept. 23 1845 — Apr. 25 1924