

To the Surrogate of the County of Montgomery:

The Petition of *Emily Walrath* of the *Town*
of *Herkimer* in the County of *Herkimer*

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:

That lately, and on or about the *8th* day of *January* A. D., 1874
William P Walrath died a natural death at the *Town* of *Canajoharie*
in the County of *Montgomery* being at the time of his death an inhabitant of the
County of *Montgomery*: That the said *William P Walrath* died,
according to the best knowledge and belief of your petitioner, leaving no last Will or Testament:
And your petitioner further sheweth, that the said deceased while living and at the time of his
death, was possessed of goods, chattels and credits in the State of New York; and that the value
of the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death, was about the
sum of *fifty* dollars, according to the best judgment,
information and belief of the petitioner; and that the said deceased left him surviving,

Elisabeth Pooley residing at *Marshallville Montgomery Co N.Y.*
Reuben C Walrath residing in the State of *Michigan*
Mary Watson a daughter residing in *Michigan*
Peter Walrath a son residing in *Minnesota*
Maggie J Walrath a daughter residing at
Herkimer Herkimer Co N.Y.

Ezra S Walrath a son residing at *Herkimer*
Herkimer Co N.Y.

~~And your petitioners~~

Caleb D. Walrath a son residing at *Fry's Bush*
Montgomery Co. N.Y.
Mrs. Katy S. Alter of the latter place
James H. Walrath residence unknown
and your petitioner
his widow being only heirs and next of kin of said deceased.

Your petitioner therefore prays that letters of Administration of the goods, chattels and credits
of the said *William P Walrath* deceased, may be granted to your
petitioner *Ezra S Walrath* by the Surrogate of the County of
Montgomery aforesaid, according to the Statutes of the State of New York in such case made and
provided, & she hereby consents to have the said *Ezra S Walrath*
so joined with her in such Administration
Dated, *January* A. D., 1875.

Emily Walrath

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY.

Emily Walrath the above named petitioner, being duly sworn,
says, that the matters of fact set forth in the above petition are true, according to the best of her
knowledge and belief, and further saith not.

Emily Walrath

Subscribed and sworn this *11th* day of
January A. D., 1875, before me.

James A. Senter
Justice of the Peace