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Power of Attorney

Know all men by these presents That I D Dorothea St Strake of Warren in the County of Hancock and State of Illinois have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constituted and appoint Lewis Strake of Winterset in the County of Madison and State of Iowa my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name place and stead to exercise the general control and supervision over the lands tenements and hereditaments belonging to me and situate in the County of Madison in the State of Iowa to prevent forbid and hinder by all lawful means whatsoever the commission of any trespass or waste upon the same or any part thereof and at my cost and charges and under the advice of my lawyer or counsel he may choose and appoint therefor in the said State of Iowa to sue for collect recover and receive and appoint for my damages which may accrue by means of the commission of any trespass or waste upon the said lands tenements or hereditaments or on any part thereof by any person or persons whatsoever also to enter into and take possession of all such lands tenements hereditaments and real estates whatever in the State of Iowa to or in which I am or may be in any way entitled or interested and to grant bargain and sell the same or any part or parcel thereof for such sum price and on such term as to him shall seem meet and for me and in my name to make execute acknowledge and deliver good and sufficient deeds and conveyances for the same either with or without covenants and warranties and until the sale thereof to let and demise the said real estate for the best rent that can be procured for the same and to ask demand collect recover & receive all sums of money which shall become due and owing to me by means of such bargain and sell or lease and demise also to ask demand sue for collect and receive all such sums of money debts rents dues accounts and other demands whatever which are or shall be due owing payable and belonging to me or detained from me in any manner whatsoever by any person or persons residing or being in the State of Iowa or Illinois and to make and execute sign seal and deliver for me and in my name all bills bonds notes ~~expen~~ specialties or other instruments in writing whatever which shall be necessary to conduct and to carry on and transact the above named business or other transactions of mine of a similar nature and to do and perform every act and deed of whatever name and nature legally appertaining to them binding me as firmly and irrevocably by such act or performance as if I were myself present thereto consenting with full power of substitution and revocation On Witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 18th Eighteenth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine Sealed and delivered

Dorothea Strake

in the presence of A. L. Allen

State of Illinois
 Hancock County
 City of Warren

On the Eighteenth day of November in the year one thousand
 Eight hundred & fifty nine before me A. Falter a Notary
 Public personally came Miss Dorothea Stracke to me known to be
 the identical described in and who executed the above Power of
 attorney and acknowledged that she executed the same for the purpose therein
 given under my hand and seal the above named day and year

A. Falter, N. P.

Filed Nov the 28th 1859 at & before A. M. Davis Bishop recorder