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RE: Estate of Gabriela Mistral

Dear Miss Redditt:

I have your letter of December 10, 1957, which reached my office today.

As to the sale of the note secured by deed of trust, on the property in Duarte, it is my suggestion that you send me a copy of the note and advise me as to the unpaid balance as of a recent date, and I will make inquiry as to the market value of this item. Inasmuch as this parcel is personal property, it would appear that the executrix could make the transfer of the note and deed of trust subject only to the requirements of the Surrogate Court, for the County in which the will is being probated. I believe that ancillary proceedings should be started in Santa Barbara County, so that distribution can be made to the party entitled to the Santa Barbara property under the terms of the will.

It is suggested that you forward a certified and authenticated copy of the will, and the order admitting the will to probate to the undersigned, and I will prepare the necessary petition for the executrix to sign. It is probable that Miss Dana will have to qualify as such executrix in the State of California by signed oath of office in this State, but all necessary proceedings can be completed before this step is necessary.

If I remember correctly, I discussed this matter briefly with Miss Dana in New York in February, and she stated at that time that it was probable she could arrange to come to California for this purpose, and do any other things that might be necessary with reference to the handling of the estate or the sale of the property.

*Att. info  
& letters*

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