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Monday March 1st 1897 And 1st day March Term,

Monday morning March 1st 1897.
Court met according to law
Present Hon. John V. Hadley Judge,
Otis E Bulley Prosecutor,
Mell C Master Clerk
Wm B. Bryant, Sheriff.

In the matter of the Est. of Samuel T Shultz } Appointment

Comes now Malinda E Shultz by Thad Adams her attorney and files a petition for letters of Administration upon the personal property & Estate of Samuel T Shultz deceased Said Petition is in the words and figures following (Here Insert) And the Court having considered said petition and being fully advised in the Premises Finds that the said Malinda E Shultz is the widow and is a proper person to be intrusted with the administration of said Estate does now appoint her Administratrix of said Estate upon her filing a bond in the penal sum of $2400.00 with M.T. Hunter Alex H Arbuckle John A Adams as sureties which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (Here Insert)

Thereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Malinda E Shultz and reads as follows. (Here Insert)

And further Proceedings herein are continued.

Monday March 1. 1897 And 1 day March Term.

Mary E Stevey
vs. | Claim 1419
Est Robert Stevey. | Dismissed for want of Prosecution

Comes now the defendant but the Plaintiff being three times called in open Court comes not but herein wholly makes default,
It is therefore considered adjudged by the Court that this cause be and the same is herby dismissed for want of Prosecution and that the defendent recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges in this case laid out and expended taxed at dollars cents.

And Court adjourned until 9 AM. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John W Headley
Judge

Tuesday morning Mch. 2" 1897
Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the Est. of Josiah Garrison | Probate of Will

Comes now Abram Hoadley and presents in open Court an instrument segined by Josiah Garrison testator and Abram Hoadley and Albert A Hollingsworth as witnessess and purporting to be the last will and testament of said Josiah Garrison and the said Abram Hoadley asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent,
And now upon order of the Court the said Abram Hoadley is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of the said Abram Hoadley and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Abram Hoadley on the first day of February 1889, as his last will and Testament.
That said instrument was at the same time signed by said Abram Hoadley Albert A Hollingsworth in the presence of the said Josiah Garrison and in the presence of each other as witnesses,
And that the said Josiah Garrison declard at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament, That at said time Josiah

Garrison was more than twenty one years of age, and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint.
That said Josiah Garrison died on the ...day of ... 18
never having revoked said will.
And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Josiah Garrison deceased and as such ought to be probatted
It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of Josiah Garrison deceased, and that said will be and is probated as his will.
It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Wednesday morning March 3rd 1897
Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley Judge,

In the Guardianship of Maggie and Mary Kenney | Appointment of Guardian

Comes now William Kenney and files the minors request of Maggie Kenney and Mary Kenney to be appointed guardian of said Minors said Requests are as follows; (Here Insert)
And now at this time the said William Kenny executes and files his bond in the penal sum $2000 00 with Martin Hart and Patric Hart as his surities which bond and surity thereon are duly approved by the Court and is in words and figures following (H.I.)
And now the said Wiliam Kenney is sworn as such guardian and files a copy of his oath as follows (Here Insert)
Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said William Kenney and reads as follows N.I.
And further Proceedings herein are Continued;

In the matter of the Est. of Abagail Spicklemire | Inventory Filed

Comes now David J Spicklemire administrator and files an Inventory in the words and figures following to wit: Decedent left no personal Estate to be administrator

and further proceedings herein are continued

In the Guardianship of Ella O'Leary deceased | Appointment of Guardian

Comes now William Hart and files the minors request of Ella O'Leary Requesting the Clerk to appoint the said William Hart guardian said request is in the words and figures following (Here Insert) And now at this time the said William Hart Executes and files his bond in the penal sum of $1000 00 With William Kenney and Martin Hart as his surities which bond and surity is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H.I.)
And now the said William Hart is sworn as such Guardian and files a copy of his oath, which reads as follows. (H.I.)
Whereupon letters of Guardianship are issued to the said William Hart and reads as follows (H.I.)
And further proceedings herein are continued;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Thuresday morning March 4th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John W. Hadley
Judge.

In the Guardianship of Maggie Hylton (Insane) | Trial and Appointment

Comes now Henry A Smith the petitioner and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said Maggie Hylton has been duly served with notice of the pendency of this petition and that the same would be called for hearing on this date: The Clerk of the Court now files an answer denying the allegations of the Petition and now this cause is submitted to the Court for trial and judgment without the intervention of a Jury. And the Court having heard the evidence and being fully advised in the premises finds that the allegations of the petition are true & It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said Maggie Hylton is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing her own estate

* and that Maggie Hylton is a resident of Hendricks Co and a person of unsound mind

And now at this time Henry A Smith files Application for the appointment of a Guardian which application is in the words and figures following (H.D.)

And now Margaret Hylton Executes and files a bond in the penal sum of $500 00 With Harry Hylton and Henry S Smith as her sureties and the Court now approves said Bond and appoints the said Margaret Hylton as guardian of the said Maggie Hylton

And the said Margarett Hylton is now duly sworn in Open Court to faithfully discharge the duties of her trust as guardian;
Whereupon letters of Guardianship are issued to the said Margarett Hylton and reads as follows. (H.D.)
And further Proceedings herein are Continued;

In the matter of the Est of Hiram Rains deceased | Probate of Will

Comes now John S Duncan and presents in Open Court an instrument signed by Hiram Rains testator and by John S Duncan and Robert B Duncan as witnesses and purporting to be the last will and testament of said Hiram Rains and the said John S Duncan asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent.
And now upon order of the Court the John S Duncan is duly sworn and examined in Open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testimony of the said John S Duncan and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Hiram Rains on the 4th day of November A.D. 1876 as his last will and testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by said John S Duncan and Robert B Duncan in the presence of the said Hiram Rains

And in the presence of each other as witnesses: And at the said Hiram Rains declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament.
That at said time said Hiram Rains was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint. That said Hiram Rains died on the day of 1897 never having revoked said will. And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Hiram Rains deceased and as such ought to be probatted:
It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said Will is the last will and testament of Hiram Rains deceased and that said will be and is probated as his will
It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court:

In the matter of the Guardianship of Velma B Vannice Etal: | Current Report

Comes now W. H Vannice By Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files his Current Report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ------- $2575.08
And entitled to credits as shown herein of 2114.30
Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum of ---------- $460.78
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court. And said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust
And the Court after having examined said report and being fully advised in the premisis finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved and said trust continued:
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things confirmed and approved and said trust continued:

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John R Scadly
Judge

Friday morning March 4th 1897
Court met Pursuadt to adjournment
Present
John A Hadley
Judge:

In the matter of the Est. of Thomas J.C. Sparks | Probate of Will

Comes now B.P. Jones and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Thomas J.C. Sparks testator and by B.P. Jones and S.M. McDonald as witnesses and purporting to be the last will and testament of Thomas J.C. Sparks and the said B P Jones asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent.
And now upon order of the Court the said B.P. Jones is duly sworn and examined in Open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testimony of said B.P. Jones and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Thomas J.C. Sparks on the 27th day of May A.D. 1889 as his last will and testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by said B.P. Jones and S.M. McDonald in the presence of the said Thomas J.C. Sparks and in the presence of each other as witnesses, And that the said Thomas J.C. Sparks declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament. That at said time said Thomas J.C. Sparks was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint That said Thomas J.C. Sparks died on the

On the day month 1897
never having revoked said will
And that said instrument is the
last will and testament of the said
Thomas J.C. Sparks deceased and as
such ought to be probatted
It is therefore adjudged and
decreed by the Court that said will
as the last will and testament
of Thomas J.C. Sparks, deceased, and
that said will be and is probated as
his will
It is further ordered that the Clerk
spread said will upon the proper
will records of this Court.

Friday March 5th 1897 And 5th da March Term.

In the matter of the Est. of William Hart Sr. | Appointment of Executor

Comes now William Hart Jr. the Executor named in the will and Presents and files his bond in the penal sum of ---- $2500 with Margaut Hart and Martin Hart Patrick Hart John Karaus said Bond viz: following. (Here Insert)

And the Court having Examined said William Hart Jr. and being fully advised in the premises does now appoint him Executor of said Will and Estate and and approves said bond and surety thereon

Whereupon letters Testamentary were issued to the said William Hart Jr. and reads as follows. (Here Insert)

And further Proceedings herein are Continued;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday March 6th 1897 And 5th da March Term

Saturday Morning March 6th 1897
Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

Clerks Report of March Term 1897

State of Indiana Hendricks County SS.
The undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Hendricks County Indiana would respectfully report the following Vacation: Business since January Term 1897 Of said County to wit;

Estates & Guardianships

Estate	Administrator	Bond	Sureties
Martha Yount	Wm H Burton	800 00	S M Christie
James M Underwood	Jno. F Underwood	2000 00	Nathan Underwood Jno F Stevens,

Guardianships.

Ben M Hadley Etal,	Kathrine M Hadley	2800 00	John S Moore Amos Carter

William Hart Sr. Probate of Will.

Geo N Nash and Thomas Reed } Subscribing Witnesses

All of Which I respectifully submitted to the Court for approval,
Witness my hand and the official seal of said Court affixed at my office at Danville Hendricks County Indiana this 1st day of March 1897

Seal

Mell C Masten Clerk

And the Court having examined said report writes his approval on the fourth in these words Examined and approved my June John V Hadley Judge

Saturday March 6th 1897 And 6th da March Term.

In the matter of the Est of Allen Taylor. | Appointment of Administrator

Comes now George W Milhon by Bell and Harvey his attorneys and files a petition for letters of Administration upon the personal property Estate of Allen Taylor deceased Said Petition is in the words and figures following (H.S.) And the Court having Examined said Petition and being fully advised in the Premises Finds that the said George W Milhon is a proper person to be intrusted with the administration of said Estate does now appoint him Administrator of said Estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of One hundred dollars ($100.00) with George W. Bell as surity which bond and surity are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H.S.)

Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said George. W. Milhon and reads as follows H.S.

And further Proceeding herein are continued.

Saturday March 6th 1897 And 6th day March Term

In the matter of the Estate of John Pirson | Final Report.

Comes now Isaac Pirson by Thad S Adams his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of Wm A King Editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekley newspaper of Gneral circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 28th day of January 1897 and the last on the 4th day of February 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.) And said Administrator also files the affidavit of Isaac Pirson from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 28th day of January 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows: (See Insert)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding & decree. and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 23rd day of January 1897 and by an Endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 1st day of March 1897

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ------ $638.68

And entitled to credits on his vouches filed in the sum of ---------- $638.68

The Court also finds said report correct and that the administrator ought

To be discharged It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declard fiindly settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court;

In the matter of the Est. Thomas Nichols deceased | "Final Report"

Comes now James O Parker Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Nichols and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate Editor of the Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 14th day of January and the last on the 21st day of January 1897 said affidavit reads as follows (Here Insert) And said Administrator also files the affidavit of James O Parker from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 12th day of January 1897 said affidavit reads as follows (Here Insert) And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises

finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 2nd day of January 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 3rd day of February 1897.
The Court also finds that said Administrator is chargeable with the sum of - $318.00
And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $318.00
The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declard finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Woolley
Judge.

Monday morning March 8 1897
Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Michiel J Hogan Etal | Appointment of Guardian.

Comes now John F Welch By R T Hollowell his attorney and files the minors Request of Norah Welch Requesting him to be appointed as her Guardian Said Request reads as follows. (Here Insert) Said John F Welch also files application for letters of Guardianship said application is in in the words and figures following (Here Insert) And now at this time the said John F Welch Executes and files his bond in the penal sum of $200 00 With Wm F Irwin and John C Combs; as his surities which bond and suity are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (N.I.) And now the said John F Welch is sworn as such Guardian and files a Copy of his oath which reads as follows (N.I.) Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said John F Welch and reads as follows N.I.S. And furth Proceedings herein are continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A M tomorow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley Judge

Tuesday morning March 9 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Est of Josiah Garrison | Appointment of Executor

Comes now James M Barlow By Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files application for letters Testamentary upon the personal property and Estate of Josiah Garrison deceased said Petition reads as follows (Here Insert) And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said James M Barlow is a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration of said Estate does now appoint him Executor of said estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $200 00 with Abram Hoadley and A A Hollingsworth as surity which bond and surities are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (Here Insert) Where upon letters Testamentary were issued to the said James M Barlow And further proceedings herein are continued.

Tuesday March 9th 1897 And 8th day March Term.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary A. Snodgrass	Appointment of Admr.

Comes now John T. Hollingsworth by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files his petition for Letters of Administration upon the Personal property and Estate of Mary A Snodgrass, deceased Said petition reads as follows: (Here Insert) And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said John T Hollingsworth is a proper person to be intrusted with the administration of said Estate does now appoint him Administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $400.00 with Abram Hoadley and A.A Hollingsworth as sureties which bond and surity is now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (Here Insert) Thereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said John T Hollingsworth and reads as follows (H.D.S.)

And further proceedings herein are Continued.

Tuesday March 9th 1897 And 8th da March Term.

Estate of Isaac R Lawson deceased	Sale Bill Filed and Affidavits

Comes now Wilson T Lawson Administrator with the will annexed of this estate and files the affidavits of W A King the publisher of the Hendricks County Gazette and of Charles Foley a competent witness all being in these words to wit (Here Insert) and the Court having examined said affidavits finds and decides that said Administrator gave due notice of his appointment as such by publication and that said Administrator gave due notice of the Sale of the personal property of said Estate by publication and that said Administrator gave due notice of the Sale of the personal property of said Estate by publication and by posting up printed notices and said Administrator files his Sale Bill verified by the affidavit of Alvan Snyder and his own affidavit duly endorsed thereon all being in these words to wit; (Here Insert) by which Sale Bill it appears to the Court that the personal property of said estate sold at public Sale thereof pursuant to notice given for the total sum of $198.05 of which sum $70.50 was paid cash down and $127.55 thereof was sold on time the purchaser's executing their notes with Surety approved by said Administrator All of which is approved by the Court;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John T Hoadley
Judge

Wednesday morning March 10 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Gross | Appointment of Administrator

Comes now Jessie B. Morgan By Bull and Harvey his attorneys and files the Relinquishment of the Heirs of Elizabeth Gross signed By H.A. Gross, Requesting the Judge to appoint Jessie B Morgan as Administrator of said Estate said Relinquishment is as follows. (Here Insert) And the said Jessie B Morgan now files his petition for letters of Administration upon the personal property & Estate of Elizabeth Gross deceased Said petition reads as follows (H.I.) And the Court having examined said petition and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that the said Jessie B Morgan is a proper person to be intrusted with such Administration does now appoint him administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $500 with Joseph C Slater as surety which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. H.I.
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Jessie B Morgan and reads as follows H.I.
And further proceedings herein are continued:

In the matter of the Guardianship of Sophine Mills Etal | Appointment of Guardian

Comes now Elwood Stanley by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files the Request of Sophie Mills requesting the Judge of the Court to appoint Elwood Stanley as her Guardian. said request reads as follows (Here Insert) And now the said Elwood Stanley files Applications for letters of Guardianship upon the Person and Estate of Sophine Mills Etal said petition reads as follows (H.I.)
And the said Stanley also files his bond in the penal sum of $8000 00 with W.N. Iris and Anna J Mills as sureties which bond and surety are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (Here Insert)
And now at this time the said Elwood Stanley is sworn as such Guardian and files a copy of his oath which is as follows H.I.
Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Elwood Stanley and reads as follows Here Insert.
And further Proceedings herein are continued:

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday morning Mar 11th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John N. Hadley
Judge

In the matter of the Guardianship of Mary E Hatchett | Guardians Current Report

Comes now F. M. Ballard by Miles and Miles his attorney an submits to the Court his Current report as such guardian showing that he is Charged with the sum of $31 31
and Entitled to credits in the sum of 15 28
Leaving a balance in the sum of $116 23
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said Trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and approves the same
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court That said Report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

In the matter of the Est. of Elizabeth Gross | Inventory Filed

Comes now Jesse B Morgan administrator of said Estate and files the Inventory in the words and figure following to wit Showing that there is no personal Estate

In the matter of the Guardianship of Eldora Gibson | Current Report.

Comes now George L Teak as Guardian and submits to the Court his Current report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $181 58
And entitled to credits in the sum of 34 72
Leaving a balance in the sum of $146 86
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and finding it correct approves the same and continues said trust It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust Continued.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John N Hadley
Judge.

Friday morning March 12" 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John K. Hadley
Judge:

In the matter of the Guardianship Zauna J Huff: | Final Report:

Comes now Henry C Coffin by Charles Foley his attorney and submits to the Court his Final Repot as such guardian showing as such guardian he is Chargeable with the sum of ——————— $134.26
And Entitled to credits as shown on his vouchers in the sum of ——————————— 134.26
Said Guardian now briny duly sworn on oath says the foregoing report is full true and complete That his ward is of full age and has received and receipted for all money due her as shown by voucher no, 43
And that he has fully and fenaly settled with her. And said guardian now asks that this report be approved and that he be discharged from his fond and trust. And the Court having examnid said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report Corrected and that said Guardian ought to be discharged:
It is therefor ordred adjudged and decred by the Court that said report be approved and said Guardian discharged from his fond and trust:

Daniel Foley
vs.
Estate of Martha J Linton | Claim allowed at $32.65

Come the parties by Counsel and by agreement the above claim is allowed in the sum of $32.65 and the question as to whether said claim is a prefered claim as against the real estate of said decedent ordered sold to pay debts as a part of the purchase Money for said real Estate is defered until the funds from such sale are ready for distibution
It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of thirty two dollars and sixty five cents

Joel T Barker
vs.
Est Jerniah Helton deceasd | No 1417 Claim allowed; at $6.75

Comes the parties by Counsel and this cause is submitted to the Court for trial without the intervention of a Jury and the Court after hearing the evidence and being fully advised in the premises finds there is due Joel T Parker the Claimant herein from the Estate of Jerniah Helton deceased the sum of —— $6.75
It is therefor ordered by the Court that Joel T Barker the Claimant herein recover of the of the Estate of Jerniah Helton deceased ther sum of $6.75 to be levied of the assets of said Estate in the hands of said Administrator together with his costs herein laid out and expended taxed at dollars and Cents

Friday March 12th 1897 And 11th day March Term.

H T Lawson
vs.
Estate Jermiah Helton

No 1420 Allowed at $7.60

Come the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement the above Claim is allowed in the sum of -- 7.60 It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff H T Lawson recover from the defendants Estate the sum of $7.60 together with his costs in this behalf laid out and expended taxed at dollars cents.

W. R. McClelland
vs.
Est. Jermiah Helton

No 1421.
Allowed at $7.25

Comes the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement the above Claim is allowed in the sum of -- -- -- -- -- -- $7.25
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff W.R. McClelland recover from the defendants Estate the sum of $7.25 together with his costs in this behalf laid out and expended taxed at -- dollars cents.

Friday March 12th 1897 And 11th day March Term

In the matter of the Est of Thomas J.C. Sparks

Appt. of Admr. with will annexed.

Come now Ira J McDaniel by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files application for letters of Administration with the will annexed upon the personal property & Estate of Thomas J.C. Sparks deceased. Said application reads as follows: (Here Insert) And the Court having Examined said petition and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that the said Ira J McDaniel is a proper person to be intrusted with the administration of said Estate does now appoint him administrator with the will the will annexed upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Three Hundred dollars with Richard L McDaniel as surety which bond and surity are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows: (Here Insert) Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Ira J McDaniel and reads as follows (H.D.)
And further proceedings herein are Continued;

And Court adjourned until 9 AM. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Vordley
Judge

Saturday morning March 13 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the Guardianship of Ella and Charles McCrory | Appointment of Guardian

Comes now Elmer E McCrory and files the Request of Ella McCrory requesting the Court to appoint E.E. McCrory her Guardian she being over 14 years of age, and the said Elmer E McCrory also files a petition for letters of Guardianship upon the person and Property of Ella McCrory and Charles McCrory said petition reads as follows. (W.D.)

And the said McCrory also files his bond in the penal Sum of $1000.00 with A.N.B Couch and D.P. Ellis as surity. And said bond is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (W.D.)

The said Elmer E McCrory is now duely sworn as such guardian and files a copy of his oath said oath reads as follows (W.D.) Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Elmer E McCrory and reads as follows: (W.D.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Monday morning Mar 15th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

Ora M Davis Admr. of Est Samuel L Ross vs. Lutitie Ross Etal | Report of Commissioners

Comes now James E Hunston and Addison Ballard and John W Trotter other commissioners to make partition herein and in Open Court Acknowledge and file in open Court their report of partition in words and fig following to wit: State of Indiana, Hendricks County S.S.

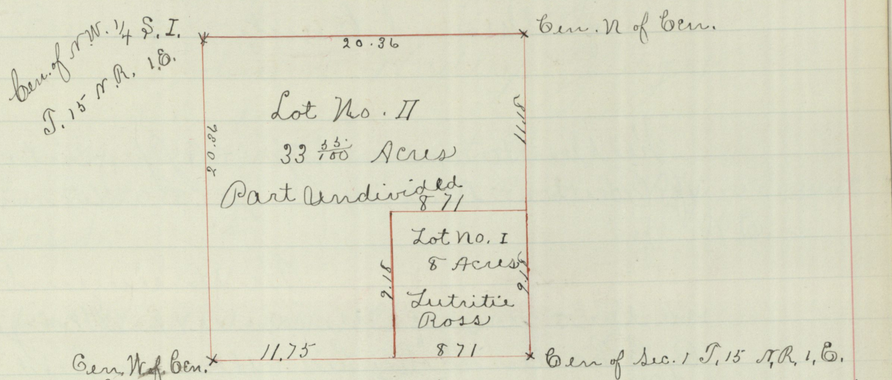
To the Hendricks Circuit Court, March Term 1897,

We, James E Hunston, Addison Ballard and John W Trotter Commissioners appointed at the January Term 1897 of the Hendricks Circuit Court to make partition of the following described Real Estate to wit: The South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section One (1) Township Fifteen (15) North Range One (1) East, in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana, containing by measurement Forty-one and Fifty-five hundredths (41 55-100) acres more or less

Would respectfully report that after being duly qualfied for the faithful performance of our duties as such Commissioners and after viewing and surveying the above described Real Estate we Assign and set apart to Lutitie Ross the following described Real Estate to wit Apart of the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section One (1) Township Fifteen (15) North Range One (1) East and bounded as follows to wit: Beginning at the center of said Section One (1) and running thence West Eight (8) chains and seventy One (71) links to a stone; thence North Nine (9) chains and Eighteen (18) links to a stone;

Thence East Eight (8) chains and Seventy one (71) links to a stone on the East line of said quarter quarter; thence South Nine (9) chains and Eighteen (18) links to the place of beginning. Estimated to contain Eight (8) acres more or less, and show on the plat below as Lot No. 1.

The part of said Real Estate left undivided is described as follows; to wit: A part of the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section One (1) Township Fifteen (15) North Range One (1) East and bounded as follows to wit; Beginning at the South West Corner of said quarter quarter and running thence North Twenty (20) chains and thirty six 36 links to the North West corner of said quarter quarter; Thence East Twenty (20) chains and Thirty six (36) links to the North East corner of said quarter quarter; thence South Eleven (11) chains and Eighteen (18) links to a stone; thence West Eight (8) chains and Seventy-one (71) to a stone; Thence South Nine (9) chains and Eighteen (18) links to a stone on the South line of said quarter quarter; thence West Eleven (11) chains and Seventy-five (75) links to the place of beginning; Estimated to contain Thirty-three and Fifty-five hundredths 33 55-100 acres more or less and is shown on the plat below as Lot No. 2.



All of which is respectfully submitted and our order returned

John W. Trotter
James B Hunston
Addison Ballard,
Commissioners

And the Court having examined said report approves the Same

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed that said partition be and is in all things affirmed and That said Lutitie Ross have and hold the real estate so set off to her for and during her life free from any claims of said administrator and from each and all the other defendants in this cause

It is further ordered that the administrator of said estate pay the costs of this proceeding

The Court now also finds that said real estate; to wit: the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section 1 Township 15 North and Range one East in Hendricks County and State of Indiana ought to be sold Subject to the rights and interest of said Lutitie Ross in and to the part so set off to her for life; And in order to such sale said administrator is ordered to have said real estate appraised by two disinterested and reputable free holders and house holders of Hendricks County and to present the appraisment so mad together with his bond in twice the amount of said

Monday March 15th 1897 And 13th da Mar Term;

Appraisment for the further action of this Court;

In the Guardianship of Bertha Davis; | Appointment of Guardian

Be it remembred that on the 13 day of March 1897 George E Davis By Charles Foley his attorney filed in this office the Request of Bertha Davis requesting the Judge to appoint the said Davis as Guardian (Request) and the said Davis also at the same time files application for letters of guardianship upon the person and Estate of Bertha Davis said application reads as follows (H.D.) The said Geo E Davis now also feles his bond in the penal sum of $400 00 With Stephen D Sellers and John W Thorp, as suritis which bond and suritis are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (H.D.) And at this time the said George E Davis is sworn to such guardian and files a copy of his oath which reads as follows (H.D.) Where upon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said George E Davis and reads as follows (H.D.) And further proceeding herein are continued;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge

Tuesday Mar 16th 1897. And 14th da. Mar. Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley Judge;

Ora M Davis Administrator of the Estate of Samuel L Ross deceased; | Appraisment of R.E.

Vs;

Lutitie Ross and others;

Comes now said administrator and files an appraisment of the real estate herein ordered sold which appraisment is made by John W Trotter and James E Hunston who appraise said real estate at nine hundred and ninety dollars, said appraisement is in words and figures to wit (here insert)

And now said Administrator files his bond in the sum of twenty two hundred dollars with Cobb Ruark as his surety which bond the Court approves. Said bond is in words and figures following to wit (Here insert)

The Court now therefore orders said Administrator to sell the fee of the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section 1 in Township 15 North Range 6 East in Hendricks County and State of Indiana Subject to the life estate of Lutitie Ross in eight acres in the South East corner thereof and more particularly described in the partition proceedings heretofore set out in the record of this cause. Said sale to be without notice for not less than the appraised value of said real estate and to the highest and best bidder;

It may be made for one third cash one third in six months and one third in twelve months; or for all cash on day of sale

Tuesday Mar 16th 1897 And 14th da Mar. Term.

If sold with deferred payments the deferred payments shall bear six per cent interest and be secured by mortgage on the premises, when sold a report of sale shall be made to this court.

Wm J Linton
vs.
Estate Martha A Linton } Claim allowed $500.00 & costs.

Come now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff in the sum of ——— $500.00
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein Wm J Linton recover from the defendants Estate the sum of ——— $500.00
Together with his costs taxed herein taxed at dollars cents.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court;

John V Hadley Judge

Wednesday March 17th 1897 And 15th da March Term

Wednesday morning March 17th 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

Shirley Showalter & Co, } Claim No 1416
vs. } at $ ¢
Estate Wm P. Ayres }

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff herein in the sum of 16 $ 30 ¢ dollars —— ¢ cts.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein Shirley Showalter & Co recover from the defendants Estate the sum of 16 $ dollars 30 ¢ cents together with his costs taxed herein laid out and expended taxed at $ dollars ¢ cents,

Shirley Showalter & Co. } No 1418
vs. } Claim Allowed
Estate of Wm P Ayres

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff herein in the sum of 146 $ dollars —— ¢ cents
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein Shirley Showalter & Co recover from the defendants Estate the sum of 146 $ dollars —— ¢ cents together with his costs taxed herein
And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court John V Hadley Judge

Thursday March 18th 1897
Court met pursuant to
adjournment Present
John V. Hadley Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning record read and
signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Friday March 19th 1897
Court met pursuant to
adjournment Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning record read and
signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday March 20th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the Guardianship of Mabel I Brewer } Appointment of Guardian

Comes now Elijah Brewer by Bill and Havey his attorneys and files the minor request which in the words and figures following (H.D.) And the said Elijah Brewer also files a petition for letters of Guardianship upon the person and property of Mabel I Brewer said petition reads as follows: (H.D.) And the said Elijah Brewer also files his bond in herein in the penal sum of $1000.00 with Josiah R Brewer and Virgil H Barnett as surities which bond and surity are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows: (H.D.)
And the said Elijah Brewer at this time is sworn as such guardian and files a copy of his oath which reads as follows (H.D.)
Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Elijah Brewer and reads as follows: (H.D.)
And further proceedings herein are continued

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Mabel I Brewer } Sale of Real Estate

Comes now Elijah Brewer Guardian of the above named ward an infant by Bill and Havey his attorneys and files his petition only sworn to asking for the sale of certain lands belonging to his said ward which petition is in words as follows To petitioner Elijah Brewer Guardian of Mabel I Brewer respectfully represents that he is the lawfully appointed Guardian of the above named ward and that said minor is now less than three years of age and that she now resides with Laura Brewer her widowed mother in said County of Hendricks And that as Joint Khodon with said Laura, She is the owner of the following Dissribed Real Estate in Hendricks and Morgan Counties in the State of Indiana.
Twelve and One half (12½) Acres off of the North End of the North Half of the North East Fractional Quarter of Section Two (2) in Township Thirteen (13) North of Range Two (2) West Situated in Morgan County State of Indiana
Also Ten (10) Acres off of the South End of the West Half of the South East Quarter of Section Thirty five (35) in Township Fourteen (14) North of Range Two (2) West in Hendricks County and State of Indiana:
And your petitioner says that said Laura is about to sell her undivided interest in said Real Estate and that it would be to the best interest

Of said ward to sell her undivided interest
therein and would be a much
investment for said ward, than to keep
said Real Estate
He also says that their is but thirty
Four Dollars of personal Estate belonging
to said Ward and that it will be
absolutely necessary to sell said lands
for the Support of Said ward.
Wherefore your petitioner asks the
Court to grant her an order to Sell
Said landes at private Sale for the
purposes above Set forth And for all
Relief in the premises

Elijah Brewer

Subscribed and sworn to this 20th day
of March 1897.

Geo. C Harvey

Notary Public.

And now the Court appoints James
D Pratt and Virgil N. Baron two
freeholders of the County of Hendricks
and well acquainted with all of
said Real Estate as shown by their
sworn Statement attached to their
appraisment and they are ordered
to forthwith report their appraisment
of this Court.

And now said appraisers file their
report appraising Salid Real Estate which
is in words and figures following
to wit; (H.F.) And now said
appraisment is approved by the Court
said appraisement showing that
that the hereinafter Discribd lands are
appraised at Four Hundred and
Seventy Five Dollars. And the Court
having heard the Evidence and being
Sufficiently advised in the premises
finds that Said Guardian ought to Sell

Of the lands described in said petition
and that the said Sale would be
advantageous to said ward and
that to said Sale is Necessary for the
Support and Education of said ward
It is therefore Ordered that Said
Guardian Elijah Brewer Sell all
the right title and Interest of said
ward in and to Said Real Estate
at private Sale to the highest bidder
for Cash in hand at not less
than the appraisment herein without
notice and Said Guardian is
Ordered to report Such Sale to this
Court for Confirmation and approval
And now Comes said Guardian
and tenders his report of Sale of said
Lands which report is in words
and figures following to wit;

The undersigned Elijah Brewer guardian
of the person and Estate of Mabel
& Brewer minor heir of Ellsworth
Brewer deceased Respectfully reports
to the Court that Pursuant to the
order of this Court heretofore made
he offered the following Described
Real Estate to wit; An undivided
One half of 12½ acres off of the North End
of the west half of the North
East Quarter of Section 2 Tp. 13 N.R.
2 West, In Morgan County Indiana
and 10 acres off of the South End
of the West half of the South East
Quarter of Section 35 Tp. 14 N. R 2 west
In Hendricks County Indiana
In all 11½ acres more or less at private
Sale and that One Josiah R Brewer
did bid therefor the Sum of Five
Hundred and Fifty Dollars and
that being more than the appraisment

Thereof and the same being the best and only bid offered therefor and in my judgment a good and sufficient price therefor I then and there sold said land too said Josiah R Brewer and he paid me therefor in cash the Sum of Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars; and I thereupon Executed to him a Guardians Deed therefor, And now presents the same to the Court with this report and ask the Court to approve this report and the sale thereof and Endorse his approval on said Deed

Elijah Brewer Guardian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of March 1897

Geo C Harvey Notary Republic.

And said Guardian having heretofore given bond for the sale of said Real Estate in the sum of Dollars with Josiah R Brewer and Virgil H Barnow as his sureties Conditioned for the faithful accounting of the moneys received from such sale Said Bond is now approved by the Court: And now Concurrent with said report of sale said Guardian tenders to the Court his Guardians Deed Conveying to the said purchaser Josiah R Brewer said Real Estate as set forth in said report of sale for the approval of the Court which Deed is in words and figures following to wit (H.J.)

And said Guardian also presents for the Courts inspection said Sum of Five hundred and fifty Dollars the amount of said purchase money and the Court after inspecting said cash and said bond and

Report and being in all things fully advised and informed in the premises now approves the same in all things and fully confirms said Sale and Endorses in writing upon said report approved John V. Hadley Judge. and upon said Deed Examined and approved in Open Court this 20th day of March 1897 John V. Hadley Judge Hendricks C.C.: And said Deed is ordered Delivered to the said purchaser Josiah R Brewer and said Guardian is continued as the Guardian of the person and Estate of said Mabel E Brewer

And Court adjourned until 9, A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Monday March 22" 1897 And 19" day March Term

Monday morning March 22" 1897.
Court met pursuant
to adjournment. Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning record read and signed
in open Court

John V Hadley Judge

Tuesday March 23" 1897 And 20 day March Term

Tuesday March 23." 1897
Court met pursuant to adjourn-
ment Present
John. V. Hadley Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning record read and
signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday morning March 24th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Martha A Hess. | Probate of Will

Comes now Levi A. Barnett and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Martha A Hess testatrix and W. H. McPhetridge and S W Steele as witness, and purporting to be the last will and testament of said Martha A Hess and the said Levi A Barnett asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent.

And now upon order of the Court the said S W Steele is duly sworn and examind in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of said S. W. Steele and being fully advesid in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Martha A Hess on the sixtenth day of November 1889 as her last will and testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by said W. H. McPhetridge and S. W. Steele in the presence of the said Martha A Hess and in the presence of each other as witnesses. And that the said Martha A Hess declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament. That at said time Martha A Hess, was more than Twenty one years of age, and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint. That

Said Martha A Hess died on the day of March 1897 never having revoked said will. And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Martha A Hess deceased and as such ought to be probatted

It is therefor adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of Martha A Hess, deceased, and that said will be and is probated as his will

It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court.

Thursday morning March 25th 1897.
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Judge:

Alfred R Glover
Administrator of the Estate
of Andrew J Towry Decd. } No 1424
vs. } T. S. proceedings
Edgar Towry and Rosa Towry

Comes now the plaintiff in the above entitled cause and suggests the infancy of of Each of the defendants, And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that each of said defendants had been served with process in this cause more than ten days before the 22nd day of march the date on which process herein was made returnable by writing on the petition signed by petitioners attorney, the Court now appoints Geo C Harvey an attorney of this bar as guardian ad litem for said infant defendants

And now comes said Geo. C Harvey and accepts said appointment and files his answer in words following to wit (N.S.)

And this cause being at issue is submitted to the Court for trial finding and decree without the intervention of a Jury

And the Court having heard the evidence and been fully advised in the premises finds generally for the petitioner and that the real estate ought to be sold discharged from liens to make assets to pay debts.

And now comes again said petitioner and files an appraisement of said real estate made by B T Bolen and

Oscar K Heisner in which said real estate is appraised at five hundred and fifty dollars. Said appraisment is in words and figures following to wit: (Here insert)

Said Administrator also files his bond in the sum of eleven hundred dollars with John G Stone as surety which bond is approved by the Court and is in there words, to wit: (N.S.)

It is therefore ordered that said petitioner Alfred R Glover administrator of the estate of Andrew J Towry deceased sell at private sale without notice to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described real Estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to wit a part of the West half of the South East quarter of Section thirty three (33) in Township fifteen (15) North and Range One (1) West commencing at the North West Corner of said quarter thence South twenty four (24) rods; Thence East Seventy eight (78) rods and thirteen (13) feet; Thence North twenty four (24) rods; Thence West Seventy eight (78) rods and thirteen (13) feet to the place of beginning as the property of the estate of Andrew J Towry deceased,

Said real estate shall be made free and discharged from the lien of the mortgage to the School Fund of the State of Indiana for three hundred dollars, and the lien of said Mortgage shall be transfered to the funds arising from said sale. When a sale is made a report thereof shall be made to this Court for approval

Thursday March 25th 1897 And 22nd da March Term.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday March 26 1897 And 23rd day March Term.

Friday morning March 26 1897
Court met pursuant to
adjournment Present
John V Hadley Judge

In the matter of the estate of John W Templin deceased. — Final

Eliza William, Milton Templin
vs.
Didana Sellers, Simeon Templin
Terah Templin, Isaac Templin
and Mary Francis Templin — Report.

Comes now the petitioners Eliza Williams and Milton Templin by James O. Parker their attorney, and comes also Didana Sellers by Charles Tibley her attorney, and Isaac Templin by Gulley and Pennington his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that Simeon Templin and Terah Templin have had due notice of the pendency of this proceedings, and this matter being submitted to the Court for trial, upon the motion of the petitioners herein for trial, the Court after due examination of said petition, report on file and the examination of witnesses, being fully advised in the premises say and find;

That the said John W Templin departed this life testate at and in the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana on the ---- day of 18 ---- leaving him surviving as his all and only heirs at law, his widow Mary Templin, and Eliza Williams

Milton Templin, Didana Sellers, Simeon Templin, Terah Templin, Isaac Templin, Elizabeth Templin and William Templin, sons and daughters that of the terms and provisions of the last will and testament of said deceased, is the following:

I hereby will and bequeath to my three daughters Eliza Didana and Elizabeth Templin, the whole of my notes of hand, supposed to be about $2500. reserving to my wife all interest that may accrue thereon during her lifetime, or during her widow-hood.

And it is my will that said notes be collected by my Executor herein after named, and reloaned on undoubted freehold security, the interest to be made payable annually, and, to be paid out to my widow for the support of herself and family.

That there has been paid into this Court for distribution to the heirs at law of said deceased, the sum of $1393.24 which is now in the possession of the Clerk of this Court: that the whole of said sum of $1393.24 is the proceeds and remaining portion of said notes of hand, now in the hands of said administrator, refered to in said will: that the said William Templin, son of John W. Templin, departed this life at and in said County of Hendricks intestate, and without issue, prior to the decease of the said Elizabeth, and that Elizabeth Templin departed this life intestate at and in said County on the--day of---18 and subsequent to the death of the said William, she the said Elizabeth never having married, and leaving her surviving as her all and only heirs at law the said

April 3 1897 Rec of Master Clerk $121.69 my share herein
Simeon Templin

Mar 30 '97 Rec of Master Clk $852.79 my share herein,
James G Taylor Atty for
Eliza Williams
7 Mar 30 '97 Rec of Master Clk my share herein
the same being $852.79
Mar 30 '97 Rec of Master Clk my share herein
the same being $121.69
James G Taylor Atty for Eliza Williams

Mar. 31, 1897. Rec'd of Master Clk $852.79 my part for distribution
Didana Sellers
Rec of Master Clk Mar 30 97 $121.69 my share herein
Sellers & Reiney Jon Attorneys for Isaac Templin

Mary Templin her mother, and her brothers and sisters above named excepting only the said William Templin; ~~that the said Mary Templin widow of John W Templin~~; that the said Mary Templin, widow of John W. Templin deceased, departed this life in the said County of Hendricks on the --- day of ----18-- leaving her surviving as her all and only heirs at law, the said Eliza Williams, Milton Templin, Didana Sellers, Simeon Templin, Terah Templin and Isaac Templin; that heretofore to wit on the 11th day of April 1861, Simeon Templin the then administrator with the will annexed of said estate advanced of the funds in his hands belonging to said estate, and being a part and portion of said notes of hand refered to in said will, to Didana Sellers, the sum of $800, which sum has never since that time, nor is it now repaid to said estate, but that the same should be charged against her and that it ought to be taken into account in distribution of the proceeds in the hands of the Clerk aforesaid. And the Court finds that the interest of the parties in and to said fund including the $800 advanced, is as follows:

Eliza Williams	1/5	$852.79	Pd
Didana Sellers	1/5, less advancement	52.79	Pd
Simeon Templin	1/5	121.69	Pd
Terah Templin	1/5	121.69	Pd
Isaac Templin	1/5 all paid Out	121.69	Pd
Milton Templin	1/5	121 69	Pd

It is therefore adjudged, decreed and ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay to each

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Of said parties named. Eliza Williams, Milton Templin, Simeon Templin Tirah Templin, Isaac Templin and Didana Sellers, upon their individual request, the sum as above found due them, of the surplus of said Estate, deducting from each distributees ~~share~~ share, one sixth of the costs of this proceedings

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the above named Tirah Templin for a valuable consideration did assigned his interest as above set forth to the above named Isaac Templin, it is therefore ordered by the Court that the Clerk of this Court pay to the said Isaac Templin the interest of the above named Tirah Templin to wit: the sum of 121 54/100 making a total of $243 55/100 to be paid out of said amount for distribution in said estate to the said Isaac Templin:

All of which is now finally ordered decreed and adjudged by the Court

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V. Hadley
Judge

Saturday March 27 1897 And 24th da Mar. Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment

Present John V. Hadley Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorow morning Record read and signed in open Court

Judge

Monday morning Mar 25th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the Estate of Eleanor Thornbrough, deceased. | Final Report

Comes now the executor of the will of Eleanor Thornbrough, deceased and files proof of publication in words and figures following to wit: (Here insert) from which it appears that said Executor filed his final report in said estate with the Clerk of this Court on the eighth day of March 1897 and by endorsment on said report and by publication in the Hendricks County Republican, a weekly news paper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County, and by posting a like notice at the door of the Court House in said County three weeks before the day set for hearing of said report, proof of which posting is now filed, in these words: (Here insert) Said report was set for hearing on the 27th day of March 1897.

And now said report comes on for hearing and the Court having examined said report and been fully advised in the premises finds that said executor is properly charged with the sum of nine hundred and fifty five dollars and eighty two cents and is entitled to a credit in the same sume and should have his said report approved and be discharged from his trust,

It is therefore ordered and adjudged

Apr 30, 95 Paid of Martin, Clerk $50 on distribution
Henry Thornbrough

By the Court that said report be and is in all things approved, and said Executor is discharged from his trust and bond.

And the Court having examined the will of said decedent and heard the proof in the premises orders the Clerk of this Court to distribute the funds in his hands for distribution in this estate as follows,

To.	Clark Thornbrough	$	50	00 Pd
"	Essa Thornbrough		50	00 Pd
"	Henry Thornbrough		50	00 Pd
"	Isaac Thornbrough		50	00 Pd
"	George Thornbrough		50	00 Pd
"	Celia Ann Hawkins		95	51 Pd
"	Nancy Jane Filing		95	51 Pd
"	Sarah Elizabeth Francis		95	50 Pd
"	Mary Ellen Dunn		60	30 Pd
"	Minerva J Thornbrough Yoke		5	00 Pd
		$	602.	02

All paid Out

And the Court now adjudges that said above named parties are entitled to said monies as legatees under the will of said Eleanor Thornbrough deceased

Receipts

Rec. Mar. 29. 1897 of Master Clerk, 50 cts my share herein. Clark Thornbrough
Rec. Mar. 29. 1897 of Master Clerk, 50 cts my share herein George his X mark Thornbrough
Rec. Mar. 29. 1897, of Master Clk. $95. 51 my share herein Nancy Jane Filing By Joseph W. his X mark Filing
Rec. Mar. 29th 1897 of Master Clk 50 cts my share herein Minerva J. Yoke By E.A. Miller

Rec 4/27-97 of Master clerk 95.51 My claim herein Sarah E Francis by Silas M Pearson (order filed)
Rec. April 1, 1897, of Master Clk $95. 51 my share Celia A Hawkins
Rec. April 1. 1897 of Master Clk $60.30 my share Mary E Dunn
Rec. April 14 1897 of Master Clk $50 cts my share herein. Isaac his X mark Thornbrough
witness E.A. Miller.

Rec 7/27-97 of Master clerk $50. My fee herein Essa Thornbrough

Wilson T Lawson as administrator with the Will annexed of the Estate of Isaac R Lawson deceased the petitioner

vs.

Michael M Lawson	Isaac N Lawson
Bertha Davis	Charles A Lawson
Henry D Lawson	Millie G Easly
George Easly	Elroy A Dillon

the defendants

Sale of R.E. Real Estate No. 1427

Comes now Wilson T Lawson, the above named petitioner with Charles Foley, his attorney and files and presents to the Court his petition duly signed and sworn to asking for an order for the sale of Real Estate in the estate of said Isaac R Lawson, deceased, and defendants Michael M. Lawson Isaac N. Lawson Charles A Lawson and Elroy A Dillon by Miles & Miles attorneys of this Court come also, and file an answer in their behalf, waiving the giving of notice to each of them of the commencement and pendency of this proceeding and consenting that the Court order and decree a sale of real estate as asked for in the petition in this proceeding the same being in these words to wit; (Here Insert) and said Miles and Miles also file and show the Court the Power of Attorney authorizing them to make such appearance and file such answer and the Court having heard proof as to the execution of said Power of Attorney and having examined the same, finds and decides that said Power of attorney was duly executed by said Michael M Lawson, Isaac N Lawson Charles A Lawson and Elroy A Dillon;

The same being in words as follows, to wit; (Here Insert) and defendant Bertha Davis, by George E Davis, the guardian of her person and property, also comes into Court and files an answer in her behalf waiving the issuing and service of notice on her of the commencement and pendency of this proceeding and consenting that the Court Order and decree a sale of real estate as asked for in the petition in this proceeding the same being in these words to wit; (Here Insert) and defendant Henry D Lawson also comes into Court and files an answer in his own behalf waiving notice of the commencement and pendency of this proceeding and consenting that the Court Order and decree a sale of Real Estate as asked for in the petition in this proceeding the same being in these words to wit, (Here Insert) and defendant Millie G Easley and George Easly also come into Court and file an answer in their behalf waiving notice of the commencement and pendency of this proceeding and consenting that the Court order and decree a sale of real estate as asked for in the petition in this proceeding the same being in these words to wit; (Here insert) and thereupon said petitioner files and shows to the Court for Examination an Inventory and appraisement of the identical real estate for the sale of which an order and decree is asked for in the petition in this proceeding, the same

being appraised by L.A. Barnett and J.H. Rawlings two reputable and disinterested householders of Hendricks County State of Indiana and of the neighborhood of said real estate amount of the appraisement thereof being One Thousand Dollars, which is by the Court examined and found to be in due ~~for~~ form and is in words and figures as follows, to wit: (Here Insert) And thereupon this proceeding is by all of the parties herein, submitted to the Court for trial, finding Judgment and Decree and the Court having heard and sufficiently considered the evidence produced, finds and decides that said Isaac R Lawson died January 14th 1897 a resident and citizen of Hendricks County, State of Indiana being the owner in fee simple, at the time of his death, of the real estate mentioned and described in the petition in this proceeding, and leaving as his only heirs, five sons, one daughter and one grand child, all mentioned and named in said petition and leaving one step son also mentioned and named in said petition, all of whom are defendants and make appearance in this proceeding, and that said Isaac R Lawson died Testate, his Will having been duly probated in this Court and is duly of record in the office of the Clerk of this Court, and that the terms, provisions, bequests and devises of his said Will to his said five sons, One daughter One grand child and Step son are as averred and alleged in said petition

The Court further finds and decides that it will be necessary to sell some of the Real Estate left by said decedent to furnish assets for his estate and that it would be better for the heirs and devisees of said decedent to sell the following described part of the Real Estate left by said decedent, situated in Hendricks County State of Indiana, to wit; The South half of Lot One (1) and the South Half of Lot Eight (8) in Block Twenty six (26) in the Original Town of Danville and that the same would sell to the best advantage at private sale and the Court finds and decides generally that all of the averments and allegations made and contained in the petition in this proceeding are true in substance and in fact Therefore it is by the Court on the foregoing finding, ordered adjudged and decreed, that said Wilson T Lawson, administrator as aforesaid proceed to sell the following described Real Estate situated in Hendricks County, State of Indiana to wit; The South Half of Lot One (1) and the South Half of Lot Eight (8) in Block Twenty six (26) in the Original town of Danville at private Sale for not less than the full appraised value thereof One third of the purchase money to be paid Cash down, One third in Twelve months and One third in Eighteen months from the day of sale the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of Six per cent per annum from the

Day of Sale, the purchaser to execute his promissory notes waiving valuation and appraisment Laws, therefor and said Administrator to execute to the purchaser a certificate of sale for said Real Estate, said Administrator first giving notice of the time, place and terms of such sale by publication for three weeks successively in some newspaper of general circulation published in Hendricks County State of Indiana and by posting up printed notices thereof in not less than five public places in said county three of which shall be in Center Township in said County, And said Wilson T Lawson presents to the court for a Bond in the penal sum of Two thousand dollars with John R Shirley as his surety thereon conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties in said trust, which Bond is examined and approved by the Court, all being in these words to wit: (Here Insert) and this proceeding is continued,

In the matter of the Estate of Martha A Hess deceased. } Appointment of Executor

Comes now Levi A Barnett and files application for letters Testamentry upon the Estate of Martha A Hess deceased said petition is in the words and figures following to wit: (H.D.) And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that said Levi A Barnett is a proper person to be Intrusted with said Estate, does now appoint him Executor of said Estate upon his filing a Bond in the penal sum of Six thousand (6000.00) Dollars with Henry Pierson and Isaac Peirsol as sirities which bond and surities are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H.D.) Whereupon letters Testamentry were Issued to the said Levi A Barnett and reads as follows (H.D.) And further proceedings herein are continued

Monday March 30, 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment

Present John V. Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Eric O Eastes, } Current Report

Comes now Margaret E Eastes by Hogate and Clark her attorneys and files in to Court her current report as such guardian showing that she is chargeable with the sum of $240.00 and entitled to credits as shown on her vouchers filed herein in the sum of $265.54 Leaving a balance in her hands in the sum of ——— $25.54 to be accounted for in her next report to this Court,

Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust,

And the Court after having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises find said report Correct and that the same ought to be approved and said trust continued, It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things confirmed and approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the Est. of John W Templin: } Final Report.

Comes now James A Donnard administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the estate of John W Templin deceased. and shows to the court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 4" day of March 1897 and the last on the 11" day of March 1897

Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.)

And said Administrator also files the affidavit of James A Donnard from which it appears a like notice was posted at the court house door of said county on the 1" day of March 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 1" day of March 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 19" day of March 1897.

The court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ——— $1789.07 and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of 395.83 Leaving a balance in the sum of $1393,24 which he has paid into court for distribution

The court also finds said report correct and that the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the

Court that said finial report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Court met pursuant to adjournment

Present John V Hadley Judge"

In the matter of the Estate of Job. Lewis deceased } Finial Report.

Comes now James M Wills administrator of the Estate of Job Lewis deceased Petitionner by Downard and Parker his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a finial report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was the fourth day of February 1897 and the last on the on the 11 day of February 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.D.) And said Administrator also files the affidavit of James A Downard from which it appears a like notice was posted at the court house door of said county on the 4" - the February day of 1897 Said affidavit was as follows: (H.D.) And now the finial report herein is submitted to the Court for Hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed 2" day of February 1897 and by endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the day of March 1897

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ------ $275.00
And entitled to credits as shown herein in the sum of 275.00
The Court also finds said report correct, and that the administrator ought to be discharged.
The Court also finds that said Estate is insolvent as shown by the Petition filed herein. and that said administrator has paid in to the hands of the Clerk of this Court forty dollars & twenty cents for distribution as follows;

Casper Robards	$	19	68 Pd
Edward Robards		6.	50 Pd
Edward Browning		11.	32. Pd
R.E. Crawley 8/25/19 RECEIVED ELE STANSBURY, Attorney General, By A H Hawkins Dep't		2	57
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It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust;

Rec. April 1 1897, $1,32. my share herein for distribution.
Henry H. Chartlain. atty. for Edmond Browning.

Rec. Feb 9th 1898. of Master Clerk $9.68 my share herein for distribution
Bill Harvey atty. for Casper Robards.

Rec'd of Hon McKee R. Sp.J. of Master Clerk $6.50 thirty of Edward Robards.
Bill Harvey his atty.

Frank H Huron.
Admr. Est of Jermiah Helton
Deceased
vs.
Martha Ann Carter Florence Hellie Helton Benjamin F Helton Mary A Helton,

Entry
In Land Sale

Come now the parties by their attorneys and the Court being sufficently advised in the premises overules the seperate demurrer of Frank H. Huron, Administrator and of Martha Ann Carter to the Cross Complaint of the defendant Benjamin F Helton, To which ruling and judgment of the Court both of said defendants except And now the Court of its own motion reconsiders its former ruling on the demurer of the Administrator Frank H Huron to the joint and separate answer of the defendants Benjamin F Helton and Mary A Helton to the petition of the plaintiff herein, and now the Court overrules said demurer to said answer to which ruling of the Court the said Administrator at the time excepts,
And now said Administrator on the petition of the Conditions of said Estate by permition of the Court abandons all further proceedings herein for the sale of the lands described in the Cross Complaint of said Benjamin F. Helton, and herein after described,
And now defendant Martha Ann Carter files her separate answer to said to said cross complaint in the words and figures following to wit; (H.D.) To which answer the Cross Complaint Benjamin F Helton files his demurrer in the words following to wit; (H.D.) And the Court being

fully advised overrules said demurrer to which ruling of the Court said defendant Martha Ann Carter excepts and refuses to amend her said answer or further plead herein,

And now the said Benjamin F Helton by Thad S Adams, his attorney presents and shows to the Court the writ of summons issued herein with the Sheriffs return endorsed hereon, from which it appears that the defendant Florence Nellie Helton was duly served with such process by said Sheriff at least ten days before the same was made returnable,

And now the infancy of said Florence Nellie Helton is suggested to the Court and the Court appoints Ethan C Miles an Attorney of this bar Guardian ad litem for said infant defendant, who now files his answer as such, in these words (H.D.), And now upon the issues joined this cause is submitted to the Court for hearing trial judgment and decree without the intervention of a jury, And the Court having heard the Evidence and Examined the proof Adduced and being fully advised and informed in the premises Says and finds that the defendant Mary A Helton was the owner in fee simple of said Lot number Three (3) in Block number Three (3) in Crawfords Addition to the Town of Danville And And that by a deed of Conveyance she Conveyed the same to the decedent Jerniah Helton and the Cross Complainant Benjamin F Helton Conditionally that the said Mary A Helton should have the occupancy use rents and profits of

Said Lot during her Natural life free from any Charge And that the title of said Real Estate should be held by said grantees by intireties the Survivor of them being vested upon the death of the other and said grantor of the fee Simple of said Real Estate And the Court further finds that said Jerniah Helton died on the day of January 1896 leaving the defendants Martha A Carter his widow And the defendant Florence Nellie Helton his only child And that by the Terms and Conditions of said deed the said Benjamin F Helton upon the death of said Jerniah became Vested of the title to all of said Lot No. (3) except as to the reservation and Condition in said deed for the benefit of the grantor Mary A Helton And the Cross Complainants title as against the plaintiff and the defendants Martha A Carter and Florence Nellie Helton ought to be quieted and set at rest

Wherefore it is now ordered adjudged And decreed by the Court the Estate of said Jerniah Helton nor his said widow and child or either of them have any title or interest in said Lot No. 3, Nor any Claim thereon and that said Cross Complainants title thereto as against them and each of them be forever quieted and set at rest and that they and each of them, And all persons Claiming from under or through them or either of them be and is hereby forever barred from Claiming or

Asserting any title to said Real Estate

Or any part thereof by reason of descent from said Jermiah Stelton and that the Cross Complaint cover his costs herein from defendants Martha A Carter taxed at dollars and cents. All of which is now firally ordered adjudged and decred by the Court And now defendants Martha Ann Carter and Florence Nellie Stelton pray and appeal to the Supreme Court from the Judgment herein against them on the Cross Complaint demurer thereto answers and demurers thereto, which appeal is granted,

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Emma V Warren } Partial Report

Come now Alva Warren by R. T. Hollowell his attorney files his Partial Report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with $180.85
And entitled to Credits as shown herein in the sum of $169.83
Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum of $11.02
to be accounted for in his next report to this Court, Said Guardian now asks the guardian to approve this report and Continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premis finds said report Correct and approves the same and Continues said trust It is therefore orded adjudged and decred by the Court that it be and the same is approve and said trust Continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

Judge.

Friday morning April 2nd 1897.
Court met pursuant to adjournment Present
John V. Hadley Judge;

In the matter of the Estate of Jeremiah Stelton deceased, } Petition to Settle as Insolvent

Comes Frank H Heron administrator of said Estate and files his petition to settle said estate as insolvent (Here Insert) An the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that said estate is probably insolvent and Orders that the same be settled as an insolvent estate, And it is further Ordered that publications of a notice of insolvency given by publication required by law,

Friday April 2nd 1897 And 29th day March Term.

In the matter of the Guardianship of James L McCormick } Final Report.

Comes now A S McCormack Guardian of James L McCormack and submits to the Court his Final Report as to said ward from which it appears he is Chargable with the sum of 44.84
And Entitled to credits as shown herein to the sum of 5 42
Leaving a balance in the sum of $39 42
Said Guardian being duly sworn says the forgoing report is full true and Complete And that his ward is of full age and has received and receipted for all money due him as shown by voucher 1 filed herein.
And now said guardian asks that this report be approved and that he be discharged from his bond and trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premis finds said report is true and complete and that said guardian has fully and finally settled with said ward.
It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said Guardian discharged from his bond and trust,

Friday April 2nd 1897 And 29th day March Term

In the matter of the Guardianship of Carl E Weaver Etal. } Partial Report

Comes now Ellis M Weaver and files his Current report as such guardian showing that he is chargable with the sums of ——— $203.31
Said Guardian shows to the Court that he has not paid out any of the money belonging to said ward they being Children of said Guardian and said Guardian feeds and clothes them, Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premis finds said report correct It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is in all things approved

In the matter of the Estate of David T Cox Etal } Current Report,

Comes now Henry A Record Guardian of said heirs and files his current report as such guardian shows that he is chargable with $1293.00
And intitle to credits as shown herein in the sum of 1.20
Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum $1291.80
to be accounted for in his next report to this Court Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continued said trust and the Court having examined said

Said report and being fully advised in the premises find said report Correct and that the same ought to be approved and said trust continued, It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things confirmed and approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the Guardianship of Allen Taylor Unsound mind | Final Report

Comes now Geo. W. Milhon by Bird and Harvey attorneys and said submits to the Court his final report as to said ward from which it appears he is chargeable with the sum of $819.66
And entitled to credits as shown by vouchers filed in sum of ---- 833 71
Leaving a balance due Guardian $14.05
which he paid in case of funeral expenses Said Guardian now shows to the Court that said ward died the owner of 80 acres of land in Hendricks County Indiana
Said Guardian being duly sworn says the foregoing report is full true and Complete And asks the Court to approve said report.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report Correct and that that same ought to be approved
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things confirmed and approved.

In the matter of the Estate of Jesse Osborn | Settlement Under $300 Law.

Come now Hannah Osborn widow of Jesse Osborn deceased and shows to the Court her petition asking that the Estate of said decedent be settled under $300 Dollars Said petition having been filed herein on the 29.th day of January 1897 together with the necessary affidavit, Certificate of the Clerk of this Court as to appointment of appraisers and appraisement of the property of said decedent and affidavit of said appraisers all being in the words and figures following to-wit:
from which it appears and the Court finds that the said decedent at the time of his death left an estate of the appraised value of $442.95 Cts.
And that the said Hannah Osborn as widow of said decedent is entitled to the whole of said estate and that the same ought to be set off to her under the $300 Law.
It is therefor considered and adjudged by the Court that the property of said decedent as evidence by the Inventory and appraisment on file to-wit;

Description of Property:

1 All of Lot No 4 Four in Block (1) One in Robert A Watts addition to the Town of Brownsburg Hendricks County Indiana Lot value	150	00
Improvements value at	275.	00
25 yards Carpet	2	50
2 Window Blinds		10
1 Bedstead & Bedding	4	50
4 Blankets	3	00
2 Safes		50

(over)

	Brought forward	
3	Bed Straw tecks	.75
6	Chairs	60
1	Cook Stove	1.00
1	Dining tables	1.00
1	Step ladder	1.00
1	Lot Dishes	2.00
1	Heating Stove	1.00

$442.95

Be assigned and set off to the said Hannah Osborn widow of said decedent and that she have and hold the same free from any and all Claims of the creditors of the said Jesse Osborn deceased

In the matter of the Estate of Jacob. B. Neff } Final Report

Come now Jas. H Neff Administrator of the Estate of Jacob B. Neff by Thad S Adams his attorny and files his final report and showing to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 14th day of April 1892 and the last on the 21st day of April 1892. Said affidavit reads as follows: (Here Insert) And said Administrator also files the affidavit of James H. Neff, from which it appears a like notice was

Posted at the Court house door of said County on the 13th day of April 1892. Said affidavit reads as follows: (Here Insert) And show the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on thes Court 13th day of April 1892, and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 10th day of May 1892 The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $1320.48 and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $1320.48 The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged,

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

Judge.

Saturday April 3.rd 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment

Present

John V. Hadley

Judge,

In the Estate of Lucinda Brown, | Petition to Sell Personal Property at Private Sale.

Comes now the Executor of the will of Lucind Brown and files his petition for an order to sell personal property at private sale which petition is in words, and figures following to wit (Here insert)

And the Court being sufficiently advised orders, said executor to sell said personal property at private sale for not less than than the appraised value He shall give notice of date of Sale by posting not less than five written or printed notice at least five days before sale, If said property is not sold on the day Set said sale shall be continued from day to day until all is sold, a credit of three months without interest may be given on all Sums of five dollars or over,

In the Guardianship of Benjamin F Davis | Deed Executed

Comes now Tobias D Hayes, Guardian of the above named minor and files his petition for an order to execute to Joseph Sellers, a deed conveying to said Sellars certin real estate heretofore sold to said Sellars by said Guardian, by the orders of this Court, the deed to which said real estate was lost by said Sellars after the same had been delivered to him and before the same had been recorded, which petition is in words and figures following to wit (Here Insert)

And the Court having examined said petition and been fully advised in the premises finds that said deed ought to be executed as asked for in said petition, and said Guardian is ordered to present for the Courts inspection a deed conveying said real estate to said Joseph Sellers.

And now said Guardian presents a deed duly acknowledged conveying said real estate to said Sellers, which deed is examined by the Court and approved and the Courts approval indorsed thereon, and said Guardian is ordered to deliver said deed to said Sellers as an evidence of his title

In the matter of the Estate of William Hilton | Final Report

Comes now Henry S Smith by Cofer & Hadley his attorneys and submits to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Stogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of gneral circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 11th day of March 1897 and the last on the 18th day of march 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.D.) And said administrator also files the affidavit of Thomas J. Cofer from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 5th day of March 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.D.) And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 5th day of March 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 3rd day of April 1897.

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $1556.30

And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of ——— 1556.30

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged, It is therefor ordered adjudged

And decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is heby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court,

In the matter of the Estate of Julian Hawkins decand | Current Report

Comes now John S Hawkins Administrator of Julia A Hawkins decased and files a current report herein from which it appears that said Administrator is chargeable with the sum of — $566.71

And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed herein in the sum of 632.04

Leaving a Balance due the Administrator in the sum of $85.33

And the Court having examined said report finds it Correct and approves the same!

It is therfor ordered by the Court that said report be and the same is heby in all things approve and confirmed and said trust continued

Saturday April 3rd 1897 And 29th day March Term

Ora M Davis, Administrator of the Estate of Samuel Ross deceased, vs. Lutitia Ross & others

Final Entry in Land Sale

Comes now the petitioner in the above cause and files his report of sale of the real estate in said cause, which report is in the words and figues following to wit;

Comes now, Ora M. Davis the plaintiff in the above cause and shows to the Court that as ordered by the Court he offered the real estate in this cause ordered sold for sale at private sale without notice and on this the 3rd day of April 1897, Seth Ross offered therefor the sum of nine hundred and ninety dollars cash for said real estate and that being the highest and best offer received for said real estate and the full appraised value thereof this petitioner sold to said Seth Ross said real estate described as follows; The South East quarter of the North West quarter, of section one (1) in Township fifteen (15) North and Range one (1) East in Hendricks County and State of Indiana containing 41 55/100 acres more or less and subject to the life estate of Lutitia Ross in a tract in the South East corner thereof 8 Chains and 71 links East and West and 4 Chains and 8 links north and South.

Said purchaser Seth Ross, has a claim against the estate of said Samuel Ross allowed of record for one thousand dollars It will require & to pay all

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other Claims and expenses of Administration in said estate,

Said purchaser paid said sum of $ in cash and receipted his claim in full to enable this petitioner to settle said estate as solvent, said recipt being in consideration and as payment of the balance of said purchase money

Petitioner therfore asks the Court to approve said sale and this report

Ora M Davis
Administrator

Subscribed and sworn to this 3rd day of April 1897

James L Clark
Notary Public

And the Court being fully advised finds said report regular and conforming to law and the order of the Court in this cause and that said sale and report to be approved,

It is therfore ordered adjudged by the Court that said sale and the report thereof be and are in all things approved, and said petitioner is ordered to present for the Court's examination a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser,

And now comes said petitioner and presents a deed duly acknowledge conveying said real estate to said purchaser, and the Court approves said deed and indorses his approval thereon in these words; Examined and approved in open Court this 3rd day of April 1897. And said petitioner is ordered to deliver said deed to said purchaser as an evidence of his title.

Saturday April 3rd 1897 And 27th day March Term

It is therefor ordered by the Court that all probate causess not disposed of at this Term of Court be continued to the May Term 1897

And Court adjourned until Court in Cause Record read and signed in open Court.

Judge.

Vacation Proceedings

In the matter of the Estate of Allen Taylor } Petition to Sell Personal Property at Private Sale

Comes now Geo W Milhon administrator of said Estate in Vacation and presents to me the following petition to wit;

Comes now George W Milhon the duly qualified administrator of the Estate of Allen Taylor and shows the Court by his Inventory filed in said estate That the personal Estate of said Decedent amounting to only $66.50 That $47.00 of said Estate is growing wheat and the balance thereof is small articles of furniture and some Clothing That he believes that it would be to the best interest of said Estate not to advertize said property for sale at public sale for the reason that the costs necessary therefor would greatly exceed the benifits derived therefrom.

He therefor asks to be allowed to sell all of said personalty at private sale at not less than its appraisement

G. W. Milhon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of April 1897

Geo. C. Harvey Notary Public.

And the Judge having examined said petition finds that said prayer thereof ought to be granted

It is therefore ordered by the Judge in Chambers that the administrator sell said property above mentioned at private sale for not less than the appraised value and report his doings to the next term of this Court.

In the matter of Charles S Hall surviving partner of the firm of S A. Hall & son | Request for appointment of appraiser

Be it remembered that on the 22." day of april 1897 Chales S Hall the surviving partner of the firm of S. A. Hall and son By Downard and Parker attorneys files in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court in vacation a Request for appointment of appraiser said request is in the words and figures follow. to wit:

State of Indiana Hendricks County SS:
In the Hendricks Circuit Court
April 22" 1897. Vacation.

Charles S Hall surviving partner of the firm of S A Hall and son;

Comes now Charles S Hall the surviving partner of the firm of S. A. Hall and son and respectfully represents and states the fact to be that said firm was and is composed of Stanley a Hall and the said Charles S Hall and of no other person whomsoever; that the said Stanley a Hall departed this life at and in said County and State on Wednesday the 14" day of April 1897 and that he the said Charles S Hall is desirous of settling the business of said partnership under the laws of the State of Indiana providing for the settlement of such partnerships by the surviving partner. Wherefore he asks that the Clerk of said Court will appoint an appraiser to act in conjunction with one to be selected by the said Charles S Hall in appraising the assets and listing the liabilities of said firm:

Charles S Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22" day of April 1897
Maude L Downard
Notary Public:

And the Clerk being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that the said Stanley a Hall departed this life at and in said County and State on Wensday the 14" day of April 1897 and the Clerk now in compliance with the Law of the State of Indiana does now appoint Frank a Christie a reputable resident householder and freeholder of the State of Ind. and County of Hendricks as the one to act in conjunction with the one appointed by the said Charles S Hall the surviving partner of the firm of Stanley a Hall & Son, in appraising the assets and listing the liabilities of said firm And further proceeding herein are continued &

Vacation

In the matter of the Guardianship of Weltha S George | Appointment of Guard.

Be it remembred that on the 21st day of April 1897 James Mc George filed in the Hendricks Circuit Court application for letters of Guardianship upon Weltha S George said application reads as follows, to wit:

And now at this time the said James M George executes and files his bond in the penal sum of $4000.00 dollars with Milton Hendricks and James M Phillips as surities thereon which bond is approved by the Clerk of this Court and reads as follows, (Here Insert)

And now the said James Mc George is sworn as such Guardian and files a copy of his oath as follows (H.S.)

Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said James M George and reads as follows (H.S.)

And further proceedings herein are continued.

Vacation

Guardianship of Thomas Lanahan and Daniel Lanahan minor heirs of Manora Lanahan deceased | appointment

Comes now John Lanahan and files application for letters of Guardianship of said Thomas Lanahan and Daniel Lanahan minor heirs of Honora Lanahan deceased in these words to wit: (Here Insert) and the written statement and request of said Thomas Lanahan for the appointment of said Thomas Lanahan for the appointment of said John Lanahan as his guardian, in these words to wit; (Here Insert) also files and presents his written Bond with Patrick Lanahan and Thomas Feeney as his Sureties thereon in the sum of Five hundred dollars conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties as such guardian, duly acknowledge before a Justice of the Peace of Hendricks County Indiana, all being in these words to wit: (H.S.) and the Clerk having examined all of said papers filed and finding all to be in due forme and efficient in law, approves said Bond in writing thereon and appoints said John Lanahan as Guardian of the persons and property of said Thomas Lanahan and Daniel Lanahan, and refers such appointment to the Hendricks Circuit Court of the State of Indiana at the May Term 1897 thereof for the approval of said Court said guardian also files an Inventory of the estate of said minors

Vacation

These words to wit: (Here Insert)

In the matter of the Estate of Maxy M. Herbster deceas'd

Be it remembered that on the 26th day of apric 1897 Leasa Herbster filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court the folloiwng proceeding (H.J.) State of Indiana. Hendricks County ss.

In the Hendricks Circuit Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Maxy M. Herbster, deceased.

Leasa Herbster respectfully shows to the Court that she is one of the bondsmen of Fred Herbster, administrator of the above estate and that she desires to be released from said bond

Leasa Herbster.

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Joshlin Foster | Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 29th of april 1897 Wm M. Foster by Thomas J Cofer his attorney filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court; his petition for letters of Administratain upon the Personal property and Estate of Joshlin Foster deceased Said petition reads as follows (H.J.) And the Clerk having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Wm M Foster his a proper person to be intrusted with the administration of said Estate does now appoint him administrator of said Estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $15-00 with Joseph L Vaughn Wm A McCanich as surity which bond and surity is duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows, ~~and reads as follows H.J.~~

Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Wm M. Foster and reads as follows; (H.J.) and further proceedings herein are continued

Monday morning May 1 1897.
Court met according to Law
Present Hon John B. Hadley Judge
Otis E Dudley Prosecutor
Mile C Masten Clerk Wm B. Bryant Sheriff.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew J Lower deceased | Report of Sale of Personal Property.

Comes the administrator herein by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents to the Court and files a report of the sale of the personal property of the deceased at private sale as ordered by the Court, which report is in the words and figures as follows, to wit (Here Insert)

And the Court having examined the said report and being fully advised finds that the same ought to be confirmed.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the sale of the personal property as above set out be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, and the title of the purchasers is hereby confirmed in each of them.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary White deceased | Probate of Will

Comes now John W Trotter and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Mary White testator and by John W Trotter and John O Kain as witnesses and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Mary White and the said John W Trotter asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent.

And now upon order of the Court the said John W Trotter is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of said John W Trotter and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Mary White on the 17th day February 1895 as her last will and testament, That said instrument was at the same time signed by John W Trotter and John O Kain in the presence of Mary White the testator and in the presence of each other as witnesses. And that the said Mary White declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was her last will and testament That at said time Mary White was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint.

That said Mary White died on the 25th of April 1897 never having revoked said will

And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Mary White deceased and as such ought to be probated

It is therefor adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of Mary White deceased and

That said will be and is probated as her will

It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Stanley A Hall | Probate of will

Comes now J.N. Estep and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Stanley A Hall testator and by J.N. Estep and Thomas J Cofer as witnesses, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Stanley A Hall and the said J.N. Estep asks to have said instrument ~~probated~~ probated as the last will of said decedent.

And now upon order of the Court the said J.N. Estep is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of said J.N. Estep and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Stanley A Hall on the 10th day of March 1897 as his last will and testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by said J.N. Estep and Thomas J Cofer in the presence of the said Stanley A Hall and in the presence of each other as witnesses, and that the said Stanley A Hall declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament, That at said time Stanley A Hall was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint, That said Stanley A Hall died on the day

month 1897 never having revoked said will. And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Stanley A Hall deceased and as such ought to be probated:

It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said ~~will~~ is the last will and testament of Stanley A Hall deceased, and that said will be and is probated as his will;

It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court.

In the matter of the Estate of James E McVey } Probate of Will.

Comes now Jacob M McVey in open Court and instrument signed by James E McVey testator and by M C Underwood and W W Graham as witnesses and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said James E McVey and the said Jacob M McVey asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent

and now upon order of the Court the said M.C. Underwood is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testimony of said M.C. Underwood and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said James E McVey on the 10th day of April 1897 as his last will and testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by said M.C. Underwood and W.W. Graham in the presence of the said James E McVey and in the presence of each other as witnesses, and that the said James E McVey

declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament. That at said time said James E McVey was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint. That said James E McVey died on the day of 1897 never having revoked said will; And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said James E McVey deceased and as such ought to be probated

It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of James E McVey deceased. and that said will be and is probated as his will;

Alfred R Glover, Administrator of the estate of Andrew J Towery deceased

vs:

Edgar Towery and Rosa Towery

No. 1424 Land Sale

Comes the administrator herein by Hogate & Clark his attorneys and shows to the court that he has sold the real estate of the decedent as ordered by the court and now files his report of sale in the following words: Comes now Alfred R Glover administrator of the estate of Andrew J Towery deceased and shows to the Court that on the 19th day of April 1897 in pursuance to the order of the court herein he sold to Daniel M Richardson the following real estate in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana, to wit; a part of the west half of the south east quarter of section thirty three (33) township fifteen (15) north in range one (1) west described as follows:, to wit; Commencing at the north west corner of said quarter; thence south twenty four (24) rods; thence east seventy eight (78) rods and thirteen (13) feet; thence north twenty four (24) rods; thence west seventy eight (78) rods and thirteen (13) feet to the place of beginning, for the sum of seven hundred dollars $700.00 cash, that is to say, the said Daniel M Richardson assumed to pay the interest and principal of a school fund mortgage on the said real estate and pay the balance of the purchase money in cash, And the administrator says that he accepted the said bid of the said Daniel M Richardson, that being the highest and best bid offered for the same and that sum being more than the full appraised value for the said real estate.

He therefor executed to the said Daniel M Richardson a certificate of purchase for the real estate so purchased as above described providing for a deed of conveyance if the sale so made and here reported is approved by the Court. And the administrator asks the Court to approve the sale so made and here reported and order a deed of conveyance to the said Daniel M Richardson And the administrator shows to the Court that in the order of sale made herein he was ordered to sell said real estate free of the lien of the said mortgage, and that the mortgage should attach to the proceeds of the sale. But he shows to the Court that he could make a more advantageous sale of the said real estate by selling the same subject to the mortgage,

Therefore he asks that the order of sale herein may be so modified that he may sell the said real estate subject to the said mortgage

And he prays for all proper relief

Alfred R Glover
administrator

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of May 1897

James L Clark
Notary Public:

And the Court having examined the said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said report ought to be approved

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the court that the above report of sale be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and the said administrator is now ordered to report forthwith to the Court for approval a deed of conveyance to the purchaser, and now the

Said administrator as he is commanded brings into court a deed of conveyance for the said real estate, which deed is examined and approved by the Court and his approval endorsed thereon in these words: Examined and approved in open court and ordered to the purchaser as an evidence of title.
John W. Hadley, Judge.
And the Court also orders that the order of sale herein be and the same is now so modified that the said real estate be sold subject to the mortgage to the School fund and not free of the mortgage
all of which is finally ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary White deceased } Appointment of Executor

Comes now Enoch G Hogate and files Petition for letters Testamentry upon the Estate of Mary White deceased said petition reads as follows (H.S.)
And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Enoch G Hogate is a proper person to be intrusted with such administration does now appoint him Executor of the will and Estate of said decedent upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $34,000.00 with James L Clark and James L McCoun as sesities which bond and sesities are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (here insert)
Where upon letters Testamentry were issued to the said Enoch G Hogate and reads as follows- Here insert
And further proceedings herein are continued;

In the matter of the Estate of James E McCoy. } Appointment of administrator

Comes now Jacob M McCoy by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and files application for letters of administrator with will annexed upon said above estate said petition reads as follows (Here Insert) And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that said Jacob M. McCoy is a proper person to to be intrusted with said administration does now appoint him administrator of said Estate with will annexed upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of 200 Dollars with M.C. Underwood as surity which bond and surity is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H.I.) Where upon letters of Administration were issued to the said Jacob M McCoy and reads as follows:
And further proceeding herein are continued

In the matter of the Estate of Stanley A Hall deceased } Appointment

Comes now Thomas J Cofer and files application for letters Testamentary upon the personal property and Estate of Stanley A Hall deceased said application reads as follows: (H.I.) And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Thomas J Cofer is a proper person to intrusted with said Estate does now appoint him Executor of said Will and Estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of 16000 Dollars with J.W. Tinder and Geo. W Scearce as surities which bond and surity is duly approved by the Court

And reads as follows. (Here Insert) Whereupon letters Testamentry were issued to the said Thomas J Cofer and reads as follows. (H.I.) And further proceedings herein are continued.

Guardianship of Bertha Davis minor heir of Isaac R Lawson deceased. } Inventory

Comes now George E Davis Guardian of the person and property of said minor and files an Inventory of the estate of said minor in there words to wit; (Here Insert) Showing that said minor owns a bequest of fifty dollars not received and an Undivided One eight (⅛) interest in 122.50 acres of farming land and a like interest in two town lots in the town of Danville, all in Hendricks County State of Indiana. said town lots however having been ordered by the Hendricks Circuit Court of Indiana to be sold to furnish assets for the Estate of said Isaac R Lawson deceased

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas H Bonifield deceased } Petition to assign notes

Comes now John G Ridpath the Executor of the last will of Thomas H Bonifield deceased and presents his petition to the Court wherein he has an order to assign and Transfer certain promisary notes to Thomas C Gotsm which petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

Comes now John G Ridpath Executor of the last will of Thomas H Bonifield deceard and asks an order to transfer and assign to Thomas C Gotsm the following promissory notes to wit one, dated Oct. 29-95 J Brumfield noter of Middle Township calling for the sums of $100.00 on which there is due $5.20.91 One on John W Tharp dated Oct 3. 93. calling for the sum of $800.00 with credits thereon in the sum of $474.00 on which there is due $307.41 and one on Jas O Smith dated Jan 4, 1895 in the sum of $300.00 on which there is due $308.00 Said Gotsm to recive said notes at their face value in part payment of a legacy due said Gotsm under last will of said Bonifield

John G Ridpath Ex

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of May 1897

I A Barnett Notary Public.

And now the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that said Thomas C Gotsm is a legatee under the will of said Thomas H Bonifield and that said promissory notes mentioned in the petition herein are the property of said estate and should be assigned to said Thomas C Gotsm to be applied on his claim against said estate

herein. It is therfor ordered adjudged and decred that said John G Ridpath executor of the last will of Thomas H Bonfield deceased assign transfer said deliver to said Thomas C Gotsm said promissory notes which is now due, and now said Gotsm executes a voucher for the same

All of which is ordered adjudged and decred

In the Matter of the Estate of John W Wills deceard. } Settlement under 5.00 Law

Comes now Susan A Wills widow of said decedent and presents and shows to the Court her petition to have the estate of her deceased husband set off to her as being in value less than $500, which petition was filed in this Court at the March Term 1897 and with the inventory and appraisment thereto attached is in the words and figures following to wit;

The State of Indeaia Hendricks County } ss.

I Susan A Wills widow of John W Wills deceased swear that all the property real and personal of John W Wills deceased swear that all the property real and personal of John W Wills deceased exclusive of incumbrance thereon, is not worth over Five Hundred dollars as I believe; and I ask that the same be appraised

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March 1897

J J Wells Justice of the Peace Hendricks Co. Indeaia

The State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.

To David B Wills and M.C. Emerson of said County Greeting

Monday May 3rd 1897 and 7th day May Term.

Whereas Susan A Wills widow and relict of John W Wills deceased having filed an affidavit to the effect that all of the property both personal and real of the said decedent will not amount to the sum of Five Hundred Dollars exclusive of incumbrances and asks that said property be appraised

Therfore I have appointed David B Wills to act in concert with M O Emerson selected by the Widow both disinterested householders of said County as appraisers of said property both real and personal you will therfore proceed to inventory and appraise the property of said decedent and return the same to this office when completed together with this precept

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of said Court at Danville on the 24th day of February 1897

Mill C Master
Clerk of the Circuit Court of
Hendricks County.

An Inventory of all the personal and real estate of John W Wills deceased taken and appraised by David B Wills and M O Emerson on the 13th day of March 1897

	Description of Property	Value	
1.	Bay Pony	8	00
1	Set Harness old		50
2	Bead Steads	1	00
1	Feather Bed	2	50
1	" " small	1	50
8	" Pillows old	1	20
8	Pillow Slips old		50
6	Comforts	3	00
7	Blankets old		75
1	Matters "		75
1	Dresser	4	00

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1	Wash Stand	1	00
2	Stand Tables old		50
1	Dinning Table "		75
2	Wool carpets 45 yds old	4	00
1	Rag Carpt 20 " "		50
3	Windows shades & Fixtures		75
1	Barrow old		25
1	Spring colt	1	00
8	Bead Sheets old		80
3	Table Cloths		25
1	Set Decades odes Reades	1	50
1/2	Knives		25
1/2	Forkes		25
1	Corn Sive Safe		25
2	Rockers old	1	00
12	cane chairs	1	00
1	Cook Stove	3	00
1	Heating Stove	4	00
1	Wash Tub and Board		25
12	Head Towels		50
2	Doz Fruit Jars		60
1	Tea Spoons		10
6	Milk Crocks		60
2	Dish Pans		15
2	Iron Potts		40
2	Skilletts		20
1	Tea Kettle		10
1	Coffee Pott		05
2	Looking Glasses		50
2	Smoothing Irons		20
2	Set Springs	1	00
1	Sewing Machine	2	00
2	Total amount	$51	40

Interest in the real estate left by amos S Wills and Lucinda I Wills and in the rents arising therfrom which real estate Benjamin D Edmonson has been appointed commissioner to sell valued at 300 00

$351 40

The State of Indiana
Hendricks County

We D.B. Wills and M.C Emerson appointed to appraise all the estate of John W Wills deceased swear that the foregoing is a true full and complete inventory of all the personal and real estate of said deceased, which has come to our Knowledge and a fair valuation thereof; so help us God,

D.B. Wills. } Appraisers
M.C. Emerson }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March 1897

J J Wills Justice of Peace

State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.
I Susan A Wills widow of John W Wills swear that the foregoing inventory contains to the best of my Knowledge and Belief a true and complete statement of all the estate real and personal owned by said decedent at his death other than articles exempt by law from administration; so help me God.

Susan A Wills

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March 1897

J J Wills Justice of Peace

And the Court having examined said petition Inventory and appraisement and it appearing to the Satisfaction of the Court that said decedent died intestate after the decease of of his father & mother Amos & Wills and Lucinda T Wills and that he left as his only heirs said Susan A Wills his widow and Ruth Wills and Myrtle Brown children and that the whole estate left by said John W Wills deceased is worth less than five hundred dollars.

It is therefore ordered that all of said property

in said Inventory and appraisement heard, the same is hereby set off to said petitioner Susan J Wills as her sole property subject to the payment of the funeral expenses and expenses of the last sickness of said decedent;

And Court adjourned until 9 A M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday May 4th 1897 And 2 day May Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Jr
Judge

In the matter of the Estate of John Raglaind decand | Final Report

Comes the administrator herein by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks from which it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been published in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 8th day of april 1897 and the last on the 15th day of april 1897. Said affidavit is filed herewith and is as follows: (N.S.) And the administrator also shows to the Court and files his own affidavit from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the door of the Court house on the 3rd day of april 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows: (N.S.) And now the final report herein comes on to be heard and after examing the said report and being fully advised in the premises The Court doth say and find that the said final report was filed in the offic of the Clerk of this Court on the 3rd day of april 1897 and by an endorsement in writing on the same the said report as set for trial on the 3rd day of May 1897. The Court also finds that said administrator is chargable with the sum of — — — 6730.16
and entitled to credits in the same sum
The Court also finds that said report is correct

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That the same ought to be approved and the administrator discharged from his Bond and trust,
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, said estate is now declared finally settled and Michael O Donnell is fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust as administrator of said estate,
All of which is finally ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court.

Pleasant P Thomas
vs.
Est Samuel McDaniel | Dismissed at Pltffs Costs No. 1369

Comes now the parties herein by counsel and this Claim is Dismissed at the Costs of the Plaintiff
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this Claim be dismissed and that the Plaintiff pay the costs herein laid out and expended taxed at dollars cents.

And Court adjourned until 9 am to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday morning May 5th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present Hon John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
to morrow morning Record read and signed
in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday morning May 6th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

State of Indiana, Hendricks County SS.
In the Hendricks Court
May term 1897.

Geo. T Pattison, admr of the estate of John H Hardin deceased
vs:
Mary E Hardin Etal:

Order for Sale of Real Estate

Comes now Geo T Pattison, Administrator of said estate and shows to the Court that due notice has been given of the filing of the petition herein to sell the Real Estate hereinafter described to pay the debts of said estate to Mary E Hardin, Widow, William P Hardin, Emma A Hardin, Nancy J McCormack, children of said deceased Raymond D Little, Fay M Little and Faye A H Little, grand-children of said deceased and children of a deceased daughter, Millie Little, and Jesse T Reese, husband, and Edna N. Reese, Maude Reese and Harry Reese children of Etina E Reese a daughter of said John H. Hardin deceased, who has died subsequent to her fathers death, at least ten days before the time for which this petition was set for hearing which notice and proof of service thereof is as follows to wit:
(N. B.)
And now comes Mary E Hardin, Emma A Hardin, Nancy J McCormack and William P Hardin and signify their assent in writing to the sale of the Real Estate

proposed in the petition filed herein which
assent is in the words and figures
following to wit: (Here Insert) and now
the said Jesse I. Reese is three times
Soudly called and comes not but
wholly makes default.
It is now suggested to the Court that the
defendants Inez M Little, Raymon H
Little, Faye A H Little, Edna N Reese,
Maude Reese and Harry Reese are minors,
whereupon the Court appoints R. T
Hollowell, a practicing attorney at this
bar. Guardian ad litem for said infant
defendants, and now comes said Guardian
ad litem and files his answer herein,
which answer is in the words and figures
following to wit: (N. I.)
And now the matter of said petition
is submitted to the Court for trial and
the Court having heard the evidence finds
that the allegations of said petition are true
that the land hereinafter described
ought to be sold to pay the debts and
liabilities of said estate and that
due notice has been given as above stated,
and said Geo. I Pattison having duly tendered
his bond to secure an order for the
sale of said Real Estate which is hereby
approved, it is therefor considered,
adjudged and decreed by the Court
that the following described Real
Estate is liable to be sold to be made
assets for the payments of debts and
liabilities of said estate to wit;
The undivided two-thirds of the North
half of the North East quarter and the
South west quarter of the North East
quarter and one half acre off of and across the north side of the north east quarter of the north east quarter of Section Twenty-two (22) in
Township Fifteen (15) North Range one (1) West
all in Hendricks County in the State

of Indiana, said Real Estate
appraised at Thirty-two hundred dolls
and said Administrator is hereby
empowered to sell the above described
Real Estate at not less than its
appraised value and the Court further
finds that the State of Indiana has
a mortgage which is a valid lien
upon the North West quarter of the North
East quarter of said Section Twenty
two (22) Township Fifteen (15) North Range one
(1) West, for the sum of Six hundred
dollars, said mortgage bearing date of
May 31" 1887, and executed by said
John H Hardin deceased and Mary E
Hardin his wife that the interest on
said note is paid in May 31" 1897
It is therefor ordered that said
Real Estate shall be sold for One-third
Cash, One-third in nine months and
one-third in eighteen months, subject
to the mortgage above referred to the
purchaser to execute his notes
for the deferred payments secured by
mortgage on the Real Estate sold
it appearing to the Court that it
would be to the interest of said
estate that said Real Estate be sold
at private sale it is ordered that the same
be sold at private sale and that said
administrator give notice of such sale
by three consecutive insertions in a
weekly newspaper of general circulation
published in said County and by
printed notices in not less than five
public places in center Township and
report said sale to this Court for
confirmation and approval

Thursday May 6th 1897 And 4th day May Term

And Court adjourned until 9:00 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John W Hadley
Judge.

Friday May 7. 1897 And 5th day May Term.

Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
Hon. John W. Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the
Estate of Maximilion Herbster

Comes now Leasa Herbster and shows to the Court the notice issued to Fred Herbster and the return of the Sheriff thereon which notice and return is in words and figures following to wit W.S. from which it appears to the satisfaction of the Court that said Fred Herbster administrator was served with notice of the filing of the petition of said Leasa Herbster to be released from the bond of said Fred Herbster administrator And said Fred Herbster administrator failing to appear is now three times called and comes not but wholly makes default
And now the Court orders that said Leasa Herbster be discharged from the bond of said Fred Herbster administrator and that said Fred Herbster administrator file a new bond to the approval of this Court within three days and failing to do so he shall be discharged from his trust

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John W Hadley
Judge.

Saturday May 8 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and signed
in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the Matter of the
Guardianship of Levona
Patterson, Samuel Patterson,
Minnie Patterson and
Daniel Patterson minors

Order appointing Appraisers

Comes now Squire
Thompson, Guardian of the above named
minors and files his petition herein to
sell certain real estate therein described,
which petition is in words and figures
as follows. to wit; (Here Insert) and now
the Court appoints Fielding Studderston
and Ella Davis two free holders of the
County wherein said real estate is
situated to appraise the same and report
to this Court without delay.

In the Estate of
Lucinda M Brown Deceased

Report of Sale of Personal Property

Comes John P Martindale,
Executor of the will of Lucinda M Brown
and files his report of the sale of personal
property at private sale which report is
in words and figures following to wit;
(here insert) And the Court being fully advised
now approves said report and confirms said
sales.

Monday May 10th 1897 And 7 day may Term.

John L Marsh vs. Martha A Linton Estate | No 1430 Claim allowed at $22.50

Come the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff in the sum of $22.50

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein John L Marsh recover from the defendants Estate herein the sum of $22.50 together with his costs herein laid out and expended taxed at ----- dollars ----- cents.

In the Guardianship of Jerusha Lipe | Final Report

Comes now James M Wells Guardian of Jerusha Lipe and submits to the Court his final report as to said ward from which it appears he is chargeable with the sum of $217.55

and entitled to credits as shown by vouchers filed in the sum of $217.55

Said Guardian being duly sworn says the foregoing report is full true and complete That his ward has married a Mr. Summerville a man over 21 years of age and that she has received and receipted for all money shown by said balance to be due said ward in full and final settlement, And said guardian asks that this report be approved and that the said Guardian be discharged from his bond and trust.

Monday May 10 1897 And 7 day May Term.

It is therefor ordered by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things confirmed and approved and said Guardain discharged from his bond and trust:

In the matter of the Guardianship of Margaut Corless, a minor, | Final Report

Comes now Thomas Corless Guardian of the said minor by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files a final report, in said Guardianship from which it appears that said Guardian is chargeable with the sum of $160.18

and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $160.18

Said report also shows that the said Margaut Corless is now of the full age of twenty one years and that the said Guardian has fully settled with her as shown by her voucher no 3. The Court finds said report correct and the same ought to be approved and the Guardian discharged.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, said Guardian is now fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust

All of which is now fully and finally decreed by the Court.

May 10th 1897. and 7th day of May Term 1897.

In the matter of the Guardianship of the minor heirs of Jesse Kennedy deceased. | Final Repost

Comes now David J Spicklemire administrator of the estate of James N. Spicklemire deceased by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents to the Court and files a report as such administrator showing the proceeding of his decedent as guardian of Jesse Kennedy, minor heir of Jesse Kennedy deceased, Said report is as follows:- (N.F.)

And the Court having examined the said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that the estate of James N Spicklemire is chargable with the sum of $171.31 and entitled to credits on the vouchers filed in the sum of $22.98 Leaving a balance of $148.33 belonging to the minor Jesse N. Kennedy, But the Court finds that the said Jesse N. Kennedy has arived at the age of twenty one years and that the said administrator has paid over to him the said balance of 148.33 and taken his receipt therefor number 8 in the said report The Court finds said report correct and the same ought to be approved and the estate of James N Spicklemire ought to be discharged from the trust herein

It is therefor ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final resort be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and the estate of James N Spicklemire is now fully and finally discharged from any further responsibility herein, and the bond of the guardians is discharged

May 10th 1897 and 7th day May Term

And Court adjourned until 9 A M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John W Yeadley
Judge.

Tuesday May 11th 1897 And 8th day May Term

Tuesday morning May 11 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Judge.

In the Estate of
Maximelion Herbster

Comes now Margaret E Herbster by Stogdale and Clark and Alf Walters her attorneys and the petition of said "Margaret E Herbster" to be released from the bond of Charles F Herbster administrator comes on for hearing upon the default of said Charles F Herbster and the order of the Court heretofore made and the said Charles F Herbster having failed to file a new bond as administrator of said estate and the time given by the court in which to file such bond having expired said Charles F Herbster, is discharged and Removed from his trust as such administrator;

And now the said Margaret E Herbster asks to be appointed as administratrix of said estate and files her bond in the sum of three thousand dollars, with J W. Hatfield Jno T Broomfield and W.A. Hollingsworth as her sureties which bond is approved by the Court. And said Margaret E Herbster is appointed as administratrix of said estate, and said Margaret E Herbster being duly sworn to faithfully and honestly discharge her duties as such administratrix is authorized to take upon herself the duties of administering the said Estate of Maximelion Herbster.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to-morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court. John V Hadley Judge

Wednesday May 12th 1897 And 9th day May Term.

Wednesday morning May 12 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge.

Clerks Report of May Term 1897

State of Indiana Hendricks County SS.
The undersigned Clerk of the Hendricks Circuit Court of Indiana would respectfully report the following vacation Business since March Term 1897 Of said County to wit:

Estate	admr.	Bond	Sur.
Joshlin Foster	Wm M Foster	$6000 00	Joseph L Vaughn Wm A McAninch
Guardianship			
Ward	Guardian		
Thomas Lanahan Daniel Lanahan	John Lanahan	500 00	Patrick Lanahan Thomas Feeney
Weltha A George	James M George	4000 00	James W Phillips Milton Hendricks

All of which I respectifully submitted to the Court for approval.
Witness my hand and the official seal of said Court affixed at my office at Danville Hendricks County Indiana this 3rd day of May 1897.
Mell G Masten Clerk.

And the Court having examined said report Endorses his approval on the back in these words Examined and approved by me John V Hadley Judge

Wednesday May 12." 1897 and 9" day May Term:

David W. Sherill
vs.
Sarah Sherell

Comes now the petitioner David W Sherill and shows to the Court that she has filed her petition praying that her guardiana be discharged and her property be restored to her which petition is in words and figures following to wit (Here insert) and Mell C Master Clerk files his answer herein which is in words and figures to wit; (Here insert) and this cause being submitted to the Court for trial finding and decree, with out the intervention of a jury, and the Court having heard the evidence finds that the defendant Sarah Sherell is now a person of sound mind and capable of managing her estate;
It is there fore considered by the court that said petitioner is a person of sound mind and capable of managing her estate and it is ordered that her guardian be now discharged and her property restored to her possession.

Wednesday May 12." 1897 and 9" day May Term:

In the matter of the Estate Robert Hervey } Current Report.

Comes now Mell C Master By Brice and Harvey his attorneys and files his current report as Executor of the above Estat showing as such Executor he is chargeable with the sum of $621.24 which has come into his hands and is entitled to credits as shown by vouchers filed herein in the sum of 453.77
Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum of $167.47
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court: And now this report is submitted to the Court for approval: And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premis finds said repost correct;
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Mabel I Brewer. a minor. } Current report

Comes now Elijah Brewer Guardian By Bill and Havey his attorneys and submitts to the Court his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargable with the sum of ---------- $84.00

And entitled to credits on his vouchers in the sum of 30.00

Saving a balance in the sum of $53.45 to be accounted for in his next report to this Court

Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust;

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

Caroline Beadle vs. Robert Hervey } NO 1406 Dismissed at Claimat costs without Prejudice

Comes now the Plaintiff herein by Counsel and this Claim is dismissed at Claimant costs without Prejudice

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this Claim be dismissed without Prejudice and that the Plaintiff herein pay the costs of this suit taxed at --- dollars --- cents

First National Bank Danville Indiana vs. James R Williams John L Rutlidge }

Comes the Plaintiff and appearing to the Court by the summons issued herein and the return of the Sheriff indorsed thereon which summons and return are as follows. (Here Insert) That the defendants and each of them has been duly served with process by personal Service more than ten days before the 7th day of the present term of this Court, which was fixed by the plaintiffs indorsement and his complaint herein as the return day of said Summons. said defendant James R Williams is now three times loudly called in open Court but comes not and herein wholly makes default.

And now the defendant John L Rutlidge comes by Bill and Havey his attorneys and fills his answer to plaintiffs complaint, which answer is as follows. (Here Insert)

Now on motion of Plaintiff said cause is submitted to the Court for trial finding of the defendant James R Williams and the is due Joined by the answer of the defendant John L Rutlidge and the Court having heard the evidence and being fully advised in the premises says and finds that there is due said plaintiff from said defendants on the note in suit the sum of $260.85 and that the same is without relief from valuation or appraisment laws. the

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Court further finds that James R Williams is the principal in said note and that the defendant is only the surety on said note for the said Williams
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said plaintiff First National Bank Danville Indiana recover of the defendants James R Williams and John L Rutledge the sum of two hundred and sixty Dollars and Eighty five cents without relief from valuation and appraisment laws together with her cost herein taxed at and that execution be first levied of the goods and Chattls lands and tenements of the defendant James R Williams, all of which is ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Jesse F Hodson } Current Report.

Comes now Henry D Hodson Guardian of Jesse F Hodson and files his current report as such guardian showing that as such guardian he is chargeable with the sum of $67.00 and entitled to credits as shown herein in the sum of $55.58
leaving a balance in his hands to the sum of $11.42
to be accounted for in his next report to this Court:
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust,
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and approves the same
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be, and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued

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In the matter of the Guardianship of Shirley T Ragan Etal | Final as to Walter R. Current as to William & Herman

Comes now Thomas R. Jones Guardian of Shirley T Ragan and Walter, William, & Herman minor heirs of Mildred Ragan deceased and files his report as such Guardian showing that he is chargable with the sum of ——————— $162.00
and entitled to credits as shown herein on the sum of 18.51
Leaving a balance of $133.49
said Guardian would further show that his ward Walter has arrived at the full age of 21 years and that he has fully and finally settled with him as show by his voucher filed herein in the sum of $44.49
said guardian further shows that he has in his hands $89.00
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court,
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and that he be discharged as to Walter R Ragan and his trust continued as to William A and Herman O Ragan
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said guardian discharged as to Walter A Ragan and continued as to William A Ragan and Herman O Ragan.

Wednesday May 12th 1897 and 9th day May Term.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Pierson | appointment

Comes now Samuel W. Williams by Stogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the court and files an application in writing asking to be appointed administrator of the estate of Henry Pierson deceased from which application it appears that the said Henry Pierson departed this life intestate on the 8th day of May 1897 leaving a personal estate to be administered as he believes of $2400 00 that the heirs of said decedent have requested him to become administrator. Said application reads as follows: (N.D.) And now the Court appoints the said Samuel W Williams administrator of the said estate of the said decedent and as such he comes and files a bond in the penal sum of 5000 00 with George W Sclaire and W.W. Leachman as his sureties which bond and the surety thereto are approved by the Court. Said bond reads as follows. N.D. And now the said Samuel W Williams is sworn in open court to faithfully discharge his duties as such administrator of the estate of Henry Pierson deceased and files a copy of his oath which reads as follows: N.D. Whereupon letters of administration are issued to the said Samuel W Williams, which read as follows N.D.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Myrtle A Cooper. } Final Report.

Comes now Ernest Cooper Guardian of Myrtle A Cooper and submits to the Court his Final report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of of $152.09
And entitled to credits in the sum of 152.09
Said guardian would further show that his ward has arived at the full age of 21 years and that he has fully and finally settled with said guardian as shown by voucher no 1 filed herein. and said gourardian now asks the Court to approve this report and discharge him from his bond and trust.
and the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is heeby in all things approved and said guardian discharged from any further liability or trust.

In the matter of the Estate of Emanuel Wasten } Final, Report.

Comes now Joseph S Carter administrator. By Bill and Harry. his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of W.A. King Editor of the Hendricks County Gazett a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 14th day of april 1897 and the last on the 21st day of april 1897
Said affidavit reads as follows. (H.D.)
and said Admr. also files the affidavit George C Harry from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on the 12th day of april 1897 said affidavit reads as follows (H.D.) and now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 12th day of april 1897 and by endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 3rd day of May 1897
The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of — — — — — 473.63
And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of 440.13
Leaving a balance in the 33.50

To be distributed among the following heirs to wit:

Phebe Ellen Casady	$11.	16 2/3	Pd.
Martha A Montgomery	11	16 2/3	Pd.
Baraba Harlan	11.	16 2/3	Pd.

All paid & Receipts

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged,

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

8/9.97 Rec. of Master Clk. 11,16 2/3 Wy. claim herein in full
Baraba her + Harlan mark

8/9-97 Rec of Master Clk. 11,16 2/3 Wy claim herein in full
Phebe Ellen her x Casady mark

Rec. of Master Clerk 10/16.1897. $11, 16 my share herein, Martha ax her Montgomery mark

In the matter of the Estate of William Glover deceased } Final Rept.

Comes now Millard F Jones administrator of the estate of William Glover deceased by Miles and Miles his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a finale report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 15th day of April 1897 and the last on the 22nd day of April 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (N.D.) And now said administrator also files the affidavit of Millard F Jones from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 13th day of April 1897 said affidavit reads as follows. (N.D.) And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 14th day of April 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 10th day of May 1897

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $64.67 And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of — — — $64 67

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed

By the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Fitch deceased. } Current Rept

Comes now Alfred Fitch administrator of the above Estate and by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and files his current report as such administrator showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $622.51

And entitled to credits as shown by vouchers filed herein in the sum of 762.00

Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum of $860.51

To be accounted for in his next report to this Court

Said administrator now presents and asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust.

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued

In the matter of the Estate of Albert H McLean } Settlement Under $500 Law

Comes now Anna M McLean widow of Albert H McLean and shows to the Court her petition asking that the Estate of said decedent be settled under the $500.00 Law. Said petition having been filed herein on the 27th day of February 1897 together with the necessary affidavit and Certificate of the Clerk of this Court as to appointment of appraisers and appraisement of the property of said decedent and affidavit of said appraisers all being in the words and figures following to wit H.D. Town which it appears and the Court finds that the said decedent at the time of his death left an estate of the appraised value of ---- $310.70 and that the said Anna M McLean as widow of said decedent is entitled to the whole of said estate and that the same ought to be set off to her under the $500 law.

It is therefor considered and adjudged by the Court that the property of said decedent is evidence by the inventory and appraisement on file to wit:

No	Description of Property	Value of Property		Description	Value
3	Shares pre paid B & L Stock				
1	Org	250	00		
1	Organ	15	00		
1	no 8 Round Oak	4	00		
1	Bedroom Suit	10	00		
1	Feather Bed	3	00		
3	Wool Carpets	9	00		
1	Lounge	2	00		

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No					
3	Rocking Chairs	3	00		
3	Chairs	1	00		
1	Dinning Table	1	00		
1	Safe	7	00		
1	Wash Stand	1	00		
1	Bed Stead	1	50		
1	Small Table		50		
1	Gasoline Stove		50		
1	Wood Stove	1	00		
10	Window Shades	2	00		
2	Mirrors	1	00		
1	Hanging Lamp	1	50		
1	Hall Lamp		20		
1	Set Bed Springs	1	00		
1	Small cook Stove				
	Total	310	70	310	70

Be assigned and set off to the said Anna M. McLean widow of said decedent and that she have and hold the same free from any and all Claims of the Creditors of the said deceadent.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Thursday May 13th 1897 And 10th day May Term

Thursday morning May 13 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of
Tevona Patterson
Samuel Patterson
Minnie Patterson
Daniel Patterson minors

Order of Sale

Comes now Squire Thompson Guardian of the above named minors, and files the appraisement of real estate owned by said minors, said appraisement having been made by and two freeholders of said County heretofore appointed by this Court to make said appraisement wherein it is shown that said real estate is of the value of Dollars said real estate being described as follows to wit:
Tevona Patterson; A part of the North fractional half of the North-west quarter of Section three (3) Township sixteen (16) North, Range One (1) East and described as follows to wit:- Beginning at the North west corner of said Section three (3) Township sixteen (16) North, of Range one (1) East and running thence South on the section line twelve (12) Chains and ninety (90) and 3-10 links to a stone; thence East five (5) Chains and four (4) links; thence North twelve (12) Chains and ninety (90) and 3-4 links to a stone; thence West five (5) Chains and three 3: and 1-2 links to the place of beginning estimated to contain six (6) and one half

acres more or less and is shown on partition plat as lot no. five (5)

Minnie Patterson

A part of the North fractional half of the North west quarter of Section three (3) Township sixteen north Range one (1) East and described as follows to wit:

Beginning at a stone five (5) chains and three (3) and one half (3-1-2) links East of the North west corner of said section and running thence South twelve (12) chains and ninety (90) and 3-4 links: thence East five (5) chains and four (4) links: thence North twelve (12) chains and ninety (90) and 3-10 links to a stone; thence West five (5) chains and three (3) and 1-2 links to the place of beginning estimated to contain six (6) and one half 1-2 acres more or less as shown by partition plat as lot No four (4)

Samuel Patterson

A part of the North fractional half of the North-west quarter of section three (3) Township sixteen (16) North, Range one (1) East and described as follows to wit;

Beginning at the center North of said North half quarter; thence west on the section line five (5) chains and three (3) and 1-2 links to a stone; thence south twelve chains and ninety (90) and 3-10 links; thence East five (5) chains and four (4) links to a stone; thence North twelve chains and ninety (90) and 3-10 links to the place of beginning estimated to contain six (6) and one half (1-2) acres more or less and shown on partition, plat as lot No. two (2)

Daniel Patterson

A part of the North fractional half of the North-west quarter of section three (3) Township sixteen (16) North, Range one

(1) East and described as follows to-wit:- Beginning at a stone five (5) chains and three (3) and 1-2 links west of the center North of said North half quarter; thence west five (5) chains and three and -2 links to a stone thence South twelve (12) chains and ninety (90) and 1-3 links; thence East five (5) chains and four (4) links; thence North twelve (12) Chains and ninety (90) and 3-10 links to the place of beginning estimated to contain sixty and one half (1-2) acres more or less, and shown on partition plat as Lot No. three (3)

And the Court having heard the evidence and being fully advised in the premises finds that it would be to the advantage of said estate for all of said real estate to be sold and the value thereof invested in loans with approved security. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the said Squire Thompson, Guardian of the above named minors, Severna Patterson, Samuel Patterson, Minnie Patterson and Daniel Patterson sell all their right title and interest in and to the foregoing described real estate at private sale without notice, at not less than its appraised value.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V. Hadley
Judge.

Friday May 14th 1897 and 14th day of May Term.

Friday morning May 14 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V. Hadley
Judge

Saturday May 15th 1897. and 12th day of May Term

Saturday morning May 15. 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the Matter of the Land Sale of Phoebe Fisher } No 1404 Final Report

Comes now Benjamin F Fisher administrator of the above named Decedent by Bill and Harvey his attorneys and files in open Court the following report of sale of an the Real Estate of said Decedent to wit:

Report of sale of Real Estate comes now Benjamin F. Fisher administrator of said Estate and shows to the Court that as herto fore ordered by the Court he offered the lands of said Decedent herein after Described for sale at private Sale without notice to the highest bidder for cash in hand and that he continued the Sale there of from day to day until the 15th day of May 1897 and on said day One Isabella Ballard did bid therefor the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars, and that being the only bid offered therefor and being Two Hundred Dollars more than the appraisement thereof, I then and there sold said lands to wit: The North Part of the East Half of the North East Quarter of Section 20 Township 14 North Range 2 West Containing 30 acres more or less, to said purchase and said purchase then and there paid to me as cash the said Sum of Eight Hundred Dollars

For said Real Estate and said
administrator now shows the Court
said sum of Eight Hundred
Dollars and tenders a deed Conveying
said lands to said purchase and
asks and order Confirming said
Sale and that the Court Endorse
his approval on said report and
upon said Deed of Conveyance
Benjamin T Fisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th
day of May 1897
Geo C Harvey.
Notary Public.

And the Court having Examined said
Report and the administrator in
Reference thereto and being fully advised
and informed in the premises now
Endorses his written approval on said
Report and having Examined the Deed
tenderd by said administrator now Endorses
his written approval thereon in these words
Examined and approved in Open Court
this 15th day of May 1897 John V. Hadley
Judge Hendricks Circuit Court and
now said Sale is approved and confirmed
in all things and said Deed is ordered
Delivered to the purchaser Isabella
M Ballard as complete thitness of her title

And Court adjourned until 9 a m tomorrow
morning Record read and signed in
open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Monday morning May 17 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Martha Mitchell } Appointment

Comes now Josephus
Mitchell By Stogate and Clark his
attorneys and files in open Court his
Petition for letters of administration
upon the estate of Martha Mitchell
said Petition shows that the said Martha
Mitchell departed this life in said County
intestate as he believes on the 8" day of
May 1897 and left a personal Est. to the
probable value of seventy five dollars.
Said Josephus Mitchell also files his bond
in the penal sum of $150.00 with
Cyrus Mitchell and Isaac Templin as
surety for the approval of the Court
And the Court having examined said
petition and bond and being sufficiently
advised in the premises does now approve
the said bond and surety and appoints
the said Josephus Mitchell administrator of
said Estate; Whereupon the said
Josephus Mitchell was sworn by the Clerk
to faithful discharge his duties as such administra-
tor and issued letters accordingly.
And further proceedings herein are
continued

Monday morning May 17th 1897 And 13th day May Term.

In the matter of the Estate of Samuel C Hill } appointment

Comes now Harry C Hill an files a petition in open Court for letters of administration upon the Personal Estate of Samuel C Hill showing that the said Samuel C Hill died as he believes on the 7th day of May 1897 intestate: said Petition reads as follows W.D.1 And Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds said Harry C Hill do be a proper person to administer on said estate does now Appoint the said Harry C Hill administrator of said estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $2000.00 With Sarah J Hill as surity which bond and surity is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. W.D. Whereupon letters of administration was issued to the said Harry C Hill and reads as follows W.D. And further proceedings herein are continued.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday May 18th 1897 and 14 day May Term.

Tuesday May 18th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Judge.

In the Guardianship of Bertha and Ruth Plasters } Final Report

Comes now John T Brumfield Guardian of said minors and files his report of the sale of real estate in words and figures following to wit:
"Comes now John T Brumfield Guardian of Bertha and Ruth Plasters and files his report of the sale of real estate and shows to the Court that pursuant to the order of this Court made in this matter he offered for sale at private sal without notice the following described real estate, in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to wit; a part of the North west quarter of the North west quarter of section one (1) and a part of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section two (2) in Township sixteen (16) North and Range one (1) West begining at the North East corner of the North West quarter of the North west quarter of said section one (1); thence West to the North West corner of said North West quarter quarter and continuing West sixty three (63) rods and nineteen (19) links into said section two (2); thence South twenty four and one half (24 1-2) rods; thence East to the East line of said North West quarter quarter; thence North twenty four and one half (24-1-2) rods to the place of begining containing 22 acres more or less. And on the 18 day of May 1897 John Cunningham and Emma A Cunningham offered therefor six hundred and sixty ($660) dollars cash and that being the highest and best offer received therefor

And more than the full appraised value thereof said real estate was sold to said John Cunningham and Emma A Cunningham for said sum and this Guardian now presents said money in Court and asks that said sale and this report be approved and that this Guardian be ordered to execute a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser.

John T Brumfield. Guardian

Subscribed and sworn to this 18th day of may 1897

James L Clark

Notary Public;

And the Court having examined said report and been fully advised in the premises finds that said report ought to be approved and said sale confirmed,

It is therefor ordered and adjudged by the Court that said report be approved and said sale of said real estate be and the same is confirmed, and said Guardian is ordered to make and report for the Courts inspection a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser.

And now comes said Guardian and presents a deed duly signed and acknowledged conveying said real estate to said purchaser which deed is approved by the Court and the Courts approval indorsed thereon in these words." Examined and approved in open Court this day of May 1897, John V. Stadley, Judge."

And now the Court orders said Guardian to deliver said deed to said purchaser

In the matter of the Estate of Samuel Hill deceased } Petition to assign notes

Comes now Harry O Hill Administrator of said estate and presents his petition which petition is in the words and figures following to wit;

Harry O Hill Administrator of the Estate of said decedent represents to the Court that the debts of said estate & funeral expenses have been paid and among the assets of said estate are three notes as follows; Two executed to the decedent by Alpheus Simmonds each per $2.00 cts and each due in april 1898 and bearing interest at 6% per annum and both secured by Mortgage on real estate in said Hendricks County and one executed to said decedent by William Shockley for $250 cts Due aug 1897.

That the heirs of said decedent are all of full age and they and the widow of said decedent Catherine Still have made an agreement and family settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said decedent among themselves and to effectuate said settlement and agreement it is necessary that the three notes above described be assigned to the said Catherine Still and he ask the Court for an order to assign said notes by indorsment thereon and also to make the proper assignment of the said Mortgage upon the record thereof in the Recorders office of said County

Harry O Hill administrator

And the Court being fully advised finds that the prayer of said petition should be granted and it is thereupon ordered

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That said Administrator assign the notes and mortgage described in said petition as therein prayed to Catharine Hill widow surviving the said Samuel Hill deceased.

And Court adjourned until 9 a M tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday May 19th 1897 and 15th day May Term

Wednesday morning May 19 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Nancy Adams. } Petition to be released from Bond.

Comes now C.C. Cornett and respectfully shows to the Court that he is one of the bondsmen of John L Rutledge guardian of the above guardianship and that he desires to be released from said bond
C.C. Cornett,

Thursday May 19th 1897 and 15th day May Term.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Thursday May 20 1897 And 16th day May Term

Thursday May 20 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship Nannie Adams. } Petition for release of Bond

Comes now C C Cornett and respectfully shows to the Court that he is one of the bondsman of John L Rutledge guardian of the above named heir and that he desires to be released from said bond
C C Cornett

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday May 21. 1897 and 17" day May Term.

Friday morning May 21" 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of the minor heirs of Robert Mc Clelland deceased — Current Report.

Comes now James M Fincher, Guardian of the minor heirs of Robert Mc Clelland, deceased, by Hogate and Clark his attorneys, and shows to the Court and files his current report herein from which it appears that the said Guardian is chargeable with the sum of $217.68 and is entitled to credit on his vouchers filed in the sum of $40.61 leaving a balance to be accounted for in the sum of $177.07 which balance belongs to his ward Elvin Mc Clelland, and the Court having examined the said report and being fully advised in the premises finds the same correct and ought to be approved.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said current report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust is continued.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning. Record read and signed in open Court. John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday May 22" 1897 and 18" day May Term.

Saturday May 22" 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Milton Mc Hadley deceased — Final Report

Comes now Charles E Hadley, administrator of the estate of Milton Mc Hadley, deceased, by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Julian B Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks and from which affidavit it is shown that a notice of the filing of a final settlement report had been given in said newspaper for two weeks successively, the, the first of which notices was given in said paper on the 22" day of April 1897 and the last on the the 29th day of April 1897. said affidavit reads as follows to wit (H.D.) And the said Administrator also shows to the Court and files the affidavit of A.L. Miller from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the Court house door on the 17th day of April 1897. said affidavit reads as follows:-(H.D.)
And now the final report herein comes on to be heard. and the Court after examining the said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said report was filed in this court on the 17" day of April 1897 and by an endorsement in writing on the same by the Clerk was set for hearing on the 14th day of April 1897. The Court also finds

That the said administrator is chargeable with sum of $2247.42 and entitled to credits on his vouchers in the sum of $2247.42 that all the items of the said report are correct and that said report ought to be approved and the administrator discharged from his bond and trust all of which is finally ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Pierson, deceased. } Petition to postpone public sale.

Comes the administrator herein by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents to the Court and files a petition to postpone the sale of the personal property of the decedent, which petition reads as follows: to wit; The undersigned administrator of the estate of Henry Pierson deceased shows to the Court that among the personal goods and Chattles of the decedent are a large number of horses, cattle hogs sheep and other live stock which are not in a condition to be sold at this time because they are not in flesh that will make their sale profitable to the estate. He shows to the Court that there is a large amount of grass, on the said farm of the decedent which the heirs of the decedent request the administrator shall be fed into the horses, cattle &c in order that they may be in a condition to sell to advantage, He says that the heirs of the decedent are all willing that this shall be done, and he believes that it will be to the best interest of the said estate to postpone the sale of the personal property of the decedent

at public sale until September.

Wherefore he asks an order of the Court that the sale of the personal property of the decedent may be postponed until September

And he asks an order accordingly

S. W. Williams

Administrator

Subscribed and sword to before me this 22nd day of May 1897.

Jas. L. Clark. Notary Public.

And the Court having examined the said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the prayer of the said petition ought to be granted

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the administrator be and he is hereby authorized to postpone the sale of the personal estate of the decedent until the month of September, and at that time he proceed to sell the same as provided by the statute.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Pierson, deceased. } Petition to sell at private sale

Comes the administrator herein by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents to the Court and files a petition to sell certain personal property at private, which petition reads as follows, to wit: Samuel W Williams, administrator of the estate of Henry Pierson deceased shows to the Court that he has had the personal estate of the said decedent inventoried and appraised, and that among the goods so inventoried and appraised are the following:

80	Bushels of wheat appraised at		$64.00
150.	Bushels of Oats " "		27.00
670.	Bushels of Corn " "		113.00
29.	Tons " Hay " "		157.00
175.	Pounds " Bacon " "		14.00
300.	" " Lard " "		18.00
150.	" " Wool " "		15:00

The administrator shows to the Court that said goods are liable to deteriorate if left on hands until the sale of the personal estate at public sale. He says that he believs that it will be to the interest of the estate to sell the same at private sale without notice and on the market and he asks an order accordingly

J. H. Williams administrator

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22" day of May 1897.

Jas. L Clark.

Notary Public;

And the Court being fully advised in the premises finds that the said petition ought to be granted;

It is therefor ordered by the Court that the said administrator proceed to sell at private sale without notice of the time place terms as will be to the best interest of the estate;

and the administrator is ordered to report his proceeding to this Court for approval.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Ross, deceased } Final Report.

Comes now O M Davis, administrator of the estate of Samuel Ross deceased, by Stogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Julian D Stogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican, a public weekly newspaper of General circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final settlement report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession, the first of which publications was on the 29" day of April 1897 and the last on the 6" day of May 1897, said affidavit reads as follows: (N.D.) and the administrator also shows to the court and files the affidavit of Enoch S Stogate from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the door of the Court house on the 28" day of apric 1897, said affidavit reads as follows. (N.D.) And now the final report herein comes on to be heard and after examining the same and being fully advised the Court says that the said report was filed in this Court on the 28" day of April 1897 and by an endorsement on the said report was set for hearing on the 21" day of May 1897. The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $1,112.60 and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $1,112.60 that said report is correct and the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therfore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said estate is now declard finally settled and said administrator is now fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust:
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Late Partnership of S.A. Hall & Son — Filing of Inventory & appraisment & List of Liabilities

Comes now Charles S Hall the surviving partner of the late partnership of S.A. Hall & Son, and presents and files an inventory and appraisement of said partnership effects, which inventory and appraisement is in the words and figures following to wit; (See Inventory record No. 6 page 320) showing that the amount of assetts of said firm at the death of Stanley A Hall was and is thirteen thousand and sixty nine dollars and sixty five cents (13069.$\frac{65}{100}$)
And now said Charles S Hall files a verfid and complete list of all the liabilities of said firm at the time of the death of the said Stanley A Hall, which list is in the following words and figures to wit; X
State of Indiana Hendricks County SS.
In the Hendricks Circuit Court.

Charles S Hall Surviving
Partner of the firm of S.A. Hall & Son
Charles S Hall the surviving Partner of the firm of S.A. Hall & Son submits the following Inventory of all the liabilities of the late firm of S.A. Hall & Son at the time

Of the death of Stanley A Hall.

No.	Name of Creditor	Kind of Claim	Amount		Int
1	Frank Hall	Note	500	00	"
2	Shepherd J.P.	"	300	00	"
3	Cramer O.B.	"	100	00	"
4	Ora B Hall	"	400	00	"
5	Cramer John	"	175	00	"
6	Weller Ben	"	500	00	"
7	Peterson Nellie	"	200	00	"
8	Dr. C.A.	"	300	00	"
9	Harris Thomas	"	800	00	"
10	Christie Jarilda	"	400	00	"
11	Courtney Ed	"	1000	00	"
12	First National Bank	"	1828	26	"
13	" " "	"	650	00	"
14	W.A. Blatchley	"	1000	00	"
15	Barnard & Leas	account	1	75	
16	Thos. Phillips Co.	"	11	30	
17	W.A. King	"	5	50	
18	Coal Bluff Mining Co.	"	24	17	
19		Total	$8195	98	
20	Flour due customers.				

No.	Name	Lbs.	No	Name	Lbs.
1	Williams Sam	65	17	Dooley John	335
2	Bailey Gentry	217	18	Cox Elmore	75
3	Harris W.T.	346	19	Stephenson Wash	76
4	Harris Ol	150	20	Mackey Dave	260
5	Coun Wm J.	157	21	McCoun Mrs.	148
6	Flatters Wm	414	22	Mullen Sam	170
7	Ramsey Ole	29	23	Mrs Coun Boon	450
8	Clark Ros	468	24	Higgins Jacob	290
9	Pierson George	321	25	Higgins Mike	370
10	Galbreath John	100	26	Thorp Jacob	320
11	Clark Wm D	80	27	Barker W.A.	372
12	Sears Tide	169	28	Denney Vince	50
13	Williams James	290	29	Ader John	113
14	Cox Otis	251	30	Morganson Jim	400
15	Jones Buck	50	31	Cox Fred	351
16	Jadson T.C.	330	32	Jordon Sam	161

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(amt ford.)	No.	Name	lbs	No.	Name	lbs.
	33	Leak Wm	265	45	Mrs Danie Margaut	184
	34	Cox Charles	212	46	Wise George	739
	35	Hays James	187	47	Hays Arthor	231
	36	Hamick Jesse	252	48	Hoadley abe	865
	37	Hoadley Wm J	678	49	Mrs Pheters Sam	394
	38	Peffley Geo.	207	50	Hadley Chas	72
	39	Higgins Dave	280	51	Griggs David	574
	40	Mrs Coun Jas W.	420	52	Christie Mc.	605
	41	Blaydes Geo.	390	53	Searce George	408
	42	Pearson Chas	73	54	Quinn W. W.	26
	43	Hays J. T.	708	55	Higgens Wm	254
	44	Simmons Allen	20	56	Kendall John	119

Amount of lbs. 15461 lbs

The above flour account should be charged @ $2.10 per hundred or ---------- $324.68

James L McCoun 60 Bu. Wheat @ 82¢ 49.20

Notes and accounts 81 95. 98

$856 9. 86

State of Indiana
Hendricks County Ss.

Charles S Hall surviving partner of the late firm of S.A. Hall & Son being duly sworn on his oath says that the foregoing inventory or schedule contains a full, true and complete list of all the liabilities of said firm at the time of the death of said deceased partner, Stanley A Hall as he verily believes &

Charles S Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May 1897

Mell C Master Clerk
Hendricks Circuit Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Monday May 24th 1897 And 19th day May Term.

Monday May 24th 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge.

Benjamin F Bolin
vs.
John R Roberts
} Appointment of Guard

Comes the plaintiff and presents his complaint herein verified by his oath which complaint is in the words following to wit: Benjamin F Bolin Complains of John R Roberts is a resident of the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana, and is the owner of real and personal property in said County, that said John R Roberts is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing his property, That he is receiving a pension which is badly needed for the use of his family and there is no one authorized to receive the same since the insanity of said defendant Therefore the plaintiff asks the Court, on a hearing herein to appoint some suitable person as Guardian for said John R Roberts, He further says that the condition of said John R Roberts is such that in the opinion of plaintiff he could not be brought before the Court without injuring his health and plaintiff recommends to the Court to appoint Aaron Acton as such Guardian he being a brother in law and feeling great interest in the family of said John R Roberts.

B F Bolen

Subscribed and sworn to Before me this 3rd day of May 1897

Mell C Master Clerk Hendricks Ct. C.t.

And now by order of the Court Mell C Master Clerk files his answer to said complaint in words and figures following to wit:

Mell C Master Clerk of the Hendricks Circuit

Court by order of said Court answers the within Complaint and says that he denies each and every material allegation therein contained

Mell C Martin Clerk
Hendricks Circuit Court.

And now this cause is submitted to the Court for trial without the intervention of a jury And after hearing the evidence the Court finds that said John R Roberts is a resident of this County and is the owner of real and personal estate situated therein, That said defendant has been adjudged insane and ordered sent to the Hospital for the insane for treatment That the condition of said defendant is such that he cannot be brought before this Court without force and without greatly endangering his health and that he is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing his estate

Wherefore the Court now adjudged said John R Roberts to be a person of unsound mind and incapable to manage his estate.

And the Court now appoints Aaron Action guardian of the said John R Roberts and and requires him to execute bond as such Guardian in the sum of $1000 with at least two freehold securities

And now comes said Aaron Action and files his statement and application for letters of Guardianship herein as follows N.P.S And he now files his bond in the sum of $1000,~ with B F Bolen and A R. Glover as his surities which is approved by the Court and letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the said John R Roberts a person of Unsound mind and are granted and issued to the said Aaron Action.

And further proceedings herein are continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Tuesday May 25th 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley Judge:

In the matter of the Estate of James O McVey } Petition to Sell Property at private Sale

Comes now Jacob M McVey and presents and files the foloowing petition herein:

State of Indiana } Hendricks Circuit Court
Hendricks County SS. } May Term 1897

In the Matter of the Estate of James O McVey deceased:

Jacob M McVey administrator of the will annexed of said deceased shows to the Court, that said deceased died the owner of four items of personal property to wit: one horse appraised at 35.00 one buggy appraised at 25.00 one set of buggy harness appraised at $3.00 and one sleigh appraised at $2.00

That the forgoing is all the personal property of which he died seized: And that it is to the interest of said estate to sell said personal property at private sale without notice

He therefore asks the Court for an order to sell said personal property at private sale on a credit of 6 months purchaser giving his note with approved surety, without relief, The same to be sold for not less than the appraised value thereof

J M McVey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May 1897

Thomas J Cofer Notary Public:

And the Court having examined said petition and having heard proof of the matters and things therein alleged, and being fully advised in the premises find that the matters and things there in alleged are true:

It is therefor ordered that said administrator make sale of the property therein mentioned at not less than the appraised value thereof giving a credit of six months the purchaser giving his note with approved security waiving valuation and appraisement laws.

In the Guardianship of Nannie Adams (Insane) } Current Report

Comes now John L Rutledge guardian of Nannie Adams by Bell and Haney his attorneys and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of — — — — — — — $139.30
and entitled to credits in the sum of 63.72
Leaving a balance to be account for in his next report to this Court in the sum of $65.58

Said guardian would further show That his ward is still of unsound mind and incapable of managing her estate and said guardian asks to be continued as to said trust:

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report crect and that said report ought to be approved:

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said report be, and the same is hereby in all things confirmed and approved and said trust continued:

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In the matter of the Guardianship of William Sharp Heirs } Current Report.

Comes now D. C. Haywoth Guardian of Lee O & Edith D Sharp by Miles and Miles his attorneys and files his Current Report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum £ - - - - $43.10
and entitled to credits as shown on his vouchers herein in the sum of 43.30
The said ~~guardian~~ would furthe say that he has been to a great deal of expense and time ~~and~~ in getting his said ward their pension and ask to be allowed $10.00 for his services
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report Correct;
It it is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said report be, and the same is heby in all things approved and confirmed and said Trust continued;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday May 26th 1897 And 21st day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday May 27th 1897 And 22nd day of May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Jerdge.

In the matter of the Estate of Martha Mitchell } Inventory

Comes now Josephus Michell administrator of said estate by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files an Inventory of the Personal estate of Martha Mitchell deceased said Inventory is in the words and figures following to wit (N.I.)

In the matter of the Est of Henry Pierons } Inventory

Comes now Samuel W Williams administrator of said Estate by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files an Inventory of the Personal estate of Samuel W. Williams deceased Said Inventory is in the words and figures following to wit (N.I.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

Judge

Friday May 28th 1897 And 23rd day of May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge

In the matter of the Est of Samuel McDaniel deceased } Final Report.

Comes now Henry S Cox administrator of said estate of Buck and Harvey his attorneys and shows to the court the affidavit of W.A. King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County, Indiana, from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 13th day of May 1897 and the last on the 20th day of May 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (N.I.) And said administrator also files the affidavit of Geo. C. Harvey from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 12th day of May 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (N.I.) And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 19th day of May 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 28th day of May 1897
The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $3786.38

And entitled to credits on his vouchers
filed herein in the sum of $3200.59
Leaving a balance of $583.76
Said administrator further shows that
Maggie Mc Daniel is the only heir of said
Estate and that she has received and
receipted for all money due her in said estate
and files her receipt herein,
The Court also finds said report correct and
that the administrator ought to be discharged:
It is therfor ordered adjudged and
decreed by the Court that said finial
report be and the same is hereby in all
things approved and confirmed and
said estate is now declared finally
settled and said administrator fully
and finally discharged from his bond
and trust
All of which is finally ordered adjudged
and decreed by the Court.

In the Estate of
Mary J Crawford deceased
} Petition to Sell Bank Stock at Private Sale

Comes now Washington Gregg
Administrator of said Estate and files
the following petition herein; Comes now
Washington Gregg administrator of
said estate and shows to the Court
that there has been appraised to him of the
personal Estate of said decedent 30 shares
of stock in the First National Bank of
Danville Indiana Appraised to him at $112 00
per share.
He says he believes it would be to the
best interest of said estate to sell said
Stock at private sale and he says that
he believes he he cannot sell the same

at the appraisement. He therefor
asks the Court to order him to sell
said Stock upon such terms as
the Court may direct and to order
him to report his doings in the
matter to the Court.
Washington Gregg
Subscribed and sworn to before me This
day of May 1897
And the Court being advised in
the premises now orders said
administrator to select to competent
Appraisers and to reappraise the bank
Stock mentioned in said petition
And the Court also orders said
Administrator to sell said bank stock
at private Sale to the highest bidder for
not less than the appraisement and
to report all of his doings herein to
the Court.

State of Indiana Hendricks Co. ss.
In the Hendricks Circuit Court

Joseph D Hannah
vs.
Estate of Andrew J Bowen deceased.
} Claim allowed

Comes now the plaintiff
by Smiley & Carpenter his attorneys and
comes also Georgiana Bowen, adminis-
tratrix of the Estate of Andrew J Bowen
deceased and by agreement between said
plaintiff and defendant, the said administratrix
now allows against the estate of said
decedent the Claim of the said plaintiff
for the sum of $645.73 principal, and
interest and 30.00 attorneys fee total
675.73; but as said decedent was surety

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only upon the note filed in the above claim and which was executed with Joseph B. Bowen as principal and the said A J Bowen as surety only, it is therefore agreed that no part of said claim shall be paid by the administrator of said estate until the plaintiff shall have diligently prosecuted his said claim against Joseph B Bowen, principal and until he shall have first exhausted the said Joseph B Bowen, Whereupon, and on proof of the balance of this claim uncollected from the said Joseph B Bowen such balance if any there be, shall become due and payable out of the estate of the said Andrew J Bowen as other Claims of a like character are paid

Dowrard & Parker
attys for Georgiana Bowen
administratrix

Smiley & Carpenter
attys for Joseph D Hannah
Plff.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

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Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

State of Indiana, Hendricks
County ss.
In the Circuit Court May Term 1897

In the estate of Maximilian Hubsten
deceased.

Comes now the Administratrix of said estate and files her petition for an order to sell the stock of drugs, belonging in said estate at private sale and to operate and conduct said business until such time as a sale of said stocks of drugs can be made, which petition is in words and figures following. (to wit)

And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that said order ought to be made

It is therefore ordered by the Court that said Administratrix sell said stock of drugs at private sale for not less than the appraised value. after first giving notice of the time and place of said sale by publication in some news paper published in Hendricks County for at least ten days before the day of sale. If said goods are not sold on the day fixed by said Notice said sale shall be continued from day to day until a sale is made and said notice shall so provide Until such time as a sale of said stock of goods can be made as a whole said Administrator shall conduct said drug store as a retail store and sell said goods at not less than the appraised value as the trade may demand, and when a sale of said stock is made she shall report her doings to this Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Monday May 31st 1897 and 23rd day May Term.

Court met Pursuant to adjournment

Present John V. Hadley
Judg

And Court adjourned until 9. a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday June 1st 1897 and 24th day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Washington Mc Crory, Heirs, | Inventory Filed

Comes now Elmer G Mc Crory Guardian of Washington Mc Crory, Heirs and files an Inventory of said Guardians Estate In the words and figures following to wit N/I

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday June 2nd 1897 and 27th day May Term

Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel McAninch Sr. } Probate of Will.

Comes now S.W. McAninch and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Daniel McAninch testator and by B.F. Draper and Till Crews as witness, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Daniel McAninch and the said S.W. McAninch asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent
And now upon order of the Court the said Till Crews is duly sworn and Examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of said Till Crews and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Silas Daniel McAninch on the 28th day of October 1896 as his last will and Testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by the said B.F. Draper and Till Crews in the presence of the said Daniel McAninch and in the presence of each other as witnesses, And that the said Daniel McAninch Sr. declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament. That at said time said Daniel McAninch was more than twenty one years of age, and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint. That said Daniel McAninch died on the 27 day of May 1897

Wednesday June 2nd 1897 and 27th day May Term.

Never having revoked said will: and that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Daniel McAninch deceased and as such ought to be probatted
It is therefor adjudged and decred by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of Daniel McAninch Sr. deceased and that said will be and is probated as his will
It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Nannie Adams (Insane) } New Bond Filed

Comes now John L Rutledge by Counsel and files a new bond in the Penal Sum of Three hundred. ($300.00) with John Hamilton Nelson Transit and John T Helton as surety which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court. and reads as follows (To Wit)
It is therefor ordred adjudged and decred by the Court that this bond be approved and said trust Continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday June 3" 1897 And 28" day May Term.

Thursday morning June 3" 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

C.C. Cornett
vs
John L Rutledge
Guardian of Nancie Adams

No. 1442,
Rcales of Bond.

Comes now the defendant by Counsel and on motion this cause is dismissed for want of Prosecution.

And Court adjourned until 2 a m Tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday June 4" 1897 and 29" day of May

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley Judge;

Ira J. McDaniel Administrator of the Estate of Thomas J C. Sparks. deceased
vs.
David W Sparks Mary A Peters Deborah A Beasly Aaron B Sparks and Enoch D Hogate

Land Sale

Comes now the plaintiff in this cause by Hogate & Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court the summons issued to the Sheriff of Hendricks County and the return of the Sheriff thereon which summons and return is as follows; (Here insert) The summons issued to the Sheriff of Boone County and the return of the Sheriff thereon which summons and return is in words and figures following to wit (Here insert) And the summons issued to the Sheriff of Marion County and the Sheriffs return thereon which Summons and return is as follows (Here insert) And the Court finds therefrom that the defendants David W Sparks Deborah A Beasly Aaron B Sparks and Mary A Peters were each duly served with notice of the filing and pendency of this cause ten days before the 29" day of May 1897. That being the day when said Several Summons were made returnable by the order of the plaintiff written on his Complaint at the time of filing which written order was signed by plaintiffs attorneys. And now said defendants failing to appear are each severally three times called and come not but

herein wholly make default And now the defendant Enoch G Hogate appears in his own proper person and files his answer to the Complaint which answer is in words following to wit. (N.T.)

And now this cause is submitted to the Court for trial finding and decree without the intervention of a Jury and the Court having heard the evidence and been sufficiently advised in the premis finds generally for the Plaintiff and That the allegations in his complaint are true and That the order to sell said real estate ought to be granted as prayed for.

And the Court now orders said plaintiff to bring into Court an appraisement of the real Estate described in his Complaint and a found in twice the amount of such appraisement.

And now said administrator files an appraisement of said real estate made by William T Irwin and Jonathan P. Fowder two competent free holders of the neighborhood in which said real estate is situated and who appraise said real estate of fifteen hundred dollars Said appraisement is in words and figures following to wit; (N.T.)

Said administrator also files his bond in the sum of three thousand dollars with Jonathan P Fowder Wm T Irwin, Jonathan McDaniel Isaac McDaniel and Richard L McDaniel as surties which bond is approved by the Court.

The Court now therefor orders and adjudges That it is necessary to sell the real estate of said decedent which is hereinafter described in order to pay the debts of the Estate of said decedent.

And the Court orders this plaintiff as the

Administrator of the estate of said decedent Thomas J C. Sparks to sell the real estate of said decedent as follows; The West half of the North West quarter of section Thirty three (33) in Township Seventeen (17) North and Range one (1) East Except the following dedicated for Cemetery purposes; Beginning at a Stone 23½ degrees East 12 poles and 15 links distance from the South west Corner of said quarter Section; thence North 88 degrees East 4 poles and 15 links; thence North 4¼ degrees East 1 pole and 14 links; Thence North 16½ degrees West 8 poles and 20 links; Thence North 80½ degrees West 10 poles; Thence South 8 degrees East 11 poles and 15 links to the beginning containing in the Exception 76 Square rods more or less Said real estate as in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana as is to be sold subject to the life estate of Mary C Sparks in the following part thereof to wit; Part of the South West quarter of the North west quarter of said section 33 in Township 17 North and Range 1 East beginning at the South West Corner of said quarter quarter and running thence North 14 Chains and 32 links thence South 86½ degrees East 20 Chains and 9 links to the East line of said quarter quarter; thence South 12 chains and 72⅔ links to the South East corner of said quarter quarter; thence West 20 chains And 9 links to the place of beginning Said real estate shall be sold at private Sale for not less than the appraised value. Notice of time and place of Sale shall be given as in case of a Sale of real estate at public Sale. If a Sale is not made on

The day fixed said sale shall continue from day to day until said real estate is sold and the notice shall so provide
Terms of Sale one Third cash one third in twelve months and one third in Eighteen months. The purchaser to give his note payable in bank at Six per cent interest and secured by first Mortgage on the real estate sold
And it is also ordered by the Court that if the proceeds arising from the sale of said real estate the administrator pay to Enoch G Hogate the full amount of the principal and interest of his mortgage before he pay to the widow her absolute claim of $300 as such widow.

James M Mills, Administrator of the Estate of Martha A Linton
vs.
Mary E Parker etal.

Land Sale

Comes the Plaintiff by Hogate and Clark his attorneys come also the defendant John W Murphy Louis Holloway and Howard B Tiffen, by T.J. Cofer their attorney and enter an appearance in this cause and file an answer in words and figures following to-wit: (Here Insert) And upon inspection of the summonses issued in this cause and the returns of the Sheriff on said Summonses which summons are as follows: (N.I.) The Court finds that the other defendants were each duly served with notice of the filing and pendency of this cause, more than ten days before the first day of the present term of this Court,
And now the plaintiff suggests the infancy of the defendant, Anna B Linton and the Court appoints Jas R Mallory a member of this bar as guardian

Ad litem to defend for said infant,
And now comes said guardian ad litem and files his answer in words and figures following to wit; (N.I.)
And now the other defendants failing to appear are each severally three times called and come not but herein wholly make default;
And now this cause is submitted to the Court for trial finding and decree upon the issues this made, without the intervention of a jury;
And the Court being sufficiently advised in the premises finds for the plaintiff And that all the allegations in his complaint are true, and that the real estate described in the complaint ought to be sold to make assets to pay the debts of said estate.
And the Court orders said Administrator to present to the Court an appraisement of said real estate and a bond for the Courts approval in twice the sum of such appraisement,
And now comes again said administrator and files an appraisement of said real estate made by J.B. Waters and Harvy Merchant to Competent free holders of Hendricks County who appraise said real estate at $4667.00 said appraisement is in words and figures following to wit; (N.I.)
Said Administrator also files his bond in the sum of one thousand dollars with Chas B Hornaday & L Mills as his sureties which approved by the Court and is in these words. (N.I.)
It is now therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said administrator sell as the property of the estate of Martha A Linton, deceased the following

described real estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to wit; Lot No 3. in the town of Pittsboro and described as follows Commencing at the North East corner of Lot No. 2, thence North 4 poles to the East mine and one half degrees, thence North 83.-1/2 degrees West 109.-1/4 feet Thence west nine and one half degrees, South four poles, thence South eighty three and one fourth degrees. East 109-1/4 feet to the beginning. and also 11 poles and 10 feet west with a T Hoadleys line to the Meridian Line; Thence North along said Meridian line four poles and 22. links; Thence East 11 poles and 10 feet to the North West corner of Lot No. 3. heretofore described, Thence South four poles and 8 links to the begeinning, and also a part of the South West quarter 1/4 of the South west quarter 1/4 of section 31 Township seventeen 17th North and Range One East Beginning 19 poles and 7-1/2 links North off the South west corner of said quarter section, thence South 79 degues East to the North West corner of Lot No. 4 thence West with the line of said lot to the north west corner of Lot No. 3 thence west to the Meridian Line 6-1/2 rods south of the place of bgginning; thence North with said line to the place of beginning;

And that said sale be at private sale without notice for one half cost and one half in twelve months with six per cent interest secured by mortgage on the premises sold

Said real estate shall be sold free and discharged from the lien of the Judgment of the defendants John W Murphy Louis J Holloway and Harrod & Hibben and the lien of said Judgment shall be transfered to the fund arising from said sale

And now comes again said administrator and files his report of the sale of said real

Estate to said purchaser And now said administrator presents a deed duly acknowledged conveying said real estate to said purchaser John T Bee which deed is in words and figures following to wit; (N.T.S) Which deed the Court approves and endorses his approval thereon as follows. "Examined and approved in open Court this 4th day of June 1897 Jno V. Hadley Judge." And said administrator is ordered to deliver said deed to said purchaser and receive his mortgage on said real estate to secure the unpaid purchase money.

In the matter of the Est of Daniel McCranich } Appointment of Executor.

Comes now S W McCranich by Thad S Adams his attorney and files application for letters testamentary on the Personal Estate of Daniel McCranich deceased late of Hendricks County and further shows that the said S W. McCranich is named in the Will as Executor said Petition reads as follows. to wit; (N.T.S) And the Court having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said S.W. McCranich is a proper person to be intrested with said Administration of said Estate Does now appoint him Executor of the Estate of Daniel McCranich upon his filing a bond in the Penal sum of One thousand dollars with John Master W.N. Lakin as sureties Which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (N.T.S) Whereupon letters Testamentary were issued to

Said A. W. McDaniel And reads as follows, to Wit

And further Proceedings herein are continued:

In the matter of
The Estate of David Swank deceased. } Account Current No 1

Comes now James D Smith administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of David Swank deceased, and files and presents his account current No. One, for a partial settlement of said Estate showing that he had received personal property as shown in Inventory and Appraisement on file, in the sum of Two hundred and thirty two dollars and seventy five cents ($232.75) which was taken by the Widow of said deceased at the appraisement thereof, as shown on said Inventory, and money received from sale of Real Estate in the sum of Twelve hundred and seven dollars and seventy two cents $1207.72 and that he now holds a promissory note for unpaid Land Sale money on one Gentry for Two hundred and forty eight dollars and sixty cents $248.60 making a total of assets received and with he is chargeable of Sixteen hundred and Eighty nine dollars and seven cents $1688.07 and that of said assets he has paid out on claims and expenses of administration including his Charges for his services as administrator to date the sum of twelve hundred and seventy nine dollars and Eighty One cents $1279.81 leaving a ballance in his hands to be accounted for including said promissory note, of Four hundred and nine dollars and Twenty six cents $409.26 and that the business

of said Estate requires a continuance of this trust.

And the Court having examined said account current decides that the same should be allowed and approved and the Court allows and approves the same and continues this trust for further proceedings:

In the matter of the Guardianship of Ida Hodson } Current Rpot

Comes now Thelma Hunt By Thomas J Cofer her attorney and submits the Court his current report as gaurdian of Idaa Hodson showing as such guardian he is chargeable with the sum of - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $92.37
And intitled to credits in the sum of 12.67
Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum - - - - - - - - - - - - - - of $79.68
to be accounted for in his next report to this Court:
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and Continue said trust:
And the Court having examined said report finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved:

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the Estate of Ella and Anna Ballard minors } Current & Final Report.

Comes now Esta F. Culbertson by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files his current report as guardian of said minors, showing as such guardian he is chargeable with the sum of $316.71
and entitled to credits in the sum of 203.80
Leaving a balance due Anna of $112.91
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court. Said Guardian would further show that his ward Ella has arrived at the full age of 21 years and that he has fully and finally settled with her as shown by her receipt filed herein Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continued said trust as to his ward Anna and discharge him from his bond and trust as to Ella
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said Guardian discharge as to Ella Ballard and continued as to Anna Ballard.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Grace Jones } Current Report

Comes now Benjamin P Jones Guardian By T.C. for his attorney and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of - - - $66.21
and entitled to credits in the sum of 47.99
Leaving a balance in the sum of $124.22
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust; and the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the Estate of James Shirley deceased } Final Report in Land Sale

Comes now William J Hoadley Administrator of said Estate and presents and files his report of the sale of the real Estate of said decedent which report is as follows; The undersigned Administrator of said estate reports to the Court that pursuant to the order of said Court made in said proceedings he gave notice as required by law by publication for four consecutive weeks in the Hendricks County Republican a weekly newspaper printed and published in Hendricks County and State of Indiana. The first of which publication was on the 4" day of February, 1897 and the last which was on the 25" day of February 1897. The proof of publication and copy of said notice are here with filed and made a part of this report; And that he posted copies of said notice in five public places in said County three of which were posted in Lincoln Township the township in which said real estate is situated. more than four weeks before the 6" day of March, 1897 The day fixed in said notice for the sale of said real estate. Proof of posting and copy of said notice are filed here with and made a part hereof;

That he would on the 6" day of March, 1897, at his office in the town of Danville, Indiana offer for sale at private sale the entire interest of his said decedent in the following described real estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, to wit;

The West half of the South East quarter of Section 21. in Township 16. North in Range One East, and also the South East quarter of the South West quarter of said section 21. same township and Range.

Said notice providing that if no satisfactory bids should be received for said Real Estate

On said day and said sale was continued from day to day until the 4" day of June, 1897, when Francis M. Shirley offered for said real estate the sum of $3400.00 And that being the full appraised value of said real estate and being the best offer he has received for said real estate he then and there accepted said offer and sold said real estate to said Francis M Shirley in for the sum of $3400 00.

And said Francis M Shirley offered to pay all of said money cash in hand instead one third down and the remainder in nine and eighteen months from the day of the sale:

And said Administrator asks that the order be so modified as to allow him to accept said purchase money all cash in hand;

And he asks that this report be approved and said sale confirmed and that he be authorized to execute and deliver to said purchasers a deed as evidence of his title to said real estate

W J Hoadley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4" day of June, 1897

Thomas J Cofer

Notary Public.

And he also files the proof of publication of the notice given by him of said sale to which proof of publication and copy of notice of said sale are as follows. (N.P.) he also files proof posting the notices of said sale to which proof of posting and copy of the notice is as follows (N.P.) And the Court after examining said report and the proof of publication of the notice and the proof of posting the notices of said

Sale finds that said sale was made in all respect pursuant to the order heretofore made and entered here in Except that said purchaser paid all the purchase money cash in hand instead of paying one third down and the remainder in nine and Eighteen months from day of sale as provided in the order of sale and said order is hereby modified so as to allow said administrator to accept the purchase money all cash in hand and said sale made by said Administrator is hereby in all things confirmed and said administrator is hereby ordered to execute a deed conveying said real Estate to said purchaser and bring the same into Court for the approval of the Court.

And now comes said Administrator and brings into Court a deed duly executed by him as such administrator Convey my said real Estate to the purchaser Francis Mr Shirley and the Court after Examining said deed approves the same and writes his approval thereon in these words (Examined) approved in ope Court this 4th day of June 1897 John K. Hadley Judge and said administrator is hereby ordered to deliver said deed to said purchaser as evidence of his title to said real Estate all of which is ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Martha Sprague Insane } Current Report

Comes now Williams Owen Guardian of Martha Sprague a person of unsound mind and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $202.24
And entitled to credits in the sum of 4.80
Leaving a balance in the sum of $197.44
to be accounted for in this next report to this Court

Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued;

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In the matter of the estate of Simon P Hadley — Final Report

Comes now Joseph B Homan administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Simon P Hadley deceased by Bill and Harvey his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana, from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 13th day of May 1897 and the last on the 20th day of May 1897 said affidavit reads as follows: (H.D.) And said Admr. also files the affidavit of Geo. C Harvey from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 11th day of May 1897; said affidavit reads as follows (H.D.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 11th day May 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 28th day of May 1897

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ..... $1600 cts

and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of ---------- $16 00 cts

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things

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approved and confirmed, said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust,

all of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary J Crawford — Current Report

Comes now Washington Gregg Administrator of Mary J Crawford Estate By Bill and Harvey his attorneys and files his current report as such administrator showing that as such administrator he is chargable with the sum of $5676.18

And entitled to credits in the sum of 958.92

Leaving a balance in the sum of 4717.26

To be accounted for in his next report to this Court

Said administrator being duly sworn says the above report is true and complete

And he asks the Court to approve the same:

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court That said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued

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And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V. Hadley
Judge.

Saturday June 5th 1897. and 30 day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of John Hogan Deceased. } Probate of Will

Comes now John Lee and produces a certain paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John Hogan deceased in which said alleged will said John Lee claims to have a interest as Executor and now said John Lee shows to the Court that the subscribing witnesses John M. Symmons and John R Jones are not at this time living or if they are are not residents of the State of Indiana, and therefore Benjamin P Jones. appeared in Open Court and was duly sworn and Examined according to law touching the genuiness of the Signatures of said John M Symmonds and John R Jones attached to said alleged Will and the Tes of said Benjamin P Jones was thereupon reduced to writing and filed
And it appearing to the Court from the testimony so taken that the said Will was duly Executed and attested and that at the time of executing the Same the testator was of sound Mind and of full age and not under any Coersion or restraint, said Will is now admitted to probate by the Court and the same together with the testamony so taken is ordered Recorded According to the Statues in such Cases made and provided.

Saturday June 5th 1897 and 30th day May Term.

State of Indiana
Hendricks County } ss.
In the Hendricks Circuit
Court May Term, 1897

Charles S Hall, surviving partner of the firm of S.A. Hall and Son. } Reappraisement Entry

Comes now Charles S Hall surviving partner of the late partnership firm of S.A. Hall and Son and presents and files his petition for reappraisement herein which petition is in the words and figures following to wit:

Comes now Charles S Hall surviving partner of the late partnership firm of S. A. Hall & Son, and respectfully represents and shows to the Court that of the assets of said firm coming into his hands to be reduced to cash, was and is a certain tract of real estate herein, upon which is situated a seventy five barrel Flouring Mill and Grain Elevator with a capacity of 40.000 bushels which is specifically set out and described in the original schedule of Inventory and appraisement now on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court; That since said appraisement was made, this petitioner has been continuously and earnestly seeking for and endeavoring to obtain a purchaser for said real estate, at the appraised value or at a greater price, and that in such effort he has exhibited said property to prospective buyers and has been wholly unable to obtain or secure a bid therefor at such appraised value, or at a greater price and that he believes that he will be wholly unable to obtain a buyer at the present appraised value, and that in

* And the Court having examined said petition and heard the evidence adduced in support thereof being fully advised in the premises do say and find that said reappraisement ought to be made as prayed for. Whereupon the Court now orders and directs that Charles S Hall surviving partner as aforesaid do proceed to cause said real estate to be reappraised and for that purpose now here appoints Isaac N Ede and Isaac Tharp as such appraisers, and directs said appraisers before entering upon the discharge of their duties to take and subscribe an oath faithfully and impartially to discharge the duties of such appointment and directs that said appraisement be made and filed herein by the 5th day of June 1897 and directs that said appraisers shall be allowed the sum of $2.00 per day each for their services in making said appraisement and that the Clerk issue to them certificates for the same when said appraisement is filed herein.

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view of certain conditions which have arisen since the original Inventory was taken, it is necessary and desirable that a reappraisement of said property should be made. he now prays the Court for a order permitting and directing him to cause said reappraisement to be made and to be reported to this Court instanter. And he will ever pray

Charles S Hall
Surviving Partner S.A. Hall & Son

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June 1897

Maude L Dowrard
Notary Public.

For approval See *

State of Indiana } In the Hendricks Circuit Court
Hendricks County } ss. May Term 1897

Charles S Hall, surviving partner of the firm of S.A. Hall & Son. } Sale of Real Estate

Comes now Charles S Hall surviving partner of the late firm of S.A. Hall & Son, and presents and files in Open Court a Report of reappraisement of the real estate held and owned by said firm, which reappraisement is in words and figures following to wit:

Comes now Charles S Hall, the surviving partner of the late partnership firm of S.A. Hall & Son, and respectfully submits to the Court for examination and approval a reappraisement of the real estate owned and held by and belonging to said firm and described as follows to wit:

A part of the East half of the North East quarter

Section 7 Township 15th North, of Range 1 West bounded and discribed as follows to wit; Commencing where the East line of Jefferson Stret in Danville crosses the South line of Watlock's Addition to the said Town, in the center of the Cartersburg and Danville Gravel Road, thence South 22 rods thence South 36, ½ degues East 13 ⅓ rods thence North 22 rods, to the center of said Road, thence North 36 ½ degues West 13 ¼ rods to the place of beguining, except so much of the abov described tract as was convey ed by Alvin D May and G W. Gibson to William Lynn and Martin Englehart by deed dated June 14th 1872 all in said County and State, and which appraisement is so made by Isaac N Estep and Jacob Tharp, and is in the words and figures following to wit X

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } S.S.

The undersigned duly selected and appointed to reappraise the real estate belonging to the late firm of S.A. Hall and Son and herein befor specifically set out and described, being duly sworn according to law, upon our sparate and several oaths do now hereby appraise said real estate at Forty five hundred Dollars

J.N. Estep.
Jacob Tharp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of June 1897

Maude L Dorward
Notary Public

All of which is respectfully submitted to the Court

And the Court having examined such reappraisement now approves and confirms the same.

Whereupon comes now Charles S Hall surviving partner as aforesaid, and presents and files in open Court his report of the bid for said real estate made by Frank D. and George W. Christie and Alfred B. Tincher which repot is in the words and figures following to wit.

Comes now Charles S Hall, surviving partner of the late partnership firm of S.A. Hall and Son, and respectfully represents and shows to the Court that of the assets of said firm coming into his possession was and is a certain tract of real estate upon which is situate the Roller Process Flouring Mill and Grain Elevator, the running and operation of which comprised and constituted the business occupation and manufacturing Industry conducted and carried on by said firm, and which real estate, including said Mill and Elavator is situated in the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana, and is a part of the East half of the North East quarter of Section 7 in Township 15 North of Range one West. bounded as follows to wit; Commencing where the East line of Jefferson Stret in the town of Danville, crosses the South line of Watlock's Addition to said town in the center of the Cartersburg and Danville Grave Road, thence South 22 rods thence South 36½ degues East 13⅓ rods, thence North 22 rods to the center of said road, thence North 36½ degues West, 13¼ rods to the place of beginning, except so much thereof as was conveyed by Alvin D. May and H.W. Gibson to William Lynn and Martin Englehart by deed dated June 14, 1872

And which said real estate was listed as described upon the Schedule of assets filed by the said Charles S Hall in the office of the Clerk of this Court and which was appraised by the appraisers and which is now on file in said office and was so appraised by them at the sum of $6750 X

Said Charles S Hall further represents and states the fact to be that the total amount of assets of said firm of which he has any knowledge is set out in said schedule and appraisement and is appraised at $13.069 65 that the total liabilities of said partnership, so far as he has been able to ascertain the same. without calculation the interest due amounts to $8569.86 that it will not be possible for the said Hall to convert the assets of said firm into cash excluding therefrom the real estate above described and realize thereby a sum sufficient to pay off and discharge the indebtedness of said firm but that it will be and is necessary to sell said real estate and use the proceeds therefrom in the payment and discharge of such debts, and the said Charles S Hall further says that prior to the death of Stanley A Hall the deceased partner said firm had made a diligent and continued effort to sell and dispose of said real estate, and that since said death the said surviving partner has made diligent and continuous effort to sell and dispose of said real estate and in pursuance thereof has exhibited said Mill and property to prospective buyers and sought to obtain from such an offer therefor; but he says he has wholly failed to obtain or secure any offer for said real estate save and except only a written offer submitted by F. D. and G. W. Christie and Alfred B Fischer

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on the 2" day of June inst and which offer is herewith brought into Court and submitted to the Court for examination, and which offer is made at $4500 cs

And the said Charles S. Hall further represents to the Court that it is given out in the community resident in the locality of said Mill and Elevator that other parties are proposing and intending to construct and establish a new Flouring Mill at and in said Town of Darrieee of entirely new machinery and as it is reported have purchased a site therefor wherefor and by reason of which the value of the property herein above described has been and is greatly impaired and the selling power of said property largely abridged and reduced; and the chances and opportunities for securing a buyer for said property greatly diminished

Said Charles S Hall further says that the property herein above described is of such character that it cannot be shut down locked up and permitted to remain idle, without very greatly impairing and injuring the value thereof and suffering thereby the good will and established trade of said business, to become valueless and dissipated; that to continue the operation of said plant will require the borrowing of considerable sums of money for the purpose of purchasing wheat and corn to be ground and sold, and that he has not a sufficiency of funds of his own at his command; or within his control to meet the requirements of such business, and that he has been unable to secure any agreement or arrangement with the surviving heirs

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Of his deceased partner whereby they or the estate of said decedent shall undertake to bear its proportion of the expenses and liabilities of conducting said business

Wherfore and by reason of the matters and things above recited and set out the said Charles S Hall says that he believes that the offer so as aforesaid made, by the said Christies and Teicher should and ought to be accepted and he now prays the Court for an order directing and permitting him to accept such offer and to do and perform such things as may be necessary and required to convey and pass the title to said property to the said Christies; or if the Court upon due consideration should conclude that the price so offered is an inadequate one: there he prays the Court for an order directing and permitting him to begin and prosecute to final action a petition upon proper notice for the sale of said real estate at priate sale. And he will ever pray

Chas S Hall

Surviving Partner of A Hall & Son

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Notary Public within and for the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana this 3rd day of June 1897

Maude L Dowrard

Notary Public

And the Court having examined said report and bid and heard the evidence adduced in support thereof, being sufficiently advised in the premises orders and directs that Charles S Hall surviving Partner as aforesaid may and shall accept said bid so as aforesaid made and furthermore directs

Orders that the said Charles S Hall surviving partner as aforesaid shall execute and bring into Court for the Examination and approval of the Court a good and sufficient deed for said real estate to the said Christies and Teicher.

Whereupon comes now the said Hall and presents to the Court for inspection a deed conveying the real estate herein before described to the said Frank D Christie, George W Christie and Alfred B Teicher. And he also brings into Court the sum of $2000. cash first payment upon said real estate and Exhibits the two notes of the purchasers for $1250 each due in 6 and 12 months with interest at seven per cent per annum from date until paid, and with ten per cent attorneys fees and without relief from valuation or appraisement laws, and also the mortgage of the said Christies and Teicher upon the property described securing the payment of said notes And the Court having examined said sale approves the same and endorses its approval thereon and also having examined said notes and mortgages approves the same and orders and directs said surviving partner to file said mortgage for record:

And the Court further approves and confirms in all things the sale so made as aforesaid and orders and directs the said Charles S Hall surviving partner as aforesaid to deliver said deed to the grantees therein named as an evidence of their title to the real estate therein described all of which is finally ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court

Saturday Jan. 5th 1897 and 30th day May Term.

Martha E Davis vs, Est Thomas B Harvy Deceased L.M. Harvy adm	No. 1386 Dismissed Cost paid

Comes now the parties herein by counsel and this Claim is dismissed the Cost being paid.

Saturday Jan 5th 1897 and 30th day May Term.

In the matter of the Estate John Hogan	appointment of Executor

Comes now Joh Lee By Bill and Harvy his attorneys and Presents and files his petition herein for letters Testamentary on the Personal Estate of John Hogan deceased and further shows that he is the Executor named in the will said Petition reads as follows. N.T. And the Court having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said John Lee is a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration Does now appoint him Executor of said Estate upon his filing a Bond in the Penal sum of three thousand $3000.00 Dollars with Patrick Lee and Thos J Sandusky as sureties Which bond and surity is duly approved By the Court and reads as follows (N.T.) Thereupon Letters Testamentary were issued to the said John Lee and reads as follows (N.T.) And further proceedings herein are continued;

And Court adjourned until 9th A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John W Woolley
Judge

Monday June 7th 1897 And 31st day May Term

Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and signed
in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Tuesday June 8th 1897 And 32d day May Term

Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and
signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday June 9 1897 And 33 "day May Term

Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley Judge.

and Court adjourned until 9 A M tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Thursday June 10 "1897 And 34 day May Term

Court met Pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Trust for the benefit of James W Williams Robert McCoun and Bowen Vaught } Petition concerning Trust Estate

Comes now Samuel W Williams Administrator of the estate of Henry Pierson deceased and files his Petition in words and figures following ~~to~~ Vit N.J.S and shows to the Court that said decedent was in his life time a Trustee, and holding in Trust, at the time of his death, for the benefit of James W. Williams, Robert McCoun and Bowen Vaught, lot number four (4) in block number seventeen (17) in the town of Danville in Hendricks County and State of Indiana

That as such Truste said decedent was to rent and sell said real estate and apply the proceeds therefrom to the payment of a promissory note for $2422.52 dated February 20" 1897 and payable by said Truste and said Beneficiaries to Mord Carter, Cashier of the First National Bank six months from date, That said note is for the debt of James R Williams who conveyed said property to said Pierson in trust for said purpose. That the interests of said estate require that some person be appointed by the Court to succeed said deceased Truste.

And now comes also said beneficiaries in person and also said James R Williams and Amelia N. Williams his wife and request that a truste be appointed and file their request in writing asking the Court

Thursday June 10th 1897 And 34th day May Term.

To appoint Samuel W Williams, as trustee to take charge of said property and the Court being fully advised in the premises finds that said appointment ought to be made.

The Court now therefore appoints Samuel W Williams, as Truster to take Charge of Lot number four (4) in Block number seventeen (17) in the Town of Danville in Hendricks County and State of Indiana:

And said Truste is ordeud to take charge of said Property and hold the same for the use and benefit of the Estate of Henry Pierson deceased, James W. Williams Robert McCoun and Bowen Vaught, and to rent said real estate until a purchaser can be found for the same and then upon a proper order from this Court to sell the same and apply the procedes from such rental and Sale to the payment of a certain promissory note executed on the 20th, day of February 1897 by said beneficiaries to Mord Carter, Cashier of the First National Bank of Danville Said note being for $2422.52 and due in six months and was executed by said parties for the debt of James R Williams who conveyed said real estate to said Pierson for the purpose of securing said debt.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court,

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday June 11 1897 and 35th day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Presiet
John V. Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 A M tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday June 12th 1897 and 36th day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 a m tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley Judge

Monday June 14 1897 and 37th day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 a m tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday June 13th 1897 and 38th day May term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Joshlin N Foster } Petition for authority to erect monument

Comes now Wm M Foster Administrator of said Estate and presents to the Court the following petition to wit
State of Indiana Hendricks Circuit Court
Hendricks County SS. May Term 1897

In the matter of the Estate of Joshlin N Foster
William M Foster being duly sworn on his oath says, that Joshlin N Foster died the owner of property amounting in the aggregate to about $9000.00.
That he left no debts of any considerable amount.
That their ought to be a suitable monument erected at the grave of said deceased and he prays the Court to authorize him to erect such a monument at a cost not exceed the sum of $100.00. and to pay for the same out of the moneys of said estate

Wm M Foster (Seal)

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } SS.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June 1897
Francis M Osborn Notary Public

And the Court after examing said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that said petition ought to be granted
It is therefore ordered by the Court that said Administrator be and he is hereby authorized to erect at the grave of said decedent a monument not to exceed in Cost the sum

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of $100.00 and to pay for the same out of the assets of said Estate

In the matter of the Estate of Joshlin N Foster } Petition to sell horse at private sale

Comes now Wm M Foster Administrator of the Estate of said decedent and presents to the Court the following petition to wit
State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } SS.
In the matter of the Estate Joshlin N Foster
William M Foster, administrator of said estate being duly sworn on his oath says that said Joshlin N Foster died the owner of one Bay horse four years old appraised at $25.00 and that said horse is the only personal property undisposed of belonging to said estate that has come to his knowledge. And that it is to the interst of said estate that said property be sold at private sale without notice
He therefore asks the Court for an order authorizing him to sell said horse at private sale without notice

Wm M Foster

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } SS.
Personaly appeared before me Francis M Osborn a Notary Public Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June 1897 Wm M Foster

Francis M Osborn
Notary Public,

And the Court after examing said petition

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finds that said petition ought to be grant
It is therfore ordered by the
Court that said administrator proceed to
sell said horse at private sale without
notice for not less than the appraised
value thereof and to report his
proceedings then in to the Court;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow
morning Record read and signed in open Court

John W Hadley
Judge

Wednesday June 16th 1897 and 39th day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John W. Hadley Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 a. m. tomorrow
morning Record read and signed in open
Court

John W Hadley
Judge

Thursday June 17th 1897 and 40th day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 a m tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday June 18 1897 And 41 day Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

Saturday June 19th 1897 And 42 day May Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until Court in Course
Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Susana Smith } Appointment of Admr.

Be it remembered that on the 23 day of June 1877 Joshua Hadley By Thomas J Cofer filed in the Clerks Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond Co. a Petition for letters of Administration upon the Estate of Susana Smith dec'd said Petition reads as follows. (N.S.) And the Clerk having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the Premises finds that the said Joshua Hadley is a proper person to administer on said Estate does now appoint him Administrator upon his filing a Bond in the penal sum of $100 00 Dollars with Sipron Hadley and Perry Hunt as sureties which Bond and surety so duly approved by the Clerk, and reads as follows: (N.S.) Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Joshua Hadley and reads as follows. (N.S.)
And further proceedings herein are continued

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Anderson Pigg | Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 28th day of June 1897 Jordan Pigg by Miles and Miles his attorneys filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court the Relinquishment of the Widow of Anderson Pigg deceased said Relinquishment reads as follows. (Here Insert)
And the said John Pigg also files his Petition for letters of administration upon the Personal Estate of Anderson Pigg deceased. said Petition reads as follows. (H. T.)
And the Clerk having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said John Pigg is a proper person to be intrusted with said administration does now appoint him administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $800 00 with Jasper Fisher and James A Scott as sureties which bond and surety is duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows: (H. T.)
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said John Pigg and reads as follows H. T.)
And further proceedings herein are continued

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Abraham A Sparks. | Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 26th day of July 1897. George E Sparks. by Gulley and Penning his attorneys filed in the Hendricks Circuit Court the Relinquishment of Sarah A Sparks widow of Abraham A. Sparks. deceased, said Relinquishment reads as follows. (H. T.)
And the said George E Sparks now also files his Petition for letters of Administration upon the Personal Estate of Abraham A. Sparks, deceased; said Petition reads as follows. (H. T.)
And the Clerk having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds That the said George E. Sparks is a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration does now appoint him administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $2,000 with Wm T Kerns and Stephen Jenks as sureties which bond and surety is duley approved by the Clerk and reads as follows;
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said George E Sparks and reads as follows. H. T.
and further proceedings herein are continued.

Vacation.

In the matter of the Estate of Abraham N. Sparks, deceased. George E Sparks Administrator } Petition to Sell Personal Property.

Be it remebered that on the 28th day of July 1897 the following petition was filed in this office to wit; Comes now George E Sparks, Administrator of said Estate and files his petition to Sell certain personal property therein described at private sale, which petition is in words and figures as follows. to wit; (N.D.) said property being appraised at $402.50, And the Court being satisfied that it is to the best advantage to said estate to sell said personal property at private sale orders that the same be sold at not less than its appraised value and that said Administrator make a report of said sale to this Court at the ensuing term thereof; And it is further ordered that said sale be made for cash.

In the matter of the Estate of Nathan York. } Petition to Erect a monument,

Be it remebered that on the 28th day of July 1897 the following Petition was filed in this office to wit; Comes now the Administrator of said Estate William M Sawyer and files his verified petition herein asking for an order Empowering him to Erect a monument at the grave of his decedent not costing in Excess of $75.00 which petition is in words and figures as follows to wit (N.D.)

And the Court being Sufficiently Advised and informed endorsed his written approval on said petition as follows. July 28th 1897 Ordered in Chambers John D. Hadley Judge.

It is therefor Ordered that said Administrator Erect a monument over the grave of said decedent not to cost in Excess of $75.00

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Bedford Mc Tomlinson } Appointment

Be it remebered that on the 6th day of August 1897 the following proceedings where had in this Estate Comes now Mrs R Mc Clelland By Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files the Declaration of Lou Eva Tomlinson widow of Bedford Mc Tomlinson, said Declaration reads as follows (here Insert). And the said Mrs R Mc Clelland also files Application for letters of Administration upon the Estate of Bedford Mc Tomlinson deceased said letters reads as follows. (N.D.)

And the Clerk having Examined said Petition and being fully advised finds said Mrs R Mc Clelland to be a proper person to be entrusted with the premises and does hereby appoint her Administrator of said Estate with said Estate upon her filing a bond in the penal sum of Two Hundred ($200.00) Dollars, with Charles F Mc Clelland as his surety which bond and surety is duely approved by the Clerk and reads as follows (N.D.)

Whereupon Letters of Administration were issued to the said Mrs R Mc Clelland and reads as follows (N.D.)

And further proceedings herein are continued

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Mary E Tincher | Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 17 day of August 1897 Frank S Tincher filed in the Hendricks Circuit Court in Vacation a Petition for letters of Administration upon the Personal Estate of Mary E Tincher deceased said Petition reads as follows. (N.S.)
And the Clerk having examined said Petition and Being fully advised in the Premises finds that the said Frank S. Tincher is a proper person to be intrused with said Administration does now appoint him Administrator of said Estate upon his filing a bond in the Penal Sum of One Thousand (1000.00) Dollars with Joseph W Tincher and James A Dorward as surety which bond and surety is now duely approved by the Clerk and reads as follows (See insert)
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Frank S Tincher and reads as follows. (N.S.)
And further proceedings herein are continued

Vacation

In the matter of the Guardianship of Roy B. Draper | Appointment of Guardian

Be it remembered that on the 27. day of august 1897. Ada B. Draper filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court the Request of Roy B. Draper minor heir of Mahlon B. Draper. reqest the Clerk of this Court to appoint Ada B. Draper as his guardian Said request reads as follows. (N.S.)
And the said Ada B. Draper also files Application for letters of Guardianship which reads as follows. (N.S.)
And the Clerk having examined the said Application and being fully advised in the premis finds that the said Ada B. Draper is a proper person to be Intrusted with such Guardianship does now appoint her as such guardian upon her filing a bond in the Penal sum of Fifteen $15.00 Hundred Dollars. with B F Draper and W. T. Davis as surety which bond and surety is duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows N.S.
Where upon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Ada B. Draper and reads as follows. (N.S.)
And furthe proceedings herein are continued

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In the matter of the Guardianship of John Dudley Kelleher. } Appointment

Be it remembred that on the 1st day of September 1897. James D Smith by Thomas C Cofer filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court the minors Request to appoint the said James D Smith as Guardian said request reads as follows. (H.D.)

And the said James D Smith also files Applications for Letters of Guardianship which reads as follows. H.D.

And the Clerk having examined said Application and being fully advised in the premis finds that the said James D Smith is a proper person to be intrusted with such Guardianship does now appoint him Guardian upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Three Hundred dollars with Henry A Smith and T.A. Skillman as surety which bond and surety is duly examined and approved by the Clerk and reads as follows. H.D.

Then upon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said James D Smith and reads as follows. H.D. And further proceedings herein are continued

Monday September 6th 1897 And 1st day September Term.

Monday morning September 6th 1897
Court met according to Law
Pursuit Hon. John C Hadley Judge.
Otis E Gulley Prosecutor
Mell C Masten Clerk
Wm B. Bryant Sheriff.

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph C Brown deceased

Comes now Marion Hadley administrator of said estate by Cofer and Hadley, his attorney, and shows to the Court his final account and vouchers, heretofore filed in said estate:

And the Court after examining said account and vouchers finds the same to be correct, And that due notice was given of the filing and pendency of said account and vouchers.

The Court after examining said report approves the same, and said administrator is hereby discharged from all further liability on account of his said trust, having fully executed the same:

And said administrator having sold assigned and turned over to one, Abijah Sellers, all of the accounts, notes, and 5 shares of Straw board stock which remained uncollected and undisposed of until the same was sold to the said Sellers it is therefore ordered and adjudged that said Sellers be and he is hereby empowered to collect any and all accounts and any and all notes which may have been heretofore given and made with the said Joseph C Brown in his life time: And to sell and dispose of as collect as he may see fit the five shares of stock in the Brown Straw Board Company, owned in his life time by the said Joseph C Brown, the same having been sold and turned over to him by said administrator And it is hereby adjudged that said Sellers

is the sole owner of said property. Judged.
All of which is now ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court:

Ernest J Atkinson vs. Est. John Atkinson | Claim No. 1431 Allowed at $100

Comes now the Parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff in the sum of $100
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff Ernest J Atkinson recover from the Estate of John Atkinson $100 together with his costs taxed herein laid out and expended taxed at dollars cents
All of which is ordered by the Court:

Mary Jane McFadden vs. Estate John Atkinson deceased | Claim No. 1432 Allowed at $600

Comes now the Parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff in the sum of $600
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff Mary Jane McFadden recover from Defendants Estate the Sum of Six Hundred $600 Dollars together with his costs taxed herein laid out and expended taxed at Dollars cents.

Oliver Atkinson vs. Estate John Atkinson deceased | Claim No. 1433 Allowed at $200

Comes now the Parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff in the sum of $200
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff Oliver Atkinson recover from the Defendants Estate his Claim of $200 herein Together with his costs herein laid out and

Expended herein taxed at Dollars cents:

John Harvey Executor &c. vs. Pleasant Almond Etal | Final Report & Land Sale.

Comes now John Harvey executor of the will of Hanis Almond deceased and files proof of publication in words and figures following to wit: (Here Insert.)
Said Executor also files report of sale of the Real estate herein ordered sold, which report is in words and figures following to wit;
John Harvey Executor of the will of Hanes Almond deceased respectfully shows to the Court that as ordered by the Court in the above entitled cause he gave notice by publication for four weeks in the Plainfield Progress a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County and State of Indiana as will appear by proof of publication filed herewith and by posting more than five notices in Hendricks County three of which were posted in Guilford Township that being the township where said real estate is situated and all of which were posted four weeks before the first day of September 1896. That on said first day of September 1896 this petitioner moved offer for sale at private sale at not less than the appraised value the following described real estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to wit; the South half of the South East quarter of Section twenty five (25) Township fifteen (15) North and Range one (1) East containing Eighty (80) acres. Said notice stated that said real Estate would be offred for sale on the premises on said date and if said was not made on that date sale would be continued from day to

To day at the residence of this petitioner until sale should be made"
That on said date said real estate was offered for sale on the premises as advertised and no offer being received therefore said sale was continued from day to day until the 6th day of September 1897 when Edward Crawford offered therefor thirty six hundred dollars in cash and that being the highest and best bid received therefor and being the full appraised value of said real estate, the same was sold by this petitioner to said Edward Crawford for said sum and his petitioner now brings said sum into Court and asks. that said sale be approved.

John Harvey

Subscribed and affirmed to this 6th day of September 1897.

James E Clark
Notary Public.

And the Court being sufficiently advised in the premis approves said report and said sale of said real estate in all things and the Court modifies the order of sale and orders said Executor to receive all of the purchase price for said real estate in cash
The Court now orders said Executor to Execute a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser.
And now said Executor brings into Court for the Courts inspection a deed duly acknowledged conveying said real Estate to said purchaser which deed is in words and figures following to wit: (Here Insert)
And the Court approves said deed and indorses his approval thereon in these words Examined and approved in open Court this 6th day of September 1897 Jno V Hadley Judge.
And said Executor is ordered to deliver said deed to said purchaser as an evidence of his title

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday Sept. 7. 1897. And 2" day September Term. 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

First National Bank
Danville Indiana
vs.
David Swank Deceased.

Claim No. 1446
Allowed at $326.00

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by Agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff in the sum of $326.00 together with his costs herein
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed By the Court that the Plaintiff the First National Bank. Danville Indiana Recover from the Defendants Estate the sum of Five hundred and Forty four $ 44/00 Dollars. together with his costs herein laid out and expended herein taxed at Dollars and cents.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Harrison T Hadley a minor.

Petition to Sell Timber

Comes Mary Hadley
Guardian of the said minor by Hogate and Clark her attorneys and files a petition to sell certain timber, which petition reads as follows.;
Mary Hadley Guardian of Harrison T Hadley, minor heir of Milton Hadley deceased, now comes and shows to the court that her ward is the owner of 54 acres of Real Estate in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana, which real estate is tirely timbered pasture lands, She shows that among the growing trees are a number of hickory which are dying at the top and decaying.
She says. that unless said trees are soon cut and marketed and turned into money they will be lost to the estate of the minor: She also

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shows. that she believes the land will be benfitted if the said hickory being cut as the land is now too heavely timbered to permit the best opportunity for the growth of grass. She shows. there are a few oak trees on said land which ought to be sold if any of them are beginning to decay
Wherefor she asks for an order of the Court to sell said hickory timber at its market value, and also to sell such of the oak trees as are beginning to decay
Mary F Hadley
Guardian
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September 1897.
James L. Clark
Notary Public.
And the Court being fully advised in the premises grants the prayer of said petition
It is therefore Ordered by the Court that said Guardian proceed to Sell the hickory timber on said land at its market value and also sell such of the oak trees as are beginning to decay, and report her proceedings in her current report,
And day is given.

James M. Barlow, Executor of the will of Josiah Harrison deceased,
vs.
David Harrison, John Harrison, Hannah Hollingsworth George M. Harrison, Josiah M. Harrison, Alice Cline Emma Bristow Charles C Walls, Melissa Walls Ida Hicks, Hattie Wilson Alpha Lane and Charles Detrick

Land Sale Proceedings

Comes the plaintiff in this cause, by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court the summons issued to the

Sheriff of Hendricks County, and the return of said Sheriff thereon; which summons and return is as follows, to wit: (Here Insert) the summons issued to the Sheriff of Morgan County and the return of the sheriff thereon which summons and return is as follows, to wit, here insert. and the proof of publication, which is also now filed and is in these words, to wit: (Here Insert) from which summons and publication the Court finds that each of the defendants was duly served with notice of the filing and pendency of the cause by summons more than ten days before the first day of the present term of this Court. and by publication as to the non resident defendants, for three weeks successively, in the Hendricks County Republican a weekly News paper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, the last of which publication was more than thirty days before the first day of the present term of this Court.

And said defendants failing to appear are each now severally three times called and come not but herein wholly make default.

And now this cause is submitted to the Court for trial, finding and decree, upon the default of said defendants. And the Court having heard the evidence and been fully advised in the premises finds generally for the plaintiff and that all the allegations in the complaint are true, and that the order for the sale of said real estate ought to be granted as prayed for in said complaint.

The Court now orders said Executor to have said real estate appraised by two disinterested free-holders of Hendricks County and present said appraisement for the Courts inspection, together with his bond in twice the sum of such appraisement.

And now comes said Executor with said appraisement, made by Abraham Hoadley and Albert A Hollingsworth, two disinterested free holders

residing in Hendricks County and State of Indiana and in the neighborhood of said real estate who appraise said real estate at seven hundred dollars. Said appraisement is now filed and is in these words, to wit: (H.D.)

And now said Executor files his bond in the sum of fourteen hundred dollars with Abram Hoadley and Albert A Hollingsworth as his sureties which bond, is approved by the Court and is in these words, to wit: (Here Insert)

It is now, therefore adjudged by the Court that it is necessary to sell the real estate described in the complaint as the property of the estate of Josiah Harrison, deceased, for the purpose of making funds to pay the debts and bequests of said estate.

And the Court, now orders and decrees that said real estate, the same being in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, and described as follows, to wit: a part of the South West quarter of section twenty two (22) in Township fifteen (15) North and Range one (1) East; beginning at the South West corner of said quarter; thence North with the section line one hundred and seven and eight tenths (107.8-10) rods; thence East thirty five (35) rods; thence North, eighty and one half (80 1-2) degrees seventeen (17) rods; thence South one hundred and ten and three tenths (110.3-10) rods to the section line; thence with the section line West fifty one and seventy five hundredths (51 75-100) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty five (35) acres more or less, be sold by said executor, at private sale, without notice, to the highest and best bidder, for one third cash one third in six months and one third in twelve months. The deferred payments shall bear six per cent interest from date and be secured by first mortgage on the real estate sold,

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In the matter of the Guardianship of Lee Otis and Edith Sharp. | Finial Report

Comes now Daniel C Haywoorth guardian by Miles and Miles his attorney and submits to the Court his finial Report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ——————— $256.74
as to Lee Otis Sharp. And entitled to credits in the sum of ——————— $59.00
Leaving a balance in the sum of $197.74 Paid
which he as Paid in to Court as shown by the Clerks receipt filed herein;
And said guardian would also show as to his ward Edith I Sharp he is Chargeable with the sum of ——————— $384.20
And entitled to credits in the sum of 68.65
Leaving a balance due Edith I. in the sum of $315.55 Paid
which he has paid in to Court as shown by the Clerks recpt filed herein.
Said Guardian would further show that his ward's have good homes and that he has fully and finally settled with them as shown by this report: and he asks to be discharged from any further trust as such guardian And that an other be appointed as he lives in Lebanon and its is inconvenient for him to attend to it;
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises and finding said report correct Does now approve the same and discharged the said Guardian
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved And said guardian discharged from his trust as such guardian

Sept. 2nd 1897 — Rec'd of Master Clerk $197.74 Balance due Edith I Sharp & $59.00 Balance due Lee Otis Sharp. Jas T. Brown Sam'l Morgan Rec'g Gdn. Lee Otis & Edith I Sharp. Oct. 8th 1897 Rec'd of Master Clerk $315.55 Balance due Edith I Sharp. Atty for Benton Rowing Gdn. Lee Otis & Edith I Sharp

Send cert.

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In the matter of the Estate of J D. Conover deceased. | Appointment

Comes now Oliver M Walker and files a Petition to be appointed administrator Debonis non with personal property of J. D. Conover ~~deceased~~; said Petition reads as follows. (Here Insert)
And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said J. D. Conover left a Personal Estate to be administered on to wit: One Patent Clasp Knife to the value of $200
And the Court further finding that the said Oliver M Walker is the proper person to administer on said Estate Does now Appoint him Administrator Debonis non of said Estate upon his feling a bond in the penal sum of One hundred & no Dollars with J.K. Trotter and J.E. Dougan as sureties which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (N.D.)
Whereupon letters of Administration Debonis non were issued to the said Oliver M Walker.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John M Wadley
Judge.

Wednesday morning September 8th 1897.
Court met pursuant to adjournment.
Present. John V. Hadley

Ira J. McDaniel, administrator of the Estate of Thomas J. C. Sparks, deceased
vs.
David W. Sparks, Deborah A Beasley
Aaron O Sparks, Mary A. Peters
Enoch A Hogate;

No 1439
Land Sale

Comes Ira J. McDaniel, the administrator herein by Hogate and Clark his attorneys, and presents to the Court a petition herein for a reappraisement of the real estate herein, which petition is in the words and figures following to wit: The Administrator shows to the Court that he has been unable to sell the land herein described at the appraisement But he says that he can make a sale for cash of all of the real estate in the petition described exclusive of the widows, life estate for a sufficient bid as he believes, and that the bid will be paid in cash;
He therefore shows to the Court that said real estate ought to be appraised again and that the appraisement ought to exclude any reference to the widows Interest, He says That this is the best bid he has had and That the estate can be speedily settled if the Court should now order the reappraisment of the said real estate and enable the said Administrator to make a speady sale
And he asks an order for a reappraisment of the said real estate exclusive of the interest of the Widow, Mary C Sparks.

Ira J McDaniel Administrator

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of September 1897
James L Clark Notary Public;

And the Court having examined the said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the prayer of the said petition ought to be granted.
It is therefore ordered by the Court that the Administrator proceed to have the said real estate reappraised so as to exclude from the appraisement the interest set off for life to Mary C Sparks, widow of the decedent, And the Administrator is ordered to report to the Court forthwith the said reappraisement.
(And now the said administrator comes and presents to the court a reappraisement of the said real estate from which it appears that the said real estate exclusive of the interest set off to Mary C Sparks for her appraised by Monroe Wills and William T Irwin two reputable householders and free holders of the County and in the neighborhood of the said real Estate at the sum of $3 500.00. The said reappraisement is filed herewith and made a part hereof and reads as follows, to wit; (H.S.)
And now the Administrator files a report of the sale of the said real estate, which report of sale reads as follows, to wit;
Comes the administrator herein and shows to the Court that on the order of the Court made herein he gave notice of the time place terms and condetions of sale herein for four weeks by a publication in the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper printed and published in Hendricks County, the first of which notice was on the 15th day of July 1897 and the last on the 5th day of August 1897 the affidavit of Julian D Hogate Editor of said newspaper is filed herewith and made a part hereof (Here Insert) And the said Administrator also files his own affidavit from which it appears that like notices were posted in Brown Township in five

Public places And the said affidavit is made a part hereof, (Here insert)
And the Administrator shows that the sale was set for the 18th day of August 1897, at private sale and no one made an adequate bid; and by order of the Court the said real estate was reappraised so as to exclude the widows intent. And on the 6th day of August 1897. Jonathan P Lowder offred the sum of Thirteen Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($1350) for the following real estate in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana to wit: The West half of the North West quarter of Section 33 Township 17 North in range one East, except the following set off to Mary C Parks, widow of the decedent for her life estate, to wit:
Beginning at the south west corner of said quarter and running thence North 14 chains and 32 links; thence South 86½ degrees East 20 chains and nine links to the East line of said half quarter; thence south 12 chains and 72.⅔ links to the south east corner of said half quarter; thence west 20 chains and 7 links to the place of beginning, containing in the exception 26 4/100 acres. The sum of Thirteen hundred and fifty dollars to be cash in hand, And no one offred more, and that sum being more than the reappraised value, I sold the same for that sum to Jonathan P Lowder
Whereupon the said Lowder paid his bid in cash.
And the administrator shows to the Court that the order of sale as made provides that the sale should be made for one third cash one third in twelve and one third in eighteen months from day of sale, but that he believes the sale herein reported for cash, is and advantageous one, and he now asks the Court to modify the order heretofore made accordingly
Wherefore the administrator asks the Court to approve the sale herein made and ordered

Deed made to the purchaser for the real estate so purchased by him
Ira J McDaniel
Administrator
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of September 1897
James L Clark
Notary Public.
And the administrator also files the proof of publication and proof of posting notices herein
And the Court being fully advised in the premises from an examination of the report of sale and of the papers herein, and after making inquiry finds that the said sale so made and reported ought to be confirmed
It is therefor ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the sale so made to Jonathan P Lowder be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, and the administrator is ordered to make to the purchaser to to whomsoever he shall direct deeds of conveyance for the real estate so purchased.
And it is further ordered by the Court that the terms of sale herein be so modified that the administrator is hereby authorized to receive the bid in cash, instead of one third in cash one third in twelve and one third in eighteen months.
And now comes the purchaser Jonathan P Lowder and requests the Court to cause deeds to be made as follows: Eighteen acres off of the East side of the land purchased to Aaron O Parks and the balance of the said real estate to the said Jonathan P Lowder. And the Court now orders the said administrator to so make deeds as asked for by the purchaser.
And now comes the said administrator and presents to the court deeds of conveyance

showing that he has conveyed to the said Aaron O Sparks eighteen acres off of the east side of the real estate so purchased, and conveyed to Jonathan P Lowder thirty four and forty hundredths acres off of the west side of the said real estate,

And the Court having examined the said deeds approves the same and orders his approval thereon in these words: Examined and approved in open Court and ordered delivered to purchaser as an evidence of his title

John V. Hadley Judge:

All of which is finally ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the Surviving Partnership of M.B. Draper & Bro. } Final Report.

Comes now Benjamin F. Draper the duly appointed qualified and acting Surviving Partner of the late firm of M.B. Draper & Bro. By Thad A Adm'r and respectfully submits to the Court this final report As such Surviving Partner showing that he is chargable with the sum of $4735.54

And Entitled to credits as shown by vouches filed herein in the sum of $4735.54

The said Surviving Partner would further show that he has paid all Claims that have come to his knowledge against said partnership as shown by the vouchers filed herein and that after the payment of all said debts there was left a net balance of $34 35/100 which sum belongs to the Estate of M.B. Draper and himself as the late member of the firm of M.B. Draper and Bro And that of said sum he has paid to Ada B Draper as the Administratrix of said M.B. Draper Estate the sum of $1717.75 And has retained a like sum as his part of the proceeds of said partnership And that there is now no

funds in his hands belonging to said trust Wherefore he now asks that this report be approved and said partnership fully and finally discharged from all further liability in said trust

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said Partner discharged from any further liability on said trust.

In the matter of the Estate of Margaret Shelley } Final Report.

Comes now James A Doward Administrator of the Estate of Margaret Shelly deceased and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 22nd day of July 1897 and the last on the 29th day of July 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows. (H. B.)

And said Admr. also files the affidavit of James A Doward from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 19th day of July 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows. (H.B.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently

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advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 19th day of July 1897 And by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 7th day of September 1897
The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ——— $5-46.00
And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $346.00
The Court also finds said report correct and the Administrator ought to be discharged.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said Estate is now declard finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning
Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday Sept 9th 1897 And 4th day September Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

In the matter of the Trustee-ship of Veta Hutchens } Current Report

Comes now John M Jackson Trustee of Veta Hutchens by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and submits to the Court his Current report as such Guardian; Showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ——— $870.58
And Entitled to credits in the sum of 647.36
Leaving a Balance in the sum of $223.22
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court:
Said Guardian now askes the Court to examine this report and approve the same and continue said trust.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and approves the same:
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that Said Report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and Confirmed and said Trust Continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. Tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge,

Friday September 10th 1897 And 8th day of September Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present Honerable John V Hadley
Judge

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } SS.
In the matter of the estate
of Abraham H Sparks, deceased.

Comes now George K Sparks the administrator of said estate and presents his petition to the Court praying for an order to sell certain personal property therein described at private sale without notice, which petition is in the following words to wit; (Here Insert) And now the Court having been advised in the premises finds the allegations of said petition to be true; And no cause being shown to the contrary now orders said George K. Sparks as such Administrator to sell said property at private sale.

Friday morning And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday September 11th 1897 And 6th day September Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Zora Tomlinson Etal. } Current & Final

Comes now Mary J Tomlinson Guardian by J.H. Saxton her attorney and shows to the Court that She has fully and finally settled with her ward Zora Tomlinson She having arrived at the full age of 21 years as shown by receipts filed herein.
And she would further show as to her ward Mortan Tomlinson She is chargeable with the sum of $62.30
And entitled to credits in the sum of 10.50
Leaving a balance in the sum of $51.80
To be accounted for in her next report to this Court:
Said Guardian would ask the Court to approve this report and continue said trust as to Mortan Tomlinson and discharge her as to Zora Tomlinson
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report Correct and that said Guardian ought to be discharge as to said Zora and continued as to said Mortan Tomlinson
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said Guardian Discharged is to Zora Tomlinson and continued as to Mortan Tomlinson.

Saturday September 11th 1897 And 6th day September Term

In the matter of the Estate of Martha A Hess deceased } Petition to Pay money in lieu of purchasing Property

Comes now Wm M Hess by L. A. Barnett his attorney and presents and files a Petition to the Court for an order to Pay the said Wm. M. Hess $1000.00 Dollars in lieu of purchasing property as directed in said Will The said Louise S Hess Laura M Hess relenquishing all right or interest that they have or may have in said Legacy in this Petition with said Legatee Wm M Hess and pray that the Order may be issued. Said Petition reads as follows. (H.D.)

And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises orders The said Executor to pay the said Wm. M. Hess. $1000.00 Dollars in lieu of buying said Property The other Legatees having relinquished all right or interest that they have or may have in said bequest.

All of which is ordered by the Court.

Saturday September 11th 1897. And 6th day September Term.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Phoebe E & Edith P Pigg. } Order of Sale.

Comes now T. J. Pigg the Guardian of the Estate of Phoebe E and Edith P. Pigg minors heirs of Joseph Plummer deceased by Geo T Pattison his attorney and files the appraisement of the following described Real Estate, a part of the South half of the South East quarter of Section 32. Tship. 17. N. Range 1. West and bounded as follows. to wit; Beginning at a point 14 chains and 23 1/10 links North of the South East corner of said section 32 and running thence West 40 chains and 41 links to the west line of said quarter section; thence East to the Section line; thence South 1 chain, and 94 3/10 links to the place of beginning Estimated to contain 7. 85/100 acres belonging to Phoebe E Pigg, and a part of the South half of the South East quarter of section 32 Township 17. North Range 1 west and bounded as follows to wit; Beginning at a point One (1) Chain and 93 1/2 links South of the North East corner of said half quarter and running thence South 1 chain and 94 1/2 links; thence west 40 chains and 40 1/3 links to the west line of said quarter section; thence North 1 chain and 94 1/2 links; thence East to the place of beginning Estimated to contain 7. 85/100 acres belonging to Edith P. Pigg. made by Quincy A Davis and Millard F Trotter heretofore appointed by this Court to make said appraisment wherein it is shown that said Real Estate is of the value of Seven Hundred six and 95/100 (706 95/100) Dollars.

And the Court having heard the evidence

finds that it would be for the benefit of the Estate of said Phoebe E and Edith P Pigg to sell said Real Estate.
It is therefor ordered that the said T.J. Pigg. sell all the right title and interest of the said Phoebe E and Edith P. Pigg in and to said Real Estate at private sale at not less than the appraised value upon the following terms: One third (1/3) cash in hand paid; One third (1/3) cash in hand paid One third 1/3 in six months and one third (1/3) in twelve months, the defered payments to be evidenced by notes drawing six(6) per cent interest secured a mortgage on said Real Estate Executed by the purchaser and upon the payment of one third (1/3) of the purchase money and the due execution of notes and mortgage for defered payments said T.J. Pigg is ordered to execute to the purchaser a sufficient deed for said Real Estate conveying the same to him.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow
Record read and signed in open Court

John Hadley
Judge

Monday morning Sept 13 1897
Court met pursuant to adjournment Present
John V. Hadley
Judge:

Wilson T Lawson as Administrator with the Will annexed of the Estate of Isaac. R Lawson, deceased the petitioner
vs.
Michael Mc. Lawson and others, the defendants.

Land Sale
No. 1427

Comes now Wilson T Lawson the administrator and petitioner in this proceeding with Charles Foley his attorney and defendants Michael Mc. Lawson, Isaac N. Lawson, Charles A Lawson and Elroy A Dillon, by Miles and Miles their attorneys come also, and defendant Bertha Davis by George E Davis guardian of her person and property comes also and defendant Jeffery D Lawson Millie J Easly and George Easly in their own proper persons come also and thereupon said Administrator and petetioner files and presents to the Court for examination and approval a report of sale of real estate in this proceeding, duly verified by his oath, all in these words to wit:

State of Indiana Hendricks County
In the Hendricks Circuit Court.
September Term A.D. 1897.
Wilson T Lawson as Administrator with the Will annexed of the Estate of Isaac, R Lawson, deceased

The Petitioner
vs.
Michael M Lawson, Isaac N Lawson, Bertha Davis, Charles A Lawson, Henry D Lawson, Mellie G Easly, George Easly, and Eleoy A Dillon, the defendants.

Land Sale
No. 1427

I Wilson T Lawson, Administrator as mentioned in the above entitled proceeding hereby report to the Court that pursuant to the Order and Decree of the Court heretofore made in said proceeding to sell the following described Real Estate situated in Hendricks County State of Indiana, to wit; The South Half of Lot One and the South Half of Lot Eight in Block Twenty Six in the Original town of Danville, I first gave three weeks public notice of the time, place and terms of sale of said Real Estate by publication for three weeks successively in the Hendricks County Gazette a public Weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the town of Danville, in Hendricks County, State of Indiana, the first of which publication was on the first, the second on the eighth and the third on the fifteenth day of April A.D. 1897 And by causing printed notices thereof to be posted in more than five public places in said county, three of which were in the Civil Township Centre in which said Real Estate is situated, all done on the first day of April A.D. 1897. I file the affidavit of W.A. King printer and publisher of said newspaper, and the affidavit of Charles Foley Attorney for said Estate, showing said publication

And the posting up of said notices I further report that on Saturday April 24th 1897 I exposed said Real Estate for sale, at private sale, at the Law Office of Charles Foley, in the town of Danville county of Hendricks and State of Indiana; and continuously thereafter until September 13th A D 1897, when I sold said Real Estate at said Law Office, at private sale, unto Mellie G Easly, for the price and sum of Twelve hundred Dollars $1200.00, One third of the purchase money to be paid cash down, One third in Twelve and One third in Eighteen months, from the day of sale, the defered payments to bear interest from the day of sale at the rate of six percent per annum, and the purchaser wishing to pay all of said purchase money cash down, and it being for the good of said Estate for her to do so, I accepted the same, subject to the approval of the Court. I further state that I sold said Real Estate for more than the appraised value thereof, and that I see no prospect of geting any higher price for said Real Estate, ask that said sale be approved and verify this report with my oath

Wilson T Lawson

Subscribed and sworn to on this the 13th day of September A.D. 1897

Mell G Master Clerk

Said Administrator and petitioner also files and presents to the Court the affidavits of W.A. King and Charles Foley relating to the publication and posting up of notice of sale of said Real Estate, in this proceeding, said

Affidavits being mentioned in said report and being in these words to wit:
(Here insert) And the Court having examined said report and affidavit, and having sufficiently Considered the same, finds and decides that the sale of real estate mentioned in said report was conducted and made in all particulars pursuant to the Order and Decree of this Court heretofore made in this proceding, And said real estate having sold for more than the appraised value thereof and there being no prospect getting any higher price there for and no objection being made to the approval of said sale and no reason appearing why the same should not be approved, therefore said sale of said Real Estate is by the Court in all particulars approved and the Court approves, the acceptance by said administrator of all of the purchase money there for cash down
And the Court orders Wilson T Lawson, the said administrator to make, sign and acknowledge and present to the Court for approval a good and sufficient deed of conveyance, conveying said Real Estate to said Mellie D Easley the said purchaser thereof, the same being situated in Hendricks County state of Indiana and more particularly described as follows, to wit; The South Half of Lot One (1) and the South Half of Lot Eight (8) in Block Twenty Six (26) in the Original town of Danville. And thereupon said Wilson T Lawson, as such administrator presents to the Court for approval a deed conveying said Real estate to the said purchaser, and the Court having examined said deed and finding it properly

and duly signed and acknowledged, and good and sufficient, approves the same and indorses such approval on said deed and orders its delivery to the said Mellie D Easly the purchaser, which is accordingly done in open Court and all of which is approved by the Court.

James M. Barlow, Executor of the will of Josiah Harrison, deceased
vs.
David Harrison Etal,

Land Sale
No. 1452

Comes now the plaintiff in the above entitled cause and files his report of a sale of the real estate herein, which report is in word and figure following to wit. Comes now the plaintiff and shows to the Court that pursuant to the order of this Court in this cause he offered the real estate of said decedent, hereinafter described, for sale at private sale without notice for one third cash, one third in six months and one third in twelve months, and on the 11th day of September 1897. John T Hollingsworth offered for said real estate the sum of eight hundred dollars cash and that being the highest and best bid received for said real estate and more than the appraised value thereof the same was sold to said John T. Hollingsworth for said sum. Said Executor says that said estate is in debt and claims are allowed against the same for more than the value of said real estate and the money arising from said sale can be used at once in payment of claims that are drawing interest, and that a sale for cash will enable this executor to make a more expeditious settlement of said estate, wherefore he asks that

The order of sale be modified and that he be permitted to recive all cash in hand for said real estate and that this sale be approved and that he be ordered to convey said real estate which is described as follows; A part of the South West quarter of section twenty two (22) in Township fifteen (15) North and Range one (1) East, in Feldnicks County and State of Indiana, beginning at the South West corner of said quarter thence North, with section line, one hundred and seven and eight tenths (107. 8-10) rods; Thence East thirty five (35) rods; thence North eighty and one half 80 1-2 degrees East, seventeen 07.5 rods; thence South one hundred and ten and three tenths (110 3-10) rods to the section line; thence with the section line West fifty one and seventy five hundredths (51 75-100) rods to the place of beginning, to said purchaser

James M Barlow, Executor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of September 1897

James L Clark Notary Public.

And the Court having examined said report and been fully advised in the premises finds that said order of sale ought to be modified as asked for in said report and said sale approved;

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the order of sale heretofore made in this cause be and the same is modified as to the terms of payment and said Executor is ordered to sell said real estate for all cash on day of sale

And now it is also ordered and decreed that the sale of said real estate as reported and the report of said sale are approved and confirmed in all things by the Court.

And now said Executor is ordered to prepare and present for the inspection of the Court a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser

And now said Executor presents in open Court a deed duly acknowledged conveying said real estate to said purchaser, which deed is in words and figures following, to wit; (Here Insert) and the Court having examined said deed approves the same and indorses his approval thereon in these words "Examined and approved in open Court this 13th day of Sept. 1897 Jno. D. Hadley Judge And said Executor is ordered to deliver said deed to said purchaser as an evidence of his title

In the matter of the Estate Flora Rose. } Money paid in On Distribution

Comes now Thomas Rose Executor of the will of Flora Rose and pays in to Court $221.17 Dollors for Distribution

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John D Hadley
Judge.

Tuesday morning September 14th 1897. And 5 day Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning. Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday September 15th 1897 And 6th day Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

Jesse B. Morgan Admr.
Estate of Elizabeth A Gross.
vs.
Taylor Gross. Etal

Land Sale
No 1453

Comes now Jesse B. Morgan Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Gross deceased by Bible and Harvey his attorneys and shows to the Court that due notice has been given of the filing of the petition herein to Taylor Gross Henry Gross Martha Morgan at least ten days before the first day of the present term of this Court. Which summons and the service thereon is in words and figures as follows: to wit (RD)

And now said defendants are each three times called in Open Court but Come not but herein wholly make default.

And now this petition is submitted to the Court for trial and finding - and the Court having heard the evidence and being ~~fully~~ sufficiently advised and informed in the premises finds the allegations of the petition to be true and that the lands herein after described ought to be sold for the purpose of paying the debts and liabilities of said Estate and, Due notice has been given as above stated.

And said Jesse B Morgan having duly Tendered his bond to secure an Order for the sale of said Real Estate, which is hereby approved it is therefore Considered, declared and decreed

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by the Court that the following discribed Real Estate is liable to be sold to make assets for the payment of the debts and liabilities of said Estate to wit: The North East Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section Twenty (20) Township Fifteen (15) North Range Two (2) West Containing Forty (40) acre more or less appraised by John M. Morgan and John Bundy A.D.J. at $100.00 be sold for that purpose It is further Ordered by the Court that said lands be sold subject to a Mortgage thereon and for cash at private sale without Notice at not less than the appraised value thereof the Court finding that it would be to the best interest of said Estate so to sell the same.

And Court adjournment until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John N Hadley Judge.

Thursday September 16th 1897 And 10th day Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment

Present John N. Hadley
Judge

In the matter of the Estate of Jacob M McAvoy deceased } Appointment

Comes now Joshua Graham by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and presents and files the widows Relinquishment which is in words and figures following to wit: (N.J) The said Graham also files his Petition for letters of Administration upon the Personal property of the said Jacob McAvoy deceased said petition reads as follows. (N.J) And the Court having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Joshua Graham is a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration does now appoint him Administrator of said Estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of One $1000.00 Dollars with William W Graham and Mc C. Underwood as surety which bond and surety is duely approved by the Court and made as follows (Here Insert) Thereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Joshua Graham and made as follows (Here Insert) And further proceedings herein are continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John N Hadley Judge.

Friday September 17th 1897. And 17th day September Term 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday September 18th 1897 And 18th day Sept. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Lee Tucker Etal. } Current Report.

Comes now Natha A Tucker Guardian by W.J. Darnell his attorney and files his current report as such Guardian showing that he is Chargeable with the sum of $659.70
And entitled to credits in the sum of 28.83
Leaving a balance in the sum of $630.87
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court
Said Guardian now ask the Court to approve this report and continued said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premis finds said report correct and that said Gardian report aught to be approved
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said Guardian's report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Monday September 20th 1897 And. 13. day of September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present.
John V. Hadley
Judge &c.

In the matter of the Estate of Susannah Smith deceased } Order of Sale

Comes now Joshua Hadley, administrator of Susannah Smith deceased by Thomas J Cofer, his attorney, and pisents to the Court his petition heretofore filed for the sale of all the real estate belonging to said decedent, and the endorsement upon the back of said petition shows that the process issued in said cause was made returnable on the 13th day of September, 1897. the same being the 7th day of Septeember Term of said Court.
He also shows. to the Court the summons issued in said cause and the Sheriffs return endorsed theron whereby it appears that the sheriffs return endorsed theron, whereby it appears that the defendant Ruth Trueblood and Iro, C, Trueblood were each of them duly sewed with process and summons more than ten days. before said 13th day of September, at which time said cause was made returnable.
And now said administrator suggests to the Court the infancy of said defendants, Ruth and Iro C Trueblood, and asks that a guardian ad litem be appointed for them, Whereupon the Court appoints Robert T Hollowell a practicing attorney at this bar. guardian ad litem for said infant defendants.
And said Robert T Hollowell now comes and files his answer to said petition as such guardian ad litem, which answer is as follows. (N. D.)

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The said Rebecca J. Liudley. Newton Woodward, Mary Smith Matilda S Wheler, Ruth Trueblood defendants herein being heirs and all the heirs of said Susannah Smith, deceased,
And the said Addison Liudley. being the husband of Rebecca J. Liudley and Monza Wheeler the husband of Matilda S Wheler and Nancy Woodward the wife of Newton Woodward,
And now said Administrator presents and files the appraisement of said realestate, which appraisement was made by William C Stanley and Harvy R Benbow two disinterested freholders and householders of the neighborhood. Which appraisement is in the words and figures following to wit:- (N.D.) Whereby it appears that said real estate was duly appraised at the sum of $2240.00,
And now said administrator files his bond to sell said real estate. Which bond is in the words and figures following to wit: (N.D.) Said bond being in the sum of $4500.00 with Addison Hadley and Perry Hyatt sureties. Which bond is now approved by the Court.
And now said cause comes on for hearing judgment and decree by the Court, upon the petition of said administrator And the answer of said guardian ad litem and the answer of the other defendants, And the Court having examined said petition, and the answers of said defendants and having heard the evidence and being fully advised in the premises finds that the matters and things alleged in said petition are true. That said defendants are all of the heirs at law of said Susannah Smith, deceased, And

That they are each over the age of 21 years except Ruth and Dro. C. Trueblood, who are represented in these proceedings by their guardian ad litem, Robert T. Hollowell
And the Court finds that said land ought to be sold at private sale
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that said land, to wit:-
The west half of the South West quarter of section 24, township 1s. North. Range two West in Hendricks County and State of Indiana except 20 acres off of the South end of said half quarter, and also Lot No. six and Lot No. nine in the town of Hadley be sold to make assetts to pay the debts of said decedent; at private sale after giving due notice as required by law; for not less than the appraised price thereof. For one third cash one third in six months, and one third in twelve months from the day of sale.
Notes for the defered payment to be given with approved freehold surety bearing 6% interest from date.
All of which is ordered, adjudged and decred by the Court.

State of Indiana Hendricks County
Hendricks Circuit Court
September Term 1897

In the matter of the Guardianship of Martha A & Rebecca J Leak minor heirs of Charles Mc Leak. } Report of Bondsman

Comes now James O Leak and James Mc West and respectfully show to the Court that on the 4th day of October 1890 they became bondsman for Rebecca Leak guardian of the above named wards who were the children of said Guardian they would further show to the Court as shown by application for letters of guardianship herein that said wards were possessed of no personal property whatever. And that said guardianship was only for the purpose of procuring a pension and that no pension was ever procured the would further show that both of said wards are now past 21 years of age and married and that both of the wards as well as the guardian are now residing in some of the Western States the exact place of residence is to your petitioners unknown Wherefor your petitions ask that said guardianship be stricken from the Courts Docket. Said guardianship be closed and guardian discharged and that your petition be finally released from all liabilities on said bond the reasons above set forth.

James O Leak
J. M. West

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 15th Day of September 1897
Thad S Adams Notary Public.

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And the Court having examined said report and being fully informed and advised in the premises Says and finds that the matters set forth in said report are true and that said guardianship should be closed and the guardian and bondsman finally and fully discharged from any liabilities in said trust, Wherefor it is now ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said guardianship be closed and stricken from the Courts Docket,

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Joseph W Thompson
vs.
Clarisia Thompson } Dismissell

Comes now the Plaintiff in the above cause and enters his dismissal of the above proceedings Wherefor it is now and adjudged by the Court that all costs made in said cause be taxed to said Plaintiff and that said defendant have judgment for the same taxed at Dollars cents all of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court.

John W Wadley
Judge

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Court to met Pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Elgan deceased } Final Report.

Comes now the executor herein by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Will A. Ring publisher of the Davidson County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Davidson from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given for two weeks in said newspaper, the first of which publications was on the 26th day of August 1897 and the last on the 2nd day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows: (N.D.) And the executor also files an affidavit of one Enoch G. Hogate from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the court house door of the said County of Davidson on the 24th day of August 1897. Said affidavit is as follows: (N.D.) And now the final report herein comes on to be heard, and after examining the said report and being fully advised in the premises the Court doth say and find that Robert W. Wade the executor herein filed his final report in this estate in the office of the Clerk of this court on the 24th day of August 1897 and by an indorsement in writing on the said report by the Clerk the same was set for hearing on the 16th day of September 1897. The court also finds that said executor is chargeable with the sum of $453.00 and that he is entitled to credits in the sum of $453.00, The Court finds that said report is in all things

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correct and that the same ought to be approved:
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed: That said estate is now declared finally settled and the said executor is fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust:
All of which is finally ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Guardianships of Hubert & Brown } Current Report and Final discharge

Comes now Joseph Brown by L.A. Barrette his attorney and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $2279.87 and entitled to credits in the sum of 95.82 Leaving a balance in the sum of the of $2184.05 to be accounted for in his next report to this court. Said guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and resign said guardianships And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved:
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said guardian discharged.

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In the matter of the Estate of Henry Sanders. } Current Report.

Comes now William E Sanders administrator by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and Presents and files his current report as such administrator showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $2025.55
And entitled to credits in the sum of 1468.65
Leaving a balance in the sum of 556.90
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
Said administrator now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same should be approved. It is therefore ordered adjudged
And decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued

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Clerks Report of Vacation work

State of Indiana Hendricks County SS.
The undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Hendricks County Indiana would respectfully report the following Vacation Buisness since May term 1897 of said Court. to wit;

Estates and Guardianship's

Name.	Admr Or. Ex.	Bond	Surecties
Susannah Smith	Joshua Hadley	$100 00	Simon Hadley Perry Hunt
Anderson Rigg	John Rigg	$800 00	Jasper Fisher James U Scott.
Abraham H Sparks.	George E Sparks.	$2000 00	Wm T Kuns Stephen Jenks
Bedford M Tomlinson	Wm R. McClelland	$500 00	Chas. F McClelland.
Mary E Fincher	Frank S. Fincher	$1000 00	Jas W Fenn James A Doward
Guardianship			
Roy B. Draper.	Ada B Draper	1500 00	B F Draper W.F. Davis.
John D Kelleher	James D Smith	300 00	Henry A Smith T.A. & S Killinan

All of which Respectfully submitted to the Court for Approval.
Witness my hand and the official seal of said Court affixed at my office at Danville Hendricks County Indiana this 6th day of September 1897
Mell C Martin Clerk
And the Court having examined said report finds it correct and endorses his approval on the fact in these words Examined and approved by me
John V Hadley Judge,

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In the matter of the Guardianship of Alfina Blanch Pennington and Others } Current Report,

Comes now Preston Pennington by Bell and Savery his attorneys and presents and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $986,75
And entitled to credits on the sum of $5.00
Leaving a balance on his hands to the sum, 981.75
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court. Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same aught to be approved.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust Continued

In the matter of the Estate of Mahlon B Draper. } Final Report.

Comes now Ada B. Draper Administratrix by Thad S Adams, her attorney and shows to the Court the affidavit of J. D. Hogate Editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 2nd day of September and the last on the 9th day of September 1897

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Said affidavit reads as follows. (H.D.)
And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 27 day of august 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 18th of September 1897.
The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ---------- $1868.25
and intitled to credits on her vouchers filed in the sum of ------ 1868.25
The Court also finds said report correct and that administrator ought to be discharged
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust,
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

Estate of George W Brown, Deceased. } Final Report

Comes now Sarah J Brown administratrix of said estate and submits to the Court the accounts and vouchers filed in final settlement thereof on the 17th day of August 1897 and also submits and files proofs of the posting and publication of notices to the creditors heirs at law and all others interested in said estate, of the filing of said account and vouchers and when the same will be heard which notices and proofs the Court on examination holds to be sufficient, and that the said account and matters connected therewith are properly before the Court for final action thereon.

And the Court having examined said account and vouchers and heard evidence relating thereto finds that more than one year has elapsed since the grant of letters upon said estate and the giving of notice thereof; that said administratrix has fully paid the debts and liabilities of said estate and fully administered the same and that there was left a surplus in his hands of $132.04 which she has paid to the Clerk of this Court for destribution to the children of said decedent and his legal heirs excepting said administratrix who has retained her full share of said estate as the widow of said decedent, And the Court now approves said report and account and vouchers of said administratrix in all things and endorses his approval thereon.

It is therefor ordered by the Court that said administrator be and she now is released and discharged from her said trust and that estate be and the same is adjudged fully administered upon and finally settled.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court make

Rec'd Oct 9-1897 of Mell C Master Clerk $132.04 in full of distributive share of Chas M Brown in the Estate of Robert M Brown by Hon J A Orr Clerk his attorneys

Rec'd Oct 11 1897 of Mell C Master Clerk $26.40 Due me from Wilson Brown. J. L. Clerk. Order filed

Distribution of said sum of $132.04 and pay out the same to the parties entitled thereto as follows;

To Charles M Brown 3/5	$ 77.	22 2/5
" Geneva Hollie Slayter, Alphonso W Hollie, and Lenville M Hollie, each 1/5	$ 8	50 4/5
	8	80 1/5
	8	50 1/5
To Wilson L. Brown 1/5.	$ 26	40 1/5

Mell C Master Executor of the Estate of Robert Hervey deceased.
vs.
Anna May Hervey
Mary Elizabeth Hervey
Sarah Margaret Hervey

No 1441
Order of Sale

Comes now Mell C Master Executor of said Estate and shows to the Court that due notice has been given to Anna May Hervey, Mary Elizabeth Hervey and Sarah Margaret Hervey duly shown to be non residents of the state by publication for three weeks successively in the Hendricks County Republican, a weekly public news paper printed and published in Hendricks County at least thirty days before the time set for hearing said petition, which notice and proof of publication is in the words to wit: (NB) And now the said Anna May Hervey Mary Elizabeth Hervey and Sarah Margaret Hervey are each three times severally called but come not but herein wholly make default and now the matter of said petition is submitted to the Court for trial and the Court having heard the evidence finds that

The allegations of said petition are true that so much of the lands of said decedent as is hereinafter described ought to be sold to pay the debts and liabilities of said estate and that due notice has been given as above stated the Court also finds that the lands herein after described were by the will of said decedent charged with the debts and liabilities of said estate and that there is a sufficient amount of real estate so bequeathed to pay said debts without selling any lands Specefically bequeathed free from indebtdness.

And the Court further finds that there is a mortgage against said Real estate hereinafter described payable to Anna M Knodle which on the 3rd day of June 1895 was filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court as a Claim against said estate and on the 4 day of January 1897. Said Claim was allowed by the Court in the sum of $3.97,38

That said claim and allowance was and is now a valid and subsisting lien against said Real estate and should be paid out of the first moneys derived from the Sale thereof

And now said Mell C Masten having duly tendered his bond to secure an order for the sale of said real estate, which is hereby approved and said executor having filed his appraisement of said real estate which is hereby approved by the Court and which said bond and appraisement is in words and figures following to wit: (N.P.)

It is therefor considered declared and decreed by the Court that the following described Real Estate is liable to be sold to make assets for the payment of the debts and liabilities of said estate to wit:

All of the South west quarter of section one Township fifteen N.R. 1 West which lies north of the Rockville Road except thirty acres off the east side

thereof and also except five acres out of the North West Corner thereof containing in all exclusive of exceptions Ninty four acres more or less appraised at $3196.00 Dollars all of the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana and said executor is hereby empowered to sell all of the above described Real Estate under the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned,

It is also further ordered and decreed by the Court that said Real estate be sold free of said mortgage and when sold said sale shall be reported to this Court for confirmation and approved, It is further ordered that said land be sold for one third cash one third in twelve and remaining third in Eighteen months the purchaser to execute his notes to be approved by said executor for the deferred payment secured by mortgage on the Real estate sold,

And it appearing to the Court that it would be to the interest of said estate that said Real estate be sold at private sale It is ordered that the same be sold at private sale and that said executor give notice of such sale by three Consecutive insertions one each week in the Hendricks County Republican which notice shall contain the terms of said sale and the time and place thereof

In the matter of the Estate of James Shirley deceased. } Final Report.

Comes now Wm J Hoadley as administrator by T. Cofer his Attorney and shows to the Court the affidavit of J.D. Stogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican, a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County, Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession, the first of which publication was on the 15th day of June 1897 and the last on 17th day of June 1897, Said affidavit reads as follows, [H.D.] And said Admin also files the affidavit of Wm J Hoadley from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on the 8th day of June 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. [H.D.]

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 8th day of June 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on 3rd day of July 1897.

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ---- $3400.00 and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of ---------- $3400.00

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed. said estate

is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the court.

In the matter of the estate of Phoebe Fisher deceased } Final Report.

Comes now Benj F Fisher administrator by Buell and Harvey his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of W.A. King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 20th day of May 1897. and the last on the 27. day of May 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. [H.D.] And said administrator also files the affidavit of Geo. B. Harvey from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on 15th day of May 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. [H.D.]. And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 15th day of May 1897. and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 6th day of September 1897. The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of 800.00

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And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of 800 Dollars. The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the court that said ferial report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court:

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning. Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday September 22. 1897. And. 15th day September Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Thursday September 23. 1897. And 16th day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and
signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday September 24. 1897. And 17 day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment,
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and
signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday September 25th 1897 And. 18th day of September Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge:

James D Smith as Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of David Swank, deceased, the petitioner
vs.
Cynthia A Swank and others the defendants:

Land Sale
No. 1347

Comes now the petitioner in the above entitled proceeding with Charles Foley, his attorney, and the Infant defendants in this proceeding by Enoch S Hogate their Guardian ad litem come also, and thereupon said petitioner files and presents to the Court a petition alleging that the appraisement of a part of the Real Estate heretofore made in this proceeding, is too high, and asking for a Re appraisement thereof in these words to wit; (Here Insert) And the Court having heard and considered the evidence produced is satisfied that said appraisement of said parcel of Real Estate is too high and that the same should be Re appraised, and the Court orders said petitioner to have the same Re appraised, and thereupon said petitioner files and shows the Court a Re. appraisement thereof, made by Samuel W. Williams and Aaron Lineinger two reputable and disinterested householders of Hendricks County and State of Indiana, and of the neighborhood of said parcel of Real Estate, the amount of said Re appraisement being Six hundred and

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fifty dollars. $650.00, which Re appraisement is examined by the Court and found to be in due form, and is in words as follows, to wit (Here Insert) which is approved by the Court.

Saterday September 23 "1897. And 18" day September Term.

Saturday Court adjourned until 9 AM tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John W Woodley
Judge,

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present.
John. V. Hadley Judge.

Thomas F White
vs.
George. E. Sparks. Administrator of the estate of Abraham K. Sparks deceased. | Petition to have Lien Transfered to fund.

Comes now Thomas F White by Bull and Harvey, his attorneys and files in the Court his petition setting forth that on the 28th day of April 1897 said decedent Abraham K. Sparks executed to said petitioner his certain promisory note due December 1st after date calling for $100.00 and also setting forth that to secure the payment of said note in said day said Sparks executed to said petitioner Thomas F White his Chattel mortgage on the following personal property to wit; Six brood sows weighing on an average of 200 lbs. colar black and their pigs being 34 head colored white said property is and will be kept on the farm. Known as the Andy Bowen farm 3 miles South east of Danville Indiana and the Cartersburg Road Which petition is in words and figures to wit, (K.P.)
And said petitioner being represented by his attorneys aforesaid and the said George E Sparks administrator of the said estate of Abram K Sparks deceased being represented by his attys Hadley and Pennington the matters and things pertaining to said petition are now submitted to the Court for such orders in the premises as the Court may direct and the Court being sufficiently advised

And informed in the premises finds all the allegations in said petition to be true that said decedent on the 28th day of April 1897. executed to said petitioner Thomas F White his certain note due Dec. 1st after date and calling for $100.00 without relief with interest at 8% per annum from date and attys fee and the Court finds that $100.00 will be a reasonable fee for petitioners attys herein, and the Court finds that there is now due on said note the sum of $113.33
The Court also finds that on said 28th day April 1897 That said decedent executed to said petitioner Thomas F White his chattel Mortgage and the following personal property to wit; Six brood sows. weighing on an average 200 lbs. colar black and their pigs being 34 head colored white said described properly is kept and will be kept on the farm known as Andy Bowen farm 3 miles South east of Danville Indiana on the Cartersburg Road and on said mortgage stipulated to pay said indebtedness together with interest at 8% and reasonable atty fee all with out relief which mortgage was duly recorded and is a valid and subsisting lien on all of above described personal property And the Court further finds that it would be to the best interest of the petitioner and of said estate,
That the properly mentioned and said chattel mortgage be sold by said administrator at the public sale to be holden by him on the day of 1897 And that the proceeds derived from the sale

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of the specific property mentioned in said mortgage be charged with said mortgage and that the lien of said mortgage be transferred to the said fund derived from the sale thereof free from all liens of third parties affecting the same and whatever amount of said fund arising from the sale of said property mentioned in said mortgage remains after the payment to said petetioner of the amount found due at this time with 6% interest thereon from date be retained by said administrator as general assets of said estate

All of which is now ordered and decreed by this Court

Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Tuesday September 28 1897. And 20th day September Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

James Lambert
vs.
John Lambert
} No. 1457
Declard Insane.

Comes now the Plaintiff and shows to the Court and files statement herein that defendant is a person of unsound mind and is incapable of managing his own estate which is composed of Real Estate and Personal property said statement is in the words and figures following to wit; (S.D.) And the said John Lambert being represented by the Prosecuting Atty, and the Clerk files answer herein in denial in the words and figures following (S.D.)

And this Cause being at issue the jury is waived by the parties and submitted to the Court for trial and the Court having heard the evidence finds for the Plaintiff that said defendant is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing his own estate.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that John Lambert is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing his own estate and that James Lambert be appointed guardian his giving a sufficient amount of Bond.

Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday September 30th 1897 And. 22nd day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday Oct 1st 1897 And. 23rd day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Isaac C Nash, deceased. } Probate of Will.

Comes now Joseph M Toll and presents in open Court an instrument, signed by Isaac C Nash testator and Pierson Etris and Joseph M Toll as witnesses and purporting to be the last will and testament of said Isaac C Nash, and the said Joseph M Toll asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said deceased.

And. now upon order of the Court the said Joseph M Toll is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of said Joseph M Toll and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Joseph M Toll on the ~~First~~ 1st day October 1897 as his last will and testament, That said instrument was at the same time signed by said Joseph M Toll and Pierson Etris in the presence of the said Isaac C Nash and in the presence of each other as witnesses, And that the said Isaac C Nash declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament That at said time said Isaa C Nash was more than twenty one years of age, and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint, That said Isaac C Nash died on the day of 1897 never.

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having proved said will. And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Isaac. C Nash deceased and as such ought to be probated It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of Isaac. C Nash deceased, and that said will be and is probated as his will

It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday Oct 2nd 1897. And. 24th day September Term 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge

James D Smith as administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of David Swauk, deceased
The petitioner
vs.
Cynthia A Swauk
William C Swauk
and others, the defendants

Land Sale No. 1347

Comes now the above named petitioner James D Smith as administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of David Swauk, deceased, with Charles Foley, his attorney and Enoch St Hogate the Guardian Ad. Litem for the Infant defendants in this proceedings comes also and thereupon said petitioner files and presents to the Court for examination and approval a report duly signed and sworn to by him showing a sale of another parcel of the Real Estate heretofore ordered in this proceeding by this Court to be sold: And the Court having examined said report finds and decides that the same is in due form and as required by law and by virtue of said report and inquiry out side thereof the Court finds and decides that said sale was conducted and made in all particulars pursuant to the order and decree of this Court heretofore made in this proceeding and that said report is true in substance and in fact and that said parcel of Real Estate was sold for the fair value

thereof and the full appraised value thereof as the same was Reappraised September 25th 1897. pursuant to order of this Court of that date made, and that such sale should be approved and no objection being made to the approval of such sale and no reason appearing why the same should not be approved Therefore said report and such sale are by the Court in all particulars approved and the Court orders said report to be spread of record on the Order Book which is done in words and figures as follows, to wit;

State of Indiana, Hendricks County;
In the Hendricks Circuit Court.
September Term A.D. - 1897.

James D. Smith as Administrator With the will annexed of the Estate of David Swaulk deceased, the petitioner, } Land Sale
vs. } No 1347
Cynthia A. Swaulk and others the defendants;

I, James D. Smith as Administrator with the Will ~~the~~ annexed of the Estate of David Swaulk deceased, the petitioner in the above entitled proceedings, hereby report to the Court that pursuant to the Order and decree of the Court heretofore made in said proceedings to sell Real Estate left by said decedent, and pursuant to the notice of time, place and terms of sale, by me first given mentioned by me in my report of sale of a part of said Real Estate to one Henry Gentry, filed in said proceeding March 9th 1896, I sold, on Saturday October 2nd 1897, at the Law Office of Charles Foley, in the town of Danville, in Hendricks County, State of Indiana, a parcel of said Real Estate situated in Hendricks County, State of Indiana

and particularly described as follows, to wit: The West Half of the North West quarter of the South East quarter ~~of the North~~ ~~East quarter~~ of Section Thirty Six (36) in Township Sixteen (16) North and Range One (1) West, containing (20) acres more or less unto William C Swaulk, for the price and sum of Six hundred and fifty dollars ($650.00) such sale being made in all particulars pursuant to the Order and Decree of this Court heretofore made, and also pursuant to notice of sale given by me, as above mentioned That said William C Swaulk, said consideration of Six hundred and fifty dollars $650.00 all cash down, and it being much to the interest of said Estate for him to do so, I accepted said consideration all cash down, and that being the full appraised value of said parcel of Real Estate as the same was Re appraised on September 25th A.D. 1897. pursuant to order of this Court of that date made, and having received no better offer therefor, and seeing no prospect of geting any other offer therefor, I ask the Court to approve said sale to said William C Swaulk, and my acceptance of said consideration all cash down

James D Smith Admr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 2nd day of October 1897
Mell C Masten Clerk

And thereupon the petitioner in this proceeding presents to the Court for approval a Deed of conveyance properly signed and acknowledged by him conveying unto said William C Swaulk the purchaser, said parcel of Real Estate sold to him, as stated

via said report the same being situated in Hendricks County, State of Indiana and described by numbers as follows, to wit; The West Half of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of section Thirty Six in Township Sixteen (16) North and Range One (1) West, containing twenty acres more or less, which deed of conveyance is approved by the Court such approval being indorsed in writing thereon and by order of the Court said Deed is delivered to said William C Swank the purchaser in open Court all of which is approved by the Court.

In the matter of the Guardian ships of Phoebe E & Edith, P. Pigg } Land Sale

September Term 1897

Comes now Jackson Pigg guardian of the Estate of Phoebe E & Edith P. Pigg minor heirs of Joseph Plummer deceased and tenders a report of sale of the following described Real Estate Pursuant to an order heretofore entered herein viz:

Part of the South half of the South East quarter of Sec. 32. Twp. 17. N. R. 1 west and bounded as follows, Beginning at a point 14 chains and 23.6 links North of the South East corner of said Sec. 32. and running thence west 40 chains and 41 links to the west line of said quarter section thence South 3 chains and 88 8/10 links; thence East to the East line of said section; thence South 3 chains and 88 8/10 links to the place of beginning Estimated to contain 13.71 acres more or less, which report is as follows Here insert. And at the same time said

Jackson Pigg as such guardian, tenders a deed conveying said Real Estate to Hannah Scott, the purchaser, for the approval of the Court which is in the following words; viz:

And the Court having examined said report and notes and mortgages for the deferred payments approves the same and it also having examined said deed approves the same and orders it delivered to said Hannah Scott.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Bradley
Judge.

Monday Oct 4th 1897 And. 25th day September Term 97

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V. Hadley
Judge.

Samuel W Williams, Administrator of
the estate of Henry Pierson, deceased
Vs.
Cynthia Batman, Edgar Hayes,
Jane McKinley, Louisa Matlock
John W Christie, Henry L Christie,
Mary Keith, James P. Christie,
Amanda A Marsh, William A Crow,
Samuel S Crow, Bettie Shugrue
Ethie M Steg, Bertha Crow
First National Bank of Danville Indiana

Land Sale
No. 1454

Comes the administrator
herein by Hogate and Clark, his attorneys,
and shows to the Court and files the affidavit
of W.A. King, publisher of the Hendricks County
Gazette, a weekly newspaper of
general circulation printed and published
in Danville Hendricks County Indiana,
from which affidavit it appears that a
notice of the pendency of the petition
herein had been given Henry L. Christie and
Mary Keith in said newspaper for three
weeks successively, the first of which
publication was on the 12th day of August 1897
and the last on the 26th day of August 1897,
and all of said publication were made
at least thirty days before the 2nd day of
October 1897, on which day by an endorsement
in writing on the petition herein the
said process was made returnable, said
affidavit and notice read as follows, to wit;
N.D. And the administrator also shows
to the Court the writ of summons issued
herein to the Sheriff of Putnam County

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in the State of Indiana, from which
summons and the return of the Sheriff
endorsed thereon that the defendants
Cynthia Batman, James P Christie and
Ethie M Steg were duly served with
such summons herein at least ten
days before the 2nd day of October 1897,
on which day by an endorsement
on the petition herein the said
summons was made returnable,
said summons and the return thereof
read as follows, to-wit; N.D.
And the administrator also shows
to the Court and files the writ of summons
issued herein to the Sheriff of Marshall
County in the State of Indiana, from
the return of the said Sheriff endorsed
on the said summons it appears,
that the defendants Bettie Shugrue
and Bertha Crow had each been served
with said summons at least ten days
before the 2nd day of October 1897 as by
an endorsement on the complaint,
the said summons was made returnable,
said summons and the return thereof
read as follows, to wit N.D. And the
administrator also shows to the Court and
files the summons issued herein to the
Sheriff of Hendricks County in the State
of Indiana from the return on the
said summons it appears that Edgar
Hays, Jane McKinley, Louisa Matlock,
William A Crow and the First National
Bank of Danville Indiana had been duly
served with summons herein at least
ten days before the 2nd day of October 1897, on
which day by an endorsement in
writing on the petition herein the
said summons was made returnable
Said summons and the return thereof are in the

words and figures following to wit N.D.
And the Administrator also shows to the
Court the writ of summons issued herein
to the Sheriff of Marion County in the State
of Indiana from the return of the summons
it appears that the defendant
John W Christie had been duly served with
process herein at least ten days before
the 2nd day of October 1897, on which day
by an endorsement in writing on the
complaint the summons herein was
made returnable, said summons and
the return thereof are in the following words;
N.D. And the administrator also shows
to the Court the writ of summons issued
herein to the Sheriff of Jay County in the
State of Indiana, from which summons
and the return of the Sheriff endorsed thereon
it appears that the defendant Amanda C Marsh
had been duly served with summons
herein at least ten days before the 2nd
day of October 1897, on which day by an
endorsement on the petition herein the
said summons was made returnable,
said summons and the return thereof
are in the following words N.D. And the
defendant Samuel A Crow now comes
in his own proper person and files an answer
in these words, to wit; (N.D.)
And the defendants except Samuel A Crow
each failing to appear and answer the
petition herein The said Cynthia Batman
Edgar Hayes, Jane McKinley Louisa
Matlock, John W Christie, Henry L Christie
Mary Keith James P Christie Amanda C Marsh
William A Crow, Bettie Segner, Ethie M Steeg
Beulah Crow, The First National Bank of Danville
Indiana, and are each now three times loudly
called but come not and herein make default
And now this cause comes on to be heard before

the Court, on the petition, the writs of
summons, proofs of notice by publication
and the defaults of the defendants
an the answer of the defendant Samuel
A Crow and after hearing the proofs and
being fully advised in the premises
the Court doth say and find, that
Henry Pierson died intestate in the
County of Hendricks and State of Indiana
on the 8th day of May 1897, the owner in fee
simple of the real estate described in
the petition herein; That the said
decedent left him surviving neither a
wife or a child or the descendent of a child
nor a father or mother, but that the
defendants hereto are his brothers and sisters
and the descendents of brothers and sisters
and are his heirs at law and only heirs,
The Court also finds that the personal estate
of the decedent amounts to a little more
than 3,000,00, That the liabilities of the
estate so far as they have come to the
knowledge of the administrator amount
to about $3,000,00 exclusive of the cost
of Administration. The Court also finds
that the north east quarter of Section
eight (8) township fifteen (15) north
and range one (1) west, being a part of
the land of which decedent died
seized as owner, was on the 9th day
of April 1890, mortgaged to John W
Estep for the sum of $3000,00 with
seven per cent interest, due in three
years, and that afterwards the said
John W Estep died before the said
mortgage was paid and his executor
Isaac N Estep assigned and transfered
the said mortgage to the First
National Bank of Danville Indiana, and
that the said Bank is now the owner

holder of the said mortgage, and the same as a lien on the real estate above described, The Court also finds that the said mortgage to the said First National Bank of Danville Indiana ought have its lein transfered to the fund arising from the sale and that the land upon which said mortgage rests ought to be sold free of the lein of the said mortgage, The Court also finds that the said real estate ought to be sold or an amount sufficient to pay the indebtedness of the decedent.

And now the administrator comes and files an inventory and appraisement of the real estate set out in the petition from which it appears that the said real estate was appraised by Alfed Seininger and Henry Bickley two reputable house holders, and free holders of the County of Hendricks at the sum of Twenty one thousand one hundred and Sixty five Dollars. $21.165 00.

Said appraisement and Inventory are in words and figures as follows, to wit: S.S. And now the administrator as he is commanded files a bond in the penal sum of $42.330 00 with Warren Hardwick Edward Courtney and J.B. Homan as his sureties, which bond and the security thereto are approved by the Court. Said bond reads as follows, (S.S.) It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that Samuel W Williams administrator of the estate of Henry Pierson proceed to sell at private sale the following real estate in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana to wit;

The west half of the south west quarter of section four (4) in township fifteen (15)

North in range one (1) west, Also the south East quarter of section five (5) in township fifteen (15) north in range one (1) west.

Also forty two and fifty three hundredths $42.53 100 acres off of the south end of the east half of the south west quarter of section five (5) in township fifteen (15) north in range one (1) west, except one acre out of the south west corner of said tract heretofore sold to centre Township for school purposes.

Also the north East quarter of section eight (8) in township fifteen (15) north in range one (1) west, which last described piece is encumbered by a mortgage held by the First National Bank of Danville Indiana, but the administrator is ordered to sell said last described piece free of the lien of the mortgage, and the lein of the said mortgage is transfered to the fund arising from the sale of the said last described piece;

And the administrator is ordered to sell said real estate for one third cash in hand on the day of sale one third in nine months and one third in eighteen months from the day of sale, the defered payments to be evidenced by a note drawing six per cent interest from date waiving relief from valuation and appraisement laws, secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

Before the day of sale the administrator shall give four weeks notice of the time place, terms and conditions of sale in some newspaper of general

circulation printed and published in the county of Hendricks, and by posting up like notices in at least five places in the county of Hendricks, three of which notices at least shall be posted in Centie Township the township where the said real estate is situate. And if the said sale shall not take place on the day set for the same the sale shall continue from day to day until the same is sold.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Hubert E Brown. } Appointment

Comes now Levi H Brown by L A. Barrett his attorney and files his petition herein for letters of Guardianship upon the person and estate of Hubert E Brown minor. Said petition is in the words and figures following to wit: (H.S.)

And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Levi H Brown is a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship does now appoint him guardian of said minor upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Forty three hundred $4300.00 with Joseph Brodrig and Lewis B. Brown Levi A Barrett as sureties which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows: (here insert) Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to him And further proceedings herein are continued.

Court adjourned until 9. A.M. tomorrow morning

Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge:

In the matter of the Estate of Isaac C Nash deceased. } Appointment

Comes now William J Nash and Thomas J Nash By Thomas Cofer their attorney. And Presents and files in Open Court their Bond duly signed and acknowledged And the Court having examined said bond and surety and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said William J Nash and Thomas J Nash are the Executors named in the Will and that they are proper persons to be intrusted with said Administration Whereupon they are duly sworn in open Court to perform their duties as such Executors And they having qualified and given a bond in the penal sum of Seventeen Thousand $17000.00 Dollars with George A Nash Edward F Nash and Samuel McDaniel as surety Are duly authorized to take upon themselves the administration of said Estate All of which is duly approved by the Court: And further proceedings herein are continued;

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In the matter of the Guardianship of Edith I Sharp. } Paying money.

Comes now Benton Ronning by James F Kroland his attorney and presents and files certified Copies of the Letters and bond of said Ronning showing his appointment of the Clerk of Madison Co. Indiana as guardian of said Edith I Sharp. It is therfor ordered by the Court that the Clerk pay to said Benton Ronning the monies in his hands belonging to the estate of said minor.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday Oct 6th 1897. And. 27th day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Orda Johnson a Minor Heir of Sarah Ann Johnson Deceased. } Land Sale

Comes now John W Macboun guardian, of the person and estate of Orda Johnson a minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson, deceased, and makes and files his petition herein to sell certain real estate herein described Which petition is in the words and figures following, to wit:

State of Indiana
Hendricks County SS. Hendricks Circuit Court, September Term 1897

In the matter of the Guardianship of Orda Johnson, a minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson deceased,

The undersigned John W Maccoun guardian of the person and estate of Orda Johnson a minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson deceased, respectfully represents and shows to the Court that his said ward is the owner in fee simple of an undevided one half of the west half of the South West quarter of Section three in township sixteen North and Range One West in Hendricks County and State of Indiana;

That he became such owner by deed from this guardian, on the 31st day of December, 1892. in which deed the said wards name occurs as grantee in the name and style of "Orbie O Johnson" And which conveyance to said ward by this

Guardian was a gift to the said ward by him, and wholly without further consideration save love and affection. And said guardian would further represent that he was lawfully appointed guardian of the above named ward by the Hendricks Circuit Court, on the 14th day of June, 1886. And that his ward is now nineteen years of age, and that he is married, and besides on the above described real estate in said Hendricks County, that the said real estate is not well improved, is poorly fenced, and has no stock water upon it. And that he believes that it would be to the advantage of said ward that the same be sold, and the proceeds arising therefrom reinvested in other lands which are better improved and fenced and with living stock water upon the same, which this guardian is able to purchase at an advantage price. That the real estate belonging to said ward can be sold for a sum larger in amount by $400.00, than the real estate that this guardian proposes to purchase for his said ward, And that said ward has no personal estate, either in possession or expectancy, and that this guardian is in debt in behalf of his said ward in the sum of $200.00,

That the real estate which this guardian proposes to purchase for said ward is described as follows, to wit;

The North East quarter of the North East quarter of section 15, and eleven acres off of and across the south end of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section ten, and one acre and forty nine square rods out of the South East corner of the South West

quarter of the South East quarter of said section ten, All in township fifteen North, Range two West in Hendricks County and State of Indiana,

That said change of investment will procure for said ward a better home and produce funds in the hands of this guardian with which to pay his indebtedness, leaving a small balance in the hands of this guardian with which to supply him with stock and farming implements.

Wherefore your petitioner ask the Court to grant him an order to sell said real estate first above described at private sale for the purpose herein above set forth and to purchase the real estate last above described for his said ward, and for all necessary relief in the premises,

John W Maccoun

State of Indiana
Hendricks County S.S.

John W Maccoun, guardian of Orda Johnson, minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson, deceased, being duly sworn upon his oath says; that the several matters and things set forth and stated in his petition aforesaid are true as he verily believes

John W. Maccoun

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of October, 1897.

R. T. Hollowell
Notary Public.

And the Court having examined said petition and heard the evidence pertaining to the same, and being sufficiently advised in the premises

finds that the allegations therein are true, And that it would be to the benefit of the estate of the said Orda Johnson to sell said real estate described in said petition, to wit.
The undivided one half of the west half of the South West quarter of section three in township sixteen North and Range one West in Hendricks County, State of Indiana, And to purchase with the funds derived from said sale the following lands to wit;
The North East quarter of the North East quarter of section fifteen and eleven acres off of and across the South end of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section ten, and one acre and forty nine square rods out of the South East corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of said section ten, All in township fifteen North, Range two West in Hendricks County and State of Indiana.
And now the Court appoints James McCoun and Isaac Pierol two disinterested free holders of the County wherein said real estate is situated to appraise the same and report to this Court their appraisement of said real estate.
And now said guardian brings into Court and files his appraisement herein made by the said James McCoun and Isaac Pierol. Which appraisement as in the words and figures following, to wit:
Which appraisement is approved by the Court and shows said lands to be worth $1350.00
And the Court finds that said real estate should be sold at private sale for not less than its appraised value the purchaser to pay the purchase price thereof

cash in hand. And that said guardian is ordered to give notice of said sale by posting up five written or printed notices thereof in five public places in the Civil township in which such real estate is situated for two weeks prior to the day of sale.
And said guardian is ordered to file his bond herein in the sum of $2700.00 condition for the faithful execution of his trust.
And now said guardian files said bond herein with James Nelson McCoun and Isaac Pierol, sureties thereon, which bond is in the words and figures following to wit: N.D.
And said bond is now by the Court approved, and said guardian is ordered to report his doing herein to this Court for approval. And further proceedings herein are continued.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John Hadley Judge

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Arthur B Scotten Et.al. } Current Repot.

Comes now Ashley J Crews by Miles and Miles his att and Presents to the Court his Current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ———— 599.20
And entitled to Credits on his vouchers in the sum of ———— 60.08.
Leaving a balance in the sum of 439.12.
to be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the fuids that said report is correct and that the same ought to be approved:
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Daisy Mc and Jno W Estep minor heirs of Wm L Estep deceased. } Current report.

Comes now James L Clark Guardian of Daisy Mc & Jno W Estep and respectfully submits to the Court his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable as to Jno W Estep in the sum of ———— 1009.10
And entitled to credits in the sum of 336.92
Leaving a balance due Jno W Estep in the sum of $672.18
And as to Daisy M Estep he is chargeable with the sum ———— 493.35.

And entitled to credits in the sum of 484.11
Leaving a balance in the sum of $9.44
All of which is to be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust. And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

In the matter of the Estate of Nathan York. } Final Report.

Comes now Wm W Sawyer administrator by Buell and Hawey his attorneys and shows to the court the affidavit of W.A. King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County, Indiana, from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession, the first of which publications was on the 9th day of September 1897 and the last on the 16th day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.S.) And said Admr also filed the affidavit of Wm W Sawyer from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on the 16th day of September 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.S.) And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for

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for hearing finding and decree, and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds That said report was filed in this Court on the 6th day of September 1897 And by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 28th day of September 1897. And the Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ——————————: $1198.90
And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of ———— $1198.90
The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator right to be discharged.
It is therfore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is throw declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decred by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday Oct. 8th 1897 And 29th day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday Oct 9th 1897 And 30th day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Grover Bray and Thurman Bray minors heirs of Eli S Bray deceased. } Current Report.

Comes now James W Phillips Guardian of said above heirs by Miles and Miles his attorneys and presents and files his current report herein as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $1782.38
And entitled to credits in the sum of 122.50
Leaving a balance in the sum of $1859.88
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said Trust.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that said report is correct and that it aught to be approved and said trust continued
It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Phebe Lyons. } Current Report.

Comes now James O Parker and Presents and files in Open Court his partial report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $2327.01
And entitled to credits in the sum of 1070.06
Leaving a balance in the sum of $1456.95
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
Said guardian now asks the Court to approve

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this report and continue said trust.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

In the Guardianship of Martin Feeny Katy Feeny Mary Feeny minors. } Current Report.

Comes now Thomas Feeny Guardian of said minors by Chas. Foley his attorney and presents and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $200.00
And entitled to credits in the sum of 438.87
Leaving in Excess of credits over charges $238.87
The above excess of credits to be accounted for hereafter.
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continued said trust.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved
It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the
Estate of Hanis Almond dcd.; } Final Report.

Comes now John Harvey Executor of the Will of Hanis Almond deceased. by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows. to the Court the affidavit of J. D. Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican, a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County, Indiana. from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 16th day of September 1897 and the last on the 23rd day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.S.)

And said Administrator also files the affidavit of James L Clark from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 9th day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.S.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 9th day of September 1897. and by an indorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 7th day of October 1897.

The Court also finds that said Administrator is chargable with the sum of $ 4406.92

And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $ 2824.58

Leaving a balance in the sum of $ 1582.34

which Pleasant Almond has receipted for as shown in his report herein.

The Court also finds said report correct and

the administrator ought to be discharged It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the
Estate of Martha A Barnes. } Final Report;

Comes now Allen Rose Executor of the last Will of Martha A Barnes deceased. by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 16th day of September 1897. And the last on the 23rd day of September 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.S.)

And said Administrator also files the affidavit of Allen Rose from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 13th day of September 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (K.S.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree, and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds

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That said report was filed in this Court on the 13th day of September 1897. and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 6th day of October 1897.

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $1146.82

And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of 1146.82

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator right to be discharged,

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Monday Oct 11th 1897 and 31st day of September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Joshua M Cook deceased } Appointment.

Comes now Maggie E Cook by Adams & Enloe her attorneys and files and presents to this Court her petition for letters of Administration which reads as follows (Omitted) And the Court having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Maggie E Cook is a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration does now appoint her administratry upon She filing a bond in the penal sum of $800.00 Dollars with Simpson Hadley as surety which bond and surety is now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (K.D.)
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Maggie E Cook and reads as follows. (K.D.)
And further proceedings herein are continued.

First National Bank of Danville, Indiana
vs.
Estate of Andrew J Page deceased. } No 14447 allowed at, $1077.95

Comes the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff The First National Bank of Danville Indiana in the sum of — $1077.95 and costs. It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein recover from the Defendant the Est. of Andrew J. Page $1077.95 Its Claim and costs herein laid out and expended taxed at Dollars and cents

In the matter of the Estate of John Miller deceased. } Appointment

Comes now George W Miller by Adams & Enloe his attorneys & files his affidavit a Petition for letters of Administration De bonis non. upon the Estate of John Miller Which Petition reads as follows. (K.D.)
And the Court having examined said affidavit and being fully advised in the premises finds said George W Miller to be a proper person to be intrusted with said administration does now appoint him Administrator De bonis non upon the personal property of John Miller deceased upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $1000.00 Dollars. with Thad S Adams as surety which bond and surety are now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (K.D.)
Whereupon Letters of Administration De bonis non. were issued to the said George W Miller.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday Oct 13th 1897. And 33rd day September Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning
Record read and signed in open Court

Judge.

Thursday Oct 14th 1897. And. 34th day September Term
Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present. John V Hadley
Judge

In the matter of the Guardianship
of Charles D Morgan junior. } Appointment

Comes now Evan Hadley by Miles and Easley his attorneys and files a petition for letters of guardianship upon the Person and Estate of Charles D Morgan minor said petition reads as follows. (K.S.)
And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds said Evan Hadley to be a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship does now appoint him guardian upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $100.00 with A.L. Symons and Simon Hadley as surety which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (K.S.)
Whereupon letters of guardianship were issued to the Evan Hadley and reads as follows. (K.S.)

Thursday Oct 14th 1897. And 34th day September Term

In the matter of the the
Estate of Flora Rose deceased } Final Report.

Comes now Thomas C Rose by R.T. Hollowell his attorney and shows to the Court the affidavit of J.D. Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican, a public weekly newspaper of gneral circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana. from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a finale report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 16th day of September 1897 and the last on the 23rd day of September Term 1897. Said affidavit reads as fodlows. (K.S.)
And said Admr. also files the affidavit of Thomas C Rose from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on 14th day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.S.)
And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on 14 day of September 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 9th day of October 1897.
The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of 1593.73
And entitled to credits on his vouchers in the sum of 374.58
Leaving a balance for distribution in

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The sum of ---------- $1221.19
Which balance the administrator now brings in to Court for distribution as follows to wit;

To	Charles A Rose	203.	33 Pd
"	Mary Hayes	203.	33 Pd.
"	Sarah J Vannice	203	33 Pd.
"	Kate Rose	203	33 Pd.
"	Mary Rose	203	33 Pd.
"	Thomas C Rose.	203	33 Pd.
	Balance	$1221.19	

All paid

The Court also finds said report correct and that the administrator ought to be discharged
It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said finial report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

Rec. Oct 15th 1897. of Master Clerk $ 203.33 my share herein — Charles A Rose
Rec. Oct, 15 1897 of Master Clerk 203.33 my share herein — Sarah J Vannice By P.T. Hoeenwarth Atty
Rec. Oct 15th 1897. of Master Clerk 203. 33 my share herein — Kate Rose By P.T. Hoeenwarth Atty
Rec Oct 15th 1897. of Master Clerk. 203.33 my share herein — Thomas C. Rose By P.T. Hoeenwarth Atty
Rec. Oct 23 1897 of Master Clk 203,33 my share herein — Mary Rose
Rec. 2/25 1898 of Master Clk 203.33 my share herein. — Mary E Hayes

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In the matter of the Trusteeship of Mary C Elliott } Current Report.

Comes now F.A.K. Biddle Truster by Jas O Parker her attorney and files his current Report as such Truster showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ---------- 710.60
And entitled to credits on his vouchers in the sum of ---------- 103.90
Leaving a balance in the sum of ---- $606.70
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this Report and continue said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved:
It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the Guardianship of Mabel F Reid Robert C Reid Maurice L Reid and Mary Reid, } Final Rept as to Mabel F and Current Rept Etal.

Comes now Elza J Reid Guardian by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents and files his report as such guardian showing as to Mable F Reid he is chargeable with the sum of 265.75
And entitled to Credits in the sum of $ 66.44
Said Guardian would further show that his Ward Mabel F is of full age and that he has fully and

finally settled with her and asks to be discharged from said trust as to Mabel A Reid as continued as to his other said wards.

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said guardian discharged as to Mable F Reid and continued as to his other wards.

In the Guardianship of Clarence York } Current Report

Comes now Sylvester York by Buie and Harvey his attorneys and Presents and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ——— $139.93

And entitled to credits in the sum of 80.87

Leaving a balance in the sum of $59.06

To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.

Said guardian now asks that this report be approved and that he be continued as to said trust

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued.

State of Indiana } Hendricks Circuit Court September 1897
Hendricks County ss }

In the matter of the guardianship of Charles D Morgan Minor } Z.S. Guardt.

Comes now Evan Hadley, Guardian of said minor and files his application to sell the real estate of said minor therein described and hereinafter described and the Court having examined said petition approves the same and now appoints Mord Carter and A.H. Carter, two householders and freholders of said County to appraise said real estate, and now said appraisers being affirmed to perform their duties as such appraisers come and file their appraisement in the sum of fifteen Dollars, which appraisement is in the words and figures following to wit: (N.S.) And now said Guardian comes and files his bond for the sale of said real estate in the penal sum of One Hundred Dollars with Alphus L Symons and Simon Hadley as his securities which bond is now approved by the Court It is therefor ordered by the Court, that said Guardian proceed to sell said real estate wit, all of said wards interest in and to the East half of Lots numbered One (1) and two (2) in Block numbered fourteen (14) in Prather and Hornadays. addition to Plainfield in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, at private sale for cash in hand for not less than the full appraised value thereof without giving any notice thereof and report his proceedings to this Court. And now comes said Guardian and makes his report of the sale of said real estate to Maria A Woodward for the sum of Fifteen Dolars; Cash in hand, which report is in the words and figures following to wit; (N.S.) And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises approves the said sale in all things and orders the said guardian to make and deliver to the purchaser thereof a deed of conveyance for said real estate and now said guardian shows to the Court his Deed for said real estate to said Maria A Woodward and the Court having examined the same approves the same and endorses his approval thereon It is therefore ordered that said guardian deliver to the said purchaser the said deed as evidence of her title to said real Estate. It is now finally ordered by the Court that all the acts and proceedings herein be approved and Confirmed And Court adjourned until 9 AM. to morrow morning

record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday Oct 15th 1897 And 35th day September Term 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John D Hadley
Judy

In the matter of the Guardianship of Mary Newby a person of unsound mind } Current Report.

Comes now Wilson Furnas Guardian of Mary Newby and files his current report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $ 1152,39
And entitled to credits in the sum of 113.16
Leaving a balance in the sum of $1039.23 Bal.
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court,
Said guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised fair the premises finds said Report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved
It is therefore ordered adjudge and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approve and confirmed and said trust continued

Friday Oct 15th 1897. And 35th day September Term 1897.

In the matter of the guardianship of John Lambert of Unsound mind. } Appointment

Comes now James Lambert by L.A. Barnett his attorney and files his petition for letters of guardianship upon the person and Estate of John Lambert, said Petition reads as follows. (H.D.) And The Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said James Lambert as a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship does now appoint him guardian of said John Lambert upon his filing as bond in the penal sum Fifteen hundred dollars, with John Lambert and Joseph D Kenney as surety which bond and surety is duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H.D.) Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said James Lambert and reads as follows (H.D.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court.

John D Hadley
Judge.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Jacob K. Moore deceased. } Petition to sell note

Comes the Executor of the said estate by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents to the Court and files a petition to sell a note belonging to the said estate, which petition reads as follows: State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.
In the matter of the estate of
Jacob K Moore, deceased.

The undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Jacob K Moore deceased, represents to the Court that he holds the note of Frank J Christie for the sum of 400 00 due in one year with six per. cent interest from date which note was given for the defered payment of the purchase price of real estate ordered by the Court to be sold. He shows that he has the opportunity to cash said note for its full present value so that he may be enabled to settle the estate he represents at this time. He says that he believes it to be to the interest of the said estate to sell said note that the estate may be now settled,

And he asks for an order to sell said not and report his doings at the time he makes his report of settlement

John S Moore Executor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of October 1897

Jas L. Clark Notary Public.

And the Court being fully advised in the premises finds that the prayer of the said petition ought to be granted.

It is therefore considered by the Court that the executor proceed to sell the said note for its value and that he report his proceeding to this Court for approval when he files his current or final report,

In the matter of the estate of Jacob K Moore deceased. } L.S. Final

Comes John S Moore Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Jacob K Moore, deceased by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files a petition for the reappraisement of certain real estate heretofore appraised and ordered sold, which petition is in the words and figures following to wit; And the Court being fully advised in the premises now orders that said Executor proceed to have the said real estate in the petition described reappraised, and now the Executor comes and files a reappraisement of the said real estate from which it appears that the same was reappraised by W.R. McClelland and A.S. Thompson. two reputable householders and free holders of the County of Hendricks at the sum of twelve hundred Dollars. $1200.00 Said reappraisement is as follows. (K.S.)

And now the said Executor files a report of the sale of said real estate which report reads as follows. to wit; Comes now John S Moore, Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said decedent and reports to the Court that pursuant to the order heretofore made he did on the 16th day of October 1897. sell to Frank J Christie for the sum of twelve hundred dollars $1200 00 the following real estate in Hendricks County in the State of Indiana, to-wit, Lots number three (3) and four (4) in Block number eleven (11) in the Town of Danville. Whereupon the said Frank J. Christie paid down the sum of eight hundred dollars. $800 00 in cash and executed his note for four hundred dollars. $400 00 due in one year with six (6) per cent interest from date, and he executed to the said purchaser a certificate of purchase reciting the facts and providing for a deed of conveyance if the sale so made be approved

by the Court. And the Executor shows to the Court that the terms of sale heretofore made provides that the sale should be made for one third cash, one third in six and one third in twelve months from the day of sale. And he asks that the order may be so modified that he may sell as above shown or to receive the cash at once if the purchaser shall so desire.

And he asks for an order for a deed of convey and

John S Moore Executor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 "day of October 1897

James L Clark Notary Public,

And the Court having examined the same and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said report ought to be approved.

It is therfor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the sale so made and reported and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, and the Executor is now ordered to report forthwith a deed of conveyance to the purchaser for the real estate so purchased by him, and the Executor as he is commanded now comes and presents to the Court a deed of conveyance to Frank J Christ of above described real estate, which deed is approved by the Court and the approval of the Court is endorsed thereon in these words: Examined and approved in Open Court and ordered delivered to the purchaser as an evidence of his title. John R Hadley Judge.

And the Court further orders that the order of sale so made be so modified that the purchaser may pay eight hundred cash and the balance in one year instead of one third cash, one third in six and one third in Twelve months from the day of sale

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decred by the Court.

In the matter of Guardianship of Jes E Hodson Etal. } Final Report.

Comes now William Hunt Guardian by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and Files and presents to the Court his final Report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $1.33 And entitled to credits in the sum of $1.33 Said Guardian would now show to the Court that his said ward is married and that he has fully and finally settled with her as shown by receptfiled herein And asks to be discharged from any further liability as such guardian

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that said report is correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therfor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved ~~and confirmed~~ and confirmed and said Guardian discharged

Charles Yoke
vs.
Est. Lucinda Sanders } No 1445.
Allowed. at $118.00 Costs

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff in the sum. of $118.00

It is therfor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this Plaintiff Charles Yoke recover from the Defendants Estate the sum of One hundred and eighteen $118.00 Dollars together with his costs taxed herein laid out and expended taxed at Dollars Cents

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John R Hadley Judge.

Monday Oct 18th 1897 And. 37th day September Term 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge &c

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow
morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday Oct 19th 1897. And 38th day September Term 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge &c

State of Indiana)
Hendricks County } SS.
Hendricks Circuit Court September Term
1897.

Mell C. Masten Exc
Robert Hervey Decd:
vs.
Anna Mary Hervey Etal: — Order Confirmation

Comes now Mell C Masten
Executor of the estate of Robert Hervey, Deceased, by
Briel & Harvey his attys and reports the sale
of certain real estate of said decedent to one
Alfed Linnuger which report is as follows.
The undersigned Executor of said estate respectfully
report to the Court that pursuant to the order
of this Court heretofore made and entered of record he
gave notice as required by law and he order of said
Court by publication, proof of which with copy of said
notice annexed is filed herewith that he would sell the interest
of the following described real estate to wit; All of the South
west quarter of section one (1) Township fifteen (15) North Range
one west which lies north of the Rockville Road except
thirty (30) acres off the east side thereof and also
except five (5) acres out of the north west corner thereof
Containing in all exclusive of exceptions ninety four
(94) acres more or less. at private sale on the 15th day
of October 1897 at the Clerks office in the Court House
at Danville Ind. all the lands described in said
order and at the hour of 10 oclock A.M. of said day
he offred said lands for sale at private sale to
the highest bidder * Whereupon Alfed Linnuger
did offer for the sum of 3290.00 and that
being the more than the appraisement thereof and
he being the highest and best bidder the same

* And not succeeding sale by reason of said Thursday on said day I continued

was then and there sold to said purchaser and said purchaser paid down in cash the sum of $1096.67 and executed his notes each for the sum of 1096.67 respectfully payable in two installments of Twelve and Eighteen months with 6% interest from date waiving recourse to valuation and appraisement laws and the undersigned now shows to the Court the cash and notes and prays that said sale may be confirmed and asks an order to convey said lands to said purchaser

Mell C Master Executor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 13th day of October 1897.

Geo. C. Harvey

Notary Public.

And the Court having examined said report approves the same and Confirms said sale and Orders said executor to execute to the purchaser Alfred Linniger a proper deed of conveyance on said purchaser executing to him a mortgage on said real estate to wit all of the South west quarter of Sec. one (1) Township Fifteen (15) north range (one) (1) west which lies north of the Rockville Road except Thirty (30) acres off the east side thereof - and also except five (5) acres out of the north west Corner thereof Containing in all exclusive of exceptions ninety four (94) acres more or less,

And now comes said Executor and presents to the Court his Executors Deed conveying to said purchaser Alfred Linniger a deed to said above described Real estate which said deed is now in open Court presented to the Court for the Courts approval, and the Court being sufficiently advised in the premises indorses upon said deed the following: Examined and approved by me in Open Court This 17th day of October 1897 John V Hadley Judge N.C.C. And said Executor also presents to the Court the notes and mortgage of said

purchaser for inspection all of which is approved by the Court And the Court orders said deed delivered to said purchaser as the evidence of his title

In the matter of the Guardianship Amanda Plummer a person of unsound mind } Current Report,

Comes now Joseph H Plummer by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files his Current Report as such Guardian showing

that he is chargeable with the sum of	763.59
and entitled to credits in the sum of	425.60
Leaving a balance in the sum of	337.99

To be accounted for in his next report to this Court Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that said report is correct. and that the same ought to be approved:

It is Therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued

In the matter of the Estate
of Thomas Bonifield deceased. } Finial Repot.

Comes now John I Ridpath by L.A. Barnett his attorney and shows to the Court the affidavit of W.A. Kidg editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a finial Report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 23 day of September 1897. And the last on the 30th day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.S)
And said admr. also files the affidavit of L.A Barnett from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 18th day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows, (H.S.)
And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this Court on the 18th day of September 1897 and by an indorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 15 October 1897.
The Court also finds that said administrator is
Chargeable with the sum of $3629.40
And entitled to credits in the sum of 3348.67
Leaving a Balance in the Sum of $280.73

To be distributed among the heirs
of Thomas Bonifield
as follows to wit;

To Rachel Brown	46	80	
" Jane Pierson	46	80	Pd
" Sarah Arnold	6	68	Pd
" Lucinda Stuart	6	68	Pd.
" Mercie Stuart	Pd. 6	68	Pd
" Thos. Stuart	6	68	Pd
" Susan C Sharp	Pd 6	68	
" Jane Tinder	Pd 6	68	Pd
" Nancy Margason	6	68	
" Susan E Weaver	6	68	Pd
" James M Embree	6	68	Pd
" Melisa A Hoyt.	6	68	Pd
" M Alonzo Embree	6	68	Pd
" Austin M Embree	6	68	Pd
" Mercie J Bonifield	9	36	Pd.
" Casander Hardwick	9	36	Pd.
" Mary J Ridpath	9	36	Pd
" Alice Tinder	9	36	Pd
" Frank Bonifield	Pd 9	36	Pd
" Eliza Hopkins	1	67	Pd
" Victory Miller	1	67	Pd
" James M Embree Jr.	1	67	Pd
" Belle Embree	1	67	Pd
" Mary L Holden	1	34	Pd
" Pocahontas Roberts	1	34	Pd
" William T Brannon	1	34	Pd
" Benjamin F Brannon	1	34	Pd
" Susan M Hill	1	34	Pd
" John C Russell	Pd 23	40	Pd
" Martha J Templin	23	40	Pd.
Total Balance	280	73	

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said finial report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate this now declared finally

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Rec May 11, 98, of Master Clerk 9.36 my part. Mary S Bickett

settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his trust and trust.

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court

Rec. of Master Clerk $6.68 my share herein 11/2.97. Jane Tinder
Rec. of Master Clerk. 6.68. my share herein 11/4 97 Mervin Stuart
Dec. 11, '97, Recd of Master, Clerk $23.40 my part herein John C Russell
Dec. 11, '97, Recd of Master, clerk $46.80 my part herein Rachel Brown.
Dec. 18, '97. Recd of Master, Clerk $9.36 part of dividend from interest of Frank Bonifield as shown by order to the clerk on file, to pay same. M G Parker
Rec. of Master Clerk $6.68 my share herein; Dec 23. 97 Sarah E Arnold.
Jan. 5, '98 Recd of Master, Clerk $6.68 my part herein - Susan C. Thorp
Jan 11th '98 Rec. of Master Clerk $9.36 my part herein Cassander Hardwick
Jan 13. 98 Rec of Master Clerk $46.80 my part herein John Pitts

Rec. June 21st 1897. of Master Clk. the amount due the following Persons
Power of Atty filed. Susan E Weaver C.C.S. James M Embrey C.C.S.
Malissia A Hoyt C.C.S. W alonzo Embrey C.C.S. Curtis W. Embrey C.C.S. Mary L Holden 134
Pokahontas Roberts 134 W L Brumham 134 Susan W Hill 134 B F Brumham 134
Eliza Hopkins 167 Wiley Miller 167 James M Embrey 167 for Belle Embrey 167

James M. Embrell

Rec. Feb. 8th 1898, of Master Clerk $6.68 my fee herein W S Stuart
Rec Feb 7 1898 " " " 9.36 my fee herein Alice Tinder
Rec. of Master Clerk 23.40 2/10.98 my share herein Martha J Tamplin
Rec. 3/14 98 of master Clk. 9.36 my share herein Jane T Bonifield (Order filed)
Rec. 3/16 98 of Master Clerk 6.68 as my share. Lucinda her X mark Stuart witness J Wilson Master

And Court adjourned until Court. in Cause Record read and signed in open Court.

John W Hadley
Judge.

Vacation:

In the matter of the Guardianship of Mayme I Nichols } Appointment

Be it remembred that on the 20th of October 1897 Geo. W. Bull filed in the Clerks Office of the Hendricks Circuit Court. the minors Request for Geo. W Bril as Guardian said Request reads as follows. (S.S) Said Geo W Bril also files Application for Letters of Guardianship upon the Person and Estate of Mayme I Nichols said application reads as follows (S.S)

And the Clerk having examined said application and Request finds that the said Geo W Bull is a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship does now appoint him Guardian of the said Mayme I Nichols upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of One thousand (1000.00) Dollars with Geo. C Harvey and Washington Gregg as surety which bond and surety is this day duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows (S.S)

Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Geo W Bril and reads as follows (S.S) And further proceeding herein are continued.

Vacation

In the matter of the Guardianship of L M. Stout } Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 23 day of October 1897. Geo. W. Milhon filed in the Hendricks County Circuit Court the above minors request. which reads as follows (S.S) And the said Milhon at the same time files application for letters of Guardianship upon the person and Estate of L.M. Stout said application reads as follows (S.S.) And the Clerk having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds the said Geo. W Milhon a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship does now appoint him Guardian upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Four thousand Dollars with Calvin Stout and J.M. Richardson as surety which bond and surety is duley approved by the Clerk and reads as follows. (S.S.) Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Geo W. Milhon and reads as follows. (S.S)

Court met according to law.
Present John V. Hadley Judge.
Otis E Gulley Prosecutor
Mell C Master Clerk
Wm B. Bryant Sheriff;

In the matter of the Guardianship of Orda Johnson a minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson deceased; } Land Sale

Comes now John W Maccoun Guardian of the person and estate of Orda Johnson, minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson deceased and makes and files his report of the sale of the following real estate pursuant to an order heretofore entred herein, to wit; An undivided one half interest in and to the west half of the South West quarter of Section Three (3) Township Sixteen (16) North Range One (1) west in Hendricks County and the State of Indiana containing in all of said tract 80 acres more or less which report is in words and figures following to wit; The undersigned John W Maccoden Guardian of the person and estate of Orda Johnson, minor heir of Sarah Ann Johnson deceased respectfully reports, that pursuant to the order of this Court herein for entered of record on the 6th day of October 1897. he having first given notice of such sale by posting up five written notices thereof in five public places in the Civil Township in which said real estate ordered to be sold is situated a copy of which notice is filed herewith and made a part hereof he attended at the time and place mentioned in said notice and Leanner Higgins bidding therefor the sum of Fourteen hundred Dollars and that being the highest and best bid therefor he sold to the said Leanner Higgins all of the right title and interest of the said Orda.

Johnson in and to the following real estate in Hendricks County and the State of Indiana to wit: An undivided one half interest in and to the West half, of the South West quarter of Section Three (3) Township Sixteen (16) North and Range One (1) West containing in all of said tract 80 acres more or less at and for the price of Fourteen hundred Dollars, cash in hand that being more than the appraised value thereof; And this Guardian would further report that the said Leanner Higgins has paid to him cash in hand the said sum of Fourteen hundred Dollars, and he herewith tenders a deed conveying said real estate above described to the said Leanner Higgins for the Court's approval. And this Guardian would further report that he has this day purchased on behalf of his said ward pursuant to the order of this Court the following real estate in Hendricks County and the State of Indiana to wit; The North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Fifteen (15) and Eleven acres off of and across the South end of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Ten (10) and one acre and Forty nine square rods out of the South East corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of said Section Ten (10) all in Township Fifteen (15) North and Range Two (2) West, at and for the price of One thousand Dollars, which purchase price he paid cash in hand out of the moneys derived from the sale of the real estate first above described Wherefore said Guardian asks that said sale of the real estate herein first above described be in all things approved and confirmed and for an order to deliver said deed to the purchaser; that the purchase of the real estate by him on behalf of his said ward and last above described be approved, and for all proper relief.

John W. Maccoun

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1st day of November 1897.

R. T. Hollowell.

And at the same time the said John W Maccoun as such Guardian tenders a deed conveying said real estate to Leanner Higgins, the purchaser for the approval of the Court which deed is in words and figures following towit; (N.D.) And the Court having examined said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises now approves the same, and it also having examined said deed approves the same and endorses its approval thereon in words and figures following to wit, Examined and approved in Open Court this 1st day of November. 1897. J.D. Hadley Judge." And the Court now orders said Guardian to deliver said deed to Leanner Higgins as evidence of her title to said real estate.

And said Guardian also shows to the Court that he has this day purchased on behalf of his said ward out of the funds arising from the sale of said real estate the following real estate in Hendricks County and the State of Indiana to wit; The North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Fifteen (15) and Eleven acres off of and across the South end of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Ten (10) and one acre and forty nine square rods out of the South East corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of said Section Ten (10) all in Township Fifteen (15) North and Range Two West, which purchase of said real estate by said Guardian is by the Court approved in all things.

James. P. Mitchell
vs.
Est Amos Gilbert deceased

No. 1450
Dismissed for Want of Prosecution

Comes now the Defendant but the Plaintiff being three times called in Open Court Comes not but herein wholly makes default.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this cause be and the same is hereby dismissed for want of Prosecution and that the defendant recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges in this cause laid out and expended herein taxed at Dollars and cents,

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

J.W. Hadley Judge.

Tuesday November 2d 1897 And 2d day November Term, 97

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

J. W. Megibben admr
Estate T. J. Megibben
vs.
Est Lucinda Brown
Deceased.

No. 1463
Judg. $2504.24 & Costs.

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff herein in the sum of $2504.24 and costs.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein J. W. Megibben admr. Estate T. J. Megibben recover from the Estate of Lucinda Brown deceased the sum of $2504.24 together with his Costs herein taxed at Dollars cents.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Nov. 2d 1897 Deft are hereby given leave to file Affidavit of merits & Counter claim for Recoupment & Set off in 10 days from this date.
Attest: Meek & Masters, Clerk
Defendant in Error.

Wednesday November 3rd 1897. And 3d day November Term,

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Thursday November 4th 1897 And 4th day November Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday November 5th 1897. And 5 day November Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and signed
in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday November 6th 1897 And 6th day November Term 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the Estate of William H. Mills, deceased. } Petition to Erect Monument

Comes now the administrator of said estate and files his petition asking for an order to transfer certain shares of Building and Loan stock, in the United States Saving Fund and Investment Company to the heirs of said decedent, and asking also for an order to purchase and erect at the grave of said decedent, a monument to cost one hundred dollars, which petition is in words and figures following, to wit; (Here Insert)

And the Court being fully advised in the premises finds that the prayer of said petition ought to be granted.

It is therefor ordered by the Court that said Administrator assign and transfer to Anna J Mills, two shares of said Building and Loan stock, to Lily M Kirr, two shares of said stock and to Elwood Stanley Guardian of Sophie and Emel Mills, two shares of said stock, to be received at a valuation of Sixty three dollars and twenty cents per share on distribution in said estate

The Court further orders said administrator to purchase and erect at the grave of said decedent, a suitable monument to mark the last resting place of the remains of said decedent, such monument to cost not to exceed one hundred dollars,

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Monday Nov. 8th 1897. And 7th day November Term 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until ~~over until~~ until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge

Monday Nov. 8 1897. And 7th day November 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

Clerks Report of November Term 1897.

State of Indiana Hendricks County SS
The undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Hendricks County Indiana, would respectfully report the following Vacation Business since September Term 1897. Of said County to wit;

Ward	Guardian	Bond.	Surety
Mayme I Nichols	Geo W Brice	$1000.00	Geo C Harvey Washington Gregg
L M. Stout	Geo W Milhon	4000.00	Calvin Stout J.N. Richardson

All of which I respectifully submitted to the Court for approval.

Witness my hand and the official seal of said Court affixed at my office at Danville Hendricks County Indiana this 7th day of November 1897
Emil C Martin Clerk

And the Court having examined said report finds it Correct and endorses his approval on the Back in these words Examined and approved by me in Open Court
John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Tuesday November 9th 1897 And 8th day November Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Clarence Taylor a minor } Current Report.

Comes now Henry N Wisehart Guardian by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and presents said first current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of $2785.61 And Entitled to credits it the sum of 259.44 Leaving a balance in his hands to the sum $2526.17 to be accounted for in his next report to this Court.

Said Guardian now ask the Court to approve this report and continue said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds that said report is correct. And that the same ought to be approved.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued,
And further proceedings herein are continued.

Tuesday November 9th 1897 And 8th day November Term.

In the matter of Guardianship of Hezekiah Masten heirs } Current Report

Comes now Elizabeth A Masten by Fogate & Clark her attorneys and files his Current report as such guardian showing that she is chargeable with the sum of $212.31
and entitled to credits in the sum of 9.60
Leaving a balance in the sum of $202.71
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved,
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is heeby in all things approved and said Trust continued

In the matter of the Estate of Jacob M Duzan deceased } Final Report.

Comes now Alfred Linneiger administrator by Cofer and Hadley his attorneys and and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D. Fogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 30th day of September 1897 and the last on the 7th day of October 1897

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Said affidavit reads as follows: (K.J.)
And said Admr. also files the affidavit of Thomas J Cofer from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on the 23rd day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (K.J.)
And now the finial report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 22nd day of September 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 42. judicial day of September 1897
The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $3267.75
and entitled to credits on his vouches filed in the sum of 3267.75
The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said finial report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court:

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning
Record read and signed in open Court

John M Hadley
Judge

Wednesday Nov. 10th 1897 And. 9 day Nov. Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Jacob K Moore deceased. } No. 1579 Final Report

Comes now John S Moore, Executor of the last will and testament of Jacob K Moore deceased, by Hogate & Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana, from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final Settlement report herein had been given in said Newspaper for two weeks in succession, the first of which publication was made on the 21st day of October 1897 and the last on the 28th day of October 1897, said affidavit is filed herewith and is as follows, to-wit: (Insert) And the administrator also files the affidavit of Enoch G Hogate from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the court house door of said county on the 20th day of October 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows: (Insert) And now the final report herein comes on to be heard and after inspecting the said report and being fully advised in the premises the Court finds that said final report was filed in this Court on the 20th day of October 1897 and by an endorsement in writing on the said report by Clerk of this Court the said report was set for hearing on the 10th day of November 1897. The Court also finds that said Executor is chargeable with the sum of $5.580,69 and is entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of $5.380,69 Said report reads as follows, to wit: Insert. The Court finds that said

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report is correct in all respects and that the same ought to be approved and the Executor discharged from his trust.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, said estate is now declard finally settled and said Executor is now fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust,

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of John O Kain administrator de bonis non of the Est. John Burke } Appointment

Comes now William and Laura Warren and represent to the Court that the Estate of John Burke deceased was not fully settled by the administratrix Corrinne Burke of said Estate and ask the appointment of an administrator de bonis non to complete the settlement of said Estate which petition is in words and figures as follows, to-wit: (Ins) And the Court being fully advised and informed in the premises finds that the prayer of said petitioners ought to be granted and that an administrator de bonis non ought to be appointed to release a mortgage refered to in said petition and on motion of petitioners the Court instructed the Clerk of this Court to issue letters of administration de bonis non on the Estate of John Burk deceased to John O Kain on his filing a bond in the penal sum of One hundred Dollars. 00/s with surety which bond and surety as now filed and approved by the Court and reads as follows (Ins) And the Court orders that John O Kain be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate for the purpose of releasing the mortgage refred to in the petition herein Said Mortgage being Recorded in Mortgage Recorded in Mortgage Record No 26, at page 232. of the records of said County

And Court adjourned until 9 am. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday Nov. 11th 1897. And 8th day Nov. Term. 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 AM. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V. Hadley
Judge

Friday Nov. 12th 1897. And. 9th day Nov. Term. 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

Thomas J Coleman
vs.
Est Maxy Sherbster. } No. 1434

Come the parties by counsel and defendant files set off in these words and figures towit: (Here Insert)
And plaintiff is now ruled to answer said set off.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V. Hadley
Judge.

Saturday November 13 1897 And. 12 day Nov. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the
Guardianship of Ivo Wallace. Etal } Current Report.

Comes now James D Pratt
by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and Presents and
files his current report as such guardian.
showing that he is chargeable with the sum of 74,00
and entitled to credits in the sum of 30.29
Leaving a balance to be accounted for in
his next report to this Court, to the sum of $23.71
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve
this report and continue said trust.
and the Court having examined said report
and being fully advised in the premises
finds said report to be correct and that
the same ought to be approved.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed
by the Court that this report be and the same
is hereby in all things approved and said
trust continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning
Record read and signed in open Court.

John Hadley
Judge

Monday Nov. 15 1897. And. 13 day Nov. Term 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
tomorrow morning Record read and Signed
in open Court

John V Hadley
Judg.

Tuesday Nov. 16 1897. And. 14 day Nov. Term 1897.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

State of Indiana } In Circuit Court.
Hendricks County } To November Term 1897.

Be it remembered that on this 16th day of November 1897. the same being the 14th Judicial day of the November Term 1897. of the Hendricks Circuit Court came Jas W. Miller Admr. de bonis non of the estate of John Mueler deceased and preselts to the Court his petition duly verified by his affidavit for leave to make distribution of the personal estate of the said John Miller deceased Which said petition was as follows Viz And the Court having heard said petition and being fully advised in the premises does order and adjudge that leave be granted the said Jas W Miller in accordance with the prayer of said petition to make distribution of the personal estate of the said John Miller deceased;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday Nov. 17. 1897 And. 15 day Nov. Term 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

State of Indiana Hendricks County.
matter of Last Will and Testament of Charles Reeve deceased } Proof of Will & appoint.

An instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Charles Reeve deceased late of said County is now produced in open Court and application made by John J Reeve for the probate thereof and comes now William F Hadley and being duly affirmed and upon his affirmation says: That on the 3rd day of October 1893. he saw the said Charles Reeve sign his name to said instrument in writing as and for his last will and Testament; And this deponent at the same time heard the said Charles Reeve declare the said instrument in writing to be his last will and Testament, and that the said instrument in writing was at the same time at the request of said Charles Reeve, and with his consent attested and subscribed by the said William F Hadley and Cassie F Hadley in the presence of said testator, and in the presence of each other as subscribing witnesses thereto, and that the said Charles Reeve was at the time of signing and subscribing said instrument in writing as aforesaid of full age that is more than twenty one years and of sound and disposing mind and memory and not under any coercion or restraint as the said deponent verily believes, and further deponent says not And the Court being sufficiently advised now finds that said instrument has been duly

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sworn and established as the last will and testament of said decedent and orders that the same as such be admitted to probate and record in this Court and the Clerk thereof is ordered to indorse thereon a certificate of such probate which is accordingly now done. Said will the testimony in proof thereof and the certificate of probate thereon indorsed are in words and figures as follows. (Here insert) And now comes the said John J Reeve and files his application for letters of Administration upon the personal and Estate of Charles Reeves deceased. Said application reads as follows N.I. And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds the said John J Reeve to be a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration does now appoint him administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Thirty Eight Thousand Dollars. with John J Reeve Horace Reeve William T Hadley Hadley Reeve. as surety. which bond and sureties are duley approved by the Court and reads as follows N.I. Whereupon letters of administration were issued to the said John J Reeve and reads as follows. (N.I.) And further proceedings herein are continued.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Thursday November 18th 1897. And 16th day November Term 97.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

Estate of Charles Reeve } Filing Inventory.
Deceased }

Comes now John J Reeve Executor of the last will and Testament of Charles Reeve Deceased and presents and files his Inventory herein, showing that the whole amount of personal property that has come into his hands as such executor amounts to the sum of $17,281.49, And the Court having examined said Inventory approves the same.

And now said Executor also files his petition herein for the assignment of the seventy shares of stock in the Farmers Bank of Mooresville Indiana to the legatees in said will which petition is in the words and figures following towit:

State of Indiana Hendricks County, SS.
Hendricks Circuit Court. Nov Term. 1897.

In the matter of the Estate }
of Charles. Reeve Deceased }

The undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Charles Reeve deceased being duly affirmed, says,

That among the assets of said Estate are Seventy. (70) shares are bequeathed as follows. To Mary Morris Twenty (20) shares To John J Reeve Sixteen and two thirds (16 2/3) shares. and To Sarah R Ballard sixteen and two thirds 16 2/3 shares That the same will not be needed for the payments of debts,

And he asks that this Court will direct said Executor to assign said stock so bequeathed to the parties entitled thereto and that he be allowed credit therefor.

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John J Reeve.

Subscribed and affirm to before me this 17 day of November 1897

Ethan A Miles

Notary Public.

and the Court having examined said petition approves the same and endorse said Executor to assign to Mary Morris Twenty (20) shares of the Stock in Said Bank and to John J Reeve sixteen and two thirds (16⅔) Shares; to Hadley Reeve sixteen and two thirds (16⅔) shares and to Sarah R Ballard sixteen and two thirds 16⅔ shares all subject to the Semiannual dividend due December 31st 1897.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John Hadley

Judge.

Friday November 19th 1897 and 17th day Nov. Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment

Present. John V Hadley

Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Willian Todd deceased } Proof of Will

Comes now Joseph M Tolle and presents in open Court an instrument signed by William Todd testator and by Jonathan K. Johnson Joseph M Tolle and Charles A. Hughes as witnesses, and purporting to be the last will and testament of said William Todd and the said Joseph M Tolle asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent. And now upon order of the Court the said Joseph M Tolle is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testmony of said Joseph M Tolle and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said William Todd on the 18th day of April 1885 as his last will and testament, That said instrument was at the same time signed by said Jonathan K. Johnson Joseph M Tolle and Charles A Hughes in the presence of the said William Todd and in the presence of each other as witnesses, And that the said William Todd declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament, That at said time said William Todd was more than twenty one years of age, and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint, That said William Todd died on the day of Nov. 1897

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never having revoked said will. And that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said William Todd deceased and as such ought to be probatted
It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of William Todd deceased and that said will be and is probated as his will.
It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court;

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John N. Hadley Judge.

Saturday November 20th 1897. And 18th day November Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John N. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Eleanor Gregg Etal. } Appointment

Comes now Washington Gregg and files his minors request together with his application for letters of Guardianship upon the person and property of Eleanor Mary & Paul W Gregg which petition and request reads as follows (H. F.)
And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises & finding that the said Washington Gregg is a proper person to be intrusted with such Guardianship does now appoint him Guardian upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of six hundred dollars with George W Bnil and James A Duncan as sureties which bond and sureties are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H. F.)
Whereupon letters of Guardianships were issued to the said Washington Gregg and reads as follows (H. F.)
And further proceedings herein are continued.

Odd Samuel Mitchell
vs.
Est. Martha Mitchell deceased. } No. 1464 allowed at $300.00

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff Odd Samuel Mitchell in the sum of $300.00 and costs.
It is therfor ordered adjudged and decreed by the that this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff in the sum of $300.00 together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars cents.

State of Indiana
Hendricks County ss. } unsound mind.
In the matter of Celicia Nash.

Comes now Thomas J Nash and files his sworn petition to have a guardian appointed for Celicia Nash a person alleged therein to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing her own estate, which petition is as follows. H.S.J.

And it being shown to the Court that said Celicia Nash is now confined in the Central Hospital of State of Indiana, and that she has been duly served with notice of the pendency of said petition by summons duly issued from the Hendricks Circuit Court and by the endorsement of the Sheriff thereon, which Summons and endorsement thereon are in the words and figures following, to wit: H.S.J.

And the Court being satisfied from the sworn testimony of the witnesses cannot without injury to her health be produced in Court at the triad her personal appearance is hereby dispensed with, and it also appearing that said Celicia Nash had ten days notice of this proceeding, which notice was duly issued by the Clerk of this Court to the Sheriff of Marion

County and by the return of the Sheriff endorsed thereon, which notice and return thereon are in the words and figures following H.S.J.
And now the Clerk of this Court files answer for the said Celicia Nash denying the allegation of said petition,
Which answer is in the words and figures following H.S.J.
And now an issue having been formed in this matter and the matter submitted to the Court for trial without the intervention of a jury the Court after being fully advised in the premises and having heard all the evidence in the case says and finds that said Celicia Nash an inhabitant of Hendricks County and State of Indiana, is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing her estate
It is therefore adjudged and decreed that the said Celicia Nash who is an inhabitant of this County is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing her estate
And now Thomas J Nash, is appointed her guardian upon the giving of a proper bond in the sum of $6000,00
It is ordered that the cost of this proceeding be taxed at $ and paid out of the estate of the said Celicia Nash,
And now comes Thomas J Nash and presents and files his bond in the penal sum of 6000.00 with William J Nash and George A Nash as his sureties, Which bond is presented to the Court and in open Court approved by said Court and the Court hereby directs the Clerk to issue letters of Guardianship to said Thomas J Nash
And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John Wadley
Judge

Monday November 22nd 1897. And. 19th day November Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning
Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday November 23rd 1897. And. 20th day Nov. Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } ss. In the Hendricks
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In the matter of the
Guardianship of Gracie
Collingswoth deceased.

Comes now Frank M Camplin and files his petition praying for the removal of N.N. Thompson, Guard of the estate of Gracie Collingswoth, which petition is in words and figures as follows, to wit;

Comes now Frank M Camplin in behalf of the Estate of Gracie Collingswoth who departed this life on the 17th day of March 1897. a minor and says that she left an estate under the value of $500, to wit About 300,

That one N.N. Thompson was on the day of 18 duly appointed Guardian of the estate of said Grace Collingswoth, That said Guardian has made no report to the Court of the death of said ward nor of the amount or condition of her estate, That said ward made her home with him the said petitioner for 9 years prior to her death. That he has a claim to be filed against said estate for expenses in connection with her burial

Wherefore the undersigned says. That said Guardian N.N. Thompson should be on final hearing removed and relieved of his trust his letters of Guardianship revoked, and the administration of said

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Grace Collings worth's estate be entrusted to some other person, and he prays that said K.K. Thompson be required to show cause if any, why he should not be removed

Franklin M. Campbell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of November 1897.

Charles D. Dean,
Notary Public,

And now it is hereby ordered that a citation issue to the sheriff of Marion County, Indiana, requiring the said K.K. Thompson to appear before this Court on the fourt day of December 1897, to show cause if any he may have why he should not be removed from his said trust and his said letters of Guardianship revoked.

In the matter of the Estate of M.J. Crawford Deceased } Money paid in

Comes now Washington Trigg Administrator and pays into Court 68 17/100 for Distribution

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John D Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday November 24th 1897 And. 21st day Nov. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John D Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John D Hadley
Judge

Thursday Nov. 25 1897 And. 22" day November Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 a. M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Friday November 26" 1897. And. 23" day Nov. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court,

John V Hadley
Judge.

Saturday November 27th 1897. And 24th day Nov. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present Hon John V Hadley
Judge.

In the Estate of
Maxi Herbster deceased } Sale of Drug Store

Comes now the administrator of said Estate and files her report of the sale of personal property at private sale and also a current report and accounting which report of sale and accounting is in words and figures following to wit; W.D.S.

And the Court having examined said report of sale finds the stock of drugs to have been sold to Charles F Herbster for the full appraised value and after proper notice that said sale was made to the highest and best bidder and in conformity to law and the order of this Court in that behalf,

The Court now therefore approves and confirms said sale and said report thereof

The Court also finds that said administrator is properly charged in said accounting with the sum of $2501.11 and has property taken credit for. $1148.44 leaving remaining in her hands $1352.67 to be accounted for in her next report.

and the Court also approves said report and accounting in all things and said estate and trust is continued.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning. Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Monday November 29th 1897. And 25th day Nov. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Enos. Fenton Etal } Current Report.

Comes now Oscar F Wessner by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and files his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum ---$790.41
And entitled to credits in the sum of 30.92
Leaving a balance in the sum of $759.47
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.

Said guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved.

It is therefore Ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Hattie J La Rue. } Final Report

Comes now Thos D. and Florida E Anderson, by Johnson and Johnson their Attorneys and Sureties and files their Final Report as such Guardians showing that they are chargeable with the sum of 229.84 and entitled to credits in the sum of. 229.84
Said Guardians would further show that their ward has married to Charles Symons and that he is of full age. and that the said Hattie and Charles Symons have receipted for all moneys due them as show by voucher No 19. filed herein
And now said guardians ask the Court to approve this report and discharge them from said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that said Guardians ought to be discharged
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said Guardians discharged from any further liability on said trust.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Warwick Sandusky } Final Report

Comes now the Guardian of said Ward by Johnson and Johnson their attorneys and presents and files their current report as such Guardian showing that they are chargeable with the sum of 673.33
And entitled to credits in the sum of - 673.33
Said Guardian would further show that the said wards Guardian died on the 15 day of June 1897 without making a final report and that their ward is now of the full age of 21 years, and has receipts and is

in possession of all property moneys and Real Estate due her. as shown by this report filed herein
And the said Bondsman now ask that this report be approved and that they be discharged from all further trust as to said ward.
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and at the same ought to be approved.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court That this report be and the same is thereby in all things approved and said Bondsman discharged from any further liability on said trust.

State of Indiana } Hendricks Circuit Court
Hendricks County } ss. November Term 1897

In the Estate of Martha A Linton Deceased

Comes now Daniel Feely by Samuel Ashby his attorney, comes also James McVicker, administrator of said estate by James L Clark, his attorney also comes John W. Murphey, Harold B Hibben and Louis Holloway by Thomas J. Cofer, their attorney and said Feely files his petition asking the Court to declare his claim a first lein upon the funds in the hands of said administrator arising from the sale of the real estate belonging to said estate. Which petition is in the words and figures as follows:- (N.S)
And said John W. Murphey, Harold B Hibben, and Louis Holloway file their petition to have their judgment lein and claim declared a first lein upon the funds in the hands of said administrator arising from the sale of the real estate in said estate; Which petition is in the words and figures as follows. (N.S)
And the Court having examined said petitions and heard the evidence and being fully advised in the premises

finds that the claim of the said Feely heretofore allowed by the Court, to wit; on May 12th 1897 is a first lein upon the funds now in the hands of said administrator and should be first paid by such administrator out of said funds.

And the Court further finds that the Judgment rendered in favor of John W Murphy, Harold B. Hibben and Louis Holloway for the sum of $300.00 and costs dated april 3rd. 1896 against the decedent in her life time as showd by judgment Do Okt, No. 10 Page. 233, is the second lein upon the funds arising from sale of said real estate, and that after the payment of the claim of the said Feely, all the funds arising from the sale of said real estate are to be paid and applied by said administrator to the payment of said judgment

And said administrator is heuby directed by the Court, of the money now in his hands to at once pay to the said Feely said claim of 32.65 and interest therefrom May 12. 1897

And after paying said claim he is heuby directed to pay to John W Murphy Harold B. Hibben and Louis Holloway the remainder of the money in his hands on their said judgment. and when the remainder of the purchase money for said real estate is collected, he is heuby directed to apply said funds to the payment of said judgment until the same is fully paid, and satisfied

All of which is ordered and decred by the Court,

Rec. 11/6-898 of Master $125.37 Money paid into Court
Do 15/6-898 applied on this judgment.

Marriage Record
Book "A" Page 233
Marriage Certificate
This 8th day of January 1896
Wm. Hall, 30th 1897. of Administrator Bond

Rec. 11/6-898 of Master $125.37 Money paid into Court
Do 15/6-898 applied on this judgment.

Marriage Record
Book "A" Page 233
Marriage Certificate
This 8th day of January 1896
Wm. Hall, 30th 1897. of Administrator Bond

In the matter of the Surviving Partnership of Strong & Carter, } Finial Report.

Comes now Amos Carter surviving partner of John T Strong by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and presents and files his finial report as such Surviving Partner showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ——— 712.42
And entitled to credits in the sum of 184.95
Leaving a balance in the sum of 527.47
Said Estate of John T Strong has ben fully settled and his administrator discharged
The said John T Strong left as his only heirs his wife Mary A Strong and his son Harry Strong That this surviving partner and said Mary A and Harry Strong have divided said balance Accordeng to the terms of said partnership and arranged for the collecting of all uncollected accounts And they each begin a statement as a voucher in finial settlement of said surviving partnership and ask that the same be fully closed up and said surviving partner discharged from his trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is heuby in all things approved and said surviving partner discharged from said trust,

In the matter of the Estate of Wm Stout deceased. } Final Report.

Comes now Calvin Stout Administrator of the estate of Wm H Stout deceased by Bill and Harvey his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of William A King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears, that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 4th day of November 1897 and the last on the 11th day of November 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows. (N.S.) And said Admr. also files the affidavit of Jno. B. Harvey from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on the 28th day of October 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows. (N.S.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised on the premises finds that said report was filed in the Court on the 28th day of October 1897. and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 20th day of Nov. 1897

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ---- $6396.62

and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of ---------- 6396.62

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally

ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of John Lambert Unsound Mind } Inventory filed

Comes now James Lambert Guardian of said John Lambert and files and Inventory of said Estate which is in the words and figures as following (N.S.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John Hadley Judge

Tuesday November 30th 1897 and 26th day November Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A M tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday December 1st 1897 and 27th day Nov. Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley Judge.

And Court agourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Louisa Clark. deceased: } Proof of Wills

Comes now W.A. Kreigh and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Louisa Clark testator, and by ~~and~~ ~~by~~ Charles Franklin Wilcox and Sophenia Wilcox as witness and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Louisa Clark and the said W.A. Kreigh asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent:
And now upon order of the Court the said Charles Franklin Wilcox is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testimony of said Charles Franklin Wilcox and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledge by the said Louisa Clark on the 10th day of January 1896. as her last will and testament: That said instrument was at the same time signed by said Charles Franklin Wilcox and Sophenia Wilcox in the presence of the said Louisa Clark and in the presence of each other as witnesses. And that the said Louisa Clark declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament:
That at said time said Louisa Clark was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint:
That said Louisa Clark died on the 7th day of of November 1897, never having revoked said will,
And that said instrument is ~~the~~ is the last will and testament of the said Louisa Clark deceased and as such ought to be probatted

It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said Will is the last will and testament of Louisa Clark. deceased, and that said will be and is probated as her will.
It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper will records of this Court

In the matter of the Estate of Louisa Clark deceased } Appointment

Comes now W.A. Kreigh by Thomas J. Cofer his attorney and files his petition for Letters testamentary upon the Personal property of Louisa Clark deceased: Said Petition reads as follows. (V.D.)
and the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said W.A. Kreigh is the person named in the will as Executor and is a proper person to be intrusted to be intrusted with said Estate:
And now upon the said W.A. Kreigh filing a bond in the penal sum of $25.000 Dollars with George Kreigh Jr. and C.C. Walls as surety which bond and sureties are duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (V.D.)
Letters testamentary were issued to the said W.A. Kreigh and reads as follows. (V.D.)
And further proceedings herein are continued:

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court
John V Hadley
Judge

Friday ~~December~~ 3. 1897. And. 29th day Nov. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Susannah Smith
deceased.

Comes now Joshua Hadley
and presents and files the following petition in
said estate,

State of Indiana) Hendricks Circuit Court
Hendricks County) ss November Term 1897.

In the matter of the Estate of
Susannah Smith deceased.

Joshua Hadley, administrator
of said estate represents and shows to the Court.
That Susnah Smith, died in Hendricks
County and State of Indiana the owner of an
estate at the probable value of $600 00 with
liabilities of four or five hundred dollars
That she was a widow when she died
and that there should be erected at her
grave a suitable monument, not to exceed
in value $12.00
He asks the Court for an order authorizing him
to spend the sum of $12 00 in purchasing and
erecting a monument at her grave.

Joshua Hadley

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County } ss.

I Joshua Hadley being duly
sworn on oath says that the matters and
things set out in the foregoing petition are
true as the verily believe. so help him God.

Florence C Edwards
Notary Public.

And the Court having examined said petition

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heard the evidence and being fully
advised in the premises finds that
said petition ought to be granted said
administrator,
Said administrator is therefor ordered
to proceed to erect a monument at
the grave of said decedent not to
exceed the cost of $12.00 and pay for
the same out of the funds of said
estate.
All of which is ordered, adjudged and
decreed by the Court.

Order of Final Settlement

State of Indiana } Final Report.
Hendricks County } ss. In the Hendricks Circuit Court.
November Term 1897.

Comes now. Jesse K. Blair administrator
of said estate and submits to the Court the account
and vouchers by him filed in final settlement
thereof on 19th Nov. 1897. and also. files and
submits proofs of the posting and publication of
notices to the creditors, heirs at law and
all others interested in said estate, of the filing
of said account and vouchers. and when the
same would be heard, which notices and
proofs, the court, on examination, holds to be
sufficient, and that said account and
matters connected therewith are now properly
before the court for final action thereon; said
account notices and proofs are in these words
(K.D) and the Court having examined the said
account and vouchers and heard evidence
relating thereto finds that more than one year
has elapsed since the grating of letters upon
said estate and the giving of notice thereof;
that said administrator over and above all

credits by him claimed he is chargeable with no balance whatever, and that he has paid all the debts and liabilities and taxes of said estate and fully administered the same;

And the Court now allows the credits claimed by said administrator in his said account.

The Court further finds from the statement of said administrator filed with or contained in said account and from proof heard in support thereof that there remains after administration and of which said Job Hadley died seized in fee-simple the following described real estate situated in Hendricks County, Indiana, to wit;

Part of the East half of section fifteen (15) and part of the West half of section fourteen (14) all in Township seventeen (17) North in Range one (1) West described as follows; Commencing at the Northwest corner of the Northeast quarter of section fifteen (15) Township seventeen (17) North in Range one (1) West and running thence South about one hundred and sixty-nine (169) rods. and twenty eight (28) links to the centre of the main ditch in Prairie. thence South seventy-nine (79) degrees East about one hundred and sixty-four (164) rods with the centre of said ditch to the section line between section fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) thence South seventy-nine and one-half (79½) degrees East about eighty-one 81 rods, and five (5) links still with said ditch to the line dividing the South west quarter of said section fourteen (14) to a point twenty-two (22) rods and three (3) links North of the centre of said quarter; thence North two hundred and eighteen and one-half (218½) rods to the North line of the North-west quarter of said section fourteen (14) thence west about two hundred and forty (240) rods to the place of beginning, containing two hundred and ninety-four, and one-quarter 294¼ acres more or less;

That said Job Hadley left surviving him as his

sole and only heir at law his widow Tacy Hadley to whom at his death as such heir at law said real estate descended in fee-simple;

and this Court further finds that said administrator has made satisfactory arrangements with said Tacy Hadley sole heir herein for his compensation for his services and expenses rendered herein

And the Court now in all things approves and confirms said account and report in final settlement and the acts of said administrator as by him herein reported,

And it is further and finally ordered by the Court that said administrator be and he now is released and discharged from his said trust, and that said estate be and the same is adjudged fully administered upon, and finally settled and determined

In the matter of the Estate of William H Mills decd. } Final Report.

Comes Wm H Heiss administrator of the estate of William H Mills deceased by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files the affidavit of J.W. Cooper editor of the Plainfield Progress a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks, from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which notices was published on the 11th day of November 1897 and the last on the 18th day of November 1897. The administrator also shows to the Court and files the affidavit of James L Clark from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the door of the Court house of said County

of Hendricks in the State of Indiana on the 10th day of November 1897. Said affidavits of publication and posting notices are as follows. W.S.

And now the final report herein comes on to be heard, and the Court after examining said report and heard the evidence finds that said report was filed in the Court on the 9th day of November 1897 and by an endorsement in writing the same was set for hearing on the 30th day of November 1897. The Court also finds said Administrator chargeable with the sum of $1947.81 and entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the same sum. The Court finds said report in all things correct, and the same ought to be approved and the estate declared finally settled.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator is now fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust all of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Mary L Gladden minor heir of Albert L Gladden deceased } Released from Bond

Comes now Scott Miller and George L Gladden sureties on the bond of Charles M Gladden guardian of said ward and files their petition asking to be released from further liability on account of their said suretyship on said bond which petition is in words and figures following to wit W.S. And the said sureties also file a notice which notice was served on the said Charles M Gladden more than ten days before the day set for the hearing of the same and is in words and figures following to wit: W.S. And now the Court after hearing said petition and examining said notice and being sufficiently advised in the premises orders that the said Charles M Gladden as the guardian of the said Mary L Gladden within five days from this date and before the 9th day of December 1897, execute and file in this Court a new bond to the approval of the Court and failing therein stand released from said guardianship and he is also ordered to make a report to the Court of the condition of said guardianship funds at said time All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed

Saturday December 4th 1897 And. 30th day November Term.

In the matter of the
Estate of John Miller

Comes now Florence D Bray heir for Summons in this cause as shown by the final report herein by Bill and Haney her attorneys and files her verified Exceptions to the report herein which Exceptions is as follows (H.J.) And the Court now Continues the hearing of said final Report.

In the matter of the Guardianship
of Gracie Collingsworth

Comes now Henry N Thompson by L A Barnett his attorney and presents and files his report of the death of this ward Grace Collingsworth; said report being in the words and figures following to-wit (H.J.)

Saturday December 4th 1897 And 30th day November Term.

Estate of Lydia Coleman
Deceased. } Final Report.

Comes now Evan Hadley administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Lydia Coleman deceased and shows to the Court his final report herein filed on the 12th day of November 1897 and also the affidavit of said Evan Hadley that notice of the filing of ~~said Evan Hadley that notice of the filing~~ of said report was duly posted according to law at the door of the Court House in Danville on the 12th day of November 1897 and also the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Danville Hendricks County Indiana, that notice of the filing of said report had been published therein according to law ~~of said report~~ and that the same would be heard on this date.
And the Court having examined said affidavit and report, finds that said report was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court on the 12th day of November 1897 and that due notice was given according to law ~~that due notice was given according to law~~ that the same would come up for approval on the 4th day of December 1897. That said report is correct in every particular; That said administrator is chargeable as shown therein with the sum of $211.89 and is entitled to credits of 211.89 for moneys paid out by him in the settlement of said estate; That said estate is fully administered and that said report ought to be approved.
Thereupon the Court approves said report and endorses his approval thereon; and it is ordered that said administrator be fully and finally

discharged from said trust and relieved from all further liability thereunder.

And Court adjourned until Court in Courts Record read and signed in open Court

John N Hadley
Judge

Vacation Work

In the matter of the
Estate of John D Williams } Appointment
Be it remembered that on
the 11th day of December 1897 Dennis B Williams
by Dudley and Pennington his attorneys filed in
the Hendricks County Clerks office the Relinquish-
ment of Elizabeth J Williams; which Relinquishment
reads as follows, (H.S.) And the said Dennis
B Williams also files his petition for letters
of Administration which petition is in the
words and figures following (H.S.)
And the the Clerk having examined said
petition and being fully advised in the
premises finds that the said Dennis B
Williams is a proper person to be intrusted
with such administration does now
appoint him administrator of said Estate upon
his filing a bond in the penal sum of
Two thousand five hundred dollars with
William R Williams and Elizabeth J Williams
as sureties which bond and surety are duly
approved by the Clerk and reads as follows.
(H.S.)
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued
to the said Dennis B Williams and reads
as follows. (H.S.)

Vacation Work

In the matter of the
Estate William Johnson deceased. } Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 23rd day of December 1897 Alfred Linniger by Brill and Haury his attorney's filed in the Hendricks County Clerks office a Petition for letters of Administration which petition is in the words and figures following to wit: And the Clerk having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises & finding that the said Alfred Linniger is a proper person to be intrusted with such administration; Does now appoint him Administrator of said Estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $300.00 Dollars; with George C. Hawley as surity which bond and the surity is now duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows: (H.J.)

Thereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Alfred Linniger and reads as follows. (H.J.)

Monday January 3rd 1898. Adj 1st day January Term 1898

Court met according to law.
Present
John V Hadley
Otis E Gulley Prosecutor
Mell G Masten Clerk
William B Bryant Sheriff.

Estate of John Miles } No. 1482
deceased }

~~Comes now the Executor Irvin by counsel and files motion to strike out parts of Exception 1~~ Florence L Bray ~~said motion is in words & figures following to wit (H.J.)~~

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge;

In the matter of the Estate
of John Atkinson, deceased.

Comes now the Executor of the will of John Atkinson, deceased and files his petition for an order to reappraise the real estate herein ordered sold and for a modification of said order so as to permit to sell said real estate for cash, which petition is in words and figures following, to wit; (Here insert)
And the Court having examined said petition and been fully advised in the premises finds that said reappraisement ought to be made and said order of sale modified as requested
It is therefor now ordered by the Court that said Executor cause said real estate to be re-appraised, by two reputable and disinterested freeholders, who are competent appraisers residing in Hendricks County and in the neighborhood of said real estate.
And now comes said Executor and files an appraisement of said real estate, made by Alonzo H. Townsend and William A Harvy, two competent and disinterested freeholders residing in Hendricks County, who appraise said real estate at thirty five hundred dollars, and which appraisement is as follows, to wit; Here Insert;
And now it is further ordered by the Court that said Executor sell said real estate at private sale for cash at not less than the appraised value affixed by said reappraisement and that said sale be made without notice
And now comes said Executor and files a report of the sale of said real estate, which report is in words and figures following, to wit Here Insert:

And the Court having examined said report and been fully advised in the premises finds said sale and report to conform to law and the order of the Court in this cause, and that said sale and report ought to be approved
It is therefore ordered and decreed by the Court that said sale and said report thereof be and are in all things confirmed and approved by the Court;
And now the Court orders said Executor to execute and present for the Courts examination, a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser;
And now said Executor presents to the Court a deed, duly acknowledged, conveying said real estate, to wit; The East half of the South West quarter of section thirteen (13) and the North East quarter of the North West quarter of section twenty four (24) all in Township fourteen North and range one 1" East, in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to Thelain H Hadley
And, the Court having examined said deed approves the same and indorses his approval thereon in open Court and in these words Examined and approved in open Court this the 4th day of January 1898, John V Hadley Judge; And now said Executor is ordered to deliver said deed to said purchaser as an evidence of his title

In the matter of the Guardianship of Urban Elmore a minor } Appointment

Comes now Elijah Brewer by Bill and Harvey his attorney and presents to the Court his petition for Letters of Guardianship upon the person and property of Urban Elmore a minor said petition reads as follows (S.S.) and the Court having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises and finding that the said Elijah Brewer is a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship Does now appoint him Guardian of said Urban Elmore upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of One hundred and fifty Dollars with Josiah R Brewer and James D Pratt as surety which bond and the surety thereon are now duly approved by the Court and read as follows, to (Here Insert)

Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Elijah Brewer and read as follows (S.S.)

H.C. Summers,
vs.
Est Elizabeth Gross, deceased } No 1448
Allowed at 17.85 and costs

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff herein in the sum of 17.85 together with his costs taxed

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff H.C. Summers recover from the Estate of Elizabeth Gross deceased the sum of $17.85 together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars cents

Aaron A Sparks
vs.
Est Thomas J.C. Sparks. } Dismissed

Comes the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is Dismissed at costs of Estate

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this Claim be and the same is hereby dismissed at the costs of the Estate

John P. Martindale Executor etc
vs.
Miriam E Brown, }

Comes now the defendant Miriam E Brown by Counsel and files Answer which answer is in the words and figures following to wit (S.S.)

M.P. Jones
vs.
Est Abraham K. Sparks. } No. 1473.
Allowed at $33.54

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff herein in the sum of $33.54 together with his costs taxed herein.

It is therfor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff M.P. Jones recover from the Estate of Abraham K. Sparks deceased the sum of $33.54 together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars cents

E M. Honaday
vs.
Est Henry Sauders } No. 1474 Allowed at $1.35

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff E M. Hornaday in the sum of $1.35 togather with his costs taxed herein.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff herein E M Honaday recover from the Estate of Henry Sauders deceased the sum of One dollar and thirty five cents $1.35 togather with his costs ~~laid~~ herein laid out and expende taxed at
Dollars cents.

Robert Westerfield
vs.
Est Abraham H. Sparks } No. 1476 allowed $35.60

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff Robert Westerfield in the sum of $35.60 togather with his costs taxed herein.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff herein Robert Westerfield recover from the Estate of Abraham H Sparks deceased the sum of Thirty fir Dollars and sixty cents: togather with his costs herein taxed
Dollar cents

Cyrus Callahan
vs.
Est Abraham H Sparks } No 1481 Allowed 8.32/100 & costs

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff Cyrus Callahan in the sum of 8.32 togather with his costs taxed herein

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff Cyrus Callahan recover from the Estate of abraham H Sparks Eight dollar and thirty two cents togather with his costs herein taxed at Dollars and cents.

Est. of John Atkinson deceased }

Comes now Riley Atkinson by counsel and files petition for cancellation of note on Inventory

N. C. Summers
vs.
Est Elizabeth Gross deceased } No. 1478 Jan 4 allowed as 3rd prefred

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff in the sum of $7.85 as a third prefered Claim.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff herein N.C. Summers recover from the Estate of Elizabeth Gross 7.85 as a third prefered Claim togatherwith his costs herein taxed at Dollars cents

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John C Bradley
Judge

Wednesday Jan. 5th 1898 And 3rd day Jan. Term 1898

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John S Hadley
Judge;

In the matter of the heirs of }
Peter R Elmore deceased } money distributable to
Comes now Ora Hodge
one of the heirs of said decedent by Hogate & Clark her attorneys and files a petition for the Clerk to pay out money in his hands which petition reads as follows: Ora Hodge shows to the Court that she is one of the heirs of Peter R Elmore deceased and that on and prior to the 4th day of October 1895 Ora F. Martin was her guardian that on said 4th day of October 1895 the said Martin as such guardian made a current report in his guardianship and paid into Court the sum of $112.41 and resigned his trust that afterwards on the 14th day of October 1895 said report was adopted and the resignation accepted the guardian discharged She says said sum of $112.41 still remains in the hands of the Clerk of this Court and belong in equal proportions to her and her minor brother Ustan Elmore.
And she also says she is still a minor but on the 5th day of December 1897 she married; a man of the full age of twenty one years and she now asks for an order of the Court directing the Clerk to pay to her one half of said sum of $112.41 to wit: sum of $36.20 and that said guardianship as her may be discontinued

Ora Hodge

Subscribed and sworn to this 5th day of January 1898
Mell C Martin Clerk

I join in the above as the husband of Ora Hodge
George Hodge.

And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised finds that the facts therein set forth are correct:

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It is therefore ordered by the Court that the Clerk of this Court out of the money in her hands for that purpose pay to the Ora Hodge one half of $112.41 to wit; the sum of $36.20/100 less the cost of this proceeding and less one half the cost accrued in said guardianships and unpaid up to this date.
And the Clerk is ordered to take the receipt of the said Ora Hodge and her husband for the money so paid out on this order.

Jan 5. 1898 Rec of Martin Clerk $36.20 less $1.10 costs accrued on said Guardianship
Ora Hodge
George Hodge

In the matter of the Guardianship of Wilfred S Reynolds minor } Appointment

Comes now Frank M Smith and files the minor request and a petition for letters of Guardianship upon the person and estate of Wilfred S Reynolds minor heir of Joshua Reynolds which request and petition is in the words and figures follow to wit; [K.J.] And the Court having examined said request and petition and being fully advised in the premises and finding that the said Frank M. Smith is a proper person to be intrusted with said Guardianship does now appoint him Guardian upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Five hundred $500.00 Dollars with Evan Hadley and Amos Carter as surety which bond and the surety thereon is now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows [K.J.] Whereupon letters of Guardianship were issued to the said Frank M Smith and reads as follows [K.J.]

In the matter of
the Estate of Alva Mills deceased. } Final Report

Comes now Samuel M Woodward administrator of said estate by Miles and Miles his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication was on the 28th day of October 1897. And the last on the 4th day of November 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows [H.S.] And now said Administrator also files the affidavit of Samuel M Woodward from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 25th day of October 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows [H.S.] And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 25th day of October 1897. and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 22nd November 1897.

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of - - - 1250.40
And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed
in the sum of - - - - - - - - - - 763.34
Leaving a balance in the sum of $487.06
Which balance has been distributated and receipts filed.

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved

and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth A Gross deceased.

Order of Confirmation

Comes now Jesse B Morgan administrator of said Estate by Buell and Harvey his attorneys and files his report of Sale herein which report is in words and figures to wit; The undersigned administrator of said Estate respectfully reports to the Court that pursuant to the order of Court made in said proceedings in which the Court ordered him to sell said Real Estate for not less than its appraised value without notice he proceeds to offer the real estate herein after mentioned for sale at private sale and that from the date of said order he continued to offer the same for sale until the 3rd day of January 1898. at which time one May M Gross did bid for said Real Estate the sum of $1235.00 and that being $300.00 more than the appraisement and the highest and best bid offered therefor I there and there sold the same to wit; The North East Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section Twenty (20) Township Fifteen (15) North Range Two (2) West Containing Forty (40) acres to said purchaser, and said purchaser then and there paid me in Cash full purchase price for said Real Estate which I accepted, and I now present to the Court for the Courts Endorsement and approval a Deed Conveying to said purchaser, said Real Estate and ask the Court to approve said Sale and Confirm the same and for an Order to deliver said deed to said purchaser as an Evidence of his title

Jesse B Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January 1898 Jesse C. Harvey Notary Public.

And the Court having examined said report approves the same and confirms said sale and orders said administratrix to execute to the purchaser Mary M Gross a proper deed of conveyance to the following real estate in Hendricks County Indiana to wit;

The North East Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section Twenty (20) Township fifteen (15) North Range Two (2) West Containing 40 acres more or less;

The said Jesse B Morgan now brings into Court for the Courts inspection his deed of conveyance and the full purchase price of said land and the Court having fully examined said deed and said purchase money approves said sale in all things And now the Court endorses on said deed the following words "Examined and approved in open Court this 5th day of January 1898 John V Hadley Judge, H.C.C. And said deed is now ordered delivered to said purchaser as evidence of her title:

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas H Dryden deced. } Final Report.

Comes Martha Gilbert administratrix of the estate of Thomas H Dryden deceased by Hogate and Black her attorneys and William H Dryden by a personal letter to the Judge of this Court with draft his exceptions to the final report herein. And now the said administratrix shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the "Hendricks County Republican" a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final settlement report herein had been published in said newspaper for two weeks in succession, the first of which publications was on the 23rd day of September 1897 and the last on the 30th day of September 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows [H.S.] and

the Administratrix also shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Enoch S Hogate from which it appears that a like notice was posted at the door of the Court house in Hendricks County on the 21st day of September, said affidavit reads as follows [H.S.]

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for examination, hearing and approval and after examining the same and being fully advised in the premises the Court doth say and find, That said final report was filed in this Court on the 21st day of September 1897 and by an endorsement thereon by the Clerk of this Court was set for hearing on the 12th day of October 1897. The Court also finds said administratrix chargeable with the sum of $22.351.07 and entitled to credits in debts and expenses on vouchers filed in the sum of $2884.01 leaving a balance of $19667.06 for distribution to the heirs of decedent which sum has been entirely distributed to the heirs as shown by the report except the sum of $418.23 paid into Court for William H Dryden and except also the sum of $82.85 paid for Wm H. Dryden by the administrator for which she has no receipt from the said William H Dryden. The Court finds said report correct the account right to be approved and the administrator discharged from her bond and trust It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed, and said administratrix is now fully and finally discharged from her bond and trust and said estate is now declared finally settled And as to said sum of $418.23 so paid into Court for the said William H Dryden the Clerk of this Court is ordered to pay the same out to the said William H Dryden and take his receipt for the same on the Order Book of this Court, all of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

Rec'd Jan 11th 1898 of Master Block $418.23 money sum for distribution for the Heirs of Thomas H Dryden

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of John C Hill deceased } Appointment

Comes now W. A. King and Presents to the Court the relinquishment of Sarah E Hill requesting the Judge of the Heudricks Circuit Court to appoint W.A. King administrator of the estate of John C Hill deceased, said relinquishment reads as follows: (K.S.).
And the said W.A. King also files a petition for letters of administration which petition reads as follows: (K.S.).
And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises and finding that the said W.A. King is a proper person to be intrusted with the administration does now appoint him Administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of $600.00 Dollars with Sarah E Hill as surety which bond and the surety thereon are now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (K.S.)
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said W.A. King and reads as follows (K.S.)

In the matter of the Heirs of Margaret Long deceased. Effie May Long Ward. } Final Report.

Comes now Joseph Lamb by W.J. Darnall and Presents to the Court his final report as Guardian of Effie May Long Showing that he is chargeable with the sum of — — $691.66
And entitled to credits in the sum of 853.67
Leaving a balance over paid ward in the sum of $162.01
Said Guardian would further show to the Court that his ward married a man over the age of Twenty one

years and when making the final settlement with them he over paid them the sum of $162.01 by mistake and that he now has arrangement between the parts to pay said some back.
And the said Joseph Lamb now asks the Court to approve this report as his final report and discharge him from any further liability in said trust;
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises and finding said report correct does now approve said report and discharges him from said Trust
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said Guardian discharged from said trust,

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday January 7th 1898 And 5th day January Term 1898,

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

Deboria Ann Beasley
vs.
Est Thomas J. C. Sparks. } No 1469

Comes now the defendant by Counsel and files a Demurer to this Claim Said Demurer reads as follows (H.S.)

Deboria Ann Beasley
vs
Estate of Thomas J C Sparks } No. 1468

Comes now the Defendent herein by Counsel and files answer in words and figures following (H.S.)
And Plaintiff is now ruled to Reply

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday January 8th 1898 And 6th day Jan. Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the
Guardianships of William L Haywoth Etal } Current Report

Comes now Evan Hadley Guardian by Miles and Miles his attorneys and presents to the Court is current report as such Guardian showing that he is Chargeable with the sum of ---------- $ 1576,19
And entitled to credits in the sum of 167.41
Leaving a balance in the sum of $1408.78
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court.
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continued said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said Reports to be correct and the same ought to be approved;
It is therefor ordered Adjudged and decreed by the Court, that this Report be and the same is hereby in all thing approved and said trust continued;

John P Martindale Ex etal.
vs.
Hiram E Brown ;

Comes now David R Turpin John E Turpin and Florence B Davidson by counsel and enter appearance and files answer which answer is in the words and figures following H.S.J. Comes also Plaintiff herein and files demurer to ans of Hiram E Brown which demurer is as follows (H.S.J.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Bradley
Judge

Monday January 10th 1898 and 7th day January Term 1898

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge:

In the matter of the Estate of Elzja Tout deceased } Order to pay Money Out.

Comes now Miles and Miles and files the following petition:

State of Indiana
Hendricks County
Hendricks Circuit Court.
January Term 1898.

In the Estate of
Elzja Tout Deceased.

Comes now Nancy J Miles and says that she is one of the heirs of said decedent That there has been paid to the Clerk of this Court as a part of her distribution share the sum of $206,73 which she would ask the Court to order paid to her now allthough the finial report of the Administrator has not been approved.

Nancy J Miles
per Miles and Miles her attys

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Clerk of this Court pay said Nancy J Miles $206,73 and take her receipt on this order book for the same.

Rec. Jan. 10th 1898 of Master Clerk $206,73 in full of distribution for dec'd Elzja Tout
Nancy J Miles by Miles & Miles Attys

Monday January 10th 1898 And 7th day January Term 1898

Thomas C Atkinson Claimant
vs.
Estate of John Atkinson deceased } Claim No 1883

Comes the Claimant in his own person and the defendant by Hogate and Clark his attorneys comes also and the Claimant files his affidavit for a change of venue from the County in these words to wit: &c., which affidavit is examined by the Court and sustained and the Court orders this cause to be sent to the Morgan Circuit Court of the State of Indiana for trial and judgment on the payment of the costs caused by the change and fifteen days are given the claimant to pay said costs and perfect said change.

Estate of David Swaick deceased. } Finial Report

Comes now James M Smith administrator with the will annexed of the estate of David Swaick deceased with Charles Foley his attorney and files and shows to the Court the affidavit of Will A. King printer and publisher of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the town of Danville in Hendricks County State of Indiana and also the affidavit of said administrator himself by which two affidavits it appears to the Court and the Court decides that notice of the filing of a report for the finial settlement of said estate, and the time for hearing and considering the same, was duly given by two successive publications in said newspaper the first of which publications was on the 18th and the last on the 25th day of November A. D. 1897 and by posting up a printed notice

thereof viz the 13th day of November A.D. 1877
at the door of the Court House, in said town
of Danville which two affidavits are in words
and figures as follows, to wit (Here Insert)
And the Court further finds from the affidavit
of Julian D Hogate printer and publisher
of the Hendricks County Republican
public weekly newspaper of general circulation
also printed and published in said town
County and State that notice of the appoint-
ment of said James D Smith as such
administrator was duly given by publication
in said newspaper for three weeks
successively the first of which publication was
on the 16th and the last was on the 24th day
of October A.D. 1895; which affidavit is also
filed and is in these words to wit. H.S.
And thereupon said final report is presented
to the Court for examination and approval
and the Court having examined the same
and having sufficiently considered the evidence
produced finds and decides that said final
report was filed in the office of the Clerk of
this Court on November 13th A.D. 1897 and
that by indorsement in writing thereon by
said Clerk was set for hearing and determination
on Monday January 3rd A.D. 1898. and that said
administrator is chargeable with the sum of
Eleven hundred and fifteen and 34/100 Dollars ($1115.34/100)
and is entitled to credits for expenditures in
behalf of said estate and costs of administration
thereof and balance paid to administrator of
the estate of the widow of said deceased
pursuant to Wills of said deceased in a like
aggregate sum leaving nothing in the hands of
said administrator to be accounted for and
that there is nothing requiring a continuance
of this trust, and the Court being sufficiently
advised approves said report in all particulars
and clears the administrator of said

Estate and discharges said administrator
from such trust fully and completly all
of which is done by the Court.

Monday January 10th 1898; And 17th day January Term,

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M.
to morrow morning Record read and signed
in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge C.C.

Tuesday January 11th 1898 and 18th day Jan Term,

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge C.C.

State of Indiana
Kendricks County. ss.
In the matter of the estate of John
Atkinson deceased;
Comes now Riley D Atkinson
and represents and files his petition in said estate
asking that a note given by him to said
decedent for the sum of $18.50 dated January 8th
1875; which bears a credit of Nov, 1879
of $28.00 be cancelled, because said note had
been fully paid satisfied and settled by said
Riley D Atkinson with the said John
D Atkinson, deceased, in his life time
Said note being No 4 on the inventory and
appraisement of debts dues, demands &c. of the
Inventory of said estate, and inventoried
at the sum of $7.50 12 on the Inventory of the
estate of said decedent which petition is as
follows, (K.C.)
And the Court having examined said petition
and having heard the evidence and proof of the
matters alleged therein, says and finds, that
the matters set up in said petition are true
and that the note mentioned in said petition
was paid by said Riley D Atkinson to the
said John Atkinson, deceased in his life
time; and that said Riley D Atkinson is entitled
to have said note cancelled and returned to
him as paid, and that the same should be
stricken from the Inventory of said John
Atkinson, deceased, as a part of the
assets of said estate;
It is therefore ordered and adjudged by the Court
that Albert Maxwell administrator of the estate

of John Atkinson, deceased, is hereby directed to deliver up the note mentioned in said petition to the make Riley D Atkinson as cancelled, the same having been fully paid and satisfied, and he is hereby authorized to take credit in said Estate for the amount of said note as shown by the Inventory.

All of which is ordered, adjudged and decreed.

In the matter of the estate of John D Williams deceased } Petition to sell Personal Property at private Sale

Comes now Dennis B Williams Administrator of said estate and files his report herein to sell certain personal property at private sale which petition is as follows (N.S.) which property has appraised at $34.00 and the Court being satisfied that it is for the best advantage of said estate to sell said property at private sale at not less than its appraised value and that said administrator make report to this Court of such sale within within three months from date

In the Estate of Martha A Suiter deceased } Petition to Settle as Insolvent.

Comes now James M Wells administrator of the estate of Martha A Suiter and files his verified petition to settle said estate as insolvent, which petition is in words and figures following to wit; (N.S.)

And the Court being sufficiently advised finds that said estate ought to be settled as an insolvent estate

It is therefor ordered by the Court that said Administrator give notice as required by law and settle the estate of Martha A Suiter as an Insolvent estate.

State of Indiana
Hendricks County ss. } Cause No 1456

Joshua Hadley, administrator of Susannah Smith deceased. } Petition to Sell Land
vs.
Rebecca J Lindley Etal.

Comes now Joshua Hadley administrator of said estate and files the affidavit of Julian D. Hogate, showing that due notice by publication had been given as the law requires for the sale of said real estate which affidavit and notice are in the words and figures as follows: to wit; (N.S.)

He also files his own affidavit whereby it appears that he posted notices of said sale in five public places three of which were posted in Clay township more than four weeks before the time fixed in said notice for said sale. Which affidavit and notice is as follows (N.S.)

He also presents and files his report of the sale of said real estate, which report is in the words and figures as follows, to wit:

The undersigned administrator of said estate respectfully reports to the Court that pursuant to the order of this Court heretofore made and entered of Record he gave notice as required by law by publication and by posting notices proofs of which publication and posting of notice with the copies of said notices annexed are filed herewith and made a part of this report N.S. That he would sell at private sale at his residence in Hendricks County and State of Indiana the interest of said decedent in the following described real estate situate in the County of Hendricks and

And State of Indiana, to wit; All of the West half of the South West quarter of section four township fifteen, North Range Two West, except twenty acres off of the South end of said half quarter heretofore sold and deeded to Mordcai Hadley, on Saturday the 30th day of October 1897 the above described real estate, And he further reports to the Court that the notices provided that if no satisfactory bid was received on said day that said sale would be continued from day to day until all of said real estate included in the order of the Court was sold, on the terms prescribed in said order, He further shows to the Court that he was present at the time and place fixed by said notices ready to receive bids for said real estate but no satisfactory bid being received on that day, said sale was continued from day to day until the 11th day of January 1898, when Addison Hadley, offered for said real estate above described the sum of Nineteen Hundred and Forty one Dollars and seventy five cents ($1941.75) And that being more than the fair appraised value of said real estate and being the highest price offered said administrator for said real estate, the same was then and there sold to the said Addison Hadley for said sum of $1941.75 And he further shows to the Court that said Addison Hadley offers and proposes to pay 2/3 of the purchase money cash in hand, and the remainder in six months instead of paying 1/3 cash and the remainder in two equal instalments of six and 12 months each, as the order provides And said administrator shows to the Court that he believes it to be to the intent of said estate to accept the payments as offered,

And he asks the Court to so modify said order of sale that he be allowed to accept the 2/3 of the purchase price cash in hand, and receive the note for the deferred payment thereof payable

six months after date instead of twelve months,

And said purchaser has paid to said administrator the sum of $1294.50 and has executed his note for the sum of $647.25 payable in six months from date bearing six per cent interest, from date of sale and waiving all relief from valuation and appraisement laws,

And he now brings said money and said note into Court and asks the Court to approve said sale and to authorize him to execute a Deed to said purchaser for said real estate

Joshua Hadley

Subscribed and sworn to before me Thomas J Cofer a Notary public in and for said County, this 11th day of January 1898

Thomas J Cofer
Notary Public

And also asking that said order of sale be modified so as to allow said purchaser to pay two thirds of the purchase price of said land cash in hand, and the remainder in six months

And the Court having examined said petition and heard the evidence and examined the note says and finds that said order should be modified as prayed for in said report of sale, and that said administrator ought to be allowed to accept the payment as prayed for therein, and that in all other respects said sale was made in strict conformity to the order therein

Said Court now approves said report and confirms said sale and orders said administrator to execute to the purchaser Addison Hadley, a proper deed conveyance on said purchaser executing to him a mortgage on said estate, to wit: All of the west

Jarue 11" 1898 Tuesday 8" day January Term.

half of the South West quarter of section twenty four township fifteen North Range two West in Hendricks County and State of Indiana except twenty acres off of the South end of said half quarter heretofore sold and Deeded to Whordcai Hadley.

And now comes said administrator and shows to the Court that said Addison Hadley has executed to him a mortgage upon said real estate to secure the unpaid purchase money for the same and he also brings into Court a deed duly executed by him conveying said real estate to said Addison Hadley And asks the Court to approve said deed And the Court having examined said Deed approved the same in open Court and this approval is thereon written in the words Examined and approved by me in Open Court this 11" day of January 1898

John V. Hadley
Judge.

And said administrator is hereby directed to deliver said deed to said purchaser as the evidence of his title

Deboria Ann Beasley
vs.
Est Thomas J C Sparks } No 1468. Dismissed for want of Prosecution

Comes now the Defendant and the Plaintiff failing to appear is three times loudly called in open Court comes not but wholly makes default. It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this Claim be dismissed for want of Prosecution It is further ordered that the costs herein be taxed against the estate

Deboria Ann Beasley
vs.
Est Thomas J.C. Sparks } No. 1469

Comes now the parties herein and the Court being sufficiently advised in the premises Sustains the demurer to this Claim to which ruling of the Court the Plaintiff at the time excepts

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday January 12" 1898 And 9" day January Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley Judge;

C.E. Farabee
vs.
Est. Abraham H. Sparks. deceased. } No. 1480 Allowed at $ & Co as 3rd Class.

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff herein C.E. Farabee in the sum of Six & 00 Doll as a third Prefred claim together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars and cents

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein C.E. Farabee recover from the Estate of Abraham H. Sparks deceased the sum of Six & 00 Dollars as a third prefered claim together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars and cents.

Wednesday January 12th 1898. And 9th day January Term, 98

And Court adjourned until 9. A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in Open Court,

John V Wadley
Judge

Thursday January 13th 1898. And 10th day January Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge;

In the matter of the }
Est. of John S. Shortle } Appointment

Comes now Jacob M. Kurtz by Bill and Harvey his attorneys and presents and files the Widows Relinquishment and Petition for letters of Administration said Relinquishment and petition is in the words and figures following to wit; (K.S.)
And the Court having examined said Relinquishment and Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said Jacob F Kurtz is a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration does now appoint him Administrator of said estate upon his filing a bond in the sum of $2000.00 Dollars with K. F. Kurtz as his surety which bond and the surety thereon are duly approved the Court and reads as follows: (K.S.)
Thereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Jacob F Kurtz and reads as follows. (K.S.)

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph Brown deceased. } Probate of Will.

Comes now L. A. Barnett and presents in open Court an instrument signed by Joseph Brown testator and by L. A. Barnett and John S Ridpath as witnesses and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Joseph Brown and the said L.A. Barnett asks to have said instrument probated as the last will of said decedent.

And now upon order of the Court the said L.A. Barnett is duly sworn and examined in open Court touching the execution of said will and the Court after hearing the testimony of said L A Barnett and being fully advised in the premises, finds that the said instrument was signed and acknowledged by the said Silas T. Franklin on the 18th day of September 1897 as his last will and testament. That said instrument was at the same time signed by said L.A. Barnett and John S Ridpath in the presence of the said Joseph Brown and in the presence of each other as witnesses. And that the said Joseph Brown declared at said time and in the presence of said witnesses that said instrument was his last will and testament. That at said time said Joseph Brown was more than twenty one years of age and of sound mind and not under coercion or restraint. That said Joseph Brown died on the day 1897 never having revoked said will. and that said instrument is the last will and testament of the said Joseph Brown deceased and as such ought to be probated

It is therefore adjudged and decreed by the Court that said will is the last will and testament of Joseph Brown deceased and

that said will be and is probated as his will

It is further ordered that the Clerk spread said will upon the proper records of this Court.

Thursday January 13th 1898 And. 10th day January Term.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley Judge

Friday January 14th 1898. And. 11th day January Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley Judge.

J.M. Tolle
vs.
Est Thomas J.C. Sparks. } No. 1467
Allowed $10 and costs

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff in the sum of $10 and his costs herein
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this Claim be allowed to the Plaintiff J.M. Tolle in the sonne of One Dollars and ten cents, together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars cents

Matilda A Wheler
vs.
Susannah Smith deceased } No. 1474, Allowed at $235.30

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to plaintiff in the sum of $235.30 together with his costs herein.
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that the Plaintiff herein Matilda A Wheler recover from the estate of Susannah Smith deceased his Claim of $235.30 together with his costs herein taxed at Dollars cents

Debora Ann Beasley
vs.
Est Thomas J.C. Sparks. } No 1469

Comes the Defendant herein by Counsel and the Plaintiff failing to appear is three-

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times loudley called in Open Court But comes not but herein wholly makes default.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this Claim be dismissed for want of prosecution.
It is further ordered by the Court that this Estate pay the costs of this proceedings taxed at Dollars and cents.

A. L. Wheeler,
Vs.
Est Susannah Smith deceased
No 1479
Claim allowed at $21.50

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to the Plaintiff A. L. Wheeler, in the sum of One hundred and twenty one, fifty cents $121.50 togather with his costs herein taxed at Dollars and cents.
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this Claim be allowed to the Plaintiff A. L. Wheeler from the Estate of Susannah Smith deceased togather with his costs herein taxed at Dollar cents

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John A Hadley Judge

Saturday January 15th 1898 And 12th day Jan. Term 98

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John A Hadley

In the matter of the
Estate of William Johnson:
Comes now Lucy Highbaugh by Counsel and files petition for the removal of Alfred Linziger as administrator of the estate of William Johnson deceased: Said petition is in the words and figures following to wit: H.S.
Comes now also Alfred Linziger administrator by his attorneys and filed demurrer to petition Said demurrer reads as follows: H.S.
And the Court being fully advised in the premises sustains the demurrer to the petition herein to which ruling Plaintiff at the time excepts And the Petitioner is elected to stand by his petition and refuses to plead further judgment for the defendant for his costs And the Petitioner now prays an appeal to the Appelate Court which appeal is granted

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John A Hadley
Judge

Monday January 17" 1898" and d. 13 day January Term

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. to morning
Record read and signed in open Court.

John W Hadley
Judge

Tuesday January 18" 1898" And 14 day January Term 1898

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John W Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the
Guardianship of Mary L Gladden
minor heir of Albert L Gladden
deceased;

Comes now Charles M Gladden guardian of said ward and pursuant to the Order of this court at the last term thereof, tenders to this court a new bond in the penal sum of Twenty-four hundred Dollars as guardian, with David F McCalment, John M. Gladden, and Murat K Kehr as sureties, which bond the Court now approves; and it shall be taken and deemed that Scott Miller and George L Gladden be and they are hereby relieved from any and all liability for any malfeasance or misfeasance of said Charles M. Gladden as such guardian occurring hereafter but they shall remain liable for his said acts and omissions as such guardian until discharged by this Court.
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John W Hadley
Judge

Rec. Jan. 9th 1898 of Master Clerk $220.00 on this judgment Odd Samuel Mitchell

Estate of Martha Mitchell deceased. } Order to pay out money

Comes now Josephus Mitchell Administrator of said estate and on his motion the Court orders the Clerk to pay to Odd Samuel Mitchell Two hundred and twenty $220.00 Dollars on the judgment claim of said Odd Samuel Mitchell against said estate

In the matter of the Estate of John Osborn deceased. } Appointment

Comes now Sarah E Osborn by Hogate and Clark her attorneys and Presents and files her Petition for letters of administration which petition is in the words and figures following (H.S.)

And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds said Sarah E Osborn to be a proper person to be intrusted with said Administration does now appoint her Administratrix of said estate upon her filing a bond in the peual sum of $800.00 Dollars with James L Clark as surity which bond and the surety is now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows (H.S.)

Whereupon letters of administration were issued to the said Sarah E Osborn and reads as follows to wit (H.S.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John Wadley
Judge

Thursday January 20th 1898. And 16th day January Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday January 21st 1898 And 17th day January Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley.

John P. Martindale
Ex. Lucinda M Brown,
vs.
Hiram E Brown,

Comes now Jas W Megibben admr. of T.J. Megibben deceased and files his petition in words following (N.S.) asking to be made a party defendant in this cause and the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises says said finds that said Megibben is a necessary and proper party Wherefore it is now ordered and adjudged by the Court that said Megibben as such be admitted and is hereby admitted is a defendant in said case and now comes said Jas. W Megibben admr and files his cross complaint in words as follows (N.S.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday January 22nd 1898 and 18th day January Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present:
John R Hadley Judge;

In the matter of the
Guardianship of the minor
heirs of Patterson F Moore deceased.

Comes Nellie A Moore Guardian of the minor heirs of Patterson F Moore, deceased by Hogate & Clark her attorneys, and files an undertaking in the following words:
Whereas on the settlement of the estate of Patterson F Moore, deceased there were two notes one for two thousand dollars, $2000.00 dated Spokane Falls, March 2nd 1891 signed by Ellen Ellispie and one for two hundred dollars $200.00 dated Spokane Falls April 21st 1890 signed by W.T. Wharton, both of said notes being secured by mortgage on real estate in the said Spokane Falls Washington. And Whereas, said notes were not appraised among the assets of the estate of Patterson F Moore deceased as their value was not known; and Whereas the administrator returned the said notes into Court with his final report, and the same were turned over to Nellie A Moore, widow of the said Patterson F Moore, and as Guardian of his minor Children:
Now the said Nellie A Moore as guardian of the ~~children~~ heirs of Patterson F Moore, deceased acknowledges herself bound to the State of Indiana, for the use the said guardianship in the sum of One thousand dollars. $1000.00 conditioned that she will, as such guardian account to the guardianship for two thirds of all she may hereinafter collect from said notes; And to the performance of this bond she binds herself her heirs executors administrators and assigns.
Witness my hand this 22nd day of January 1898

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Nellie A Moore

Approved by me this 22nd day of January 1898
John R Hadley
Judge Hendricks Circuit Court;

And the Court being fully advised in the premises finds that said bond ought to be approved and now endorses his approval on the said undertaking
And the said guardian is ordered to account to the guardianship for two thirds of all that she may collect from the two notes mentioned above
And further proceeding herein are continued

In the matter of the estate of
Patterson F Moore deceased. } Final Report.

Comes John S Moore administrator of the estate of Patterson F Moore by Hogate and Clark his attorneys and shows to the Court and files the affidavit of Julian B Hogate, editor of the Hendricks County Republican, a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 6th day of January 1898, and the last on the 13th day of January 1898. Said affidavit is filed herewith and reads as follows. (H.S.) and the said administrator also files the affidavit of Enoch S. Hogate from which it appears that a like notice had been posted at the door of the court house on the 31st day of December 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows: (H.S.) and now the final report herein comes on to be heard

and after examining the same and being fully advised in the premises the Court doth say and find that the said final report was filed in the Clerks office on the 31st day of December, 1897 and by an endorsement in writing on the said report was set for hearing on the 22nd day of January 1898. The Court also finds that the said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $3 984.14 and entitled to credits in the sum of 1.974.10 on his vouchers filed and, that there remained for distribution the sum of $2.610.04 which has been distributed by the administrator to the widow and the minor heirs of the said decedent; and the receipt of the widow and the Guardian of the said minor heirs are filed herewith. The Court finds that said report is correct that the same ought to be approved and the said administrator ought to be discharged from his bond and trust.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report ought to be and the same is now hereby approved and confirmed, said estate is now declared finally settled and the said administrator is hereby discharged from his bond and trust.

And it appearing from said final report that there came into the hands of the said administrator two notes one for the sum of $2000.00 on Ellen Dispin dated Spokane Falls. March 2nd 1891. and one for $2000 on W.J. Wharton dated Spokane Falls. April 21st 1890. both secured by mortgage on real Estate in said Spokane Falls, Washington which said notes were not appraised to the administrator as a part of the assets of the said estate as the value was not known. Now the Court orders said two notes to be turned over to the widow of the said decedent upon her as Guardian of the minor heirs executing to the Guardianship a bond or undertaking that she will account

to the Guardianship for two thirds of all that she may hereafter collect on said notes. And before the same are turned over to the said widow she shall execute the said bond.

All of which is finally ordered by the Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Holderman deceased } Appointment

Comes now William Lewis by Thomas J Cofer his attorney and Presents and files in Open Court his petition for letters of administration upon the personal property of Henry Holderman deceased said Petition reads as follows. (H.J.)

And the Court having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said William Lewis is a proper person to be intrusted with said administration does now appoint him administrator upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Six hundred. ($600.00) Dollars with David Hadley as his surety which bond and the surety thereon are now duly approved by the Court and reads as follows. (H.J.) Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said William Lewis and reads as follows: (H.J.)

And further proceedings herein are continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in Open Court

John R Hadley
Judge

Monday January 24th 1898 And. 19 day January Term 98:

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

Said Court adjourned until 9 A M tomorrow
Morning Record read and signed in open Court

J Wm V Hadley
Judge

Tuesday January 25 1898 And 20th day January Term.

Court met pursuant to
adjournment Present
John V Hadley Judge:

Sheley W Bryant.
Vs.
Richard B. Bryant } In Re Petition for Guardian.

Comes now the plaintiff by Adams and Enloe attorneys and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court by the Sheliff return indorsed on the summons herein that the defendant has been personally notified of the filing and pendency of this action for more than ten days before the 25th day of January 1898 the same being return day herein by indorsement on the petition herein which said summon and Sheriffs return are in words following (N.S.)
And now comes Mell C Masten Clerk of the Kendricks Circuit Court and as such Clerk files his answer herein as follows. (N.S.)
And upon motion his cause is now submitted to the Court for hearing trial judgment and decree upon the issue joind without the intervention of a jury, and the Court having heard the evidence and being fully advised and informed in the premises doth say and find that Richard B. Bryant the defendant is a resident of Kendricks County State of Indiana and that he is possissed of an Estate both Real and personal and that he is a person of unsound mind and incapable of managing his estate and property and that for the good of him-self and estate it is necessary that he be placed under guardianship
Wherefor it is now hereby ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said Richard

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B. Bryant be adjudged of unsound mind and incapiable of managing his estate and that a guardian be appointed
And the Court now designates and appoints Greley W Bryant guardian for said Richard B Bryant.
And the Court orders and directs said Greley W Bryant to prepare and present to the Court for approbal his bond as such guardian payable to the State of Indiana and in the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars and to file his Oath of office for the faithful performance of his duties herein And now comes said Greley W Bryant and presents for approval his penal bond as directed in the sum of $1000 with Herman C Bryant and Benj. F. Draper as his sureties together with his oath of office indorsed therein, and the being fully satisfied as to the Sufficiency of said bond accepts and approves the same and indorses his approval thereon in words follows "Accepted and approved this 25th day of January 1898, John V Hadley Judge." And the Court now directs the Clerk to deposit said bond and oath of office in the proper archives of his office and to issue to said Greley W Bryant letters of Guardianship authorizing him to assume immediate controle of the property of his said ward - all of which is adjudged Ordered and decreed by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Wednesday January 26th 1898 And 21st day January Term.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Thursday January 27th 1898 and 22nd day Janeary Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge &c

John R. Martindale
Executor etc
vs.
Hiram E Brown Et al

Comes now the Administrator J M. Megibben by Counsel and files amended 1st paragraph of cross complaint which amended 1st par. of cross complaint is in the words and figures following to wit H.S.
and the administrator also files the 2nd par. of cross complaint which 2nd par of cross complaint which is in the words and figures following to wit (H.S.)

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday January 28th 1898 And 23rd day January Term 98

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge &c

Guardianship of
Jacob R Wilkin a minor } Appointment of Guardian

Comes now William H Wilkin and files and shows the Court his application for letters of guardianship of the Estate of Jacob R Wilkin a minor and also files and shows the Court the written statement of said Jacob R Wilkin asking the Court to appoint said William H. Wilkin as the Guardian of his estate all in these words to wit: (Herein set) and said William H Wilkin also presents to the Court for approval his Bond conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties as such Guardian in the sum of One thousand dollars with John S Moore and John C Vestal as his sureties thereon and the Court having examined said application, written statement and Bond, find and decides that each and all of them are good and sufficient and the Court having made sufficient inquiry decides that it is necessary to appoint a Guardian to care for the estate of said minor and that said William H. Wilkin is a suitable person therefor and that the sureties on said Bond and orders it recorded in the proper Book and appoints said William H Wilkin guardian of the estate of said Jacob R Wilkin and orders that letters of guardianship be issued to him accordingly which is done.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Saturday January 27th 1898. And 24th January Term. 98

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present:
John V. Hadley
Judge:

In the matter of the
Guardianship Sarah E Newman minor } Guardians Current Report

Comes now Cyrus Osborn and presents and files his current report as such Guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ---------- $579.22
And intitled to credits in the sum of 269.82
Leaving a balance in the sum of $309.40
to be accounted for in his next report to this Court
And now said Guardian ask the Court to approve this report and Continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said Report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved;
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this report be and the same is herby in all things approved and said trust continued

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Monday January 31st 1898 And. 25th day January Term 1898

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge:

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge.

Tuesday February 1st 1898 And. 24th day January Term 1898

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley
Judge.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court.

John V Hadley
Judge.

Wednesday February 2nd 1898 And. 25th day January Term 1898

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V Hadley
Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Haysworth deceased. } Final Report.

Comes now Evan Hadley administrator of the Estate of Joseph D Haysworth deceased by Miles and Miles his attorneys and presents and files his report of the sale of personal property at private sale which report is in the words and figures following / to wit

K.S. And the Court having examined said report approves the same in all particulars and approves and confirms the release of the mortgage therein mentioned by said administrator.

And now said administrator submits to the Court the account and vouchers by him filed in final settlement thereof on the 8th day of January 1898, And also files and submits proofs of the posting and publication of notices to the creditors heirs at law and all others interested in said estate of the filing of said account and vouchers, and when the same would be heard which notices and proofs the Court on examination, holds to be sufficient and that said account and matters connected therewith are now properly before the Court for final action thereon; said account notices and proofs, are in these words: (K.S.)

And the Court having examined said account and vouchers and heard evidence relating thereto finds that more than one year has elapsed since the grant of letters upon said estate and the giving of notices thereof; that notice of the insolvency of said estate was published according to laws; that said

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Administrator has paid to the Clerk of this Court, for distribution to the unpreferred creditors of said estate the sum of $165.06 from which sum the said administrator is entitled to have refunded to him the sum of $15-23/100 Pd for taxes paid by him not credited in said report before the payment of said sum to said Clerk And the Court further finds that said report is correct; that said administrator is entitled to all the credits claimed by him; that said estate has been fully administered

And the Court now in all things approves and confirms said account in final settlement and the acts of said administrator as by him therein reported and orders that said administrator be fully and finally discharged and released from his said trust and that said estate be and the same is adjudged fully administered upon, and finally settled and determined.

It is finally ordered that the Clerk pay out said sum of $165.06 to the parties entitled thereto as follows: To said administrator the sum of $15 23/100 and to each creditor his pro rata share of the remainder as follows:

List of Unpreferred Debts:

Name of Creditors	Amount of Claim with int: $	cts		Amount of Dividend $	cts
John N. Shirley	325	87	note	Pd 19	65
Shirley, Showalter & Co	184	88	"	Pd 11	20
" " " "	143	30	acct.	Pd. 8	70
Jacob Tharp	44	14	note	Pd. 2	70
J.O. Winstead	44	80	"	Pd 2	75
Addison Hadley	82	17	"	Pd 5	00
Cyrus Osborn	349	07	"	Pd 21	10
Hadley & Symons	56	00	~~Rec 11/29/97 of Master Clerk $3.45 on this claim~~	Pd 3	45
" " "	4	65	acct.	Pd	28
Evan Hadley Guardian	184	80	note (Emily Bales)	Pd 11	20
Emily Bales	38	50	note	Pd 2	35

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Perry Hunt Admr.

Emily Bales	174	60	Note	$10	60	Pd
William Bales	162	00	Note to W.W. Crabb.	9	80	Pd
Oliver & Frazier	171	56	2 notes	10	40	Pd.
John A Bales	57	50	Note	3	33	Pd
R.T. Hollowell	9	76	"		60	Pd
J.A. Veatch	14	35			90	Pd
Perry Hurst admr.	30	98		1	95	Pd.
I thalmer Hunt	64	99	Note	4	00	Pd
Luther Hadley	76	68	" Luther Hadley	4	70	Pd
" "	4	36	acct.		27	Pd
O.E. Nichols	2	34			15	Pd
J.J. Doan	2	61			16	7½
O.B. Hessler	3	27			20	Pd
W.H. Mc Phetridge	3	53			21	Pd
First National Bank	5	89				
M.B. Vannice	7	55		Pd	45	
S.A. Hall & Son	11	24			70	Pd.
Joseph Schwartz	9	16			55	Pd
Leachman Brothers	21	87		1	35	Pd.
John H Rawlings	1	35	acct			
Squire M Stephenson	8	44	"			
P.P. Thomas	7	68	"			
Wade & White	12	54	"			
W.K. White M.D.	45	96		2	80	Pd.
F.H. Huron M.D.	30	82		1	85	Pd
C.C. Farabee M.D.	3	05			18	83
W.R. Mc Clelland	49	49		3	10	Pd.
J.A. Duncan	1	09			07	Pd.
Christie Brothers	5	08			30	Pd.
D.W Hawkins	5	45			35	
Total Indebtedness	2462	67			149	83

Rec. Feb. 7. 98. of master $3.10 my Porrata share herein W.R. McClelland

Rec 2/7-1898 of master clk $46 my fee herein M.B. Vannice

Rec 2/11.98 of master Clerk $19.65 my claim J.N. Shirley vs Ew Shirley

Rec 2/11 98 of master Clerk 19.90 my claim Shirley Showalter & Co vs Ew Shirley

Rec 2/12 98 of Master Clerk $2.75 my claim J.O. Winstead

Rec 2/17/98 of Master Clerk, $11.20, my claim as Guardian Evan Hadley, for E.B. Miles.

Rec 2/21/98 of Master Clerk $2.70 my claim herein J. Tharp

Rec 2/22 98 of Master Clk $18.40 my claim herein. Oliver & Frazier

Apl 12, 99 - Rec'd of master, Clerk $6.85 my fee herein — F.H. Huron

In the matter of the Guardianship
of Elnora E. Hadley, minor heir of
Matthias Hadley, deceased.

Comes now John T Hadley Guardian of the above named minor and files his petition for an order to sell the real estate of said minor, which petition is in words and figures following, to wit;

State of Indiana, Hendricks County SS.
In the Circuit Court. January Term 1898

In the matter of the Guardeanship of Elnora E Hadley, minor heir of Mathias Hadley, deceased

John T. Hadley, Guardian of Elnora E Hadley, minor heir of Matthias Hadley deceased, shows to the Court that his said ward is nineteen years and seven moths old, and lives with her brother, Orien E Hadley

That said ward has a personal estate of one hundred and fifty dollars;

That she is the owner by descent from her said father now deceased of the following described real estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to wit; a part of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section thirty (30) in Township fifteen (15) North and range one (1) west and bounded as follows: beginning at a stone nine (9) chains and forty one (41) links North of the South East corner of said quarter quarter; thence West twenty (20) chains and eleven and one half 11-2 links to a stone on the West line of said quarter quarter; thence North eight (8) chains and five and one half (5-1-2) links to a stone; thence East twenty (20) chains and eleven and one half (11 1-2) links to a stone; thence South eight (8) chains and five and one half 15-1-2) links to the place of beginning estimated to contain sixteen and twenty hundredths (16. 20-100) acres more or less

That said real estate is of the probable value

of five hundred dollars and of the rental value of about forty dollars;

That after paying taxes and keeping said real estate in repair it does not yeild a large income on the amount of money invested therein;

That said ward desires that said real estate be sold and the money invested to better advantage;

That affiant believes that he can at this time sell said real estate for its full value; That if sold he can safely keep, and if necessary profitably invest the money obtained therefor, until said ward become of full age or marries at which time she will probably have other funds with which to unite the funds derived from a sale of this land and which can all together be invested to her advantage.

This Guardian therefore asks the Court for an order to sell said real estate on such terms as the Court may order, and to so invest or keep said funds for said ward's use and benefit.

John T Hadley

Subscribed and ~~affirmed to before~~ this 2nd day of February 1898.

James L Clark Notary Public.

And the Court, having examined said petition and been fully informed finds said petition in all things regular and conforming to law and that the order of sale prayed for ought to be granted and said real estate sold

And the Court now appoints John N Hadley and Horace M Hodson, two disinterested and competent freeholders, freeholders and voters residing in Hendrick County and Sate of Indiana, to appraise said real estate,

And now comes said Guardian and files an appraisement of said real estate made by said

real estate made by said appraisers, in words and figures following to wit; "K.S." and wherein said real estate is appraised at Five hundred Dollars;

Said Guardian also files his additional bond in the sum of one thousand dollars with J.N. Hadley and K.M. Hodson as sureties thereon which bond is approved by the Court and is in these words, to wit, "K.S."

The Court now therefor orders and decrees that said real estate be sold by said Guardian at private sale for cash at not less than the appraised value, and without notice, and when sold that a report thereof be made to this Court for the Courts approval or disapproval.

And now comes said Guardian and files his report of a sale of said real estate, which report is in words and figures following;

Comes now John T Hadley, Guardian of the above named Minor and reports to the Court that as ordered by this Court in this behalf he offered for sale at private sale, for cash, and without notice, the following described real estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to wit; A part of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section thirty (30) in township fifteen (15) North and Range one (1) West and bounded as follows; beginning at a stone nine (9) chains and forty one (41) links North of the South East corner of said quarter quarter; thence west twenty (20) chains and eleven and one half (11 1-2) links to a stone in the west line of said quarter quarter; thence North eight (8) chains and five and one half 5 1-2 links) to a stone; thence east twenty (20) chains and eleven and one half (11-1-2) links to a stone; thence South eight (8) chains and five and one half 5 1-2 links to the place of beginning estimated to contain sixteen and twenty hundredths. (16 20-100) acres more or less, and Orien & Hadley offered three for the sum of eight

hundred dollars cash and that being the highest and best offer received therefor and more than the appraised value of said real estate the same was sold to said Orien & Hadley for said sum and this affiant asks the Court to approve said Sale

John T Hadley
Guardian

Subscribed and affirmed to this 2nd day of February 1898

James L Clark
Notary Public.

And the Court having examined said report and been fully advised finds that the sale so reported was made in conformity to law and the Order of this Court in this behalf and that said sale and report ought to be approved.

It is now therefor Ordered and adjudged by the Court that said sale be and the same is now approved, and confirmed, and the Court also orders said Guardian to make for the Court inspection a deed conveying said real estate to said purchaser

And now comes said Guardian and presents for the Court's inspection a deed duly acknowledged conveying said real estate to said purchaser and the Court having examined said deed approves the same and indorses his approval thereon in open Court in these words:

Examined and approved in open Court this 2nd day of February 1898.

John V Hadley
Judge.

And the Court orders said deed delivered by said Guardian to said purchaser as an evidence of his title

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Clerks Report of January Term 1898

State of Indiana Hendricks County Ss.
The undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Hendricks County Indiana would respectfully report the following vacation Business since November Term 1897, of Said County to wit

Estates

Name	Admr.	Bond	Sureties
John D Williams	Dennis B Williams	$2500.00	William W Williams Elizabeth J Williams
William Johnson.	Alfred Linziger	$300.00	George C Harvey

All of which I respectifully submitted to the Court for approval:

Witness my hand and the official seal of said Court affixed at my office at Danville Hendricks County Indiana this the 2nd day of January 1898

Mell C Martin Clerk

And the Court having examined said report finds it correct and endorses his approbal on the Back in these words approved by me in Open Court

John V Hadley Judge.

Wednesday Febnuary 2nd 1898 And 26th day January Term.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Minnie Paterson Etal, } Current Report.

Comes now Squire Thompson Guardian by Gulley and Pennington his attorneys and files his current report as such Guardian showing that he his chargeable with the sum of ---------- $632.02

And intitled to credits in the sum of 122.44

Leaving a balance in the sum of $509.58

To be accounted for in his next report to this Court,

Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continued said trust

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved,

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued,

In the matter of the Guardianship of Urban Elmore

Comes now Elijah Brewer Guardian by Briel and Harvey his attorneys and presents and files in open Court his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ---------- $56.20

And entitled to credits in the sum of 5.10

Leaving a balance in the sum of $51.10

To be accounted for in his next report to this Court Said Guardian now ask the Court to approve this report and continue and the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust Continued.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Jacob Parker unsound mind } Current Report.

Comes now Israel Hendrickson by Bird and Havey his attorney and presents and files in open Court his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of - - - - - - - $367.67
And entitled to credits in the sum of 323.32
Leaving a balance to be accounted for in his next report, to this Court in the sum of - - - - $44.35
And said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved It is therefore ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said trust continued

In the matter of the Estate of Temperance A McCalment a person of Unsound mind } Final Report.

Comes now James D Smith Guardian by Charles Foley his attorney and Presents and files in open Court his Final Report as such Guardian Showing that he is chargeable with the sum of - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $392.39
And entitled to credits in the sum of-- 392.39
Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and discharge him from any further trust And the Court having examined said

report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that said Guardian ought to be discharged It is therefore ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said Guardian discharged from any further trust in said Guardianship

In the matter of the Guardianship of Millie Thomas Armstrong Minor heirs of Effa K Armstrong } Final Report.

Comes now Eliza Armstrong guardian of said wards by Hogate and Clark her attorneys and respectfully submits to the Court her final report as such guardian showing that as to Millie Armstrong she is chargeable with the sum of - - - - - $139.02
And entitled to charges in the sum of 131.14
Leaving a balance of
And as to the said Thomas Armstrong she is chargeable with the sum of 364.14
And entitled to credits in the sum of 364.14
Said Guardian now says he has fully and finally settled with her said wards and asks the Court to approve this report and discharge her from said trust
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved. It is therefore ordered adjudged and decred by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed and said guardian discharged from any further liability for said trust

In the matter of the Estate of John H Harding } Current Report.

Comes now George F Pattison administrator of said estate and submits to the Court his current report as such Administrator showing that he is Chargeable with the sum of $3844.90
And Entitled to credits in the sum of 414.14
Leaving a balance in the sum of 3430.76
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court
And now said administrator asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust:
And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report to be correct and that the same ought to be approved:
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and said trust continued

In the matter of the Estate of Abigail Spicklemire } Final Report

Comes now David J Spicklemire administrator of the estate of Abigail Spicklemire deceased by Bill and Harry his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of W.A. King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in Succession the first of which publications was on the 30th day of December 1897 and the last on the 6th day of January 1898 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.J.)
And said administrator also files the affidavit of John McCormack from which it appears a like

notice was posted at the Court house door of said county on the 28th day of December 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.J.)
And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 27th Dec. 1897 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 21st January 1898
The Court also finds that at the time of said decedents death there was no personal property and that now all debts dues and demands against said estate have been paid and satisfied so far as said administrator is informed and the said Court also finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved and the administrator discharged:
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared fully settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust:
All of which it is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the court:

In the matter of the Estate of James N Spicklemire } Final Report

Comes now David J Spicklemire administrator of the estate of James N Spicklemire by Bill and Harry his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of W.A. King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in

succession the first of which publications was on the 30th day of December 1897 and the last on the 6th day of January 1898. Said affidavit reads as follows (H.J.)

And said Administrator also files the affidavit of John McCormack from which it appears a like notice was posted at the court house door of said county on the 28th day of December 1897. Said affidavit reads as follows: H.J.

And now the final report herein is submitted to the court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 27th day December 1897, and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 21st day January 1898.

The court also finds that said administrator had $283.00 of personal property to account for and he would further show that he has paid the $283.00 out for the costs of this administration and the settlement of claims against said estate

And he would further show to the court that he is the sole heir of said Estate and asks the Court to approve this report.

And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and that the same ought to be approved and the administrator discharged

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed Said Estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and Trust

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the court.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ferguson. } Final Report

Comes now James McCown, administrator, by R.T. Hollowell his attorney and shows to the court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks six successive the first of which publication was on the 6th daly of January 1898. and the last on the 13th day of January 1898: Said affidavit reads as follows. (H.J.)

And said administrator also files the affidavit of R.T. Hollowell from which it appears a like notice was posted at the court house door of said county on the 4th day of January 1898. Said affidavit reads as follows (H.J.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 4th day of January 1898, and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 28th day of January 1898,

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $221.37

And entitled to credits on his vouchers filed in the sum of — — — — — $221.37

The court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged.

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed

Said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust!

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the court!

In the matter of the Estate of Cynthia A Swank } Final Report.

Comes now James D Smith administrator by Charles Foley his attorney and shows to the court the affidavit of W.A. King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 13" day of January 1898. and the last on the 20th day of January 1898. Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.)

And said Administrator also files the affidavit of James D Smith from which it appears a like notice was posted at the Court house door of said County on the 29" day of January 1898.

Said affidavit reads as follows (N.S.)

And now the final report herein is submitted to the court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 8" day of January 1898. And by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 29" day of January 1898.

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of $403.57

And entitled to credits on his vouchers in the sum of 264.26

Leaving a balance in the sum of $139.31

Which he has paid into Court for distribution as follows to wit:

To William C. Swank	her son		19	90	Pd
" John F Swank	" "	$111.75 Paid	19	90	Pd
" Cary A Swank	" "	✓	19	90	Pd.
" Cedora J Garrison	her daughter	✓	19	90	Pd
" Annie C Ross	her	✓	9	75	✓
" Zelma N Ross	" "	✓	9	75	✓
" Claud Thompson	" "		4	97½	Pd
" Ira Thompson	" "		4	97½	Pd.
" Estella Thompson	" "		4	97½	Pd.
" Grover C Thompson	" "		4	97½	Pd
" Earl D Harris	Grand son	Pd. 19	91		

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Rec'd 7/23/98 of Wm. A Adams Clerk $4.22 my share herein. Miss Stella Thompson.

And the Clerk is ordered to pay out said sums of money!

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said Estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust!

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court!

In the matter of the estate Lucinda Sanders.

Comes now David Sanders Executor of said Estate by T.J. Cofar his attorney and shows to the Court the affidavit of Julian D Hogate editor of the Hendricks County Republican a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publications was on the 16" day of December 1897. and the last on the 23" day of December 1897 Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.)

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And said Administrator also files the affidavit of R. S. Hollowell from which it appears a like notice was poted at the court house door of said county on the 11" day of December 1897
Said affidavit reads as follows (H.S.)
And the final report herein is submitted to the court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 9" day of December 1897. And by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 6" day of January 1898.
The court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ——— $5-29.30
And entitled to credits in the sum of 5.29.30
The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged
It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust.
All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And Court adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow morning
Record read and signed in open Court

John V. Hadley
Judge

Thursday February 3" 1898 And 27" day January Term

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present John V. Hadley
Judge.

State of Indiana Hendricks County
Hendricks Circuit Court, Jan. Term 1898
In the Guardianship of
Richard B Bryant a person
of Unsound mind:

Comes now Isely W Bryant guardian of said Richard B Bryant and respectfully shows to the Court that he has made an Inventory of the personal Estate of his said ward and caused the same to be appraised and that the first 12 items of said inventory consists of household goods of the appraised value of 107 your petitioner would further show that his wards daughter Clara Bryant has been the housekeeper for some months past for her father and that she and her father are still occupying the homestead and are necessarily using all of said household goods. Wherefor, your petitioner asks that he be authorized to turn over and deliver to said Clara Bryant for the aforesaid use all of said household goods until the Court orders other wise and he asks to sell the residue of the personal estate at private sale for not less than the appraisment. Isely W Bryant
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of February 1898.

Thad S. Adams. Notary Public.

And the Court having examined the foregoing petition now finds that order ought to be made wherefor said guardian is hereby ordered and directed to turn over to said Clara Bryant all of said household goods to be used by her in keeping house for her said father until the further order of the Court and the residue of said personal estate said guardian is authorized and directed to sell at private sale without notice for not less than said appraisement all of which is ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

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Estate of Jeremiah Helton
Deceased } Final Repot

Comes now Frank H Huron administrator of said estate by Miles and Miles his attorneys and submits to the Court his account and vouchers by him filed in final settlement thereof on the 21st day of December 1897, And also files and submits proofs of the posting and publication of notices to the creditors, heirs at law and all others interested in said estate of the filing of said account and vouchers and when the same would be heard which notices and proofs the Court on examination, holds to be sufficient, and that said account, and matters connected therewith are now properly before the Court for final action thereon; said account notices and proofs are in these words. (Insert); And the Court having examined said account and vouchers and heard evidence relating thereto finds that more than one year has elapsed since the grant of letters upon said estate and the giving of notice thereof; that notice of the insolvency of said estate was given according to law, that the sum of 37.74/100 paid by said administrator to the Clerk of this Court for distribution to the preferred creditors of said estate represents the surplus of said estate over and above all credits claimed by said administrator; that said estate has been fully administered save and except the distribution of said surplus among the creditors of said estate

It is therefor ordered that said report be and the same is now fully approved and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his said trust; and that said estate be and the same is adjudged fully administered upon and finally settled and determined

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Ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay said sum of 37 74/100 to the preferred creditors of said estate pro rata according to their claims.

	Amount of Claim		Prorata	Share	
To W.R. McClelland	71	25	27	91	Rd
Huron and Record See Receipt No. 7. Date 12/21.	97	6 50	2	55	Pd
Joel T Barker	6	75	2	65	Rd
C.E. Farabee	4	50	1	76	Rd
C.A. White	3	00	1	178	Rd
McCown & Co	4	35	1	57	Rd.
Total Preferred claims	$96	35	$37	15	

Rec. Feb. 7. 98, of Master Clerk $27.91 my share herein W.R. McClelland

Rec. March 4th 1898 of Masters Clerk $7.17 my share here in full; C.E. Farabee
April 15, '98, Rec'd of Master, Clerk $1.17 my share on distribution C.A. White.
May 23rd 1898 Rec'd of Master Clk 2.65 My share herein Joel T. Barker
Rec'd. 7/14-1904 of Dorgan, Clerk $1.51 our share herein.
McCown - Co

William a Knigh Executor of the Last will of Louisa Clark Deceased.

Vs.

John W. Clark George T Clark & James Gilbert Clark

Comes now said plaintiff. William a Knigh executor of the last Will of Louisa Clark deceased and files his petition in open Court to sell all of the real estate of which said Louisa Clark died seized which petition is in the words and figures following. to wit: (H.J.)

And now comes John W. Clark, George T Clark and James Gilbert Clark, the defendants herein in their own proper persons and file their joint answer to said petition which joint answer is as follows (H.J.) in which joint answer they show that the matter and things alleged in said petition of said plaintiff are true. That the land which said executor asks to be sold ought to be sold as prayed for in said petition. And said executor shows to the Court the appraisement of said real estate filed with said inventory. which appraisement was made by Cyrus K Martin and George T Hunter two reputable free holders and householders of the neighborhood in which said land is situated;

And which appraisement shows that said appraisers appraised said land at the sum of $1000.00 And which appraisement reads as follows Viz inventy And said executor shows to the Court his original bond filed in said estate which bond was given for double the value of both the personal and real estate of said decedent which bond was duly approved by the Court And he also shows to the Court the Will of said Louisa Clark deceased which will contains the following provisions "I wish my farm consisting of 34 and 1/2 acres more or less being a part of the South East quarter of section fourteen, be sold as soon as practicable, and the proceeds to be divided equally between my three sons, John W. Clark. George T Clark

Clark and Gilbert Clark, And the Court after having examined said petition and the answer of and having heard the evidence said defendant and being fully advised in the premises says and finds that said decedent departed this life on the 7th day of November 1897, testate, and that she she died the owner of a part of the East half of the South west quarter of section fourteen township fourteen North Range two west in Hendricks County and State of Indiana and bounded as follows, Commencing at the North east corner of said half quarter thence west 56 rods and 15 links thence South 96. and 10 links; thence East to the East line of said half quarter; thence North 96. rods and 10 links to the place of beginning containing 34 acres and 26 square rods more or less,

That she left as her heirs and her only heirs at law and legatees under her said Will the above named defendants, and she provided in her will that her executor should sell said real estate and distribute the proceeds of said sale among the aforesaid defendants. And the Court finds that said real estate ought to be sold for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said Will. It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the following described real estate, to wit part of the East half of the South west quarter of section fourteen, township fourteen North Range two west in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, and bounded as follows commencing at North east corner of said half quarter; thence west 56 rods and 15 links; thence South 96. rods and 10 links; thence East to the East line of said half quarter; thence North 96. rods and links to the place of beginning; containing 34 acres and 26 square rods more or less. appraised at the sum of $1100.00 ought to be

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sold by said executor to carry out the provisions of said Will; And said administrator is heby empowered to sell said real estate. And it is further ordered that said land shall be sold for one third cash one third in six and the remaining third in twelve months the purchaser to execute his note with surety to be approved by said administrator for the defferred payments secured by mortgage on the real estate sold.
And it appearing to the Court that it would be to the interest of said estate that said real estate be sold at private sale it is ordered that the same be sold at private sale, and that said adminstrator give the notice of such sale required by law.

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John V Hadley
Judge

Friday February 4th 1898 And. 28th day January Term 1898.

Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John V Hadley Judge

In the matter of the Lyda Osborn Guardianship } Current Report

Comes now John A Kuney Guardian by L.A. Barnett his attorney and submits to the Court his current report as such guardian showing that he is chargeable with the sum of ----$ 159.16
And entitled to credits in the sum of ---- 18.07
Leaving a balance in the sum of $ 140.09
To be accounted for in his next report to this Court Said Guardian now asks the Court to approve this report and continue said trust And the Court having examined said report and being fully advised in the premises finds said report correct and the same ought to be approved It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this report be and the same is heby in all things approved and confirmed and said tryst continued

In the matter of the Estate of Mary J Crawford. } Final Report

Comes now Washington Bugg administrator of the estate of Mary J Crawford deceased by Bell and Harvey his attorneys and shows to the Court the affidavit of W.A King editor of the Hendricks County Gazette a public weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Hendricks County Indiana from which affidavit it appears that a notice of the filing of a final report herein had been given in said newspaper for two weeks in succession the first of which publication

was on the 13th day of January 1898 and the last on the 20th day of January 1898. Said affidavit reads as follows [H.S.]

And said Administrator also files the affidavit of John McComick from which it appears Ja like notice was posted at the court house door of said County on the 11th day of January 1898 Said affidavit reads as follows [H.S.]

And now the final report herein is submitted to the Court for hearing finding and decree and after examining said report and being sufficiently advised in the premises finds that said report was filed in this court on the 13th day January 1898 and by an endorsement in writing was set for hearing on the 3rd day February 1898.

The Court also finds that said administrator is chargeable with the sum of ——— $4921.26

And entitled to credits in the sum of ——— 424.12

Leaving a balance in the sum of $4497.14

Which he has paid to them and taken their receipts as will show by his vouchers filed herein,

The Court also finds said report correct and the administrator ought to be discharged

It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the court that said final report be and the same is hereby in all things approved and confirmed said estate is now declared finally settled and said administrator fully and finally discharged from his bond and trust

All of which is finally ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court.

J.M. Tolle
vs,
Est John Hogan
Deceased.

No 1465
Allowed at $4.90

Comes now the parties herein by Counsel and by agreement this Claim is allowed to Plaintiff in the sum of Four Dollar and ninety cents. ($4,90) together with his costs taxed herein. It is therefor ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff herein J.M. Tolle recover from the Estate of John Hogan deceased Four Dollar and ninety cents ($4,90) his Claim herein together with his costs herein taxed and ——— Dollars and ——— cents.

Rosa Gross
vs,
Est Elizabeth Gross
Deceased

No. 1475
Dismissed at cost of Plaintiff

Comes now the Defendant but the Plaintiff being three times loudely called in open Court but comes not but herein wholly makes default

It is therefor considered adjudged and decreed by the Court that this case be and the same is hereby dismissed for want of Prosecution and that the defendant recover of the Plaintiff his costs and charges in this case laid out and expended taxed ——— Dollars and ——— cents;

And Court adjourned until 9 A.M. tomorrow morning Record read and signed in open Court

John W Wadley
Judge.

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Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present
John D Hadley
Judge:

~~In the matter of the Estate of John Miles Deceased.~~

~~Comes now again the Executor Thomas J Miles by his attorneys and also comes Florence O Bray by her attorneys and the Court being fully informed and advised in the premises now sustains the motion of said Thomas J Miles to strike out the exception of said Florence O Bray herein to which ruling of the Court the said Florence O Bray at the time excepts and thereupon filed her bill of exceptions Not duly signed by the Court which Bill is in words and figures following N.D.~~

~~And now said Florence O Bray files her petition for distribution herein, which petition is in words and figures following to wit (N.D.)~~

In the Guardianship of
Daisy M and John W Estep
Minor heirs of William L.
Estep deceased

Comes now Shirley Showalter and Company and presents a bill for two hundred and ninety two dollars and sixty cents for clothing furnished to the above named John W. Estep, between the 18th day of August 1893 and this date, and a bill of two hundred and twelve dollars and ninety three cents for clothing furnished to the above named Daisy M Estep between the 31st day of July 1893 and this date, and ask that the Guardian of said minor children

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pay said bills or show cause where the same should not be paid, and the Court having examined said bills and said Daisy M. and John W Estep and Alva Showalter concerning said purchases of clothing finds that said bills ought to be paid.

The Court, now, therefore orders the guardian of said Minors to pay to said Shirley Showalter and Company, out of the first money coming into his hands belonging to said minors, as Guardian of said Daisy M Estep the sum of two hundred and twelve dollars, and ninety three cents $212.93 and as Guardian of John W Estep, the sum of two hundred and ninety two Dollars and sixty cents $292.60 and to take credit for said sums in his next current or final report after paying the same;

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And Court adjourned until Court in cause Record Read and signed in open Court

John W Wadley
Judge;

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Robert A Campbell deceased } Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 10th day of February 1898 Wm W Stocker by Adams and Enloe his attorneys filed the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court the Widows Relinquishment together with his Petition for letters of Administration Said Relinquishment and Petition reads as follows. (K.S.)

And the Clerk having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises and finding that that the said Wm W Stocker is a proper person to be intrusted with does now appoint him administrator of said estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Eight thousand $8000.00 Dollars with John Dunham and F.D. Hays as his surety which bond and the security thereon is now duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows. to wit (K.S.)

Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said Wm W. Stocker and reads as follows. (K.S.)

And further proceedings herein are continued;

Vacation

Estate of John H Osborn Deceased; } Petition for an order to sell personal property at private sale

Be it remembered that on the 12th day of February 1898 Before the Honorable John R Hadley Judge, of the Hendricks Circuit in Chambers the following proceedings were had in said estate

Comes the administratrix and files her petition for an order to sell personal property at private sale which petition is as follows: to wit:

Sarah E Osborn Administrator of the above estate shows to the Court that the personal property of said estate not taken by the widow consists of

24	Shoats appraised at.	$76.00
1	Male Cow " "	30.00
1	Mare " "	35.00
1	Ol Wagon "	1.00
1	Spring Wagon "	5.00
		$182.00

That she can sell said property at private sale as well as at public sale and save the expenses of a public sale and she asks for an order so to do;

Sarah E Osborn.

Subscribed and sworn to this 6th day February 1898

James L Clark
Notary Public.

And the court being sufficiently advised now orders said administratrix to sell said property at private sale without notice for not less than the appraised value and for cash and to report such sale or sales to this Court.

Vacation

In the matter of the estate of Rebecca E Burns deceased } Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 16th day of February 1898 William E Beaman by Bulley and Pennington his attorneys filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court his petition for letters of of Administration upon the Estate of Rebecca E Burns, said petition is in the words and figures following (H.J.)

And the Clerk having examined said Petition and being fully advised in the premises finds that the said William E Beaman is a proper person to be intrusted with said estate does now appoint him administrator of said estate upon his filing a bond in the penal sum of Twenty two $1200 Dollars with Thomas J Nash as his surety which bond and the surety thereon is now approved by the Clerk. and reads as follows. (H.J.)

Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said William E Beaman and reads as follows. (H.J.)

And further proceedings herein are are continued.

Vacation

In the matter of the Estate of Silas Bryant. deceased } Appointment.

Be it remembered that on 18th day of February 1898 George I Hunter by John P Allee his attorney filed in the office of the Clerk of the Hendricks Circuit Court the Widows Request to appoint George I Hunter as Administrator Said Request reads as follows (H.S.)
The said George I Hunt also files his petition for letter of administrator said petition reads as follows. (H.S.) And the Clerk having examined said petition and being fully advised in the premises finds said George I Hunter is a proper person to be intrusted with said administrator does now appoint him Administrator upon his filing his bond in the penal sum of $300.00 with James D Pratt and Henry Hadley as surety which bond and surety is now duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows (H.S.)
And Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said George I Hunter and reads as follows (H.S.)
And further proceedings herein are continued.

Vacation

In the matter of the estate of Iredell Simmons deceased. } Appointment

Be it remembered that on the 28th day of February 1898, William H Simmons by Thomas J Cofer his attorney filed in the Clerks office of the Hendricks Circuit Court the Widows Relinquishment together with his Petition for letters of administration upon the estate of Iredell Simmons deceased. Said petition and Request reads as follows. (H.S.)
And the Clerk having examined said petition and Request and being fully advised in the Premises finds said William H Simmons is a proper person to be intrusted with said administration does now appoint him Administrator upon his filing his bond in the penal sum of Three thousand $3000.00 Dollars, with Amos. Carter and James M Barlow and Oscar Hadley as sureties which bond and the surety thereon is now duly approved by the Clerk and reads as follows. (H.S.)
Whereupon letters of Administration were issued to the said William H Simmons and reads as follows (H.S.)
And further proceedings herein are continued