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SUSANNAH SMITH

ESTATE

1897

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

Land Sale
Disposed of January term
1898.
No. 1456

HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT.

PROBATE.

ESTATE OF

Susannah Smith

G. E. & C. D. Page

Joshua Hadley
Administrator.

Filed Sept 1st 1897

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T. J. Cofer
Administrator's Attorney.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

(1-31-95)

In the matter of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased, proceedings to sell real estate.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Hendricks Circuit Court, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased, will offer for sale at private sale at his residence in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, on

Saturday the 30th day of Oct., 1897.

the whole or the following described real estate in Hendricks County and State of Indiana to-wit:

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And he will also sell lot No. 6 and lot No. 9, in the town of Hadley, Hendricks county and State of Indiana.

Terms:—One-third cash in hand, the residue in equal payments at 6 and 12 months from date of sale. With notes at 6 per cent, interest, waiving valuation and appraisalment laws and secured by mortgage upon the real estate sold.

Should no satisfactory bid be received on said day for said real estate, the sale will be continued from day to day until all of said real estate is sold.

JOSHUA HADLEY, Administrator.

9-30-4t.

\$10⁶⁵

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16 day of Nov., 1897

Received _____ of _____ Clerk

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents, in full for publishing the above notice

a, Hendricks County, ss:

Personally appeared before the undersigned, JULIAN D. HOGATE, editor of the HENDRICKS COUNTY REPUBLICAN, a public weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Danville, in the County aforesaid, who being duly sworn, upon his oath, saith that the notice, of which the attached is a true copy, was duly published in said paper for 4 weeks successively, the first of which publication was on the 30th day of September 1897 and the last on the 21st day of October, 1897.

Julian D. Hogate

Estate of
Joannah Smith

Sale of Real Estate
\$10⁰⁰

Taxed

STATE OF INDIANA,
HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

Joshua Hadley, being
posted notices, a copy of
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which said land described
weeks before the time fixed
aldn.

And further affiant says

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Thomas J. Cofer, a Notary Public
in and for said County this 11th day of January, 1893.

T. J. Cofer, Atty.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

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JOSHUA HADLEY,
Administrator.

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Joshua Hadley

Thomas J. Cofer
Notary Public.



STATE OF INDIANA,

HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

Joshua Hadley, being first duly sworn on his oath says, that he posted notices, a copy of which is hereto attached in five public places, three of which were posted in Clay township, the township in which said land described in said notice is situated, more than four weeks before the time fixed in said notice for the day of sale of said land.

And further affiant sayeth not.

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.





No.

In The Matter of
The Estate of
Susannah Smith,
Deceased,

Affidavit of
Posting Notice

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Wm. S. Masten

CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.

Mrs. Hofer, Atty.

STATE OF INDIANA,
HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT,
SEPTEMBER TERM, 1897.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SUSAN SMITH, DECEASED.

Joshua Hadley, administrator
of Estate of Susan Smith, Deceased.

VS.

Rebecca J. Lindley, Newton Woodward,
Mary Smith, Matilda S. Wheeler,
Ruth Trueblood & Iro B T rueblood.

Adison Lindley Alany Whub
Nancy Woodward

The undersigned administrator of the estate of S
Susannah Smith, deceased, shows to the Court that said deced-
ent died intestate.

That she left a personal estate of \$. And that
the debts of the estate so far as they have come to the pe-
titioners knowledge amount to \$450.00, showing an insufficiency
of the personal estate to pay the debts and liabilities, in-
cluding taxes and expenses of administration of about
\$600.00.

That said decedent died the owner in fee simple of the
following described real estate situated in Hendricks County
and State of Indiana, to wit:-

The West half of the South West quarter of section 24,
township 15, North, Range two West, except so much of said half
quarter as has heretofore been deeded to Mordcai Hadley. that
part of said land belonging to said decedent, being bounded as
follows to wit:-

~~xxxxxxx~~ Beginning 40 poles North of the South
West corner of said section at Mordcai Hadley's North West
corner; thence North with the section line to the half mile

statke 120 poles;thence East 80 poles to the North East corner of said half quarter;thence South 120 poles to Mordecai Hadley's North East corner to within 40 poles of the South East corner of said half quarter;thence West 80 poles to the place of beginning. Containing 60 acres more Of ~~less~~probable value of \$2000.00

She also died the owner of lot No. 6, in the town of Hadley, Indiana, of the probable value of \$400.00. Also the owner of lot No. 9 in the town of Hadley, State of Indiana, of the probable value of \$100.00

That the decedent left surviving her the following named children, Rebecca J. Lindley, Mary Smith, Matilda S. Wheeler and Newton Woodward. And the following grandchildren, Ruth Trueblood and Iro Trueblood, who are the heirs and only heirs at law of said decedent.

That Addison Lindley is the husband of Rebecca J. Lindley and Nancy Woodward is the wife of Newton Woodward and Alonza Wheeler is the husband of Matilda S. Wheeler, and they ~~xxx~~ are hereby made party defendants to answer to their interest in said real estate.

WHEREFORE said administrator parys an order from the Court directing the sale of said real estate for the purpose of the payments of the debts and liabilities of said estate.

Joshua Hadley-----

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 23rd. day of August, 1897.

Thomas Hofer-----
Notary Public

No 14 56

Joshua Hooley
Administrator of
Susanah Smith
deceased,

Richard Linsley
et al

SEP 1 1897

Wm. S. Masten

The clerk will issue
summons on the
within Complaint
for Ruth Lubbock
and Mrs Lubbock
to shiriff of Hancock
County and make
same returnable on
the Monday the 13
day of Sept 1897

W. Hooper
clerk for Hooper

STATE OF INDIANA,
HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT,
SEPTEMBER TERM, 1897.

IN MATTER OF ESTATE OF SUSANAH SMITH, DECEASED.

JOSHUAH HADLEY, ADMINISTRATOR
OF SAID ESTATE

VS.

REBECCA J. LINDLEY, NEWTON
WOODWRAD, et al.

Robert T. Hollowell, appointed by the Court guardian ad litem for infant defendants in said cause to w wit:- Ruth Trueblood & Iro C. Trueblood for answer to said petition in said complaint denies each and every material allegation therein contained. And asks the Court to require the petitioner therein to make strict proof of the allegations of said petition .



Guardian ad litem.

Justina Hadley
Administer
v
Rebecca J Lindley
Et. al.

Answers of questions
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Walter S. Masten

CLERK HENDRICKS D. D.

W. L. Hollowell
Guard

STATE OF INDIANA,
HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT,
SEPTEMBER TERM, 1897.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SUSANNAH SMITH, DECEASED.

Joshuah Hadley, administrator of the estate of Susannah
Smith deceased,

VS.

Rebecca J. Lindley, Newton Woodward,
Mary Smith, Matilda S. Wheeler,
Ruth Trueblood, Iro ~~W~~ Trueblood.

*Adison Lindley Alonzo L Wheeler
Nancy Woodward*

The defendants, Rebecca J. Lindley, Newton Woodward, Mary
Adison Lindley Alonzo L Wheeler and Nancy Woodward
Smith and Matilda S. Wheeler, for answer to the plaintiffs

complaint and petition herein say, that the matters and
things set out in said petition are true. And that said real-
estate ought to be sold.

And they ask the Court to order the sale of said real-
estate as prayed for in said petition.

Matilda S. Wheeler.

Alonzo L Wheeler

Mary Smith

*Newton Woodward. Nancy Woodward.
Rebecca J. Lindley Adison Lindley*

No

Joshua Hadley or
Adm of Susannah
Smith Deceased

Rebecca J. Lindley
Et al.

Answer

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SEP 20 1887

Wm C. Maston

CLERK HENDRICKS & CO.

Monday Sept 20 1897 + 13 day of
Sept Term O.B. 20 p 288

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SUSANAH SMITH, DECEASED.

Comes now Joshua Hadley, administrator of Susanah, deceased
by Thomas J. Cofer, his attorney, and presents to the Court
his petition heretofore filed for the sake of all the real
estate belonging to said decedent, and ~~by~~ the endorsement upon
the back of said petition showing that the process issued and
in said cause was made returnable on the 13th. day of Sep-
tember, 1897, the same being the 7th. day of September Term
of said Court.

He also shows to the Court the summons issued in said
cause and the sheriffs return endorsed thereon, whereby it
appears that the defendant Ruth Trueblood and Iro C. Trueblood
were each of them duly served 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 in-
fancy of said defendants, Ruth and Iro C. Trueblood, and asks
that a guardian ad litem be appointed for the same. Whereupon
the Court appoints Robert T. Hollowell, a practicing attor-
ney at this bar for guardian ad litem for said infant de-
fendants.

And said Robert T. Hollowell now comes and files his
answer to said petition as such guardian ad litem, which an-
swer is as follows:- (H.I.)

And now comes Rebecca J. Lindley, Newton Woodward, Mary
Smith, Matilda S. Wheeler, Addison Lindley, Alonzo L. Wheeler
and Nancy Woodward, each in his own proper person and files
answer to said petition, which answer of each of said de-
fendants is in the words and figures following to wit:- (H.I.)

The said Rebecca J. Lindley, Newton Woodward, Mary Smith, ~~Matilda~~ Matilda S. Wheeler, Ruth Trueblood and Iro C. Truebleed defendants herein being heirs and all the heirs of said Susanah Smith, deceased.

And the said Addison Lindley, being the husband of Rebecca J. Lindley and Alonza Wheeler, the husband of Matilda S. Wheeler and Nancy Woodward the wife of Newton Woodward.

And now said administrator presents and files the appraisal of said real estate, which appraisal was made by William C. Stanley and Harvey R. Benbow, two disinterested freeholders and householders of the neighborhood. Which appraisal is in the words and figures following to wit: - (H.I.) 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: - (H.I.) Said bond being in the sum of \$4500.00, with Addison Hadley and Perry Hunt as 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 ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~estate~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~deceased~~ ~~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 the said Susanah Smith, deceased. And that they are each

over the age of 21 years, except Ruth and Iro 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 therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that said land, to wit: -

The West half of the South West quarter of section 24, township 15, 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 assets to pay the debts of said decedent; at private sale, after ~~being~~ 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 deferred payment to be given with approved freehold surety, bearing 6% interest from date.

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

No 1436
Land Sale
Susannah Smith

Entry

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E N T R Y.

STATE OF INDIANA,
HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

CAUSE NO. 1456

JOSHUA HADLEY, ADMINISTRATOR OF
SUSANNAH SMITH, DECEASED.

VS.

REBECCA J. LINDLEY, *et al*

PETITION TO SELL LAND.

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~~ ^{words} and figures as follows, to wit:-(H.I.)

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:-(H.I.)

He also presents and files his report of the sale of said real estate, which report is in the ~~w~~ords and figures as follows, to wit:-(Clerk will here copy report in full)

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~~ 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 of Conveyance on said purchaser executing to him a

mortgage on said real estate, to wit: All of the West half of the 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 Mordecai 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 his approval is thereon written, in these words; "examined and approved by me in Open Court, this 11th 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.

No. 1456.

Joshua Hadley, ad-
ministratoꝛ of Estate
of Susannah Smith
deceas'd.

vs.
Rebecca J. Lindley
et al.

Entry.

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Thos. Hooper, Atty.

No. 1456.

Report of Sale

In the Matter of the
Estate of Susannah
Smith, Deceased.

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Wm. S. Masten
CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.

Thos. Hooper, Atty.

REPORT OF SALE

STATE OF INDIANA,

HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS.

HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT,

Joshua Hadley, Administrator of
Susannah Smith, deceased.

JANUARY TERM, 1898.

VS.

Rebecca J. Lindley, *et al*

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 notices with the copies of said notices annexed are filed herewith and made a part of this report (H.I.) That he would sell at private sale, at his residence in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, ~~described~~ the interest of said decedent in the following described real estate situate in the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana, to wit:- All of the West half of the South West quarter of section twenty-four, township fifteen, North, Range Two West, except twenty acres off of the South end of said half quarter heretofore sold and deeded to Mordecai 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

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased, proceedings to sell real estate.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Hendricks Circuit Court, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased, will offer for sale at private sale at his residence in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, on

Saturday the 30th day of Oct., 1897,

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And he will also sell lot No. 6 and lot No. 9, in the town of Hadley, Hendricks county and State of Indiana.

Terms:—One-third cash in hand, the residue in equal payments at 6 and 12 months from date of sale. With notes at 6 per cent. interest waiving valuation and appraisal laws and secured by mortgage upon the real estate sold.

Should no satisfactory bid be received on said day for said real estate, the sale will be continued from day to day until all of said real estate is sold.

JOSUA HADLEY,
Administrator.

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

Julian DeHogate
Mell C. Masten

Received _____ of _____

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents, in full for publishing the above notice

a, Hendricks County, ss:

Personally appeared before the undersigned, JULIAN D. HOGATE, editor of the HENDRICKS COUNTY REPUBLICAN, a public weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Danville, in the County aforesaid, who being duly sworn, upon his oath, saith that the notice, of which the attached is a true copy, was duly published in said paper for 3 weeks successively, the first of which publication was on the 30th day of September, 1897, and the last on the 21st day of October, 1897.

Estate of
Susannah Smith

Administrator's
Sale of
Real Estate

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JAN 11 1898

W. C. Masten

CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Joshua Hadley.

Addison Hadley Perry Hunt

are bound unto THE STATE OF INDIANA, in the penal sum of Four thousand and Five hundred dollars, to pay which we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators.

Sealed and dated, the 20 day of September 1897.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS, That as the above bound Administrator of the Estate of

deceased, has been ordered by the Circuit Court of County, to sell Real Estate of

Now, if the said

will faithfully discharge the duties of his trust according to law, then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force in law.

Joshua Hadley [SEAL.]

Addison Hadley [SEAL.]

Perry Hunt [SEAL.]

Approved the 20 day of Sept 1897 John Stragley Clerk

Circuit Court County.

State of Indiana, County, ss:

I, swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, Dollars, as I believe; so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the day of 189 Clerk

Circuit Court County.

State of Indiana, County, ss:

I, swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness Dollars, as I believe; so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the day of 189 Clerk

Circuit Court County.

ESTATE OF

Susannah Smith

Deceased.

Josua Hodby

Administrator.

CIRCUIT COURT,

Sept Term, 1897

Bond to Sell Real Estate.

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Wall B. Master Clerk.
CLERK HENDRICKS & C.

Attorney.

Answered

State of Indiana, Hendricks County.

~~etc~~, *Harvey A. Benbow* and *William C Stanley*
~~swear~~ ^{affirm} that we will honestly appraise the Real Estate of *Susannah Smith*
deceased, which may be exhibited to us.

William C Stanley

Appraisers.

Harvey R Benbow

Subscribed and ^{affirmed} sworn to, this *16* day of *September*, 189*7*, before me.

Joshua Hadley admr.

An Inventory of all *Susannah Smith* of the Real Estate of
deceased, and described as follows, to-wit:

The west half of the South West quarter of Section
Twenty four Township 15 North Range 12 West
Except so much of said half quarter as has been
heretofore deeded to *Mordica Hodley*. That part of
said land belonging to said decedent being bounded
as follows to wit: Beginning 40 poles North of
the South West corner of said section at *Mordica*
North West corner; thence North with the section line to
to the half mile stake 120 poles; thence South East
80 poles to the North East corner of the said
half quarter; thence South 120 poles to *Mordica*
Hodley's North East corner and to within 40 poles
of the South East corner of the said half quarter;
thence West to the place of beginning containing 60
acres more or less, which we appraise at *\$18,000*

Also Lot number six in the town of *Hadley* Indiana
which we appraise at *\$700.00*

Also Lot number nine in the town of *Hadley*
in said County and State
which we appraise at *\$40.00*

and appraised by us at \$

William C Stanley

Appraisers.

Harvey R Benbow

Administrator's Appraisement of Real Estate.

ESTATE OF

Susannah Smith
Deceased.

Joshua Hooley
Administrator.

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Wm. B. Masten

CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.

Filed _____ day of _____, 189

Clerk.

E N T R Y

STATE OF INDIANA,

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA,

JOSHUA HADLEY, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF SUSANAE SMITH,
DECEASED.

Comes now Joshua Hadley, administrator of said estate, and reports the sale of certain real estate of said decedent, pursuant to an order of this Court, to Frank and Ella Dickerson, which report is as follows: (Here Clerk will copy the report in full) and the Court having examined said report approves the same, and modifies the order of sale so as to allow the Administrator to receive the entire purchase price of said real estate cash in hand, and he confirms said sale and orders said administrator to execute to the purchaser, Frank Dickerson and Ella Dickerson, a proper deed of conveyance, conveying said real estate, to wit: - Lot No. 6 and Lot No 9, to the said purchaser

And now comes said Administrator and as such, brings into Court the Deed duly executed by him conveying said real estate to said purchaser, which Deed is submitted to the Court for its inspection, and on examining said Deed, said Court finds the same to be correct, and approves the same. And he writes his approval on said Deed in these words to wit: - "Approved in open Court this 17th day of September, 1898."

John V. Hadley, Judge.

And said Administrator is hereby ordered to deliver said Deed to said purchaser as the evidence of their title.

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

Ms.

In the Matter of
The Estate of
Susannah Smith
Deceased.

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SEP 27 1898

Wm. S. Maston
CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.

Rec. O.B. 21 P 231

J. J. Cofer atty.

State of Indiana Hendricks County
Circuit Court September Term 1898

In the matter of the estate of Susannah
Smith deceased.

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 ~~that~~ as required
by law, by publication and posting
of notices, proofs of which publication
and posting of notices, with copies of said
notices are filed herewith and made
a part of this report (H S) that he
would sell at private sale at his
residence in Hendricks County and
State of Indiana ~~the~~ on Saturday
the 30th day of October 1898 the
interest of said decedent in the
following described real estate in
Hendricks County and State of
Indiana to wit Lots Number Six
and Lots Number Nine in the
Town of Hadley. and he further
reports to the Court that in said
notice he provided that if no satisfac-
tory bid was received on said day
said sale would be continued from
day to day and said land would
be offered from day to day until the
same was sold. and he further

reports to the court that he was present at the time and place designated in said notices and offered said real estate for sale as provided in said notices but ~~that~~ receiving no satisfactory bid on said day he continued to offer said real estate from day to day until the 16th day of September 1898 when Franklin and Ella Dickerson bid for said real estate the sum of \$450, and that being more than the full appraised value of said real estate and being the highest and best price offered him for said real estate, the same was then and there sold to the said Frank Dickerson and Ella Dickerson for said sum of \$450.

He further shews to the court that said purchasers offer to pay all of said ^{purchase} money cash in hand instead $\frac{1}{3}$ cash $\frac{1}{3}$ in 6 months and the remainder 12 months from day of sale and he says that the payment of said money all cash in hand will enable him to settle said estate much earlier than he could if he should be compelled to wait until the deferred payments became due.

He therefore asks the court to so modify said order of sale as to allow him to accept all of said purchase

Money cash in hand and he asks
that this report be approved and the
sale confirmed and that he authorize
to execute deed to said purchasers

Joshua Hadley Adm.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 14th day September 1898

Thomas Hooper
Notary Public

Ms.

Report of Sale
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In the Matter of the  
Estate of Susannah  
Smith, Deceased.

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Wm. S. Masten

CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.



F. J. Ferraty

No. 1677

**HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT.**

**PROBATE.**

ESTATE OF

*Susana Smith*

G. E. & C. D. 3<sup>rd</sup> Page 106

*Joshua Hadley*  
Administrator.

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*Thos. J. Cofer*  
Administrator's Attorney.

Wm. B. Burford, Printer, Indianapolis.

E N T R Y.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SUSANNAH SMITH, DECEASED.

Comes now Joshua Hadley and presents and files the following petition in said estate. ( Here insert petition in full )

And the Court having examined said petition, heard the evidence and being fully advised in the premises, finds that said petition ought to be granted said administrator therefore

Said administrator is 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.

No.

In the Matter of  
the Estate of  
Susannah Smith,  
Deceased.

Entry.

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Wm. S. Maston  
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VOUCHER NO. 3 Sept 16 1897

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah, deceased,

the sum of one DOLLARS,  
on account of appraisement of real  
estate

\$ 1.00 Harvey R Bentou

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO. 2 Sept. 16 1897

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,

the sum of one DOLLARS,  
on account of appraisement of real  
estate

\$ 1.00 William C Stanley

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO. 1 August 28<sup>th</sup> 1897

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,

the sum of two DOLLARS,  
on account of hauling gravel (land tax)

\$ 2.00 Lawrence Hadley

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.



VOUCHER NO.

February 19<sup>th</sup>

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of \_\_\_\_\_

on account of money advanced for  
glass & one piece of sash  
for repairs. (Lot 9 Hadley Ind)

90 DOLLARS,

\$

Albert Mader

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

5

Nov 6

1897

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of one \_\_\_\_\_

on account of

glass and putty

15 DOLLARS,  
100

\$ 1.15

Hadley & Symonds

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

4

Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>

1897

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of three \_\_\_\_\_

on account of

digging grave

DOLLARS,

\$ 3.00

B. F. Beard

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No.

March 9

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of one

on account of recording deed to lot 409 &  
in town of Hadley, conveyed by Joseph  
A. Clark & wife to Susannah Smith.

\$ 1.00

Wm. L. Wilson Recorder H.C.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No.

March 8

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of

on account of advertising Hadley  
property for sale

\$ 0.30

J. D. Rogate

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No. 6

January 7

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of Twelve

on account of erecting a monument  
at grave of deceased.

\$ 12.00

S. W. Steel

By E. H. Bour

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

June 23<sup>rd</sup>

1898

RECEIVED OF

Goshua Hadley

, the

Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (dec)

the sum of Ten

DOLLARS,

on account of making abstract of title to lot 6 & 9 in the town of Hadley Ind.

\$ 10.00

Downard & Parker

W. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

VOUCHER NO.

June 18<sup>th</sup>

1898

RECEIVED OF

Goshua Hadley

, the

Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (dec)

the sum of one

DOLLARS,

on account of recording mortgage release Lots 6 & 9 in the town of Hadley Ind.

\$ 1.00

Wm. L. Wilson Recorder

W. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

VOUCHER NO.

March 5<sup>th</sup>

1898

Received of

Goshua Hadley

, the Administrator

of the estate of

Susannah Smith

, deceased,

the sum of

47 DOLLARS,

on account of

telegram to A. S. Whaler.

\$ 0.47

W. W. Ralston

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

June 17

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,

the sum of ten DOLLARS,  
on account of signing mortgage release  
on lot 6 in the town of  
Hadley Ind.

\$ 10 00

Mary A. Payne

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

June 17

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,

the sum of ten DOLLARS,  
on account of signing mortgage release  
on lot 6 in the town of  
Hadley Ind.

\$ 10 00

Kizzie <sup>her</sup> ~~work~~ <sup>levy</sup>

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

729

1898

RECEIVED OF Joshua Hadley, the  
Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (dec.)

the sum of 30 DOLLARS,  
on account of releasing mortgage & Gov. stamp.

\$ 0.30

W. L. Wilson R. H. C.

W. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

VOUCHER NO. ....

January 17.

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,

the sum of One hundred and twenty one <sup>50</sup>/<sub>100</sub> DOLLARS,

on account of claim allowed by Court against  
said estate

\$ 121 <sup>50</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

A. L. Huber.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO. ....

Oct 29

1898

RECEIVED OF Joshua Hadley, the  
Administrator of Susannah Smith (dec.)

the sum of Twenty eight <sup>20</sup>/<sub>100</sub> DOLLARS,

on account of attys. fees in the case of,  
- Job Hadley's will contested,

\$ 28 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

In C. Rogers  
collecting agent for attys

VOUCHER NO. ....

June 16<sup>th</sup>

1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Hadley, deceased,

the sum of Ten DOLLARS,

on account of signing mortgage release  
on lot 6 in the town of  
Hadley Ind.

\$ 10 00

J. W. Cole

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No.

May 21<sup>st</sup> 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of Seventy-five DOLLARS,  
on account of Second partial distribution  
of said estate.

Rebecca J. Lindley

\$ 75.00

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No.

January 17 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of One hundred and seventy five DOLLARS,  
on account of partial distribution of  
said estate.

Rebecca Jane Lindley

\$ 175.00

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No.

January 17 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of Two hundred and thirty five <sup>30</sup>/<sub>100</sub> DOLLARS,  
on account of claim allowed by court  
against said estate.

\$ 235.30

Matilda S. Wheeler.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

May 21<sup>st</sup> 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of Seventy-five DOLLARS,  
on account of second partial distribution  
of said estate.

\$ 75.00

Newton Woodward.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

January 17 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of One hundred and seventy five DOLLARS,  
on account of partial distribution of  
said estate

\$ 175.00

Newton Woodward.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

Nov 5 1898

RECEIVED OF Joshua Hadley, the  
Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (decd)  
the sum of One hundred & thirty eight  $\frac{65}{100}$  DOLLARS,  
on account of final distribution

This making my interest in  
full in said estate

\$ 138.65

Rebecca J. Lindley

W. B. GUYFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

VOUCHER NO.

May 21<sup>st</sup> 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of Seventy-five DOLLARS,  
on account of second partial distribution  
of said estate.

\$ 75.00

Matilda S. Wheeler.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

January 17 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of One hundred and seventy five DOLLARS,  
on account of partial distribution of  
said estate

\$ 175.00

Matilda S. Wheeler.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

Nov 2 1898

RECEIVED OF Joshua Hadley, the  
Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (dec'd)  
the sum of One Hundred Thirty Eight &  $\frac{65}{100}$  DOLLARS,  
on account of final distribution.

This making my interest in full  
in said estate.

\$ 138.65

Newton Woodward.

WM. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS



VOUCHER NO.

May 21<sup>st</sup> 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of Seventy-five DOLLARS,  
on account of second partial distribution  
of said estate.

\$ 75.00

Mary Smith

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

January 17 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of One hundred and seventy five DOLLARS,  
on account of partial distribution of said  
estate

\$ 175.00

Mary Smith

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER NO.

Nov 2 1898

RECEIVED OF Joshua Hadley, the  
Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (dec'd)  
the sum of One hundred & thirty eight  $\frac{65}{100}$  DOLLARS,  
on account of final distribution  
This making my interest in  
full in said estate.

\$ 138.65

Matilda S. Wheeler  
Per A. L. Wheeler

W. B. GUNFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

VOUCHER No. ....

Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of One hundred & ninety four <sup>32</sup>/<sub>100</sub> DOLLARS,  
on account of distribution to Gro<sup>o</sup> C.  
Trueblood

\$ 194 <sup>32</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Joshua Hadley  
Guardian.

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No. ....

Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 1898

Received of Joshua Hadley, the Administrator  
of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,  
the sum of One hundred & ninety four <sup>32</sup>/<sub>100</sub> DOLLARS,  
on account of distribution to Ruth Trueblood.

\$ 194 <sup>32</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Joshua Hadley  
Guardian

W. H. Morrison & Co., Printers, Indianapolis.

VOUCHER No. ....

Nov 2 1898

RECEIVED OF Joshua Hadley, the  
Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith (dece<sup>d</sup>)  
the sum of One Hundred thirty Eight & <sup>65</sup>/<sub>100</sub> DOLLARS,  
on account of final distribution.

This making my interest in full  
in said estate.

\$ 138.65

Mary Smith

W. S. GUNFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS, IN.

VOUCHER NO. ....

Oct 28<sup>th</sup> 11

1898

RECEIVED OF

Joshua Hadley

Administrator of

Susannah Smith

, the

deceased

the sum of

Eighty

DOLLARS,

on account of

Attorneys fees in said Estate

\$ 80.00

WM. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

Thomas J. Coffey

No. ....

CLERK'S OFFICE,

\$ 36. <sup>10</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Danville, Hendricks County, Ind. Oct 28<sup>th</sup>

1898

Received of

Joshua Hadley

Administrator

of the Estate of

Susannah Smith

deceased,

Thirty six

Dollars and

ten

Cents,

In full of all costs

F. B.

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Wm C Marten

Clerk.

No. 578

CLAY TOWNSHIP  
TREASURER'S OFFICE,

\$27.38  
100

2/5 1898.

RATES OF TAXATION.

|                                                       |                                                        |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| First One-Half<br>82 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.38 on Poll. | Second One-Half<br>57 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.37 on Poll. |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|

Danville, Hendricks County, Ind.

RECEIVED OF

the sum of *Twenty Seven & 3/4*

DOLLARS,

100

In full for ~~MAY~~ **NOVEMBER** INSTALLMENT of State, County, School, Township, Special School and Road Taxes, for the year 1897, on Poll and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to wit:

Total Value Property, \$1970.

| DESCRIPTION OF LAND. | SEC.      | TOWN.     | RANGE.    | ACRES.    | HUND. | NAME OF TOWNS. | LOT.     | BLOCK. |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|----------------|----------|--------|
| <i>M O M S W</i>     | <i>24</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>60</i> |       | <i>Hadley</i>  | <i>6</i> |        |
|                      |           |           |           |           |       | "              | <i>9</i> |        |

*O M Praisol*

Treasurer Hendricks County.

W. B. BURFORD, INDIANAPOLIS.

No. 580

CLAY TOWNSHIP  
TREASURER'S OFFICE,

10/24 1897.

RATES OF TAXATION.

|                                                       |                                                       |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| First One-Half<br>83 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.38 on Poll. | Second One-Half<br>58 Cents<br>and<br>\$1.37 on Poll. |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|

Danville, Hendricks County, Ind.,

RECEIVED OF

the sum of *Twenty Eight & 1/4*

DOLLARS,

100

In full for **NOVEMBER** INSTALLMENT of State, County, School, Township, Special School and ~~ing~~ Taxes, for the year 1898, on Poll and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to wit:

Total Value Property, \$2000.

| DESCRIPTION OF LAND. | SEC.      | TOWN.     | RANGE.    | ACRES.    | HUND. | NAME OF TOWNS. | LOT.     | BLOCK. |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|----------------|----------|--------|
| <i>M O M S W</i>     | <i>24</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>60</i> |       | <i>Hadley</i>  | <i>6</i> |        |
|                      |           |           |           |           |       | "              | <i>9</i> |        |

*By Joshua Hadley adm.*

*O M Praisol*

Treasurer Hendricks County.

Cash Book Page

W. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS.

No.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

\$1264 100

10/28

1898.

**RATES OF TAXATION.**

|                                                       |                                                        |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| First One-Half<br>86 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.38 on Poll. | Second One-Half<br>63 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.37 on Poll. |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|

Danville, Hendricks County, Ind.,

Received of *Joshua Hadley* Adm. *Susannah Smith*

the sum of *Twelve & 64/100* DOLLARS, 100

In full for ~~NOVEMBER INSTALLMENT~~ of State, County, School, Township and Special School Taxes, for the year 1898, on ~~Real~~ and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to wit:

Total Value Property, \$

| DESCRIPTION OF LAND. | SEC. | TOWN. | RANGE. | ACRES. | HUND. | NAME OF TOWN. | LOT. | BLOCK. |
|----------------------|------|-------|--------|--------|-------|---------------|------|--------|
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*O M Pursol*

Treasurer Hendricks County.

No.

CLAY TOWNSHIP.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

\$ 609 100

10/28

1898.

**RATES OF TAXATION.**

|                                                       |                                                        |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| First One-Half<br>82 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.38 on Poll. | Second One-Half<br>57 Cents,<br>and<br>\$1.37 on Poll. |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|

Danville, Hendricks County, Ind.,

Received of *Susannah Smith*

the sum of *Six & 09/100* DOLLARS, 100

In full for ~~NOVEMBER INSTALLMENT~~ of State, County, School, Township and Special School Taxes, for the year 1898, on ~~Real~~ and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to wit:

Total Value Property, \$

| DESCRIPTION OF LAND. | SEC. | TOWN. | RANGE. | ACRES. | HUND. | NAME OF TOWN. | LOT.     | BLOCK. |
|----------------------|------|-------|--------|--------|-------|---------------|----------|--------|
|                      |      |       |        |        |       | <i>Hadley</i> | <i>6</i> |        |
|                      |      |       |        |        |       | "             | <i>9</i> |        |
|                      |      |       |        |        |       |               |          |        |
|                      |      |       |        |        |       |               |          |        |
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|                      |      |       |        |        |       |               |          |        |
|                      |      |       |        |        |       |               |          |        |

*O M Pursol*

Treasurer Hendricks County.

Mooreville, Ind., Aug 16<sup>th</sup> 1897

Estate of Susannah Smith Dr  
To Matilda S. Wheeler. For Nursing  
and carrying for Susannah Smith  
from July 5<sup>th</sup> 1896 until April 19<sup>th</sup> 1897.  
Two Hundred Thirty Five and  $\frac{30}{100}$   
Dollars - (\$235<sup>30</sup>)

The State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss:

Personally appeared before the undersigned, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and  
for the County of ~~Hendricks~~ <sup>Morgan</sup> aforesaid Matilda S. Wheeler

who, upon ~~her~~ <sup>her</sup> Affirmation says, the She hereunto attached, is just and  
true; that the claim, after deducting all credits, set-offs, and deductions to which the  
Estate is entitled, is justly due and wholly unpaid.

Matilda S. Wheeler.

Subscribed and Affirmed to before me, this 28 day of Sept 1897

J. H. Thornburgh Clerk  
Notary Public



No. 1478

CLAIM FILE.

No. 1

*Matilda S. Wheeler*

vs.

THE ESTATE OF

*Susannah Smith*

Claim \$ 235.30

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**FILED**

Filed *Oct 2* 1897

*Matilda S. Wheeler* Clerk.



STATE OF INDIANA,  
HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS

HENDRICKS CIRCUIT COURT,  
NOVEMBER TERM, 1897.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OS SUSANNAH SMITH, DECEASED.

Joshua Hadley, administrator of said estate represents and shows to the Court that Sunnah Smith, died in Hendricks County and State of Indiana, the owner of an estate at the probable value of \$6000.00, 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 expend 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 say that the matters and things set out in the foregoing petition are true as I believe, so help me God.

*Glenn C. Edwards.*  
*Notary Public.*



In the Matter of the  
Estate of Susannah  
Smith deceased

Petition for authority  
to erect Monument.

200.3<sup>n</sup> / 1897

Ordered

John W. Dudley  
Judge

DECEMBER 9 1897

DEC 9 1897

W. B. Masten

CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.

AN INVENTORY of the personal estate of Susannah Smith  
 deceased, late of Hendricks County, Indiana, taken by Joshua  
Hadley Administrator, and appraised by  
John T. Hadley and Horace M. Hodson  
 two reputable and disinterested householders of said County, who, before proceeding to the discharge of their  
 duties, took and subscribed the oath required by law and endorsed hereon. Said appraisement was made by  
 said appraisers in the presence of said Administrator and in the presence of each other.

INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT OF DEBTS, DUES, DEMANDS, Etc.

| No.   | Nature of Debts,<br>Dues, etc. | NAMES OF DEBTORS. | Principal and date of<br>debt, credits and dates,<br>commencement and rate of<br>interest, etc., etc.                                                                                                                                                                           | Appraised<br>Value. |      | If taken by widow,<br>so note it, by also<br>placing in this<br>column, opposite the<br>item so taken, its<br>appraised value. | REMARKS. |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
|       |                                |                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Dols.               | Cts. |                                                                                                                                |          |
|       | promissory<br>note             | P. P. Thomas      | Che Stevenson, One Hundred dol.<br>July 13, 1885<br>or \$31.72 Feb 15, 1894<br>Without int.<br>\$69.28<br>amount due \$00 00                                                                                                                                                    |                     |      |                                                                                                                                |          |
| " " " |                                | P. P. Thomas      | Eighty seven<br>$\frac{54}{100}$ dol.<br>date Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> 1894<br>int. 6% sept. 1 <sup>st</sup> 1894<br>Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> 1895<br>or \$10 20<br>Jan 10 1896<br>" 88 00<br>June 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1896<br>" \$10 50<br>Sept 19, 1896<br>" \$3 08<br>amount due \$00 00 |                     |      |                                                                                                                                |          |

Total appraised value of Debts, Dues, etc., Nothing

Total of Debts, Dues, etc., taken by Widow,

Total appraised value of Goods, etc., - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total value of Goods, etc., taken by widow, - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RECAPITULATION.

Appraised value of Debts, etc., - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Appraised value of Goods, etc., - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total appraised value of Personal Estate, - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total amount of Personal Estate taken by widow, as shown by Inventory, and her receipt  
hereto attached, - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by us, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189\_\_\_\_\_

Joshua Hadley, } Administrator

John T. Hadley  
Horace M. Hadley } Appraisers

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, sct:

We, John F. Hadley and Horace M. Hodson  
*affirm* that we will honestly and impartially appraise all the personal estate of Susannah  
Smith deceased, late of said County and State, that may be exhibited to  
us, at its fair cash value.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1897

John F. Hadley  
Horace M. Hodson  
Goshua Hadley

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, sct:

The undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith  
deceased, late of said County and State, *affirm* that the foregoing Inventory contains a complete statement  
of all the personal estate of said decedent which has come to my knowledge, as well as a complete  
statement of the property taken by the widow of said decedent, and the appraisement thereof.

Goshua Hadley

Subscribed and *affirmed* sworn to before me, this 24 day of August 1897

Thomas H. O'Keefe Clerk  
Circuit Court Notary Public

WIDOW'S RECEIPT.

RECEIVED OF

Administrator of the estate of my deceased husband  
the items and articles mentioned in the foregoing inventory as charged to and selected by me, and  
the appraised value of which, as shown by said Inventory, amounts in the aggregate, to the sum of  
Dollars and Cents.

Dated 189

WITNESS:

No. Susannah Smith ESTATE.  
Goshua Hadley adm'r.  
INVENTORY  
—AND—  
Appraisement of Personal Estate.

RECORDED

Recorded in Inventory Record No.

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Wm. C. Masten Clerk.  
CLERK HENDRICKS C.

NOTE.—All debts, claims in action, etc., must be inventoried  
separately from goods, chattels, etc., as indicated in Inventory.  
Each item or article inventoried must be numbered from 1 up-  
ward. Administrator must keep a copy of Inventory.

State of Indiana, *Hendricks* County, ss:

*Joshua T Hadley* being duly sworn  
before the Clerk of the *Hendricks Circuit* Court of the County aforesaid, upon

*oath says that Susana Smith*

departed this life in said County, intestate, as *he* believes, on the *19<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *April* 1897; that said *Susana Smith*  
left a personal estate to be administered, of the probable value, as *he is* informed  
and believes, of *fifty* Dollars;  
and further *says* not.

Signed:

*Joshua Hadley*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *23* day of *June* 1897

*Wm B Marten* Clerk.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

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*Susana Smith*  
Deceased.

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**Petition for Administration.**

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Filed *June 23<sup>rd</sup>*, 189*7*

*Wm B. Maister*  
Clerk.

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State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss:

Personally appeared before the undersigned, JULIAN D. HOGATE, editor of the HENDRICKS COUNTY REPUBLICAN, a public weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Danville, in the County aforesaid, who being duly sworn, upon his oath, saith that the notice, of which the attached is a true copy, was duly published in said paper for 2 weeks successively, the first of which publication was on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1898, and the last on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1898.

*Julian D. Hogate*

26 day of November, 1898

*Wm. C. Martin*  
Clerk

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

Received

of

Dollars and

Cents, in full for publishing the

above notice

T. J. Cofer, Attorney.

Notice to Heirs, Creditors, Etc.

In the matter of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased.

In the Hendricks Circuit Court, Nov. term, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that Joshua Hadley as administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased, has presented and filed his account and vouchers in final settlement of said estate, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Circuit Court, on the 9th day of December, 1898, at which time all heirs, creditors or legatees of said estate are required to appear in said court and show cause, if any there be, why said account and vouchers should not be approved. And the heirs of said estate are also hereby required at the time and place aforesaid to appear and make proof of their heirship or claims to any part of said estate.

Nov. 11, 1898.  
11 17 2c.

JOSHUA HADLEY,  
Administrator.

Final Notice  
Estate of  
Susanah Smith

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# Notice to Heirs, Creditors, Etc.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

In the Hendricks Circuit Court.

*Susannah Smith*

Deceased.

*November*

Term, 1898

Notice is hereby given that *Joshua Hodley*  
as *Administrator* of the estate of *Susannah Smith*  
deceased, has presented and filed *his* account and vouchers in *final*  
settlement of said estate, and that the same will come up for the examination and action  
of said Circuit Court, on the *9<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 1898, at which  
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And the heirs of said estate are also hereby required at the time and place aforesaid to  
appear and make proof of their heirship or claims to any part of said estate.

*Nov 11*

1898

*Joshua Hodley*

*Administrator*

STATE OF GEORGIA,

HENRICKS COUNTY, SS.

Joshua Hadley, being duly sworn on his oath that the notice  
of which the within is a copy was posted at the Court House door in  
the town of Dalville, on the 11th day of November, 1898.

And further affiant sayeth not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of November 1898

*Joshua Hadley*

*Thurmond J. Coffey*

Notary Public



## ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL ACCOUNT CURRENT.

State of Indiana, *Hendricks* County, ss:

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

*Susannah Smith*

Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, of

*Hendricks* County.*November* Term, 1898

## FINAL REPORT.

The undersigned, Administrator of the estate of said decedent, respectfully submits to said Court the following Final Report of his proceedings as such Administrator of said estate, to wit:

|                                      | \$   | Cts. |
|--------------------------------------|------|------|
| I am chargeable with Money recd from |      |      |
| Sale of real estate.                 | 2411 | 16   |
| Money from Real estate               | 237  | 95   |
| collected on P. P. Thomas            | 65   | 95   |
| collected on old debt                |      | 50   |
| collected on road receipt            | 2    | 95   |
| Sold scraps of wire                  | 1    | 25   |

Total Charges,

2719 76

I also claim the following credits for sums by me laid out and expended in the administration of said estate, to wit:

| No. of<br>Voucher. |                                      | \$       | Cts.      |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| 1                  | Lawrence Hodley Hauling gravel       | 3        | 00        |
| 2                  | William C Stealy appraising property | 1        | 00        |
| 3                  | Harvey H Burbow " "                  | 1        | 00        |
| 4                  | B F Beard Digging grave              | 3        | 00        |
|                    | Carried over                         | <u>4</u> | <u>00</u> |

## ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL ACCOUNT CURRENT.

State of Indiana, *Hendricks* County, ss:

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

*Susannah Smith*

Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, of

*Hendricks* County*November* Term, 1898

## FINAL REPORT.

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|                                      | \$   | Cts. |
|--------------------------------------|------|------|
| I am chargeable with Money recd from |      |      |
| Sale of real estate.                 | 2411 | 16   |
| Rent from Real estate                | 237  | 95   |
| Collected on P. P. Thomas            | 65   | 96   |
| Collected on old debt                |      | 50   |
| Collected on road receipt            | 29   | -    |
| Sold scraps of wire                  | 12   | -    |
|                                      | 2719 | 76   |

Total Charges,

*2719 76*

I also claim the following credits for sums by me laid out and expended in the administration of said estate, to wit:

| No. of Voucher. |                                             | \$ | Cts. |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------------|----|------|
| 1               | <i>Lawrence Hodley Hauling gravel</i>       | 3  | 00   |
| 2               | <i>William C Stealy appraising property</i> | 1  | 00   |
| 3               | <i>Harvey H Burdow " "</i>                  | 1  | 00   |
| 4               | <i>B F Beard Digging grave</i>              | 3  | 00   |
|                 | <i>Carried over</i>                         | 4  | 00   |

|    |                                                      |        |
|----|------------------------------------------------------|--------|
|    | Brought forward                                      | 7 00   |
| 5  | Hodley & Simons Merchandise                          | 1 15   |
| 6  | Albert Madden repairing Sash &c                      | 90     |
| 7  | S. W. Stull for manumit                              | 12 00  |
| 8  | J. D. Hogate advertising                             | 30     |
| 9  | W. L. Wilson Recording deed                          | 1 10   |
| 10 | W. H. Pulston Telegram mort                          | 47     |
| 11 | W. L. Wilson Recording release                       | 1 00   |
| 12 | Dawson & Parker Abstract                             | 10 00  |
| 13 | W. L. Wilson releasey Mort and Supt                  | 30     |
| 14 | O M Personal Taxes                                   | 11 87  |
| 15 | " " " "                                              | 27 38  |
| 16 | " " " "                                              | 18 73  |
| 17 | Kizziah Cole for releasey Mort                       | 10 00  |
| 18 | Mary A Payne " "                                     | 10 00  |
| 19 | J. W. Cole " "                                       | 10 00  |
| 20 | Expenses in securing release of Mort                 | 18 40  |
| 21 | M. C. Rogers attys fees paid by him<br>for dependent | 28 20  |
| 22 | A. L. Wheeler as claim                               | 121 50 |
| 23 | Matilda S Wheeler as claim                           | 235 30 |
| 24 | Rebecca J Lively on distribution                     | 175 00 |
| 25 | " " " "                                              | 75 00  |
| 26 | " " " "                                              | 138 65 |
| 27 | Newton Woodward " "                                  | 145 00 |
| 28 | " " " "                                              | 75 00  |
| 29 | " " " "                                              | 138 65 |
| 30 | M. S. Wheeler " "                                    | 145 00 |
| 31 | " " " "                                              | 75 00  |
| 32 | " " " "                                              | 138 65 |
| 33 | Mary H Smith " "                                     | 175 00 |
| 34 | " " " "                                              | 75 00  |
| 35 | " " " "                                              | 138 65 |
| 36 | Joshua Hadley guardian Dro to Imbloss 1943 2 1/2     |        |
| 37 | " " " " Ruth Imbloss 1943 3 3/4                      |        |
| 38 | Clerk Costs                                          | 36 10  |
| 39 | Thomas J. Coper attys fees                           | 80 00  |

|                |                                    |        |
|----------------|------------------------------------|--------|
| H0             | Postage Stationery and Renewal     | 5 50   |
| H1             | Administrators Claims for Services | 135 00 |
|                | Total disbursements                | 241 94 |
| Recapitulation |                                    |        |
|                | Total charges                      | 241 94 |
|                | Total disbursements                | 241 94 |

Said Administrator represents and shews to the Court that he has collected all the assets belonging to said estate and paid out all the money collected as per in shew, that the items mentioned in voucher No 20 on this report was expenses and costs incurred in having a mortgage satisfied of record so that he could make sale of part of the real estate, and for which he has no vouchers and he asks to have this report approved and his securities discharged

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss:  
 I, Joshua Hadley, Administrator of the estate of Susannah Smith, deceased,

swear that the foregoing report contains a full and true account of all moneys and credits with which I am chargeable as such Administrator, and credits in full for payment of same, and now ask to be discharged from further trust as such Administrator; so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 11 day of November, 1898  
 Joshua Hadley  
 James H. Jones, Clerk  
 Notary Public, Circuit Court.

No. ....

In the matter of the Estate of

*Sumner Smith*

Deceased.

*Joshua Hasley*

Administrator.

Report No. *1*

*Sat for 9th Decm*

Filed *10* day of *Nov* 189*8*

*Wm C Martin*

Clerk.

Letters of Administration issued

day of ..... 189

*Dec 17 1898*

*Approved*

Attorney.

*John W. Hasley*  
*John W. Hasley*

No. 580

CLAY TOWNSHIP.

\$17.01

100

RATES OF TAXATION.  
 First One-Half 83 Cents.  
 and \$1.38 on Poll.  
 Second One-Half 58 Cents  
 and \$1.37 on Poll.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Danville, Hendricks County, Ind.,

4/29

1897.

RECEIVED OF

Susannah Smith

the sum of

Seventeen and 00/100

100

DOLLARS,

In full for APRIL INSTALLMENT of State, County, School, Township, Special School, Road and Taxes, for the year 1896, on and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to wit:

Total Value Property, \$ 2050

| DESCRIPTION OF LAND. | SEC.    | TOWN. | RANGE. | ACRES. | HUND. | NAME OF TOWN. | LOT. | BLOCK. |
|----------------------|---------|-------|--------|--------|-------|---------------|------|--------|
| N.P.L. No            | S No 24 | 13    | 2nd    | 60     |       | Hadley        | 6    |        |
|                      |         |       |        |        |       |               | 9    |        |
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|                      |         |       |        |        |       |               |      |        |

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M. B. BURFORD, PRINTER, INDIANAPOLIS

P. R. Tully

Treasurer Hendricks County.

VOUCHER NO.

August 16

1897

Received of

A. L. Wheeler

, the Administrator

of the estate of

For Medical Attendance on Susannah Smith deceased,

the sum of

Twenty Four

DOLLARS,

on account of

\$24.00

Dr Mark Robbins



Mooreville, Ind., Aug 16 1897

Estate of Susanna Smith  
Dr To A. L. Wheeler To Money advanced  
April 29<sup>th</sup> 1897 To Taxspan. 1701  
" " To Funeral Expenses  
paid To F. C. Carlisle 8050  
Aug 16<sup>th</sup> To Dr Bell paid to Dr Robbins 2400  
\$ 12151

Receipts hereto attached

State of Indiana <sup>Morgan</sup> ~~Wagoner~~ County S.S.  
A. L. Wheeler being duly sworn upon his oath  
says that the above and foregoing account is just  
and true that the claim after deducting all  
credits setoffs and deductions to which  
the estate is entitled is justly due and  
wholly unpaid

A. L. Wheeler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of  
Sept- 1897 J. H. Thornburgh  
Notary Public

No. 1479  
R L. Wheeler

vs,

Estate of  
Susannah Smith

Claims:

\$121.31

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**FILED**

OCT 2 1897.

*Wm C. Masten*

CLERK HENDRICKS C. C.



Maersville, Ind., April 29 1897

Received of A. L. Wheeler.

Eighty dollars Fifty Cents \$80.50

Payment in full for funeral expense  
of Mrs. Susannah Smith.

Frank E. Carlisle

80.50  
14.01  
24.00  

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121.51

SUSANNAH SMITH

ESTATE

1897

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA