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BURKS

GEORGE ANN, WILLIAM HAMILTON,
FRANCIS JANE, ELIZABETH,
MARY & JOHN JAMES

GUARDIANSHIP

1845

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

State of Indiana } In the Hendricks Probate
Hendricks County } Court August term 1845
To the Honorable Abraham Blair Judge
of the Probate ^{Court} of Hendricks County; The
Petition of Allen Keef, of said County
respectfully sheweth, that ~~the said deceased~~
Daisy Burks departed this life in the territory
of ~~Indiana~~ ^{Michigan} ~~departed this life~~ ^{in the year} 1841, leaving
Six children all under fourteen years
viz George Ains, Burks, William, Hamilton,
Burks, Francis, Jane Burks, Elizabeth Burks, Mary
Burks, ^{John} James Burks.

Who are all heirs
and legatees of the estate of William
Magoo late of said County deceased
who have no Guardian to take care of their
estate, except a profligate Father who is their
Guardian by nature, to wit Samuel Burks,
Yours petitioner therefore prays your
Honor to appoint ~~some~~ suitable person
as their Guardian for the purpose
aforesaid. And your petitioner will
ever pray V D V D
August 14th 1845 } Allen Keef,

Samuel E. Brooks,
— Children —

Petition for the
appointment of
Allen Hays
Guardian

Filed in open Court
August 14th 1865
J. D. Parker Clk

State of Indiana
Hendricks County

In the Hendricks Probate Court,
November Term AD 1846.

The undersigned would Respectfully
Report to the Honorable Probate Court of said County, that
Since his appointment as Guardian of the Estates of
George Ann Burks, William Hambleton Burks, Francis
Jane Burks, Elizabeth Burks, Mary Burks and
John James Burks, there has nothing come into
his hands as the Estate of said Minors and that
there is no probability of any Estate coming into his
hands, as such Guardian of said Minors; he would
therefore ~~most~~ Respectfully ask to be discharged from
any further duties as such Guardian.

Respectfully Submitted
Allen K. K.

Wm Hef's Guardian
of Burke's Children

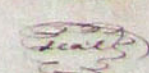
Report

Filed in open Court
Nov 11th 1866

J. M. Parke. Clerk

Know all Men by these presents that we, Allen Hefp
and Samuel J. Ensminger, of the County of Hendricks
and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the
State of Indiana in the penal sum of five hundred dollars
lawful Money of the United States for the payment of
which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind,
our heirs, our heirs, Executors, and administrators, jointly
and severally, firmly by these presents and dated this
14th day of August A.D. 1865

The Condition of the above
obligation is such that ~~whenever~~ the above bound,
Allen Hefp, will truly and faithfully execute and
discharge the duties and trusts committed to and
required of him as Guardian of the Estates of
George Ann Burks, William Hambleton Burks, Francis
Lane Burks, Elizabeth Burks, Mary Burks, and
John James Burks, during their Minorities
and render unto the Hendricks Probate Court a just
and true account of his said Guardianship when he
shall be thereunto required, then the above obligation
is to be void and of none effect otherwise to be and
remain in full force and virtue in law, the Legis-
lature of the State of Indiana is hereby authorized to
change, modify or repeal any law now in force
and to enact any and all laws at its pleasure during
the existence of this bond without in any way or
manner rendering it void,

Allen Hefp 
S. J. Ensminger 

I solemnly swear that I will truly and faithfully discharge the duties and
trust committed to me as Guardian of the Estates of George Ann Burks,
William Hambleton Burks, Francis Lane Burks, Elizabeth Burks, Mary Burks
& John James Burks. as help me God

subscribed and sworn to before me
in open Court this 14th day of August
A.D. 1865
J. D. Parker Clerk

Allen Hefp

Samuel E. Burks's
Children

Allen Hays
Guardian Bond
\$500. 00

Filed in open Court
August 16th 1845

J. H. Rockwell

BURKS

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FRANCIS JANE, ELIZABETH,
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1845

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