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JAMES CARTER

ESTATE

1859

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

Common Pleas -
October Term 1859.
2^d Day
No ~~32~~ - ~~15~~ - # - 299

Jacob P. Melsham's Adm.
James Barter's Estate

by
Jeremiah Barter.

Leonard Barter

Joseph Barter.

Jane Proctor.

Elizabeth McChure.

Margaret Shirkley and the

Unknown heirs of Samuel Hit.

Petition to Sell Lands

512. 520. 533

September 29

Wm. H. H. H.

Disposed of at the Auctioneers Sale 1861

State of Indiana { In the Court of Com. Pleas
Newicks County } January Term 1861

James Carter's Estate

Jacob P. Welsham
the Administrator of said Estate reports to the
Court that since his last report made herein
the purchaser of said Real Estate James S
Shirley has fully paid the purchase money
thereof which money said Administrator
charges himself with and accounts for
in the settlement of said Estate on the
Probate Docket - and said Administrator
further reports that said purchaser has since
sold said land to Joseph B Carter and
now directs that the deed thereto be made
to said Joseph B Carter, which he now asks
may be done by a commissioner appointed
for that purpose

Jacob P. Welsham

Jacob P. Melshans

Admr. &c

vs

Jeremiah Carter
et al

Report of payment of
purchase money for
Real Estate

EO

Filed in office Court Jan'y 21st 1861
Linn Bitter clk

State of Indiana } In the Court of Common Pleas
Hendricks County } January Term AD 1860

James Carters Estate

To the Honorable John Congill
Judge of said Court - The undersigned Adminis-
trator of said Estate would respectfully report that
in pursuance of the order of this Court made at the
November Term hereof 1859 he did proceed to ad-
vertise for sale the following land belonging to
said Estate to wit: ten acres off the South East
Corner of the North East quarter of the South West
Quarter of section twenty five (25) in Township (17)
Seventeen North of Range one East, all in the
County and State aforesaid, by posting up in
four public places in the Township of Brown
(where said land is situated) four written
notices of the time place and terms of
and by posting one on the Court House Door
said sale, also by causing a similar notice
to be printed and published in the Hendricks
County Ledger a newspaper of general circula-
tion printed and published in said County,
said written notices being posted up as afore-
said not less than three weeks prior to said
day of sale, and all of which said notices
stated that said land would be sold at pub-
lic auction to the highest bidder on the
3rd Day of December 1859 - on credits of three
and six months

And said Administrator further reports
that ^{on} said 3rd Day of December 1859 in pursu-
ance of said advertisements and also in
obedience to the order of this Court he did sell
said parcel of land at public auction

to James Shirley for the sum and price of
One hundred and twenty seven Dollars, that
being the highest bid made for the same, and
took from said purchaser his two promissory
notes with Bartlett Shirley as his security
one note due in three months from the
day of sale and the other in six months
therefrom, the same also being for \$63.50
each, which notes he here exhibits in open
court, wherefore he asks the court to con-
firm said sale and continue this cause until
the payment of said purchase money

Jacob P. Welshans

Jacob P. Welshans the above named administrator
states on oath that the above report and state-
ment is true as he verily believes

Jacob P. Welshans

Subscribed & Sworn to before me this the 14 December 1859
John Irons clerk.

James Carter's
Estate

Report of Sale of
Real Estate By
Administrator

540.

Filed in open court
16 Jan., 1860
John Brown clerk

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County }

We Daniel B South and Isaac
S. Long swear that we will honestly appraise the lands of James
Carter deceased. which May be exhibited to us so help us God.

Daniel B. South

Isaac S. Long

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 17 October 1859
John Irons clerk

twenty "five" in Township Seventeen North, of
Range One East,

\$100.00

Signed by us this the 17th October 1859.
D. B. South
Isaac S. Long

State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.

I Jacob P. Melham, ~~Executor of the last~~ Administrator
of the Estate James Carter deceased swear that the foregoing is a true
and complete inventory of all the real estate intended to be sold
belonging to said decedent as I verily believe so help me God.

Jacob P. Melham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 17 October 1859
John Irons clerk.

An Inventory of the Real Estate of
James Carter deceased, taken by Jacob P. Melsham Administrator
and appraised by Daniel B. South, and Isaac S. Long on the 17
October 1859.

Description of Land	valuation
1 Ten acres off the South East Corner of the North East quarter of the South West quarter of Section twenty five in Township Seventeen North, of Range One East.	\$100.00

Signed by us this the 17th October 1859.
D. B. South
Isaac S. Long

State of Indiana Hendricks County Id.

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of the Estate James Carter deceased swear that the foregoing is a true
and complete inventory of all the real estate intended to be sold
belonging to said decedent as I verily believe so help me God.

Jacob P. Melsham
Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 17 October 1859
John Lewis clerk.

James Carter Estate.

Inventory of Real Estate,
S. C.

Filed in open court
19 Oct. 1889
John Drouillard

State of Indiana {
Henricks County }

We Jacob P Welshans, and
James M Daxton are held and bound unto the
State of Indiana in the sum of two hundred
Dollars to be void only upon condition that
said Jacob P Welshans shall faithfully perform
the duties of his trust as Administrator and
Commissioner in, about and concerning the
sale of a certain tract of ten acres of land in
the above named county and state, which
is this day ordered to be sold by the Court of
Common Pleas of said County for the payment
of debts against the Estate of one James
Barter deceased of which Estate said Welshans
is administrator

Given under our hands this the 19
Day of October 1859

Jacob P. Welshans
J M Campbell

Jacob P. Melshans
Administrator &c

Jeremiah Carter
et al

Bond of Commissioners

etc.

Filed in open court
19 Oct. 1859

John Gross clerk

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State of Indiana / In the Court of Com Pleas
Henricks County } October Term AD 1859

Jacob P Welshans Adm.
of James Carter's Estate
vs
Jeremiah Carter Adm. } Answer of Guardian
ad litem

Peter S Kennedy Guardian
ad litem for the infant Defendants in the
above suit answers the Petition of said
Jacob P Welshans and says that he knows
nothing whatever of the matters & things
therein stated and set forth, wherefore he
asks this Court to protect the rights of
said infants in the premises

P. Kennedy

Jacob P. Welshans
Attm. & C

(1)
Jeremiah Carter
et al

Answer of Guardian
ad litem

JVC.

Filed in open court
19 Oct. 1859
John Dransell

The State of Indiana,

Hendricks County:

Common Pleas Court of said
County, Oct Term, 1859.

Personally appeared in open Court
W H H Lewis publisher
of the Hendricks Co.
Ledger

a public, weekly newspaper of general
circulation, printed and published in the
town of 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 three weeks successively, the first of which publication was
on the 7th day of September 1859, and the last
on the 21st day of September 1859.

W H H Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court, this 18th day of
October 1859.

John Irons clerk

Notice to Heirs.

State of Indiana, Hendricks county, ss.
Notice is hereby given that Jacob P.
Welshans, Administrator of James Carter's
Estate, has filed his petition in the Court of
Common Pleas of Hendricks County, to sell
the real estate of said deceased, his personal
being insufficient to pay his debts. And that
the petition will be heard at the next term of
said Court, commencing on the 3d Monday
of October 1859.

Witness my name this the 11th day of Sep-
tember, 1859. JOHN IRONS Clerk.

47: 3w: fee \$1.50.

Moham &c

¹⁰⁰
Carter & al

Proof of Publication

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Filed in open court

18 October 1889

John Lewis clerk

W. H. H. Lewis for & vs

Administrator's Sale of Real
Estate.

BY virtue of a decree of the Hendricks
Court of Common Pleas, made at the
October term of said court, A. D. 1859, I
will, on

Saturday, the 3d day of December, 1859,
offer for sale and sell at public auction, on
the premises, the following lands in Brown
township, Hendricks county, Indiana, be-
longing to the estate of James Carter, late of
said county, now deceased, to-wit: Ten acres
off the south east corner of the north-east
quarter of the southwest quarter of section
twenty five [25] in township seventeen [17]
north, of range one east, on a credit of three
and six months, the purchaser giving notes
and approved security, waiving valuation
and appraisement laws. Said real estate
ordered to be sold to pay the debts of said
estate and expenses of the administration.

JACOB P. WELSHANS, Adm'r.
L. M. CAMPBELL, Att'y for Adm'r.
Oct. 27, 1859: 24cpl \$3 25.

The State of Indiana,

Hendricks County:

Common Pleas Court of said
County, January Term, 1860

Personally appeared in open Court
William H. H. Lewis
Publisher of the Hendricks
County Ledger

a public, weekly newspaper of general
circulation, printed and published in the
town of 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 ~~four~~ weeks successively, the first of which publication was
on the 2nd day of November 1859, and the last
on the 23rd day of November 1859.

W. H. H. Lewis.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court, this 16 day of
January 1860.

John Iron, clk.

Jacob P. Welshans
Admiral &c
vs

Jeremiah Carter et al

Proof of notice to
sell Real Estate

1860

Lewis Fee 100

Filed in Open Court 16
January 1860
John Brown clk.

State of Indiana { In the Court of Common
Henricks County } Pleas October Term 1859

Jacob P. Welshans Administrator of James
Carter's Estate

against { Petition to sell Land

Sibba Carter, Jeremiah Carter Leonard
Carter Joseph Carter Jane Proctor and John
Proctor her husband Elizabeth M. Lure and
M. Lure her husband Priscilla
Shirley and Shirley her hus-
band

Your Petitioner states that he is
Administrator of the Estate of James Carter
now deceased - that there has come into
his hands as such administrator per-
sonal property the sale of which amount
to \$241 (not as much as his widow is
by law entitled to take) that there is
no other property with which to pay the
debts of said Estate or the expense of the
Administration, that the amount
of outstanding debts and expenses of Ad-
ministration will amount to about
(\$100) one hundred dollars as near as the
same can be ascertained, that said
deceased died seized in fee simple
and possessed of the following Real
Estate situated in said County and
State to wit, The North East quarter
of the South west quarter of section (25) Town-
ship (17) North of Range No one (11) East

that the persons and parties mentioned at the head of this Petition and made defendants hereto are the widow and heirs of said Deceased or all of the same whose names are known to this Petitioner, the ages of whom are as follows

Jeremiah Carter aged ~~twenty~~^{thirty} two years
Leonard Carter aged thirty six years
Joseph Carter aged nineteen years
Jane Proctor aged thirty four years
Elizabeth McClure aged twenty eight years
Priscilla Shirley aged twenty six years
the above being all whose names or ages are known,

That said Decedent left no will but died ~~intestate~~, wherefore he prays the Court to order and direct him to sell ten acres off of and out of the South East Corner of said tract of Land for the purpose of paying said debts and he makes said heirs parties hereto to show cause if any they have why said Land shall not be sold,

Jacob P. Wilshaw
Administrator

Common Pleas
October Term 1853

Jacob P. Wilehans
Administrator of
James Carter's Estate

vs {

Jeremiah Carter

Leonard Carter

Joseph Carter

Jane Proctor

Elizabeth McClure

Priscilla Shirley and

the unknown heirs of
Samuel Hitt Deceased

Petition to sell part of
realty to pay debts &c

570

Filed in my Office 6

September 1853

John Snow, clk

Lm Campbell for Pet.

Pa 8 No 13

No 86

James Carter Estate

Jacob P. Welsham Adm

Letter issued 14 June 1859.

An Complete Record

OB 3 Pa 365

J. Irons fees 8.24.

Bond 600.00

D B South Security

Recd

Bal Costs \$28.35 May 10. 62

Over 10th 1860

Received The above
Account in full
E. W. King

5019 \$50.00
E. W. King

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Jen. F. Buttrick

James Carter Deceased &c

1857 E W King Dr

Nov 19 - To 1 Barrell Salt

2.75-

Feb 22/58 3 lbs coffee

.45-

1 Pair shoes

1.35-

4.55-

April 19/58 By Cash

1.55-

\$ 3.00-

(J. P. Mather Admin)

Personally appeared before me and swears
the above account is just and unpaid

E. W. King

Received August 13 1859 of J. P. Webb
Administrator of James Carter Leever
two Dollars and fifty cents on
the within order

James L. Shirley

Nov 18 \$2.50
James L. Shirley

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi R. H. H. H.

The State of Indiana

County of Montgomery Scott Township

This is to certify that Joseph Carter proved
two mares before me the undersigned a Justice of
the peace in ~~in~~ said County and State aforesaid
taken up by James R. Brush by James J. Sherley
this August the 2nd 1859 the charges five dollars

Daniel H. Cox Justice Seal

Jacob Baders Bill
\$15.00

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Pittu clk

N 16 - \$15
Jacob Baders

James Carter
To Jacob Bader &
Jan'y 27 1860
To Coffin \$15.00

I Jacob Bader swear that
the estate of James Carter is indebted
to me in the sum of Fifteen Dollars
as set forth in the above Bill and
that the same remains unpaid and is
now due and owing
Jan'y 27 1860, Subscribed Jacob Bader

Jacob P. Welshan Administrator

Received payment of J. P. Welshan:
J. Bader

No 14. \$3.00
Levi Brown

Levi Brown Bill
James Carter Estate
\$3.00

Filed in open court
January 22 1861
Levi Rutter clerk

James Carter To Levi Brown Dr
November 1st 1858 To Balance between
Covers \$3.00

State of Ind. }
County of Hendricks } I Levi Brown swear that
James Carter did in set to me
in the sum of three dollars as set forth in the
above bill and that the same remains unpaid
and is now due and owing
Nov. 16th 1859 Levi Brown
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 16th day of November 1859
William C. Nelson
J. P. Clerk

December 15th 1860

Received the above amount in full
Levi Brown

1859

James Carter		Dr
May 23 rd	To visit & medicine per self	2.50
" 24 th	To visit and	2.50
" 25 th	To visit do do	2.50
" 26 th	To visit	2.50
" "	To visit	2.50
" "	To visit	2.50
" 27 th	To visit	2.50
" 28 th	To visit	2.50
" 29 th	To visit	2.50
		<hr/> \$20.00

Doctor Isaac W. Jones
 November the 28 1860
 Received of Jacob Welshon twenty
 Dollars of the above account in full
 J. M. Carter

I Isaac W Jones swear that James Carter
Deceased died in the sum of
Twenty Dollars as set forth in the within bill
for Medical service in his last sickness and
that the same remains unpaid and now
Due Isaac W Jones
Subscribed & sworn to to before me this 20th day
of Aug 1859

James P. Withers
administrator

Feb 11th 1860
for value received I assign the
Within to James W. Baptes
Isaac W Jones

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861.
Levi Ritter clerk

Nov. 11. Baptes \$20

L M Campbell
\$15- No 22

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Levi Rutter clerk

No 15: \$10.00
John Lewis

Filed in open court
Jan 22, 1861
Levi Rutter clk

Received January 21. 1861. Of Jacob Welshans on my
fees in the land sale of J. Curter Estate. Ten dollars.
John Iron

\$15. Received of Jacob P. Welshans fifteen Dollars —
on fees as atty in the Estate of James Carter dec'd
~~five~~ Dollars of which is for writing his Deed to
the purchaser of Real Estate
January 21st 1861 Lm Campbell

E. W. King
\$1.50 No. 20

Nov 17. #2.50
Chas. S. Shuler

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Potter clk

W. H. H. Lewis
No 15 \$7.25

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Potter clk

1857 James Carter (deceased) to J. A. Graham Dr
May 26 " Consultation Vigit & medicine for self \$3.00
" 27 " Vigit & medicine for self " 2.50
" 28 " Vigit & medicine for self " 2.50
Dues \$8.00

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Potter clerk

Paid E W King for crying sale \$1.50

The Estate of James Carter Deceased
1857 To James S. Shirley
Aug 5. For Money Expended in Hunting Horse \$250

James S Shirley swears that the Estate of James
Carter is indebted to him for the above
Amount
James S Shirley

Sept 30	1860
Four Months	after date I promise to pay to
the order of	Wm H Lewis
Nine Dollars	$\frac{25}{100}$ Dollars,
Value received, without any relief whatever from Valuation or Appraisement Laws.	
Due of	J P Welchans Administrator
	James Carter Estate

J J A Graham swears that the ~~deceased~~ James Carter Deceased was
indebted to me in the sum of Eight dollars as set forth in the
within bill for medical services in his last sickness and that
the same remains unpaid and now due and owing

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July 1859
Thos J. Graham
Wm. Helms J. P.

Filed
Vol 12. Thomas Graham \$8.00

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Leri Ritter clk

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861

~~John S. Oliver~~
No. 45.96
Order to collect

John S. Oliver
No 21. \$27.92

Widow's Receipt
No 10. \$5.00

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Leri Ritter clk

Widow's Receipt
No 9. \$78.48

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Leri Ritter clk

Recd Nov. 29th 1860 of Jacob P. Williams adm^r
of James Carter Estate Twenty Seven ⁹²/₁₀₀ Dollars in full
of Expenses for Tomb Stones for Said James Carter deceased
John Tho Burns. Justice Clerk

Mr. Jacob Welchin please pay the
bearer Joseph Patton the money you
have received for me & oblige me so
this shall be your receipt

Dec the 17th 1860

Libbia Carter

Received Brownsburgh Aug 1st 1860 of Jacob P
Williams Administrator of James Carter's Estate
Five Dollars

her
Libbia + Carter
mark

Brownsburgh April 10th 1860

Received of Jacob P. Williams
Administrator of James Carter's
Estate Sixty Eight Dollars
and forty eight cents

her
Libbia x Carter
mark

Widow's Receipt
No 8 \$1.50

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Ritter clk

Widow's Receipt
No 7 \$20,

Filed in open
court Jan 22
1861
Levi Ritter clk

Widow's Receipt
No 6 \$38.00

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Levi Ritter clk

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Levi Ritter clk

Widow's Receipt
No 5 \$8.00

Brownstown Ind March 31 1860

Mr Jacob Welcham

please pay to Mebro Montgomery
above One Dollar and fifty cents and oblige
and this will be your receipt for the same

Yours truly
Libba ^{her} Carter

Received Brownstown July 8, 1860
of Jacob P Welcham Administrator
of James Carters estate Twenty Dollars
\$20

Libba ^{her} Carter
mark

Received Brownstown February 3^d 1860
of Jacob P Welcham Administrator of
James Carters Estate the Sum of Fifty Eight
\$58.00 for Liba Carter

Witness J. L. C. Bray } Thomas + Fitch

Mr Welcham please to hand Thomas
Fitch a few dollars and it oblige me
yours truly Libba Carter

Paid 3 Dollars
To Bear her hand

Meadow's Receipt
No 5 \$7.40

Filed in open court
Jan 22nd 1861
Levi Pittier clk

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Pittier clerk

Meadow's Receipt
No 4. \$48.96

Meadow's Receipt
No 1 \$11.25

Filed in open
court Jan 22nd
1861
Levi Pittier clk

Filed in open court
Jan 22 1861
Levi Pittier clerk

Meadow's Receipt
No 2 \$1.75

Received Brownsville December 19th 1868
of Jacob P. Welshans Administrator of
James Carters Estate Forty five
Dollars and Ninety six cents in full
Sibia Carter
By J. Patton her Agent

Received August 13 1869 of J. P. Welshans
Administrator of James Carter Successor
Seven Dollars & forty cents
Sibia & Carter

Recd Brownsville Feb 8 1869
of Jacob P. Welshans Administrator
of James Carters Estate One Dollar
and Seventy five cents
Sibia ^{her} Carter

Received Brownsville August 31st 1866
of Jacob P. Welshans Administrator of
James Carters Estate Eleven Dollars
and Twenty five cents her
Sibia X Carter
made

James Carter Estate

Proof of Intestacy

Filed in my Office 14
June 1879

John Brown

State of Indiana, Hendricks

County, ss:

Jacob B. Melsham being duly sworn
before the Clerk of the Common Pleas Court of the county aforesaid, upon
his oath says that James Carter
departed this life in said county, intestate, as he believes, on the 30
day of May, 1859. That said James Carter

left a personal estate to be administered, of the probable
value, as he is informed and believes, of three hundred
and that the widow relinquishes her right to better
dollars, and further saith not.

Signed,

Jacob B. Melsham

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14 day
of June, 1859.

John Long Clerk.

James Barton Estate

Dale Bill

Filed in my Office 15
August 1859
John Brown Clerk

Wale Bills

Account of the sale of the personal property of
James Carter deceased Sold by Jacob R. Webbham at
the late residence of the decedent at public
Auction on the 13th day of August 1859

No
60 on
Inventory

	Number of Article	Sold for \$ cts	To Whom Sold	Cash or Sundry
1	Horse Wagon	11.75	William Sout	Note
2	1 Gray Mare	76.75	Peter Moran	Note
3	2 set Teams	4.00	Joseph Carter	Note
4	Cow & calf	28.20	Johab Mc Rodgers	Note
5	Heiffer	14.20	Lenard Carter	Note
6	2 Hogs	6.50	Taken by the Widow	6.50
7	Bedstead & Bedding	5.00	Lenard Carter	Note
8	Beel	3.50	James, S. Shuley	Note
9	Bed & Bedstead	3.90	Taken by the Widow	3.90
10	Bureau	3.25	Joseph Carter	Note
11	One Clock	1.10	Louis, S. Watts	Note
12	Looking glass	75	Lenard Carter	Note
13	6 Chairs	3.25	Jerry Carter	Note
14	Trunk & Bed	1.15	James, S. Shuley	Note
15	Cupboard	4.00	Lenard Carter	Note
16	iron Pot	30	James, S. Shuley	Note
17	iron Kettle	50	Patrick Mullin	2
18	oven & lid	20	James, S. Shuley	Note
19	Large oven	15	By the Widow	15
20	Andirons & Poles	40	Louis, S. Watts	Note
21	Chest	1 10	John Proctor	Note
22	One do	25	By the Widow	25
23	Table	25	Louis, S. Watts	Note
24	Set of Crocks	61	Thomas Sugan	Cash
25	Sill Saddle	4.00	2 the Widow	4.00
26	Wrench	75	do	75
27	Stone chum	25	John C Proctor	Note 9.05
28	Settin. nail	30	James, S. Shuley	Note

26	2 1/2 glass Bells	36	John S. Watts	note
27	2 1/2 R S Forks	45	John C. Proctor	note
28	Man Saddle	41 5	James Collins	note
29	Saddle Bags	46	Stephen Hardan	Cash
30	Key Loop	90	by the Melanor	90
31	2 Western Blankets	2 50	Do	2 50
32	4 covers	7 48	2 to the do	7 48
33	Shot Sticks	1 38	Peter Moran	note 16 8 31
34	2 Corn Leads & 3 Shuts	2 10	James S. Shibley	note
35	3 Quills	1 10	John C. Proctor	note
36	tick & 2 Blankets	1 80	Jacob Monroe	note
37	Shot gun	1 00	Allen Sharp	Cash
38	lot iron	05	Joseph Toman	paid
38	Hatchet	10	Jackson Evans	note paid
39	20 Carper	2 11	Jacob Monroe	note
40	Wash Brand	25	Do	"
41	One Linc	32	Edward Roberts Ren	Cash
42	Nettie & ions	46	John S. Watts	note
43	Life Loc	25	Jackson Evans	note
44	Law & 1/2 screw knife	30	Joseph Carter	note
45	Sickle	15	J. Hardan	Cash
46	Lot Bunch	68	Thomas Carles	Cash
47	Log Chain	75	James Collins	note
48	Smelter & Chors	10	Do	20
49	2 1/2 of 4 acorn Corn	4 20	Peter Moran	note
50	Garden	05	J. Tugan	Cash
52 & 53 & 59	Cotton Goods & Basket	36	J. S. Watts	note
60	Bay Mare	36 00	James S. Shibley	note
	Ant	\$240.23	Melanor & Co Cash	63

I claim credit for difference between inventory
and Sale bill by Sales less than Appraisement
Ant \$33.42

State of Indiana ss.
Hendricks County

I, Jacob P. Melsham, Administrator of
the Estate of James Carter's ^{deceased} Estate, swear that the above
and foregoing is a true and correct Sale Bill of all the
personal property of the Estate of said decedent, which has come
to my knowledge as I verily believe so help me God.

Jacob P. Melsham
Subscribed & sworn to before me this the 15th August 1859
John Brown clk

James Carter Estate

Inventory

Filed in my Office 14
July 1859
John Draych

An inventory of the Personal estate of James Carter
Deceased taken by Jacob F. Melchans Administrator, and
appraised by Martin D. Lennett and Hugh W. White

Description of Property		Property Taken by the Widow	
1	1 2 horse wagon & Bed	17.50	
2	1 Grey Mare	75.00	
3	2 soft floor floors	2.00	
4	1 Cow & Calf	25.00	
5	1 Heifer	12.00	
6	2 head of Hogs	6.50	6 2 Head of Hogs 6.50
7	1 Bedstead & Bedding	10.50	
8	2 Beds & Bedstead	19.25	
9	1 Bureau	4.00	
10	1 Clock & Glass	3.00	
11	1/2 doz Windsor-chairs	2.00	
12	1 Trundle Bedstead	7.50	
13	1 Cupboard	2.00	
14	1 small Dinner pot	.50	
15	1 Tea Kettle	.50	
16	1 Dutch Oven & lid	75-	
17	1 Large Oven	75-	
18	1 Pair andirons & poker	25-	
19	1 Clothes Chest	75-	
20	1 Old Chest	25-	
21	1 Table	30	
22	1 Lot Cracks	5.00	
23	1 Stone Churn	30	
24	1 lot Tin ware	5.00	
25	1 lot China ware	75-	
26	1 lot Glass bottles	15-	
27	1 lot Knives & forks	.25	
28	1 Mans Saddle	3.00	
29	1 Pair saddle Bags	75-	
30	1 Hig Soap	90	30 1 Kg. Soap 90
31	2 Woolen Blankets	2.50	31 - 2 Blankets 2.50
32	4 Coverlets	10.00	32 } 2 Coverlets 05.00

33	1 Hat & straw hat	1.50
34	2 Coverlets	5.00
35	1 quilt	2.50
36	1 Tick & 2 blankets	1.00
37	1 Shot gun & horn	1.00
38	1 Lot Iron	25-
39	1 Lot Carpet	75-
40	1 Wash board	20
41	1 Sewer	15-
42	1 Kettle with 2 pans	50
43	1 Ax & hoe	75-
44	1 Saw and drawknife	40
45	1 Sickle	20
46	1 Lot Barrels	20
47	1 Log Chain	1.00
48	1 Single tree & clevis	25-
49	1 1/2 of 4 acres of corn in	6.00
50	Garden	1.50
51	3 sheets	1.00
52	Lot Cotton goods	50
53	1 Table Cloth	30
54	2 Plows	2.00
55	1 Side Saddle	4.00
56	1 Trunk	75-
57	1 Iron Kettle	1.50
58	2 Quilts	2.00
59	Basket	25-

\$238.63 (Junk)

Signed by us the 18th 1857

Martin P. Semmets
Hughes W. White

} appraisers

State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.

I, Jacob P. Melsham swear that the within
is a true correct and complete inventory of all the personal
property belonging to the estate of said decedent, which has
come to my knowledge as I verily believe so help me God.

Jacob P. Melsham

Subscribed & Sworn to before me this 14 July 1859

John Irons clerk

Know all Men, That we, Jacob P. Welschman and ~~Isaac Long~~ Daniel B. South
are bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Six
hundred dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally,
bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators. Sealed and dated the
14 day of June 1859

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound
shall faithfully discharge the
duties of his trust as administrator of the estate of
deceased, according to law, then the above
obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force.

J. A. P. Welschman

D. B. South



Approved by me, the 14 day of June 1859

John Down

C. C. P. Hendricks County.

STATE OF INDIANA,

Hendricky County, ss.

I, *Jacob J. Melshans* swear that I will faithfully discharge
the duties of my trust as administrator of the estate of
James Carter deceased, according to law, so help me God.

J. J. Melshans
Subscribed and sworn to before me, the *14* day of *June* 185*9*

John Jones
C. C. C. P. *Hendricky* 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 185

C. C. C. P. 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, this day of 185

C. C. C. P. COUNTY.

#20. Received of James S Shirley \$14.67 cents
the amount due me at my last Report as
Administrator of James Carter's Estate and
\$5.33. for services rendered (4 Days) as such
Administrator since said Report
May 21st 1862 Jacob, P. Wilsham

State of Indiana (In the Court of Com. Pleas
Knox's County) January Term AD 1861

James Carter's Estate

The undersigned Adminis-
trator of said Estate respectfully reports to
the Court as follows

I am chargeable as such Administrator
with amount of Inventory \$238.65

Also value of one Mare found
after Inventory was made out appraised @ 55.00

Am't of Interest collected 11.76

Am't received from sale of Real Estate 127.00

Total amount of charges \$412.41

I am entitled to the following credits

Amount paid Siba Carter widow
as per her several receipts filed herewith
including one receipt on Sale Bill \$251.99

Am't. paid James M Baxter 20.00

" " Thomas A Graham 8.00

" " Wm H Lewis 9.25

" " Levi Brown 3.00

" " John Irons 10.00

" " Jacob Bader 18.00

" " James S Shirley 2.50

" " " " 2.50

" " Enoch W King 3.00

" " Enoch W King 1.50

" " John T Barnes 27.92

" " L M Campbell 15.00

Difference between Sale Bill & Inventory 33.42

Amount Carried over \$403.08 / 412.41

Amount Brought over \$403.08 \$412.41
Said Administrator claims for
services twelve days with horse
at \$2. per day

Total amount of Credits $\frac{24.00}{\$427.08} = \412.41

Amount of indebtedness $\frac{412.41}{\$14.67}$

Balance in favor of Administrator

Said Administrator further reports that there
is due on costs in this case the sum of \$10.24
which added to amt. due Administrator $\frac{12.67}{\$24.91}$

Makes a total due against said Estate
wherefore the Estate cannot be finally settled
at this time and he asks the same contin-
ued until next Term in order that the
heirs to said Estate may pay off said indebted-
ness and prevent the sale of more Real Estate

Respectfully Submitted

Jacob P. Weiskamp

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court
January 22, 1861

Levi Ritter clerk

James Carter's

Estate

Report of Admin.

Dec 1860

Filed in open Court

January 22nd 1861

Levi Ritter clk

Campbell

JAMES CARTER

ESTATE

1859

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA