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HENRY ESTES

ESTATE

1856

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

133.
Henry Estes Estate

500 577 544
1687 18 1/3
Edward B. Estes, Admr.

Letter Issued 26. Feb. 1856

Costs on Claims - 6.15
Court Costs - 15.85
\$ 22.00

Judgment - 26.00 ~~prin & int.~~

Bond 12.00

William West, Secretary

STATE OF INDIANA, Hendricks County, ss.

I, Edward B. Estes ^{affirm} swear that I will faithfully discharge
the duties of my trust as administrator of the estate of
Mary Estes deceased, according to law, so help me God.

Edward B. Estes

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 26 day of Feb 1856

John Brown

C. C. C. P. Hendricks COUNTY.

STATE OF INDIANA, Hendricks County, ss.

I, William West swear that I am worth over and above my
indebtedness, Twenty hundred dollars, as I believe, so help me God.

William West

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 26th day of February 1856

John Brown

C. C. C. P. Hendricks 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 _____ 1856

C. C. C. P. _____ COUNTY.

Know all Men, That we, Edward B. Estes
William West

are bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Twelve
hundred dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally,
bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators. Sealed and dated the
26th day of February 1856

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

Edward B. Estes SEAL.

William West SEAL.

SEAL.

Approved by me, the 26th day of February 1856

C. C. C. P. Hendricks County.

Not a public officer
Feb 26. 1856
John W. Hendricks

Mary
Estes
deceased

Henry Estes' Estate

State Bill

\$ 90.23
106.45 L
16.22

Sale Bill

Account of the sale of the personal property
of Henry ~~deceased~~ Estes deceased sold by
Edward B Estes administrator at the late
residence of the decedent at public auction
this March the 22 AD 1856

No	Articles	Sold for	To whom sold	Cash or surety
1	bed and bedding	3 30	William West	Frederick Whicker
2	bed and bedding	2 05	William Berry	Cash
3	bed and bedding	15	Thomas Melond	Cash
4	Counterpane	1 00	George Melond	Benjamin Hiatt
5	Counterpane	1 08	George Melond	Benjamin Hiatt
6	blanket	90	Isaac Ruskton	Cash
7	blanket	40	Nancy S Estes	Joseph C Holson
8	blanket	10	William West	Frederick Whicker
9	blanket	10	Nancy S Estes	Joseph C Holson
10	quilt	50	William Berry	Cash
11	sheet	20	Nancy S Estes	Joseph C Holson
12	sheet	35	Nancy S Estes	Joseph C Holson
13	sheet	30	William West	Frederick Whicker
14	sheet	59	Charles Newnam	John Mason
15	pillow slips	15	William West	Frederick Whicker
16	table lining	1 80	Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
17	table lining	35	William West	Frederick Whicker
18	table lining	51	Charles Newnam	John Mason
19	table lining	30	Shimms Kendall	Cash
20	towels	20	Charles Newnam	John Mason
21	towel	16	Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
22	Window blinds	40	Benjamin Hiatt	Cash
23	Window blinds	15	Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
24	umbrella	1 10	Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
25	lanes	2 22	Charles Newnam	John Mason
26	garden and sack	26	Charles Newnam	John Mason
27	Box	13	Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
28	Sheep skin	25	George Melond	Benjamin Hiatt
29	blanket	05	Shimms Kendall	Cash
30	Sar and honey	1 40	Henderson Boyd	Cash
31	Sug and soda	18	Shimms Kendall	Cash
32	Reg and shaggar	70	William West	Frederick Whicker
33	bottles	23	Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
34	bottle and oil	05	George Melond	Benjamin Hiatt
35	sugar bowl	16	Nancy S Estes	Joseph C Holson
36	leather	1 60	George Melond	Benjamin Hiatt
37	Corn	21 28	George Melond	Benjamin Hiatt

20 Towels	20 Charles Newman	John Mason
21 Towel	16 Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
22 Window blinds	40 Benjamin Hiatt	Cash
23 Window blinds	15 Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
24 umbrella	1 19 Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
25 Saus	2 22 Charles Newman	John Mason
26 gun and sack	26 Charles Newman	John Mason
27 Box	13 Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
28 Sheepskin	25 George Meloud	Benjamin Hiatt
29 blanket	05 Thomas Wendell	Cash
30 Jar and honey	1 40 Henderson Boyd	Cash
31 Jug and skin	18 Thomas Wendell	Cash
32 Keg and shagor	70 William West	Frederick Whicker
33 bottles	23 Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
34 bottle and oil	05 George Meloud	Benjamin Hiatt
35 Sugar bowl	16 Nancy S Estes	Joseph Chobson
36 Leather	1 60 George Meloud	Benjamin Hiatt
37 Corn per bushel	27 9 72 Nancy S Estes	Joseph Chobson
38 20 bushels corn	40 8 00 Henderson Boyd	Jonathan Johnson
39 remainder of corn	41 12 30 Henderson Boyd	Jonathan Johnson
40 Mare	35 04 Edward B Estes	Frederick Whicker
Total amount 90.23		John Mason Clerk

State of Indiana

Hendricks County to wit:

The above named John Mason makes Oath that the above account subscribed by him is a just and true account of the Sale of the personal Estate of ~~Edward B Estes~~ Henry Estes late of said county deceased

Sworn before me ~~as~~ a Justice of the peace of said county the first day of April 1856

Amos S. Mills J.P. Seal

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County }

I Edward B. Estes Administrator
of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased affirm 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 and this is
my Affirmation &c. Edward B. Estes

Subscribed & Affirmed to before me the 2nd day of April 1856
John Snow Clerk

Henry Estes' Estate

Inventory \$714.07

Filed in my Office 2nd
April 1856.
John Snow Clerk

An Inventory of the personal estate of
 Henry Estes deceased taken by Edward, B.
 Estes Administrator and appraised by Jonathan
 Johnson and Benjamin Hiatt

No	Description of property	valuation of property
1	One mare	\$ 37 00
2	One bed	5.00
3	One do	5.00
4	2 Countersins	6.00
5	4 Blankets	9.00
6	One Quilt	1.00
7	4 Shirts and 3 pillow Slips	2.00
8	Table Linin	4.00
9	Three Table spreads	1.50
10	3 hand towels	" 40
11	3 Window Curtains	" 50
12	1 Umbrella	" 25
13	4 Yds Brown gane	3.00
14	One bunch yarn & sack	" 40
15	One Box	" 25
16	Shupskin & saddle blanket	" 60
17	Sar & Honey	" 25
18	One yag & wash pan	" 20
19	Sugar heg & Sugar	" 00
20	3 Bottles and Sweet oil & Sugar Bowl	" 60
21	2 Bunches of Leather	" 1.50
22	One spare bedstead and Valley	1.00
23	2 Lots of Corn supposed to be 40 bushel each	24.00
24	One note of hand on L. J. Mateust & Wm Carter Due 22 nd Sept 1856	2.10
25	One on Wm Carter & John C. Co Harper Due 23 rd Sept 1856	" 437
26	One note on Joshua Davis & Stephen Hufy due 22 Sept 1856 for	" 867

27	one note on Oliver S Carter and Wm Carter Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	8 56 22 06
28	one on Wm West and Edward B Estes for Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	7 44
29	one on Jonathan Petty & Alexandria Shaver Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	3 20
30	One note on Alexandria Shaver and Jonathan Petty Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	12 73
31	One note on Paris C Carter and William Carter Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	40 00
32	one note on Edward B Estes & Wm West Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	24 44
34	One note on Benjamin Woodward & John C Harper Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	1 20
35	one note on Stephen Hussey and Joshua M Davis Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	11 30
36	One note on John C Harper and Benjamin Woodward Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	2 22
37	One note on Henry Marley & Jesse Stout Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	13 03
38	One note on Charles Larimore and Jesse Stout Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	6 06
39	One note on Nancy C Estes Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	6 32
40	one note on William Woodward Due December 25 th 1856 for	150 00
41	One note on William Woodward Due December 25 th 1856 for	150 00
42	One note on Joseph C Hobson Due Sept 22 nd 1856 for	7 00
43	One note on Joseph C Hobson Due 22 nd Sept 1856 for	14 51
44	One account on Wm West for	3 00
45	One note on Wm West due 25 th December 1854	25 00
46	One note on Joseph H Estes Due December 26 th 1854 for \$7.60 with a credit for \$1.00 January int 1856	6 08

47 One note on John H Brill Due
Sept 25th 1856 for
Money on hand

Total

2 00
95 00
111 07

Signed by the 8th day of March 1856

Jonathan Johnson C
Benjamin Hiatt C Appraisors

N^o 3
John Moore
\$1.50

N^o 4
B. Allen & Co
\$3.50

N^o 2
Johnson & Hunt
\$1.75

N^o 1
Wm Woodard
\$8.50

April the 1st 1856.

Received of Edward B Estes administrator
of Henry Estes deceased one dollar and
fifty cts in full for my services as
Clerk for said Estate John Mason

August 22nd 1856

Received of Edward B Estes
The administrator of H. Estes deceased
the sum of Three dollars & a half
in full for a set of town stones
Greenacastle. Lint
R. & Allen & Co

March the 22nd 1856

Received of Edward B Estes Administrator
of the estate of Henry Estes One dollar & fifty cents
as appraisors of the property of said estate and
twenty five cents for the Justices fees

Jonathan Johnson
Benjamin Hiatt

Received of Edward B. Estes Administrator of the Estate of
Henry Estes deceased Eight Dollars and fifty cents for tax
paid by him on lands belonging to the Estate of said deceased
March 1st 1856
William Woodward

June 7th 1856

Receipt of Edward B. Estes
Administrator of the estate of Henry Estes
Deceased in full of the within order Twenty
Four Dollars
Joseph P. Bishop

No 9
Joseph P. Bishop
June 7th 1856

January the 1st 1856
On or before the 25th day of December next
I promise to pay Edward B. Estes the sum
of one hundred dollars for value received of
him with out any receipt or appraisal
Lans
a test
Evan Estes
James W. Estes
Henry H. Estes
mark

No 7
Hiram & Son
\$2.80

No 5
J. & L. Turner
\$10.00

\$24.00 April 19th A.D. 1856
Administrator of the estate of Henry Estes
Mr Edward B Estes pleads to pay to J. H.
Bishop the sum of twenty four Dollars and
oblige yours and this shall be a Receipt for the same
James W. Estes

The State of Indiana Mendon County
I Edward B. Estes do solemnly and sincerely affirm the within
note is just and due to me and that there are no offsets against
the same and that it remains wholly unpaid
subscribed and affirmed to before me this 27 day Edward B. Estes
A.D. 1857
Received April 13th 1857 of Edward B.
Estes Administrator of the Estate of Henry
Estes deceased one hundred and one $\frac{80}{100}$ Dollars
in full of this note Edward B. Estes
Morton Snoddy
Justice

Peckburg Ind Mar 8-1854
Received of Edward B. Estes Admin-
istrator of the estate of Henry Estes
Two Dollars and eighty cents in full
of my account on the estate of Henry
Estes for burial clothes
\$2.80
Scherer Son

Stilesville March 12 1856
Received of Edward B. Estes the Administrator
of Henry Estes Estate
Received in full for one Coffin ten \$10.00 Dollars
John B. C. Corner

N^o 11
David Allen
\$0.75

N^o 14
Wm & Eunice
West
\$61.50

N^o 8
Todd & Harriety
\$2.25

N^o 10
Amos Hadley
\$1.75

March #27 1856

Received of E B Estes Administrator
of the Estate of Henry Estes Seventy five
cents for crying in sale

David Allee

Received April 18th A.D. 1857 of Edward B Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased Sixty one
Dollars and fifty cents in full of our distributive share of the
Estate of said deceased

William West
Eunice West

Received February 27th 1856 of Edward B. Estes ad-
ministrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased Two Dol-
lars and twenty five cents for publishing Notice of Grant
of Letters and Notice of Sale

Loose & Kennedy

Received October the 4th 1856
of Edward B. Estes ~~\$4.75~~ for &
administration of Henry Estes
deceased one dollar and seventy
five cents for grave digger

James Haclay

N^o 15

Matilda D. Hunt

\$61.50

N^o 16

John Irons

\$22.00

N^o 17

John Irons

\$26.00

N^o 18

S. T. Hadley

\$6.00

Received Aprile 24th AD 1857 of
Edward B. Estes administrator of the
Estate of Henry Estes deceased Sixty one
Dollars and fifty cents in full of my
distributive Share of the Estate of said
deceased
Malinda B. Stout

Received August 6th 1857 of Edward B. Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Twenty two Dollars Clerks Cost in the Settlement of
the Estate of said deceased including costs on claims
against said Estate
John Irons Clk

Received August 6th 1857 of Edward B. Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Twenty six ^{dollars} the full amount of a claim against
the Estate of said deceased in favor of Withersou
& Miller including Interest
John Irons Clerk.

Received August 6th A.D. 1857 of Edward B. Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Six Dollars Atty fee in the settlement of Estate of
said deceased
S. J. Headley

N^o 20
Edward B. Cate
\$ 58.00

N^o 21
Joseph C. Hobson
Guardian
\$ 58.00

N^o 23
Elizabeth Lindgren
\$ 58.00

N^o 25
Nathan S. Cate
\$ 58.00

Received August 6th 1857 of Edward B Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Fifty eight Dollars in full of my distributive share
of the Estate of said deceased

Edward B. Estes

Received July 10th 1857 of Edward B Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Fifty Eight dollars in full of the distributive
shares of my wards, Smith M. Estes, Wiley N.
Estes, Andrew E. Estes and Sarah S. Estes, of
the Estate of said deceased

Joseph, C. Hobson
Guardian

Received July 10th AD. 1857 of Edward B
Estes Fifty eight Dollars in full of the distributive
shares of my wards Joseph Henry Estes, Taylor C.
Estes, Elizabeth Estes and Matia Light Estes
Minor Heirs of William C Estes and Grand
Children of the said Henry Estes deceased, of
the Estate of said Henry Estes deceased

Elizabeth ^{the} Snodgrass
mark

Guardian

Received July 10th AD. 1857 of Edward B. Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Fifty eight Dollars in full of ~~my~~ distributive ^{share}
of the Estate of said deceased

Ransom S. Estes
Rosellar ^{his} + Estes
mark

N^o 22
Emily D. Cunningham
\$ 58.00

N^o 26
James W. Carter
\$ 58.00

N^o 13
Frederick Whicker
\$ 7.00

Received July 10th AD. 1857 of Edward B. Estes
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased
Fifty eight Dollars in full of my distributive
Share of the Estate of said deceased

James W. Estes
Sally R. Estes

Received August the 1st 1857
of Edward B. Estes Administrator
of the estate of Henry Estes
deceased Fifty Eight dollars
in full of my distributive
share of the Estate of said deceased
Emily D. Cunningham

April the 24th AD 1856
Received of Edward B. Estes adminis-
trator of the estate of Henry Estes, deceased
seven dollars in full for Corn

Frederick X Whicker
of the State of Indiana Hendricks County

Personally, came
before me Edward B. Estes adminis-
trator of the estate of Henry Estes deceased
Frederick Whicker and being by
me duly sworn upon his oath says
the above or foregoing account is
justly due and wholly unpaid and that
there are no offsets against the same

Frederick X Whicker
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 24th day of April AD 1856

Edward B. Estes
Administrator

THE STATE OF INDIANA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF HENDRICKS COUNTY:

You are hereby commanded to summon Bersheba Giltner &
Major James Burgess

to appear before the Judge of the Court Common Pleas of
Said County on the 11 day of November
1856, at the Court House in Danville, then and there to testify
in behalf of the Plffs in an action wherein
Withers & Miller are
plaintiffs and Jesse R. Hendley Admr. Henry Ester Estate
defendants, and this they shall not omit, and have
you then and there this writ.

Witness John Irons the Clerk of said
Court this 1 day of November
A. D. 1856.

John Irons Clerk.

Court Common Pleas
Nov Term 1856

Wetherow Miller

vs { Subpoena
Edward B. Estes admr.
Henry Estes. Estate

Plff Witnesses
Barsebas Galtner
Maj James Burgess Esq

Ret Ind Day.

Summa November 1st 1856 on said witnesses by
reading to and within their hearing

Plff's fees

Summa 60

Return 10

70

6 Chanc. J. B. C.

Henry Estes
Estate

vath of
Appraisers

Filed in my Office Incl
April 1856

John Lewis Clerk

Justice fees

cts
25

State of Indiana }
Henricks County } Jonathan Johnson and
Benjamin Wiatt do swear
that they will honestly and impartially appraise
the personal Estate and effects of Henry Estes
late of Henricks County deceased, which shall
be exhibited to them according to the best of your
Judgments. So help you God

Jonathan Johnson
Benjamin Wiatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me the 6th day
of March AD 1836

Amos S. Mills J. P. Seal

N^o 19

Admrs Bill of
Charges

\$ 22.75

N^o 10

~~Admrs~~
Mary Estes Estate

To

Mullen & Metherow

A^d Aug 1. 1856

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Filed in my Office

26 May 1856

John Jones Clk

Cost 6.15

The Estate of Henry Estes
To Edward B. Estes admr Dr

Taking out Letters of Administration 1 day	\$ 1.50
Making Inventory of property 1 "	1.50
Gathering and husking & delivering Corn 3 day	3.75
Selling property 1 day	1.50
Returning sale Bill and Inventory 1 day	1.50
Collecting money belonging to Estate 4 days	6.00
Making report to Court May Term 1857 - 1 day	1.50
Making out papers for settlement 1 day	1.50
Distributing to heirs 1 day	1.50
Making final settlement 1 day	1.50
	<hr/> \$ 22.75

Henry Estes To John Wetheron & Joseph S. Miller Dr
To bringing and prosecuting a suit in
the Hendricks Circuit Court for Emily Stout
against Samuel Stout \$ 25.00

State of Indiana {
Hendricks County {

Personally appeared before me
John Snow Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of said County Joseph S. Miller who
upon his oath says that the above account
is just and unpaid

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 26 May 1856
Joseph S. Miller
John Snow Clerk

N^o 6

Mrs Clegburn

Dec. 95

Received September 30th 1856 of Edward B. Estes administrator
of the estate of Henry Estes deceased 98 ninety
five cents in full for black smithing
William Clyburn

The State of Indiana Hendrix County

Personally came before me
Edward B. Estes administrator of the estate of Henry
Estes deceased William Cleg. Horne and being
by me duly sworn upon his oath says the above or
foregoing account is justly due and wholly
unpaid and that there are no offsets against the
same
William Clyburn

subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of
September 1856

Edward B. Estes
Administrator

The State of Indiana
 Hendricks County In Court of Common Pleas
 of said County Term

A.D. 1857

The undersigned Edward B. Estes Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes deceased would report to said Court by way of final Settlement that he still stands charged as such administrator with the amount shown to be in his hands at the last May Term of this Court to wit:

	\$ 408.57
Interest collected	9.25
Total Amount of Indebtedness	\$ 417.82

The said Administrator also claims the following credits to wit:

By amount paid John Irons Clerk on fees as per receipt N ^o 16	\$ 22.00
" " " John Irons Clerk for W ^o M. " " " 17	26.00
" " " S. T. Hendley City " " " " 18	6.00
" " of Adm ^r Bill of Charges " " Bill " 19	22.75
making together the sum of	\$ 76.75

The Administrator also claims the further credits for amounts paid him to wit:

By Amount paid Edward B. Estes as per Receipt N ^o 20	\$ 58.00
" " " Joseph C. Hodson Guardian " " " 21	58.00
" " " Emily D. Cunningham " " " 22	58.00
" " " Elizabeth Snodgrass Guardian " " " 23	58.00
" " " James W. Estes " " " 24	58.00
" " " Ransom S. Estes " " " 25	58.00

making amount paid him \$ 348.00

which added to the above credits makes the sum of 424.75 which covers the whole amount with which said Administrator stands charged and shows a balance in his favor of Six Dollars and ninety three cents he therefore prays to be discharged from any other duties as such Administrator

Edward B. Estes

Edward B. Estes the Administrator who makes the foregoing
report being duly affirmed upon his affirmation say the said
report is true to the best of his knowledge
subscribed and affirmed to before me this } Edward B. Estes
the 10th day of August A.D. 1837
John Irons clerk

Henry Estes Estate

Settlement Report

Filed in open court
Aug. 11. 1837
John Irons clerk

The State of Indiana }
 Hendricks County } In Court of Common Pleas
 of said County May Term
 1857

The Undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Henry Estes State of Hendricks County, do hereby report to said Court by way of partial settlement that he is chargeable as Administrator with the full amount of Inventory as per Inventory on file amounting to the sum of \$ 714.07

And that he is entitled to the following credit for decrease in sale of property below the appraisement and for expense of Administration and claims by him paid off against said Estate to wit:

By decrease in sale of property below appraisement	\$ 16.22
" Amount paid Mrs Woodward as per receipt N ^o 1	8.53
" " " Johnson & Hinatt " " " " 2	2.75
" " " John Mason " " " " 3	1.50
" " " R Allen & Co " " " " 4	3.50
" " " John & S. Corner " " " " 5	10.00
" " " Wm Cloghorn " " " " 6	.95
" " " Shuman & Son " " " " 7	2.80
" " " Todd & Kennedy " " " " 8	2.25
" " " Joseph D Bishop " " " " 9	24.00
" " " Amos Hadley " " " " 10	1.75
" " " David Allee " " " " 11	.75
" " " Edward B Estes " " " " 12	101.50
" " " Frederick Whitcher " " " " 13	7.00

Also the further Credits for amount paid him

" Amount paid Mrs & Currier West as per their receipt N ^o 14	61.50
" " " Malinda B Stout " " " " 15	61.50

Making the Amount of Credit \$ 305.50
 which taken from the above indebtedness leaves \$ 408.57
 under the control of the said Administrator

a portion of which remains uncollected the said
administrator therefore prays that this estate may be contin-
ued until the next Term for him to collect and
distribute the balance of the said estate
May A.D. 1857
Edward B Estes

Edward B Estes the Administrator who makes the
foregoing report upon his affirmation says the same is
true to the best of his knowledge

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this } Edward B Estes
the 8th day of May 1857 }
John Brown Clerk

Henry Estes
Esq. Clerk

Report of Administrator
of part of
Settlement

Filed in Chancery Court 19
May 1857
John Brown Clerk

HENRY ESTES

ESTATE

1856

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA