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JACOB HALE

ESTATE

1857

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

No. ~~187~~ 77, 46,

Jacob Hale's Estate.

And W. L. L. admr

Letter issued Aug 18. 1857.

140
126, 165, 182, 218, 258, 291, 319,
Bond of Bond, 60 393, 396

Austin Pearson Secy

Hudson

Know all Men, That we, William McLeod
and Austin Pearson
are bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Five Thousand
dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally,
bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators. Scaled and dated the
18th day of August 1857

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

William McLeod

Austin Pearson



Approved by me, the _____ day of _____ 185

_____ C. C. C. P. _____ County.

STATE OF INDIANA, Mendricks County, ss.

I, William McCloud swear that I will faithfully discharge
the duties of my trust as administrator of the estate of
Jacob Heale deceased, according to law, so help me God.

William McCloud
Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 12 day of August 1857

C. C. C. P. Mendricks 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.

Filed in office court
Aug. 18, 1857
John Brown clerk

\$200000

Admstrator

Wm McCloud

Jacob Heale
Caleb

State of Indiana, Hendrich County, ss:

James W Thompson being duly sworn,
before the Clerk of the Common Pleas Court of the county aforesaid, upon
his oath says Jacob Heale
departed this life in said county, intestate, as he believes, on the 23
day of July, 1857; That said Jacob Heale
left a personal estate to be administered, of the probable
value, as he is informed and believes, of about Eight hundred
dollars, and further sayeth not.

Signed,

J W Thompson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 18th day
of August, 1857.

John Jones Clerk.

Jacob Hale's
Estate

Affidavit of Death
and Intestacy

Filed in open Court
Aug. 18. 1857
John Irons Clerk

Account of the sale of the personal property of Jacob Hale Deceased Sold by Wm McLeod at the late residence of the Deceased at public Auction on the 19th day of Sept 1857

Description of property	Price	Names of purchasers	Cash
5 Crock & cradle	50	Lewis Peary,	cash
1 plain & square	50	John Nail	
1 drawing Knife	35	Wm McLeod	
2 chisels	30	John Patterson	
1 Auger & chain	30	Joseph Houghton	
1 brace & 4 bits	1 10	John Nail	
1 hatchet	65	Lewis Thomas brough	cash
1 screw driver	35	Wm McLeod	
1 hand saw	2 40	John Nail	
3 barrels	70	Wm McLeod	
1 Dish pan & cup	15	Joseph Houghton	
1 meal Sieve	25	Harrierson Thompson	
1 coffee mill	70	Noble Lunken	cash
1 wash tub	35	Joseph Houghton	
1 small & wedge	1 10	Harrierson Thompson	
1 half bushel	75	A S London	cash
1 barrel Vinegar	1 70	A Alexander	
1 keg of soap	45	John Patterson	
1 barrel & Mall	10	Wm Macleay	cash
1 bedstead	2 10	A Adams	
1 Jug & jar	15	Joseph Houghton	
1 jar	25	Lewis Peary	cash
1 gallon jug	5	Do Do	cash
1 pitch fork	1 05	Wm McLeod	
3 chairs	75	Joseph Houghton	
1 Saddle	5 40	Gorge Houghton	
1 pair and irons	1 60	Simon Wells	cash
1 rifle gun	10 00	Wm McLeod	

1	grind Stone	2 00	J W Thompson	
1	Sugar Kettle	1 05	Do Do	
1	Sae	35	Wm M Leach	
1	Seythe & Sincathe	25	John M'ling	cash 97
1	Do Do	75	Solomon Veatch	8
1	Seythe & Cradle	1 10	Wm Thompson	105, cash
1	chipping axe	90	John M'ling	cash
1	Slide	80	George Hayt	
1	lot of lumber	35	Wm Thompson	
1	Doubletree & Clevis	1 65	Harrison Thompson	
1	pair Strainers	50	Joseph Hayt	
1	Singletree & Clevis	1 60	Do Do	
1	Shovel plough	1 50	John H Alexander	
1	Harrow	3 50	Thomas Raney	
1	large Slide	1 00	Wm R M'Daniel	cash
1	Turning Plough	12 10	Harrison Thompson	
1	log chain	2 50	John Keeney	
1	pair of gears	6 00	Hugh Virgant	
1	Do Do	7 00	Do Do	
1	Do	90	Do Margaret Trail	
1	Do	90	E S Thompson	
4	wagon	62 00	Wm Ayers	
1	spiced calf	7 50	J W Thompson	
1	red & White hieps	21 00	Do Do	
1	red & White cow	23 00	John Hampton	
1	red cow & calf	35 00	Wm S Sharp	
9	head of sheep	14 70	John H Keeney	
1	Sow & 6 pigs	7 10	Archibald Alexander	
12	Shoats	21 00	John Patterson	
6	Shoats	32 25	John H Alexander	
7	hogs	69 50	J W Thompson	
1	bay cott	54 50	Wm Crabb	
1	Do Do	40 00	John H Nelson	

1	Yellow Horse	126 25	Ohio Cleveland
1	lot of Wheat	30 00	Jess S Poynter
1	garden	1 75	Joseph Haught
97/8	Acres corn at 70.50	103.95	James Selk
8 1/3	Do at 90.00	75.00	George S Thompson
1 lot of land		1 00	Margaret Nail
1	box & Barrel	15	Joseph Haught
		\$ 402 25	

John W. Shirley

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County }

John W. Shirley Clerk of the Sale of
the personal property of Jacob Nail Decided
Swear that the foregoing ~~sale~~ bill is a
true account thereof

John W. Shirley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of
September, 1857, Lewis. Searey, J. P. Seal

The articles taken by the widow

1	lot of cupboard ware	2 50
1	cooking stove	8 00
10	chairs	6 00
1	stand table	1 00
1	mantle clock	3 00
1	Bureau	8 00
1	dining table	2 50
1	kettle soap	2 00
2	buckets	0 25
1	side saddle	3 00
1	bed stand and clothes	17 00
1	do. . . do . . .	8 00
1	bay mare	140 00
1	sow and pigs	8 00
1	hog	5 00
1	lot of bed clothes	2 00
1	lot of bed clothes	4 00
1	stand of bees	2 00
1	halter	50
		222 75

Received of Mrs. McLeod Adminis

trator of the Estate of Jacob Hale the

Articles here charged to are amounting

by appraisement to two hundred and

twenty five dollars and seventy five cents

Margaret G. Hale

Jacob Hales Estate

Subscribed
Sale Bill

Filed in my Office &
October 1857
John Drown Clerk

The State of Indiana Hendricks County
In Court of Common Pleas of said
County November Term 1858

The undersigned William McLeod
Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Hake late of the
County of Hendricks deceased would report to said Court
that he is chargeable as such Administrator with the sum
of Eight hundred and fifty three Dollars and sixty cents
as shown by the Inventory on file \$ 853.60
and amount of Increase on sale of property } 174.40
over the appraisement }
Making the total amount of Indebtedness \$1028.00

The said administrator also claims the following
credits for expense of Administration and claim by him
paid off against the Estate and property taken by the
widow at its appraisement

By amount of property taken by the widow at its appraisement
to wit the sum of Two hundred and twenty five Dollars and
seventy five cents as appears by a list attached to the

sale Bill			\$225.75
By amount paid	J. B. Runney as per Receipt #1		2.00
" " "	Solomon Beach " " " 2		3.25
" " "	Melzer Ward " " " 3		1.85
" " "	Lewis Percy " " " 4		.50
" " "	J. A. Shirley " " " 5		35.37
" " "	John Hake " " " 6		21.20
" " "	Hill & Wells " " " 7		2.05
" " "	Elias Leach " " " 8		5.00
" " "	Bartholomew & Co " " " 9		36.50
" " "	Baalam Wells " " " 10		.75
" " "	Austin Pearson " " " 11		.75
" " "	J. A. Shirley " " " 12		.35
" " "	D. B. Smith " " " 13		9.76
" " "	Wm. McLeod " " " 14		47.90
Total amount of credits			\$390.98

which taken from the above indebtedness leaves \$637.02
under the control of Administrator accounted for in my next report

most of which remains uncollected the ^{re} having fallen due on
the 19th day of September last he therefore prays that further
proceeding herein be continued for him to collect

William M. Leed

William M. Leed the administrator who makes the
foregoing report being duly sworn upon his Oath the same
is true to the best of his knowledge

William M. Leed

subscribed and sworn to before me

this 3^d day of November AD 1858

John Irons clerk

Jacob Hales
Estate

Report of William
M. Leed Administrator

Filed in open Court
17 Nov. 1858
John Irons clerk

The State of Indiana Hendricks County

In Court of Common Pleas of said
County October Term thereof A.D. 1859

The undersigned William McLeod Ad-
ministrator of the Estate of Jacob Heale Deceased would
report to said Court by way of final Settlement that
he is still chargeable as such administrator as shown
by his report made herein at the Nov Term of this
Court A.D. 1858 with the sum of Six hundred
and thirty seven ²/₁₀₀ Dollars

Interest Collected

Making Total amount of Indebtedness \$ 637.02
6.50
643.52

And said Administrator claims the following
Credits for moneys paid out in the settlement
of said Estate and to the heirs thereof

Amount paid Daniel B South for tax as per receipt	185	\$ 10.87
" " Alexander Adams " " "	16	90.00
" " Jas M Thompson " " "	17	3.50
" " John Isaac Clerk " " "	18	18.97
" " S. J. Hadley att " " "	19	6.00
" " Margaret J Heale widow " " "	20	212.06
" " Margaret J Heale Guardian " " "	21	275.62
" " Administrators fees " " Bill " "	22	26.00
" " S. J. Hadley " " Post " "	23	<u>2.50</u>

Total amount of Credits \$ 643.52

which covers the whole amount with which said
Administrator stands charged and closes the business of said Estate
And the Administrator asks to be discharged William McLeod
Oct 16th 1859

William M. Seed the Administrator who under
the foregoing report upon his oath says the same is
true to the best of his knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this the 16th day of October A.D. 1839 } William M. Seed
John Brown Clerk

Jacob Wake

Isolate

Report of
William M. Seed

Filed in open court
16th Oct. 1839

John Brown Clerk

Affidavit of Appraisers

State of Indiana

Hendricks County

We Balaam Wells and Austin

Pearson swear that we will honestly appraise the personal property of Jacob Weil deceased which may be exhibited to us So help us God

Balaam Wells
Austin Pearson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of September 1857.

Levi Percy (seal)
Justice of the peace

An Inventory of the personal property of Jacob Weil deceased taken by William McLeod Administrator and appraised by Austin Pearson and Balaam Wells

Description of Property		
X 1	one Red cow	\$ 12 00
X 2	one Spotted cow	25 00
X 3	one Spotted calf	5 00
X 4	one Spotted heifer.	16 00
X 5	one lot of cupboard ware	2 50
X 6	one lot of brockery ware	80
X 7	one Cook Stove	8 00
X 8	ten chairs	6 00
X 9	one Stand Table	1 00
X 10	one mantle Clock	3 00
X 11	one Bureau	8 00
X 12	one Dining Table	2 50

89.80

amount not over

89.80

X 10	one wash Tub	\$ 2.5
X 13	one half Bushel	30
X 14	one mul and wedge	75
X 15	one coffee mill and meal sieve	35
X 16	Two Barrels and one Box	50
X 17	one keg of Soap	2 00
X 18	one Kettle of Soap	2 00
X 19	one bedstead	2 00
X 20	one Tin pan &c.	30
X 21	one Barrel	1 00
X 22	Two buckets	25
X 23	one chopping axe	50
X 24	one hand Saw augurs &c.	3 00
X 25	one Side Saddle	3 00
X 26	one mans Saddle	1 50
X 27	one Bedstead and bed clothes	17 00
X 28	one do do	8 00
X 29	one pair of andirons	1 50
X 30	one grindstone	1 50
X 31	one Scythe and Cradle	1 50
X 32	one Double Tree and Single Tree	1 50
X 33	Two sleds	1 50
X 34	one stubble plow	10 00
X 35	one log chain	1 50
X 36	one bay mare	140 00
X 37	one bay horse colt	40 00
X 38	one bay mare colt	35 00
X 39	one damer horse	100 00
X 40	one Sow and pigs	8 00
X 41	Seven head of hogs	60 00
X 42	Six do do	18 00
X 43	one Sow and pigs	6 00
X 44	thirteen pigs	15 00
X 45	Nine head of Sheep	7 00

8582 50

amount not over.

X40		\$5 82	50
X46	one pair stretchers		75
X47	one shovel plow	1	00
X48	one clevis and single Tree	1	00
X49	Two mowing Scythes	1	25
X50	one harrow	2	25
X51	one hay fork		40
X52	Two pair of gears and lines	11	00
X53	one waggon	65	00
X54	one fore plane and square	1	50
X55	one field of corn Supposed to be acres more or less	81	00
56	one field of corn Supposed to be 8 acres more or less	56	00
X57	Garden and Vegetables	1	50
X58	one hog	5	11
X59	one rifle gun	5	00
X60	one Sugar kettle	1	75
X61	one welling hat		50
X62	Two stacks of wheat	30	00
63	one stand of bees	2	00
64	one lot of bed clothes	4	00

Total amount of Valuation \$853 60

Signed by us this the 19th
day of September 1857

Austin Pierson
Balaam Miley

State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.

I William McCloud administrator of ^{Jacob} Stephen Hale's Estate swear that
the above and foregoing is a true and complete Inventory of all the personal
property belonging to said estate which has come to my knowledge as
I verily believe so help me God.
William McCloud

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 8th day of October 1857
John Irons clerk

Jacob Hales Estate

Inventory

853-60

Filed in my Office the
October 1957

John Snow Clerk

Pittsboro Ind Nov 3 1858
Received from ~~Mrs~~ McLeod Administrator
of the Estate of Jacob Nail deceased thirty
five cts in full of Act of Dr & S. Haulley

J V Shirley Executor

No.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Danville, Ind., March 11. 1858.

Received of Margrett McLeod for J. Nail the sum of
Nine dollars, 76 cts. in full for
State, County, School, Township, Specific School, Library, Sinking
Fund and Road Tax for the year 1857, on 1. Poll and Personal
Property, and on Spt 11/2 Sw 1/4 Sec 25 D E 1/2 NW 1/4
Sec 36 T 17 R 1 W

\$976

D. B. South

Treasurer of Hendricks Co.

Retained in my hands the sum of forty Seven Dollars and
seventy cents for a claim I held against Jacob Nail's ^{Estate} being a note
which is lost or destroyed
H. B. South

No. 12
J. N. Smith
\$40.35

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No. 13
Jas. Wright
\$9.76

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4	3	8
2	9	3
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THE ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

Cherokee, Ind.

No. 14
Wm. McLeod
\$47.90

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Sumville Oct 13th 1858
Received of William McLeod
Administrator of the Estate of
Jacob Hale Dec Thirty four
dollars 50cts in full of an
account against said Estate
Bartholomew & Co

September 24th 1858
Received of William M. C. Leod Administrator
of the Estate of Jacob Hale Deceased Seventy five
Cents
Balcani Wally

Oct 4th 1858
Received of William McLeod Administrator of the
Estate of Jacob Hale deceased seventy five cents
in full for appraising property
Austin Pearson

N^o 11
Auction Room
\$0.75

N^o 10
Bathhouse Mill
\$0.75

N^o 9
Auction Room & Co
\$36.50

f. 50

October 2nd 1858

Received of William McLeod Administrator
of the Estate of Jacob Hail deceased
the sum of Fifty ~~five~~ cents for swearing
Appraisers and Clerk

Lewis Percy, J. Peace

Received Pittsboro Ind Sept 22/58
From Mrs McLeod Administrator of
The Estate of Jacob Hail deceased Thirty
five dollars and thirty seven cts

J. V. Shirley

September 25th 1858

Received of William Mc
Leod, ^{sen} Administrator of the Estate of
Jacob Hail Deceased the sum of
twenty one ²⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars in full of my
claim

John Hail

N^o 4
Lewis Henry
\$ 0.50

N^o 5
J. A. Shirley
\$ 35.32

N^o 6.
John Hales
\$ 21.20

Pittsboro Ind Dec 15th 1857 ^{\$1.00}
~~\$1.50~~

Received of William M^cClode Admin-
istrator of the estate of Jacob Nail
Dec 1.85

Meizer ^{his} Ward
mark

Pittsboro Ind Sep 25 1858

Received of William McLeod, Administrator of
The Estate of Jacob Nail Deceased, Two dollars & 00^{cs} in
full, for smith work and Neg

O. W. Hill Wells

September 24th 1858

Received of William M^cLeod^{Esq}
Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Nail
Deceased the sum of five Dollars in
full of my claim for making coffin
for the Deceased. Elias Leach



No. 3
Meyer Ward

\$1.85

No. 7
Hill & Wells
\$9.03

No. 8
Elias Leach
\$5.00

Wm. \$5.00
Elias Leach

No. 1259-86 *Mr*

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Danville, Ind., *February 9th* 1859.

Received of *Wm McLeod* Admr of *Jacob Heale* the sum of
Ten dollars, *87* cts in full for

~~State~~ County, School, Township, Specific School, ~~Library~~, Sinking
Fund and Road Tax, for the year 1858, on ~~Real~~ and Personal
Property, and on *Sept Mr Swiff Dec 25 & Efr Mrs See*
36 17 MR 1 W

\$ *10.87*

D. B. South Treasurer of *Hendricks Co.*

Oct 17th 1857

Received of *Wm McLeod* Admr of the estate
of *Jacob Heale* Deceased two dollars in full
for *ering* sale *J B Rainey*

Sept 19 1857

Received from *William McLeod* Administrator
of the ~~estate~~ of *Jacob Heale* deceased ~~three dollars~~ *three dollars* and *five cents*
Solomon Beach
mark

N^o 15

O. B. South

\$ 10.87

TREASURER'S OFFICE

Danville, Va.

N^o 1

J. B. Haring

\$ 2.00

in car

N^o 2

Salem, Va.

\$ 3.25

Jacob Hales Estate

Recd. 14 Oct. 1859 of William
McLeod Admr of said Estate Eighteen dollars &
ninety seven cents in full of the court fees in
said Estate

John Snow clerk

February 7th 1859

Received from William McLeod
administrator of the estate of Jacob Hall
deceased three dollars and fifty cents for sale
of my stable horse J. M. Thompson

October the 12th 1859

Received of ~~William~~ William
McLeod Admr of the Estate of
Jacob Hall, Ninety Dollars & being
Administrator of Estate of Stephen Hale
Deceased & said amount being due from Jacob Hales Estate
to Stephen Hales Estate
Alexander Adams clerk

No 18
John Brown
\$ 18.97

No 17
J. W. Thompson
\$ 3.50

No 16
Allen Adams
\$ 90.00

Received October 14th 1859 of Wm McLeod ad-
ministrator of the Estate of Jacob Hale Two hundred
and Seventy five $\frac{62}{100}$ Dollars of moneys belonging to my wards
Sarah Jane Hale, Martha Susan Hale and Jacob B Hale
minor heirs to the Estate of said deceased
Margaret J Hale

Received October 14th 1859 of William McLeod Admin-
istrator of the Estate Jacob Hale deceased Two hundred
and Twelve $\frac{60}{100}$ Dollars the balance in full of my
\$300.00 and the One third of the nett amount of
the Estate of said deceased Margaret J Hale

Received October 14th A.D. 1859 of William McLeod
Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Hale deceased Six Dollars
Atty fee in the Settlement of said Estate and for Recording
Deed for said deceased
D. T. Hendley Atty & Recorder

N^o 21
M. J. Hoale
Guards
\$275.62

N^o 20
M. J. Hoale
Guards
\$212.06

N^o 19
L. J. Hoale
\$6.00

Received October 14th 1859 of W^m McLeod Admin-
istrator of the Estate of Jacob Heale Decedent Two Dol-
lars and fifty cents for money paid printer for publishing
notice of grant of Letters of Administration and notice
of sale in said Estate

D. J. Hadley

The Estate of Jacob Heale

To W^m McLeod Adminr D

To 1 day	taking out Letters of Administration	\$ 1.50
" 1 "	making inventory of property	1.50
" 1 "	Selling property	1.50
" 1 "	returning sale bill and inventory	1.50
" 2 "	making reports and Settlement	3.00
" 10 "	spent in collecting & paying out money	<u>15.00</u>
	Total	\$ 26.00

N^o 27
S. H. Hendley
\$2.50

N^o 22
Acting Bill
\$26.00



JACOB HALE

ESTATE

1857

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA