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JOHN M. MATHIS

ESTATE

1876

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

No. 778

Is

HENDRICKS COMMON PLEAS COURT.

PROBATE.

ESTATE OF

John M. Mathis

Is disposed of at
March Term 1878.

John W. Bernhill Administrator.

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August 24 1876

Radley & Parker

Adm'rs. Att'ys

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss:

John C. Barnhill
applies to be appointed Administrator of the Estate of John M.
Mathes late of Hendricks County, deceased, and, being
duly sworn, on his oath says, that the said John M. Mathes
departed this life in said County, on the 7 day of August, 1876
in testate as he believes, leaving a personal estate to be administered, of the probable
value of twelve hundred Dollars; that
~~the real estate to be sold by the provisions of the will of said decedent is of the~~
~~probable value of~~

And he further says that he ~~has~~ been selected by the
widow to administer on said estate
~~and as such is entitled to administer on said estate.~~

John C. Barnhill
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24 day of August 1876
Wm. Irwin

Clerk.

ESTATE OF

John M. Mathes

Deceased.

STATEMENT OF PROPERTY

—AND—

Petition for Letters of Administration.

Filed Aug 24 1876
Wm Brown Clerk

Attorney for Administrator.

The State of Indiana,)

 Hendricks COUNTY.)

I, *Mary A. Mather*, widow of *John M. Mather*
 late of *Hendricks* County, deceased, hereby waive my right to Administor on the estate of
 my said husband, and request the *Clerk* of the *Hendricks* *Circuit* County Court of ~~Common~~
 Pleas to appoint *John C. Barnhill* Administrator of said estate.

Given under my hand this *24* day
 of *August* 18*96*

Signed in the presence of

Mary A. Mather
Thomas Stewart
James Pritchett
 STATE OF INDIANA,)
 COUNTY. }

I, _____ swear that I believe the above signature of
 _____ to be genuine, and further say not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____ 18 .

Clerk.

Know all Men, that we, *John C. Barnhill and Lotan W. Jenkins* are bound unto the STATE OF INDIANA in the penal sum of *Twenty four hundred* Dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators. Sealed and dated this *24* day of *August*, 187*6*

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound *John C. Barnhill* shall faithfully discharge the duties of his trust as Administrator of the Estate of *John M. Mathis*, deceased, according to law then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force.

John C. Barnhill SEAL
L. W. Jenkins SEAL
 SEAL

Approved by me, the *24* day of *August*, 187*6*
Wm. Irwin, Clerk
 C. C. of *Hendricks* County.

State of Indiana, *Hendricks* County.

I, *John C. Barnhill*, swear that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as Administrator of the Estate of *John M. Mathis*, deceased, according to law. So help me God.

John C. Barnhill
 Subscribed and sworn to before me, the *24* day of *August*, 187*7*
Wm. Irwin, Clerk
 C. C. of *Hendricks* County.

State of Indiana, _____ County.

I, _____, swear that the Personal Property of _____, deceased, is not worth over _____ Dollars, as I believe, and that said decedent died on the _____ day of _____, 187*7*. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the _____ day of _____, 187*7*
 _____, Clerk
 C. C. of _____ County.

STATE OF INDIANA, Hendricks COUNTY.

Lotan W Jenkins, swears that I am worth over and above my
indebtedness, twenty five hundred Dollars, as I believe. So helps me God.

L. W. Jenkins
Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 24 day of August, 1876
Wm Irwin, Clerk
C. C. of Hendricks County.

STATE OF INDIANA,

COUNTY.

I, _____, swear that I am worth, over and above my
debts, as I believe. So helps me God

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the _____ day of _____, 187____,
C. C. of _____ County.

John A. Barthell
Administrator
of *John M. Mathes*

To { BOND
\$ 2400.

THE STATE OF INDIANA.

Lotan W Jenkins
Security.

Filed in vacation
Aug 24, 1876
Wm Irwin, Clerk.
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ESTATE OF

John M. Mathis
Deceased.

SALE BILL.

Filed *Oct. 24* 1876
Wm. Swan, clk

Recorded, pages 1012.1217
Fee 1.60

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Account of the Sale of the Personal Property

of John M. Matthias, deceased, sold by John C. Barnhill, at the late residence of the decedent, at Public Sale, on the Twenty Third day of September, 1876.

No. as on the Inventory.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Amount sold for.		TO WHOM SOLD.	Cash or Surety.
		Dolls.	Cts.		
2	Reel, Big Wheel, & ^{mole} candle	25		John M. Carter	Cash
5	Wash Tub	25		Widow	
6	3 Chisels & hand saw	25		Phillip Adair	Cash
" 4	"	20		Erno Hadley	Cash
"	Draining Knife & Square	45		Wm. Hadley	Cash
" 2	Augers	25		Nicholas Poland	Nathaniel Poland
" 2	"	15		Wm. Stanton	
" 1	"	35		S. A. Guthrie	
"	Hand saw	45		Layton Bradford	
"	Saw set & Square	1 00		Jabin Vestal	Cash
"	Box and contents	20		"	"
"	Adz	15		Layton Bradford	
" 3	Planes	35		Wm. Hadley	Cash
" 1	"	55		J. M. Carter	Cash
"	Hammer & Sundries	35		Amos Alderson	
" 2	Files	25		James Waer	Cash
" 3	"	15		Henry Bradford	Layton Bradford
" 4	"	25		Albert Hollingsworth	Cash
"	Box & contents	70		Wm. Stanton	
8	2 Lard Jars	40		Amos Alderson	
10	Cider Barrel	85		"	"
12	Meat	35		Layton Bradford	
"	"	10		H. C. Leach	Cash
14	Bed Stead & Chord	10		Charles Salter	Cash
"	"	10		Ephraim Tomlinson	Cash
"	"	5		"	"
15	Sugar Pottle	55		Layton Bradford	

"	Box & contents	70	Wm Stanton	
8	2 Load fars	60	Amos Alderson	
10	Under Barrel	85	"	"
12	Meat	35	Layton Bradford	
"	"	10	H. C. Leach	Cash
14	Bed Stead & Chord	10	Charles Salter	Cash
"	"	10	Ephraim Tomlinson	Cash
"	"	5	"	"
15	Sugar Trettle	55	Layton Bradford	Henry Bradford
16	Beaureaux	1 70	C Loy	
"	Stand Table	25	Layton Bradford	
18	Spinning Wheel	10	Peter Selch	
22	Feather Bed & Pillows	8 00	A J Stone	Thos. Stewart
"	"	9 80	J C Mendinghall	
23	1 Straw Tick	95	John Simmons	Eli W. Parnell
"	"	75	Wm Stanton	
24	Old Carpet	4 00	Melvina Fohl	Cash
25	Blanket	1 95	Wm Stanton	Layton Bradford
"	"	2 25	J J Strong	Cash
"	"	2 00	Thos. Stewart	
"	"	1 85	J. C. Mendinghall	
26	Bed Comfort	3 10	John Simmons	
27	Double Coverlet	3 65	Mo. M. Frazer	Morris K. Ellis
28	Single	2 05	J. C. Mendinghall	Mary R. Mendi
"	"	2 00	George Parnell	Cash
30	Grind Stone	1 40	Eli Parnell	John Simmons
32	Heating Stone & fank	1 10	A Petty	Cash
33	Grass cut saw	3 10	Hiram Almond	Thos. Almond
35	Mall	15	Henry Parnell	
"	3 Knobs for small Iron ^{used}	20	"	"
36	Ax	45	W A Watson	Ebenezer Tomlinson
37	Mattock	25	Jabin Vestal	Cash
38	2 Hoes	20	Phillip Adair	Cash
39	Spade	40	Jabin Vestal	Cash
"	Shovel	10	James Pritchett	
"	Sand Shovel	10	W A Watson	
"	"	75	Widow	
40	Lot of old irons	45	Amos Alderson	
41	Seythe & Snath	50	Jabin Vestal	Cash

28	Single	2 00	George Parnell	Cash
30	Grind Stone	1 40	Eli Parnell	John Simmons
32	Heating Stone & bank	1 10	A Petty	Cash
33	cross cut saw	3 10	Hiram Almond	Hiram Almond
35	Ball	15	Henry Parnell	
"	3 Knobs for malle Iron ^{ledge}	20	"	"
36	Ax	45	W A Watson	Ebenezer Tomlinson
37	Mattock	25	Jabin Vestal	Cash
38	2 Hoes	20	Phillip Adair	Cash
39	Spade	40	Jabin Vestal	Cash
"	Shovel	10	James Pritchett	
"	Land Shovel	10	W A Watson	
"	"	75	Widow	
40	Lot of old irons	45	Amos Alderson	
41	Scythe & Snath	50	Jabin Vestal	Cash
"	"	50	Thos. Stewart	
42	Box Sundries	15	J L Gunn	Cash
43	Log Chain	1 05	J M Carter	Cash
44	Two Horse Stretcher	1 70	G A Guthrie	

"	One Horse Stretcher	50	Pleasant Almond	
45	Breast chairs	25	Peter Selch	
"	"	50	John Simmons	
46	" Rope	30	Amos Alderson	Asa Ballard
47	Lot of old Irons	50	Jabin Vestal	Cash
48	work Bench & screw	1 05	Eli Parnell	
49	1 set Rob. sled runners	40	G. A. Guthrie	Hiram Hadley
51	Double Shovel	2 50	Benz. Wright	Cash
"	"	3 25	Morris Gilbert	Caleb Dalton
"	"	20	Jas. Pritchett	
52	Small turning Plow	3 35	Morris Gilbert	
53	Two Horse Harrow	5 00	Isaac Bradford	
54	Corn Marker	50	Hiram Almond	
55	lot of hay in cow Barn	15 35	J. K. Hutchings	John M. Carter
57	2 Bee Gums	25	Jabin Vestal	Cash
58	12 old sacks .20 cts each	2 40	John Keer	Cash
59	Hay Bed	3 10	Fred. Man	
60	two time fork	10	Jas. Pritchett	

47	Lot of old Irons	50	Jabin Vestal	Cash
48	work Bench & screw	1 05	Eli Parnell	
49	1 set Rob Sled runners	40	G. A Guthrie	Hiram Hadley
51	Double Shovel	2 50	Benj. Wright	Cash
"	"	3 25	Morris Gilbert	Caleb Dalton
"	"	20	Jas. Pritchett	
52	Small turning How	3 35	Morris Gilbert	
53	Two Horse Harrow	5 00	Isaac Bradford	
54	Corn Marker	5 0	Pleas. Almond	
56	lot of hay in cow barn	15 25	J. K. Hutchings	John McCarter
57	2 Bee Gums	25	Jabin Vestal	Cash
58	12 old sacks .20 cts each	2 40	John Weer	Cash
59	Hay Bed	3 10	Fred. Man	
60	two tine fork	10	Jas. Pritchett	
"	"	10	Layton Bradford	
"	four tine "	35	"	"
61	Oats over head ^{14 puds} doz. 25 doz.	4 25	Henry Sanders	Eli W. Parnell
"	23 doz ¹⁶	3 68	Elias Palmer	Cash
"	Oats in lower mow ¹⁵	2 25	Thos. Stewart	
"	20 doz at 12 1/2 cts per doz.	2 50	Widow	
42	Hay in west section of mow	12 50	Emely Sawright	
"	Middle Do.	7 00	W. A. Watson	
"	East "	4 50	Thos. Stewart	
"	North East "	6 50	Widow	
43	10 Bush. Wheat 105 per bu.	10 50	Pete. Selch	Harvey Woods
45	Wheat screen	50	J. L. Gunn	Cash
46	Corn planter	20	Jas. Pritchett	
67	Scythe & Cradle	50	Simpson Jones	Cash
68	Hay Rake	50	Jas. Pritchett	
69	Double tree & Jockey stick	35	Jas. J. Gibson	Cash
"	Double tree & single trees	1 80	Layton Bradford	
70	Cutting Box & feed Box	1 00	A. Petts	Cash
71	Breaking Plow	2 75	Arthur Hadley	
"	2nd "	12 50	James Pritchett	
"	Jockey stick	25	Isaac Bradford	Isaac Bradford
72	lot of Potatoes 26. Bush at 26 cts	6 76	Dan Jones	
73	2 old Rakes no sale			
74	Three corn Knives	55	J. M. Carter	Cash
75	Saddle	4 00	Henry Bradford	
"	Bridle	5 0	John Weer	Cash
76	one Head Halter	75	R. W. Blair	
"	"	55	Eli Parnell	
"	"	80	"	
77	one set of Plow Harness	2 00	R. W. Blair	
"	"	1 55	Amos Alderson	
78	set of Wagon Harness	12 10	Joshua Trueblood	Ebenezer Tomlinson
80	wheat Pan	1 00	Jas. Gibson	Cash
81	Two Horse Wagon	40 25	Fredoria Mann	Ephraim Tomlinson
"	Gravel Bed	1 00	R. W. Blair	
82	Reaper & Mower combined	75 50	Addison Newlin	Joel Newlin
83	Young Bay mare	111 00	Henry Bradford	
84	Sorrel Horse	105 00	G. A. Guthrie	
85	Sack Bay mare	44 25	Isaac Bradford	
86	Two year old filley	70 00	Harlin Hadley	Ephraim Hadley
87	One "	49 00	J. L. Gunn	John Weer
88	Bran Bay	25	Thos. Stewart	Pleas. Almond
89	3 goats, 190 per head	5 70	Pleas. Almond	Harlin Hadley
90	straw stack	3 00	Allin Jackson	Cash
91	2 sows 16.00 each	32 00	Geo. Poland	
"	" 13.25 "	26 50	"	
92	4 shoats 5.05 "	32 20	Sauca Hadley	Timothy Green
93	"			

41	Cats in lower main	15	2 25	Thos Stewart	
42	20 doz at 12 1/2 ct per doz	2 50	2 50	Widow	
43	Hay in west section of main	12 50	12 50	Emely Sawyerright	
44	Middle Doz	7 00	7 00	W.A. Watson	
45	East	4 50	4 50	Thos Stewart	
46	North East	6 50	6 50	Widow	
47	10 Bush Wheat 105 per bu	10 50	10 50	Pete Selch	Harvey Woods
48	Wheat screen	50	50	J. L. Gunn	Cash
49	Corn planter	20	20	Jas Ritchett	
50	Scythe & Cradle	50	50	Simpson James	Cash
51	Hay Rake	50	50	Jas Ritchett	
52	Shilletree & Jockey stick	35	35	Jas. J. Gibson	Cash
53	Double tree & single trees	1 50	1 50	Gayton Bradford	
54	Cutting Box & feed Box	1 00	1 00	A. Pettit	Cash
55	Breaking Plow	2 75	2 75	Arthur Hadley	
56	2nd	12 50	12 50	James Ritchett	
57	Jockey stick	25	25	Isaac Bradford	Isaac Bradford
58	Lot of Potatoes 24 Bush at 26 ct	6 24	6 24	Dan Jones	
59	2 old Rakes no sale				
60	Three corn knife	55	55	J. M. Carter	Cash
61	Saddle	4 00	4 00	Henry Bradford	
62	Bridle	50	50	John Weer	Cash
63	one Head Halter	75	75	R. W. Blair	
64	" " " "	55	55	Eli Parnell	
65	" " " "	80	80	" " " "	
66	one " of Plow Harness	2 00	2 00	R. W. Blair	
67	" " " "	1 55	1 55	Amos Alderson	
68	set of wagon Harness	12 10	12 10	Joshua Trueblood	Ebenezer Gombinson
69	wheat fan	1 00	1 00	Jas. Gibson	Cash
70	Two Horse Wagon	40 25	40 25	Fredric Mann	Ephram Gombinson
71	Grand Bed	1 00	1 00	R. W. Blair	
72	Reaper & Mower combined	75 50	75 50	Addison Newlin	Joel Newlin
73	Young Bay mare	111 00	111 00	Henry Bradford	
74	Sorrel Horse	105 00	105 00	G. A. Guthrie	
75	Dark Bay mare	44 25	44 25	Isaac Bradford	
76	Two year old filley	70 00	70 00	Harlin Hadley	Eros Hadley
77	One " " "	49 00	49 00	J. L. Gunn	John Weer
78	Bran Box	25	25	Thos Stewart	Pear. Almond
79	3 goats, 1.90 per head	5 70	5 70	Pear. Almond	Harlin Hadley
80	straw stack	3 00	3 00	Allen Jackson	Cash
81	2 sows 14.00 each	28 00	28 00	Geo. Poland	
82	" " 13.25 " "	26 50	26 50	" " " "	
83	4 shoats 8.05 " "	32 20	32 20	Savie Hadley	Timothy Green
84	6 " 5.00 " "	30 00	30 00	Nathaniel Poland	Nicholas Poland
85	8 " 4.90 " "	39 20	39 20	" " " "	
86	sow & 7 pigs	27 75	27 75	S. " Poland	
87	" " 6 " "	25 00	25 00	C. Toy	H. D. Toy
88	" " 6 " "	24 75	24 75	" " " "	
89	corner cupboard	1 15	1 15	James Ritchett	Pear. Almond
90	Old Table	25	25	Widow	
91	5 bags	4 25	4 25	John Simms	Cash
92	4 " " "	2 00	2 00	Dan Jones	Robt. Blair
93	Estack Hay	7 00	7 00	John Gucker	Harlin Hadley
94	West	6 75	6 75	" " " "	
95	2 acres corn off south side 1000	30 00	30 00	Emely Sawyerright	Dan M. Jones
96	6 meyt north	46 50	46 50	Robt. Blair	Dan M. Jones
97	113 Remainder 800 per acre	9 04	9 04	Thos Stewart	
98	1000 Roan cow & calf	40 25	40 25	R. W. Blair	
99	Red Bull	18 00	18 00	Henry Sanders	
100	Speckled Roan cow	35 00	35 00	Thos Stewart	Cash
101	pearling steer	25 50	25 50	Dan Jones	
102	" " Heifer	24 00	24 00	Amos Alderson	
103	Brass Kettle	20	20	Widow	
104	Old arm chair	40	40	Hiram Green	Cash
105	water Bucket	20	20	Widow	
106	spring calf	11 09	11 09	James Ritchett	
107	Old Gun	4 00	4 00	Nicholas Poland	Nathaniel Poland
108	1/2 interest in Roller	1 10	1 10	A. Pettit	Cash
109	Set of Cup & Saucers	40	40		
110	Total	1262 83	1262 83		

State of Indiana, Hendricks County:

I, Emos Hadley, Clerk of the Sale of the Personal
Property of John M. Mathis, deceased, swear that the
foregoing Sale Bill is a true account thereof.

Emos Hadley
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th day of October, 1876

John C. Barnhill Admr.

State of Indiana, Hendricks County:

I, John C. Barnhill, Administrator of the estate
of John M. Mathis, deceased, swear that the foregoing
Sale Bill is a true account of the Sale of the Personal Property of the decedent, not taken
by the widow.

John C. Barnhill
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of October, 1876

Wm. Irwin, Clerk

of the Circuit Court of Hendricks County.

ESTATE OF

John M. Mather
DECEASED.

INVENTORY.

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Filed *Copy 24* 1876
John M. Mather
Attorney at Law, New York, N.Y.

Recorded

INVENTORY.

(No. 34.)

Braden & Burford, Printers, Indianapolis.

AN INVENTORY of the Personal Estate of

deceased, taken by

and appraised by

and

Administrator,

No.	DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.	Valuation of Property.		No.	PROPERTY TAKEN BY THE WIDOW.	Valuation of Property taken by the Widow.	
		Dollars.	Cts.			Dollars.	Cts.
1	Reel & Big Wheel		50				
2	Candle Moulds		50				
3	Sausage Grinder	1	50	3	taken by widow	1	50
4	sausage stuffer		50	4	sausage stuffer		50
5	Wash Tub		40		do - - - do		40
6	Box & Carpenter tools	10	00				
7	2 Jugs 25 cts each		50	7	do - - - do		50
8	5 Lard Jars 20 cts each	1	00	8	3 Jars 20 - - do		60
9	Lard stand		25	9	taken by widow		25
10	Cider Barrel		50				
11	Barrel and Vinegar	3	00	11	Barrel & Vinegar	3	00
12	3 meat tubs	1	00	12	1 meat tub -		34
13	Barrel and salt	1	25	13	Barrel & salt do	1	25
14	1 Bedstead & cord	1	00				
" "	1 do - do - do	1	00				
" "	1 do - do - do		50				
15	2 Sugar Kettles 75 -	1	50	15	1 Kettle		75
16	old Bureau -	5	00				
17	2 stand table	1	25	17	1 stand table widow		63
18	little spinning wheel		25				
19	1 set Windsor chairs	1	50				1 50
20	4 split Bottom chairs		50	20	4 taken by widow		50
21	2 Feather Beds - - -	15	00	21	one looking Glass	1	00
22	looking Glass	1	00				
23	2 straw ticks 50 -	1	00				
24	old carpet - -	4	00				
25	4 blankets 250. each	10	00				
26	1 Bed comfort	1	50				
27	1 double Coverlet	5	00				
28	2 single coverlets 250 -	5	00				
29	1 old clock		50	29	1 clock taken by widow		50
30	Grind Stone	1	00				
31	Wheel Barrow	2	00	31	taken by widow Wheel Barrow -		2 00
32	heating stove	2	50				
33	crosscut saw	2	50				
34	wood saw & buck		50	34	taken by widow, saw & buck		50
35	lot old nails & wedges	1	00				
36	two Axes 50 - -	1	00	pt 36	one taken by widow		50
37	mattocks		25				
38	lot of old garden hoes		50	pt 38	one taken by widow		15
39	lot of old shovels & spades	1	00				
40	lot of old Irons		25				
41	2 old scythes		50				
42	Box of old sundries		10				
43	log chain -		75				
44	two Horse stretchers	1	00				
45	one Horse do -		50				
46	3 pair Breast chains		75				
47	log Rope		25				
48	lot of old Irons in shed		50				
49	Bench & screw	1	50				
50	set of Oak sled runners	1	00				
51	lot of Barrels & Box	1	00	50	taken by widow		1 00
52	2 double shovel plows		5 00				
53	small turners plow		2 50				

18	little spinning wheel	25			1 50
19	1 set Windsor chairs	1 50			50
20	4 split-bottom chairs	13 00	20	4 taken by widow	1 00
21	2 looking glass	1 00	21	one looking glass	1 00
22	2 straw ticks 50	1 00			
23	old carpet	4 00			
24	4 blankets 250 each	10 00			
25	1 Bed comfort	1 50			
26	1 double coverlet	5 00			
27	2 single coverlets 250	5 00			
28	1 old clock	1 00	29	1 clock taken by widow	50
29	grind stone	2 00	31	1 wheel barrow	2 00
30	wheel barrow	2 50			
31	heating stove	2 50			
32	croquet saw	50	34	taken by widow, saw buck	50
33	wood saw & buck	1 00			
34	lot of old mauls & wedges	1 00	pt 36	one taken by widow	50
35	two axes 50	25			
36	mattock	50	pt 39	one taken by widow	15
37	lot of old garden hoes	1 00			
38	lot of old shovels & spades	25			
39	lot of old irons	50			
40	2 old scythes	1 0			
41	box of old sundries	75			
42	log chain	1 00			
43	two horse stretcher	50			
44	one horse 50	75			
45	3 pair Breast chains	25			
46	log Rope	50			
47	lot of old irons in shed	1 50			
48	bench & screw	1 00			
49	set of Bah sled runners	1 00	50	taken by widow	1 00
50	lot of barrels & box	5 00			
51	2 double shovel plows	2 50			
52	small turning plow	3 00			
53	two horse harrow	75			
54	marker	50	55	2 basket & onions taken by widow	50
55	Basket & onions	12 00			
56	lot of Hay in cow Barn	50			
57	2 bee hives	3 50	pt 58	4 taken by widow old sacks	80
58	17 old sacks 20 cts each	3 00			
59	Hay bed for wagon	1 00			
60	4 old Hay forks	4 00			
61	lot of oats over head in mow	36 00			
62	2nd bound oats 20 cts doz	37 00	63	taken by widow 1st lot 37 bus	37 00
63	lot of hay in mow	6 50			
64	lot of wheat in garner	1 50	64	3 taken by widow	1 50
65	2 lot ten to bus in garner	2 50			
66	3 gums for grain 50	1 00			
67	Wheat screen	1 00			
68	Corn planter	1 00			
69	grain cradle	1 00			
70	Hay Rake	1 50			
71	double trees for plow	1 00			
72	Cutting Box & Box	14 00			
73	2 breaking plows	4 16			
74	lot of potatoes 16 cts per bu	1 0			
75	2 old Rakes 50	50			
76	3 corn knives 16 2/3	3 00			
77	saddle & bridle	1 50	76	one taken by widow	37
78	4 head halters	3 00			
79	1 set plow harness	10 00			
80	1 set wagon 50	25	79	taken by widow	25
81	scoop shovel	2 50			
82	wheat fan	60 00			
83	wagon for potatoes & gravel bed	100 00			
84	Reaper & mower combined	110 00			
85	young Bay mare	120 00			
86	dark Bay mare	85 00			
87	2 year old colt	90 00			
88	1 year old colt	70 00			
89	Bray Box	40			
90	3 goats 100 each	3 00			
91	straw stack	40 00			
92	4 sows 10.00 each	40 00	92	4 taken by widow	20 00
93	8 largest shoats 500	40 00	93	2 taken by widow	5 00
94	14 small shoats	40 00			

73	2 old Rakes	10			
74	3 corn Reines	50			
75	Saddle & Bridle	3 00			
76	+ head halters	1 50	74	one taken by widow	37
77	1 set plow harness	3 00			
78	1 set wagon box	10 00			
79	Scoop Shovel	25	79	taken by widow	25-
80	wheat Pan	2 50			
81	wagon for sale & gravel bed	60 00			
82	Reaper & mower combined	100 00			
83	young Bay mare	110 00			
84	small Horse	120 00			
85	dark Bay mare	85 00			
86	2 year old colt	90 00			
87	1 year old colt	70 00			
88	Bran Box	40			
89	3 goats 100 each	3 00			
90	straw stack	3 00			
91	4 sows 10.00 each	40 00			
92	8 largest shafts 500.	40 00	92-4 taken by widow.	20 00	
93	16 small shafts	40 00	93-2 taken by widow	5 00	
94	3 sows & 19 pigs	60 00			
95	field of corn east of Barn ^{per acre} 100	70 70	95-7 ⁷⁰ / ₁₀₀ acres taken by widow	70 70	
96	lot of fruit on the trees	10 00	96 taken by widow	10 00	
97	corner cupboard	2 00			
98	old table	1 00			
99	7 logs 12 ft long	10 00			
100	2 Hay stacks 800 each	16 00			
101	field corn on south ^{10.00 per acre} 40				
102	Red Roan Cow & calf	40 00			
103	Red Bull yearling	18 00			

No	Description of Property	value	taken By widow	dollars	cts
		Dollars, cts			
104	large Roan Cow	45 00	104 large Roan Cow taken by widow	45	00
105	Drop Horned Cow & calf	40 00	105 drop horn cow taken by widow	40	00
106	speckled Roan Cow	30 00			
107	yearling Steer	20 00			
108	yearling Heifer	20 00			
109	small Brass kettle	50			
110	old arm chair	50			
111	water Bucket	25			
112	spring Calf	8 00			
113	2 doz chickens	4 00	113 2 doz chickens taken by widow	4	00
114	garden stuff	3 00	114 taken by widow	3	00
115	Gold \$48.00 silver 6.45 paper 6.40	59 85			
116	old watch	2 50	116 old watch taken by widow	2	50
117	Old Gun	5 00			
118	half int. in Roller	3 00			
119	Old Buggy	22 00	old Buggy taken by widow	22	00
		1203 21		279	49

Signed by us on this 30th day of Aug.
1876.
Julius Vestal

92	Heaven's Cupboard	1 00
93	old table	10 00
94	7 logs 12 ft long	16 00
95	2 Hay stacks 900 each	40 00
96	field corn on south 40 acres	18 00
97	Red Horn cow & calf	40 00
98	Red Bull yearling	18 00

No	Description of Property	value Dollars. cts	taken By Widow	Dollars cts
104	Large Horn Cow	45 00	104 Large Horn Cow taken by Widow	45 00
105	Droop Horned Cow & calf	40 00	105 Droop Horn Cow taken by Widow	40 00
106	speckled Horn Cow	30 00		
107	yearling Steer	20 00		
108	yearling Heifer	20 00		
109	small Brass kettle	50		
110	old arm chair	50		
111	water Bucket	25		
112	spring Calf	8 00		
113	2 doz chickens	4 00	113 2 doz chickens taken by Widow	4 00
114	garden stuff	3 00	114 taken by Widow	3 00
115	Gold \$48.00 Silver 6.45 paper 4.40	59 85		
116	old watch	2 50	116 old watch taken by Widow	2 50
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Signed by us on this 30th day of Aug.
1876.

Julius Vestal
David T. Cox

Appraisers

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, set:

We, Jahin Vestal and David J. Cox
~~swear~~^{affirm} that we will honestly appraise the Personal Estate of John M. Mathes
deceased, which may be exhibited to us; ~~so help us God.~~^{under the pains and}
~~penalties of perjury.~~

Jahin Vestal
David J. Cox Appraisers.

~~sworn~~^{affirmed} Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 30 day of August, 1876,
John C. Barnhill Adm.

State of Indiana, Hendricks County:

I, John C. Barnhill Administrator of the Estate of
John M. Mathes, deceased, swear that the foregoing is a
true and complete inventory of all the Personal Estate of said decedent, which has come to
my knowledge; and also of the property taken by the widow, on the 30 day of
August 1876; so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24 day of October, 1876
Mr. J. J. J. J.
Clerk of the Hendricks Circuit Court.

February 28th 1878.

Received of John C. Barnhill, Admin of the
estate of John M. Matthis decd the sum of
Ninety seven and ⁸⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars in full of the fol-
lowing claim against said estate.

March 7 th 1876.	Loaned said decedent	\$57.08
April 17.	" " " "	40.00
		<hr/> 97.08.

Mary, A. Matthis.

Office of the Citizen
Plainfield, Oct. 5th 1874

Jno. C. Barnhill Admin of Matthis

To the Citizen Dr

To publication of "Sale Notice" \$1.50

To publication of "Administrators
Notice" 1.50

To printing bills

Recd Payment \$4.50

Jno. M. Vestal
Pub. of Citizen

2016.

\$9708

Mary A. Hattus

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19
1878

Wm Irvin
CLERK

2015. \$450

J. W. Vestab

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MAY
19
1878

Wm Irvin
CLERK

#450 Receipt of
John N. Vestab

CLERK'S OFFICE,

\$ 7.20

No. _____

Danville, Hendricks Co., Ind.

Feb 28

1878

Received of John C. Barnhill Administrator
 of the Estate of John M. Matthes, deceased,
 Seven dollars and twenty cents,
 in full of the costs due in said
 Estate to include final settlement
 at March Term 1878

Wm. Inman

Clerk.

Oct 15th 1876

Received of J. C. Barnhill Admr, of The Estate of John
 M. Matthes deceased ^{for services} 15 dollars as clerk of sale of
 personal property of said Estate taking notes measuring
 Corn in fields Enos, Hadley

February 28th 1878.

Received of John C. Barnhill, Administrator of
 the estate of John M. Matthes deceased Fifteen
 dollars in full of all fees in said adminis-
 tration to date, including advice and final set-
 tlement report.

Hadley & Parker.

No 19 \$72⁰⁰
H. Irwin

FILED

MAR
19
1878

H. Irwin
CLERK

No 12 \$6⁰⁰

Eros Hadley

FILED

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H. Irwin
CLERK

\$600
Receipt of
Eros Hadley

No 17 \$15⁰⁰

Hadley & Parker

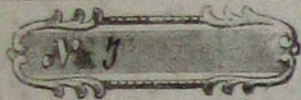
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1878

H. Irwin
CLERK

September the 23rd 1876

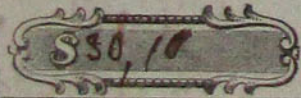
Received of John C. Barnhill
Administrator of the Estate of John M.
Matthis Deceased Ten Dollars for crying
sale of personal property
Nash Received



Plainfield Sept. the 23rd 1876

Twelve Months after date we promise to pay to
John C. Barnhill Admr. of the estate of John M. Matthis ^{Deceased} or order,
Forty ^{six} 10 Dollars

with interest at ^{six} ~~ten~~ per cent. per annum,
and with attorney's fees. Value received without any relief whatever from
valuation or appraisement laws.



Bowen, Stewart & Co., Bookseillers, Indianapolis, Ind.

Amos Alderberry
Ada Ballard

Plainfield September the 25th 1876.

Received of John C. Barnhill Admr. of the Estate
of John M. Matthis Deceased. Two Dollars 00⁰⁰ for
Appraising ^{personal} property of the said Matthis Estate
John West

No 18 \$30.10
For the less Note.

No 14 \$20.00
John Vestal

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1878
CLERK
J. H. Smith

John Vestal
\$10.00 Receipt

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J. H. Smith
CLERK

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J. H. Smith
CLERK

No 13 \$10.00
John Vestal

John Vestal
\$10.00 Receipt

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Danyille, Hendricks County, Ind.,

1877.

Received of

Jno M Mattheus by J. C. Barnhill Admr

62 DOLLARS,

the sum of Thirty five and 100 in full for FIRST ONE-HALF of State, County, School, Township, Special School, Dog and Road Taxes, for the year 1876, on Poll and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

DESCRIPTION OF LAND.	Section.	Town.	Range.	Acres.	Hund.	Name of Town.	Lot.	Blk or Sq.
NE 2 SE 4	26	15	1 E	80				
NE 4 NE 4	35	15	1 E	40				

L. S. Watt

Deputy

Treasurer of Hendricks County.



No.

Plainfield Oct. the 24th 1876.

Received of John C. Barnhill Admr of the estate of John M. Matthis deceased.

and in full for threshing wheat.

30 Dollars,

\$ 4.30

Bowen, Stewart & Co., Booksellers, Indianapolis, Ind.

Newlin & Palmer

Plainfield Oct. the 24th 1876

Received of John C. Barnhill, Administrator of the estate of John M. Matthis deceased. Two Dollars for services in appraising the personal property of said decedent.

David L. Cox

11/ \$3.562
L. S. Hatter

No 8 \$436
Herolius & Palmer

\$3.562
L+

\$4.30
Receipt of
Addison & Co.

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Receipt of
Daniel H. Cox

\$229
11/5/607

DELINQUENT TAXES FOR 187

\$ 29 61

100

187

Treasurer's Office, Danville, Hendricks County, Ind.,

Received of

John Mathews 13 7 6 Barnhill admr the sum of
Twenty Nine Dollars and *Sixty one* Cents,

in full for State, County, School, Township, Special School, Dog and Road Taxes, including Penalty and Interest, delinquent for the year 1876, on *Real* and Personal Property, and on the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

DESCRIPTION OF LAND.	Section.	Town.	Range.	Acres.	Hun.	Name of Town.	Lot.	Blk or Sq.
<i>1/2 Sec 44</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>80</i>				
<i>Sec 44 Sec 44</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>40</i>				

Alfred Webbhaw

Deputy.

Treasurer Hendricks Co.

\$900 Rainier Ct. the 14th 1876,

Received of John C. Barnhill,

Administrator of the Estate of John M. Matthis deceased, Nine Dollars, in full for balance on work done on farm

B J Stewart

No. 8 \$29.01
A. J. Hedges

No. 7. \$9.00
B. J. Stewart.

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J. M. Irvin
CLERK

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J. M. Irvin
CLERK

Recd of
B. J. Stewart.
\$9.00

Plainfield July 30 1877
Received of J. C. Barnhill Administrator
of the Estate of John Mathis dec.
Forty two Dollars in full for Coffin
Hearse & Team furnished by me
\$42⁰⁰ Sebastian Hef



No.

Plainfield Oct. 14th 1876

Received of J. C. Barnhill Administrator
of the estate of John M. Mathis Dec'd ¹⁰⁰ Dollars,
Three dollars and fifty cents for the practice
of medicine
\$3.50 J. J. Strong

42. Receipt of
S. Hiss. funeral

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Wm. Irvin

No 10
\$42.00
Setha. Hiss

No 6. \$350
J. T. Strong.

\$350
Receipt of
Jr Strong.

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Wm. Irvin
CLERK

#27249. ⁽¹⁸⁷⁸⁾ Plainfield Sept the 26th 1878
Received of John C. Barnhill
Administrator of the Estate of
John M. Matthis deceased.
Two Hundred seventy nine and
~~75~~ dollars (279⁴⁹ / 100) for profits
taken at Appraisement
Mary A. Matthis

#346⁴⁸ February 28th 1878
Received of John C. Barnhill
Administrator of the estate of John
M. Matthis decd the sum of Three
hundred forty six and ⁴⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars
in full of my distributive share
in said estate in the hands
of said Administrator

Mary A. Matthis

Widows Receipts

781, 2, 3, & 4.

Mary A. Matthis

780V

#34890

Plainfield, N. J. the 28th 1878.
Received of John C. Barnhill
Administrator of the Estate
of John M. Matthis Deceased.
Three Hundred and forty eight
dollars and sixty cents, (\$348.60)
Mary A. Matthis

#11229

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Plainfield, September the 26th 1877.
Received of John C. Barnhill,
Administrator of the Estate of
John M. Matthis Deceased.
One Hundred and twelve
dollars and thirty cents, ~~for~~ in
Cash, and for ~~asset~~ bought
at Sale.
Mary A. Matthis

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J. M. Irwin
CLERK

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss:

In the matter of the Estate of
John M. Matthis

deceased.

^{Circuit}
In the Court of Common Pleas,
Hendricks County,

March Term, 1878.

Final Account Report No.

The undersigned, Administrator of said estate, respectfully submits to said Court the following final report of his proceedings as such Administrator, and asks that said report may be confirmed, and that he may be finally discharged from his trust as such Administrator.

	\$	Cts.
I am chargeable with amount due at last report , of Inventory on file	1203	21
Interest Collected . Increase of Sale Bill over Inventory.	398	96
Interest actually collected	78	23

Total Charges, 1680 40

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.			
1	Mary A. Matthis		348 60
2	do do		112 30
3	do do		279 49
4	do do		346 48
5	Alfred Helshane	Taxes.	29 61
6	J. T. Strong		3 50
7	B. F. Stewart		9 00
8	Herolin + Palmer.		4 30
9	Daniel F. Cox		2 00
10	Sebastian Weiss		42 00
	Total.		1177 28
			1177 28

	Amount forward.	1177 28
11	L. S. Hatto Taxes.	35 62
12	Ernos Hadley.	6 00
13	Heah Beagan	10 00
14	Jabin Vestal	2 00
15	John W. Vestal	4 50
16	Mary A. Matthuis	97 08
17	Hadley & Parker.	15 00
18	Wife on Amos Alderson and Asa	

Ballard who have become notoriously insolvent since its execution and now uncollectable

30 10

Said Administrator further asks the Court to allow him for his service in said estate including making sale of personal property, collecting sale note and reimbursement for expenses necessarily incurred.

100 00

19 H^m Irvin Clerk

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Received of John C. Baruhill Admr.
herein the sum of One hundred ninety
five and ⁶²/₁₀₀ Dollars for the use of
Eli Johnson, Administrator of the
estate of Elizabeth Patterson decd.
Wm^d Irvin, Clk. Total

195 62

1680 40

RECAPITULATION.

Total Amount of Charges,

1680 40

" " " Credits,

1680 40

Said Administrator further shows the Court that he has had the letters herein for more than one year; that he has collected all claims due said estate and paid all demands against the same so far as the same have come to his knowledge; that he has used none of the moneys of said estate in his own private business but has accounted for all the interest, benefit or advantage he has received or could have received by a judicious management of said estate. Whereupon he asks the Court to approve the his final settlement report and order his discharge from any and all further liability herein.

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss:

I, John C. Barnhill, Administrator of the estate of John M. Matthews, deceased, affirm that the foregoing final report is true and correct; that it contains a true and full account of all moneys and property with which I am chargeable, as well as of all moneys laid out and expended; that all statements therein contained are true and correct; ~~and I so affirm~~ ^{and I so affirm} under the pains and penalties of perjury. John C. Barnhill.

Subscribed and affirmed to before me, the 28th day of February, 1878.

James O. Parker, Clerk
Notary Public Hendricks County, Indiana.

No.

In the matter of the Estate of

John W. Matthews

deceased.

John C. Barnhill

Adm'r.

Final Account Report No.

Total Charges, - - \$ 1680.40

Total Credits, - - \$ 1680.40

\$

Filed the day of 18.....

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Clerk.

Letters of Administration issued

day of

18.....

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Headley & Parker Attorneys.

approved

John C. Barnhill

JOHN M. MATHIS

ESTATE

1876

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA