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JACOB REECE

ESTATE

1853

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA



Sept 61

Point Storer  
Estate

Isaac Wilson Esq.

210.247.285.326



Know all Men by these Presents,

all inhabitants of the State of Indiana are held jointly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

18 \_\_\_\_\_

Whereas, the above named and bounden \_\_\_\_\_

been duly appointed by the \_\_\_\_\_  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

Probate Court of the \_\_\_\_\_  
said, GUARDIAN of the \_\_\_\_\_

and letters of Guardian  
by said \_\_\_\_\_  
obligation is to the effect

perform the duties of  
and in that case so  
to be and remain in

Approved \_\_\_\_\_

ed to

condition of the above  
said \_\_\_\_\_

shall faithfully  
Guardian: Then  
and void, otherwise



Jacob Reese's Estate  
Will.



550 words of Complete Record.

Filed in my office 7th October  
1853. and Recorded in Will  
Record 1<sup>st</sup> at Sage's 12<sup>th</sup> 53.  
John Ivory Clerk



State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.

Be it remembered that on the Seventh day of October in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty three personally appeared, Harvey Gibbons and Morgan Mahoney, before me, John Long, clerk of the ~~Hendricks~~ Circuit Court of Common Pleas of Hendricks County, who being by me duly sworn according to law depose and say that they saw Jacob Reese subscribe his name to the foregoing instrument of writing, by ~~affixing~~ making his mark, and heard him declare the same to be his last will and testament; that, at his request they subscribed their names thereto as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said testator at the time of executing the same, was competent to devise his property and that he was not under coercion.

Harvey Gibbons

Morgan Mahoney

Subscribed and sworn to before me the date above.

Witness my name and the seal of said Court  
John Long Clerk.

State of Indiana Hendricks County ss.

I John Long Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas hereby certify that the within <sup>last</sup> will of Jacob Reese late of said county deceased has been duly admitted to probate; that its due execution was this day proven by Harvey Gibbons and Morgan Mahoney, whose proofs together with such will have been duly recorded at page of the record of Wills in our office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my  
my name and the seal of said court  
this the 7th day of October A.D. 1853

John Long

Clk. Ct. Co.



State of Michigan, I do hereby certify that  
on the 1st day of the month of the said  
hereby make this my last will and testament  
and first I will that my body be buried in  
a decent manner according to my ability  
in a plain and decent manner and the  
expenses had in accordance with the laws  
of the State. Secondly I will that my last  
debts be paid out of the available means  
of my estate. Thirdly after the payment of  
my just debts I will to have & have my  
youngest son one rifle gun and one yearling  
Armed filly. Fourthly I will all the balance  
of my real and personal estate to my  
wife my beloved wife during her  
natural life. Fifthly I will at the death  
of my wife all of my estate lawfully  
acquired to turn all of my estate  
slightly it will and the hereby appoint Isaac  
Miller my executor to this my last will and  
testament done in the my will in my  
proper presence and presence  
of my children  
Alonzo Anthony & Leahy T. T. T.





Estate of  
Sweet Rose

Executors Bond

Filed in my office 11th  
October 1853.  
John Brown Clerk.  
B1 R10



Know all that we Isaac Wilcox George  
Knigh

are bound unto the State of Indiana  
in the Penal Sum of Two thousand  
dollars for the Payment of which we jointly  
and severly bind our selves our heirs  
Executors and Administrators sealed with  
our seals and dated the 6<sup>th</sup> day October  
1853

The condition of the above obligation  
is that if the above bound Isaac Wilcox  
shall faithfully discharge the duties of his  
Trust as Executor of the last will of  
Jacob Reese Deceased according to Law  
then the above obligation is to be void  
Else to remain in full force

Isaac Wilcox Seal

Geo. Knigh Seal

Approved by me the 7<sup>th</sup> October 1853

John Irons Clerk  
Clerk of the Co

State of Indiana Hendricks County

I Isaac Wilcox swear that I will faithfully discharge  
the duties of my trust as ~~Administrator~~<sup>Executor</sup> of the ~~last will~~  
~~of Jacob Reese~~ Executor of the last will of Jacob Reese  
deceased according to law so help me God.

Isaac Wilcox  
Subscribed and sworn to before me October 7<sup>th</sup> 1853

John Irons Clerk

H. J. McCalister, D.C.



State of Indiana Hendricks County for

I Isaac Wiley Executor of the last will of  
Jacob Reiss deceased, swear that the foregoing is a true and  
complete inventory of all the personal property belonging to the  
estate of said deceased, which has come to my knowledge  
together with the property taken by the widow on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1853  
So help me God. Isaac Wiley

Subscribed and sworn to before me October 31<sup>st</sup> 1853.

John Travis Clerk

Jacob Reiss's Estate.

Inventory.

Filed in my office 31<sup>st</sup> October

1853. John Travis Clerk.



an Inventory of the personal Estate of Jacob Ruse  
Deceased Taken by Isaac Wilcox Executor and  
appraised by William Bland and Andrew Evans

Description of Property	Valuation of property	Property taken by the widow	Valuation of property taken
1 cupbord	\$ 8.00	1 cupbord	8.00
2 one lot cupboard ware	3.00	2 1 lot cupboard ware	3.00
3 one mantle clock	8.00	3 1 mantle clock	8.00
4 one Hand Table	1.00	4 1 Hand Table	1.00
5 one Bureau	3.00	5 1 Bureau	3.00
6 one Bed & Bedding	14.00	6 1 Bed & Bedding	14.00
7 one Bedstead	5.00	7 1 Bedstead	5.00
8 one Bedstead	4.00	8 1 Bedstead	4.00
9 one Bed & Bedding	12.00	9 1 Bed & Bedding	12.00
10 a lot of Bedclothing	12.00	10 1 lot Bedclothing	12.00
11 one chest	1.00	11 1 chest	1.00
12 one Ruple gun	16.00		
13 8 chairs	3.75	12 8 chairs	3.75
14 one Table	5.00	13 1 Table	5.00
15 one Hooking Stove	5.00	14 1 Hooking Stove	5.00
16 one Bed & Bedding	7.00	15 1 Bed & Bedding	7.00
17 one lot of Kitchen furniture	3.00	16 1 lot Kitchen furniture	3.00
18 one <sup>fore</sup> shovel	25	17 1 fore shovel	25
19 one set fire Irons	1.00	18 1 set fire Irons	1.00
20 one Saddle & 2 Bridles	14.00		
21 one Peacock Pew	4.50	19 1 Peacock Pew	4.50
22 one lot Lumber	3.50	20 1 lot Lumber	3.50
23 one Loom	2.00		
24 2 wheels & 1 Rut	3.50		
25 one lot old furs & Bards	1.00	21 1 lot old furs & Bards	1.00
26 one sand shovel	.50	22 1 sand shovel	.50
27 4 Bea Stands	20.00	23 4 Bea Stands	20.00
28 1 Two horn wagon & Harness	62.00	24 1 Two horn wagon & harness	62.00
29 one wheat fan	10.00		



30	1/2 of one + cut saw	2.00			
31	one lot of wheat	55.00	25	1 lot of wheat	55.00
32	4 large fumes	4.00	26	4 large fumes	4.00
33	one lot of oats	15.00	27	1 lot of oats	15.00
34	one hay fork	25	28	1 hay fork	25
35	one 2 horse plow	8.00	29	1 two horse plow	8.00
36	one 1 horse harrow	2.00	30	1 one horse harrow	2.00
37	1/2 of 1 harrow	1.90			
38	one shovel plow	2.00	31	1 shovel plow	2.00
39	one cow	12.00	32	1 cow	12.00
40	one cow	20.00	33	1 cow	20.00
41	one cow	20.00	34	1 cow	20.00
42	one Bull	15.00			
43	one mare	45.00	35	1 mare	45.00
44	one yearling filly	60.00			
45	27 acres of corn	216.00	36	27 acres of corn	216.00
46	7 shotes	17.50	37	7 shotes	17.50
47	one hog	5.25	38	1 hog	5.25
48	14 shotes	12.00	39	14 shotes	12.00
49	one sow & 9 pigs	7.00	40	1 sow & 9 pigs	7.00
50	2 fat hogs	13.00	41	2 fat hogs	13.00
51	3 calves 5 each	15.00	42	1 calf	5.00
52	6 hogs	24.00	43	6 hogs	24.00
53	one note on George Hodge				
	Due 22 <sup>nd</sup> of April 1853	20.00			
54	one note on Samuel Parker				
	& Henry Little Due April 20				
	1853 for	7.00			
55	one note on Isaac Morrill				
	& Daniel Elger for	9.00			
56	one note on W H Lewis				
	Due 5 <sup>th</sup> of May 1853	7.00			



57 am note on Chas  
brought due the 1st of  
February 1852 for 55.50

58 am on J. F. Kelly due  
1st Sept 1853 with debt  
out from 31 March 1853 100.00

59 am note on W. J.  
Phillips due 20 May  
1853 for 7.00

60 Cash or money on  
hand 3,550.44 Cash or money on hand \$3,550.00

61 an account on  
Edmund Handy  
for postage 37.70

\$1399.30  
1025.50  
\$373.80

\$1025.50

Signed by us this  
the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October  
1853

C. H. Evans & W. J. Bland  
Appraisors

Received of Isaac Wiley, President of the Last will of my  
late husband Jacob Wiley deceased the estate charged  
to me in the foregoing Inventory, the 1st day of  
October 1853

Mary Wiley  
mark



N<sup>o</sup> 2

J. G. Kelly  
\$ 3.80

No 2

N<sup>o</sup> 1

John A. Pierce  
\$ 76.00

No 1



Stilesville March 1853  
31.

Jacob Reese To J. G. Kelley Esq

to 1 plug Tobacco.	25
April 30. " 1 pr. Shoes.	1.25
Sept 24. 1 " "	1.30
" 26 .. 12 lb. Sugar	1.00
	<hr/>
	\$3.80

August 12<sup>th</sup> 1854 Received of Isaac Wilcox Executor of  
the Estate of Jacob Reese Deceased the sum of three  
dollars and Eighty cents it being in full of all demands  
I hold against said Estate

J. G. Kelley  
" "

November 24<sup>th</sup> 1853

Received of Isaac Wilcox Executor of the  
Estate of Jacob Reese one Rifle gun apprais-  
ed to Sixteen dollars also one yearling  
filley appraised at Sixty dollars make  
ing in all Seventy Six dollars it  
Being property Bequeathed to me by my  
father Jacob Reese in his last will and testament  
John S Reese



N<sup>o</sup> 13  
Adm<sup>o</sup>  
Bill  
1850

Alford



# The Estate of Jacob Neece

To Isaac Wilcox, Executor of the Estate  
of said deceased

To 1 day spent in attending to proving Will &	1.25
1 day filing Bond and taking out Letters	
1 day writing and posting up advertisement	1.00
1 day making Inventory	1.00
1 day riding to Danville to file Inventory &	1.25
2 day attending to sale and delivering property &	2.00
1 day riding to Danville filing sale Bill &	1.25
1 day spent in measuring ground that had been rented in life time of said deceased	1.00
7 spent in bringing suit attending to taking judgments collecting same and collecting on notes and account	7.00
1 day making settlement of Estate	1.25
money spent for Tuxan Bell while attending to the settlement of said Estate	1.50
Total	\$18.50



N<sup>o</sup> 10  
Mary Anne  
\$86.67

No 10

N<sup>o</sup> 7  
David Scott  
\$5.60

No 7



Attestville August 12<sup>th</sup> 1854

Received of Isaac Wilcox Exec  
utor of the Estate of Jacob Reese  
Deceased the Sum of Eighty four  
Dollars and Sixty Seven cents

his mark  
Mary Reese

widow of  
Jacob Reese

Jacob Reese To David Scott in account Dr  
Sum the 3<sup>d</sup> 1853

To 1 pr Boots \$3.00

" " Socks .25

Sept<sup>r</sup> 12 To 9 yds Strouding 1.35

To 1 lb Tea .80

To 1 pr Stockings .20

\$5.60

Sept<sup>r</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1854 Received of Isaac Wilcox  
Executor of the Estate of Jacob Reese Deceased  
five Dollars and Sixty cents in full of the  
above account it being in full of all  
demands I had against said Estate  
David Scott



N<sup>o</sup> 1  
Henry Gilbert  
1880

Oct 7



Sept 1	Rece	To	bal on settlement	370
Sept 2	"	Writ	"	100
"	3	"	do	100
"	4	"	do	100
"	5	"	do	100
"	6	"	do for 1/2 of lot	200
"	7	"	do " " " "	200
"	8	"	do " " " "	200
"	9	"	do " " " "	200
"	10	"	do " " " "	200
"	11	"	do " " " "	200
			Writs in probate	100
				<u>1900</u>

Received of Isaac Wilcox executor of the  
Estate of Jacob Rees (deceased) the sum  
in full of dollars 19,90 cts it being in full  
of all demands held against that estate

J. Harvey Gibbons



Jacob Rees Estate

Oath of appraisers

Filed in my office Nov  
21 1856  
John Irons  
Clerk



State of Indiana }  
Hendricks County }  
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Me William Bland and Edward  
Bain. I swear that we will faithfully  
examine the personal property of  
A. B. Bland Decided which may be  
exhibited to us so help us God

A. B. Bland }  
W. Bland. } as witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of  
October 1853

Henry W. Miller  
Justice



I have Dollars and Forty four cents to Thompson  
He says to be charged forward any further charges  
against himself

Place Milet

Love, Wilson the abandoned Episcopite, being  
 daily aware where his Calf says the same report  
 is true to the best of his knowledge  
 subscribed and sent to (see)  
 on the 26<sup>th</sup> of January 1853 } Love, Wilson  
 John Brown  
 Clerk

Jacob Nevers Estate

Wetmore  
Report

Filed in open court  
Jan, 25, 1835

John Brown clerk



The State of Indiana Mendocino County  
 The Court of Common Pleas of said  
 County January Term A.D. 1855

The undersigned Executor of the  
 last Will and Testament of said Deed demand  
 would respectfully report to said Court the following  
 final settlement account of said Estate To wit

The said Executor charges himself with the full amount of the Inventory of personal Estate	\$ 1399 30
Interest collected on sale note	1 30
Interest collected on other notes	15 00
Total amount of indebtedness	\$ 1415 60

The said Executor also claims the following Credits to wit	\$ 1
By decrease on sale of property before the appointment of amount of property and money delivered to the widow as shown by her receipt on Inventory	8 07
Amount of John A. Reeves Receipt for property bequeathed to him by said Deceased as per his receipt N 1	1025 30
Amount paid J. G. Kelly on account as per receipt	76 00
Alexander McAlister	2 380
Mary Reece widow	3 1 00
A. M. Chelborn buying sale	6 100 00
Mary Reece widow	5 1 00
David Scott on account	6 61 05
Lewis & Kennedy on acct	7 5 60
Harvey Gibbs	8 2 25
Mary Reece widow	9 19 90
John Irons Clerk	10 24 07
J. T. Hoadley Atty	11 11 20
of Executors Bill of Charges	12 3 00
Total amount of Credits	13 18 50

which covers the whole amount with which said Executor  
 stands charged and shows a balance in his favor of



Jacob Rees's Estate

Salv Bill

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No 71.

Filed in my office Dec 21st  
1853 John Irons  
Clerk



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on line  
top

Sale Bill

Account of the Sale of the personal property of David Rees Deceased sold  
By Isaac Miles at the late Ordinance of the Decedent at Publick Auction on  
the 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 1853

James's white saddle	To whom sold	Cash or surety
and Bridle	Hardin Tinsley	paid cash
and Bridle	Daniel McAninch	paid cash
on man saddle	Wm M Hayes	do brogan
on floor wheel	Hardin Tinsley	paid cash
on wood wheel	Hardin Tinsley	paid cash
and Breech	George Mahoney	paid cash
and Loom	Hardin Tinsley	paid cash
on wheat fan	Hardin Tinsley	John J. Hume
for cut saw	D L Page	paid cash
for 2 horse Harrow	W J Hume	do Tinsley
and Bull	James Crews	John Crews
Two calves	John F Crews	paid cash

Alexander Wallister



State of Indiana }  
Vendricks County }

I Alexander McAllister Clerk of of the Sale of the personal property  
of Jacob Reese deceased Swore that the foregoing Sale Bill is  
a True Account thereof Alexander McAllister

Subscribed and sworn to before me the 28<sup>th</sup> of November 1853

Henry McAllister *Seal*  
Justice of the peace



No 3

C. M. White  
Receipt \$100

No 3  
The Whisk  
\$100

No 4  
Mary Reese  
\$100.00

No 4

No 5  
A. M. Cleghorn  
\$1.00

A. M. Cleghorn  
Receipt \$1.00  
I Reese & Son

No 5



November 28<sup>th</sup> 1853 Recd of Isaac Willcox Exec  
utor of the Estate of Jacob Reese Decreed  
the sum of one Dollar in full of  
my demands against said Estate for bring-  
ing the sale on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1853  
Alexander Hallister

Received of Isaac Willcox  
Executor of the Estate of Jacob Reese Decreed  
one Hundred dollars this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November  
1854

Her  
Mary X Reese  
mark  
Widow of Jacob Reese Decreed

Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1853 Recd of Isaac Willcox Exec  
utor of the Estate of Jacob Reese the sum of one  
Dollar in full for bringing the sale on the 24<sup>th</sup>  
Nov 1853 of said Estate  
A. H. Clegburne



N<sup>o</sup> 8

Lewis & Hanning  
p 2.15

Baldern  
bought \$2.15

No 8

N<sup>o</sup> 11

John Brown  
Club  
p 11.20

No 11 -

John Brown Club

N<sup>o</sup> 12

S. S. Harding  
p 2.50



Received of Isaac Wilson, Executor of the  
Estate of Jacob Reese, amount two dollars and twenty  
five cents for publishing notice of Sales and  
Sale of the personal property of said Estate  
Oct. 31. 1885. Lewis & Kennedy

Jan. 24. 1886 Recd of Isaac Wilson Adm<sup>r</sup> of  
Jacob Reese eleven dollars & 20 cents in full  
of the checks paid in this estate.  
John Reese Clerk

Received January 26<sup>th</sup> 1886 of Isaac Wilson Adm<sup>r</sup>  
of the Estate of Jacob Reese for services as  
Attorney in the settlement of said estate  
Two Dollars & fifty cents. L. S. Kennedy atty



N<sup>o</sup>  
Mary Hanco  
16105

16105



Receipt of Isaac Willcox Executor of  
of the Estate of Jacob Rees because  
sixty one dollars and five cents this 12 day of  
October 1854 Mary + Rees widow of  
Hazel Crawford Jacob Rees because



JACOB REECE

ESTATE

1853

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA