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Elizabeth Stouts Estate.

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Nathan Meredith Admr.

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Harvey & Gregg

10 vouchers

1 page & Sheet

12, 135, 169, 174

Elizabeth Smith Estate.

Nathan Meredith Adm.

Bond \$ 7.00

Filed in my office May 28. 1852  
J. L. Parker Clerk



Know all men by these presents, that we Nathan Merideth William R. Rushton of the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Seven hundred dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, Executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals, and dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1852

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Nathan Merideth will truly and faithfully discharge the <sup>and trusts</sup> duties of Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Stout late of the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana deceased, according to law, Then the above obligation is to be void and of none effect, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law

Nathan Merideth *(Seal)*  
William R. Rushton *(Seal)*

State of Indiana, Hendricks County, ss

Nathan Merideth administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Stout deceased, being duly sworn before me Joshua D. Parker Clerk of the Probate Court of said County, upon his oath says he will honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of his appointment as such administrator according to law

Nathan Merideth

Subscribed and sworn to before me May 28, 1852.

J. D. Parker Clerk

J. N. Kelley



Elizabeth Stouls  
Estate —

Proof of publication of  
notice of grant of Letters.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Hendricks  
County. October Term 1853 -

Nathan Meredith of lawful age  
being duly sworn in open Court, says the following  
notice, to wit;

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the under-  
signed has this day taken letters of ad-  
ministration on the estate of Elizabeth Stout,  
late of the county of Hendricks and State of  
Indiana, deceased. All persons indebted to  
the said estate, are requested make immediate  
payment; and those having claims against  
the same, are notified to present them duly  
authenticated for settlement. The said estate  
is supposed to be solvent.

NATHAN MEREDITH, Adm'r.

May 28, 1852: 46-3-11-17

was published for three weeks successively in the months  
of May and June 1852, in the Danville Weekly Advertiser  
a weekly newspaper printed and published in the said  
County of Hendricks - And further saith not  
Nathan Meredith

Subscribed & sworn to in  
open Court October 25: 1853  
John Irons. clk.



Elizabeth Hunt, Estate,

Oath of appraisers

Filed in my office July  
22. 1852.

J. L. Parker  
Clerk

The State of Indiana Hendricks County, ss

We David Demoff and  
Harbard Finslar do solemnly swear that we will  
truly, honestly, and impartially appraise the Estate  
property and effects of Elizabeth Stout late of  
the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana  
deceased, which shall be exhibited to us accor-  
ding to the best of our judgment and ability  
So help us god.

Subscribed and Sworn to } David Demoff  
before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of } Harbard Finslar  
June A D 1852 }

Nathan Merideth (Seal)  
Justice of the peace-



an Inventory of  
Property and Effects  
of Elizabeth Stoult  
deceased —

\$359.75-

Filed in my office July 22.  
1852  
J. D. Parker  
Clerk



An inventory of the goods, Chattels, an effects of Elizabeth Stout late of the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana, deceased. Taken by Nathan Merideth administrator of the ~~Said~~ Estate of the Said deceased, with the assistance of David Demoss and Harbard Fanslar appraisers called and duly Sworn for that purpose.

One Sow and pigs	\$12.00
One Black Cow	10.00
One Cow and calf	15.00
One yearling Stear	7.00
Eight Shoats	24.00
One lot of Corn	15.00
One lot of Wheat in gum	1.35
One half Bushel	.40
One lot of Hay	5.00
One Bucket	25
One Sugar Kettle	1.50
One Small pot	.75
Two Covens	.75
Four Crocks	.30
One lot of Soap	1.50
One loom	2.00
One lot of Sheepskins	75
One Side Saddle	5.00
One Meal Seive tray & churn	.50
Two Meal Sacks	.37
One lot of Salt	1.00
One lot of Bacon	6.00
One Small jar and Milk pan	.20
One Skillet	.25
One Tea Kettle	.50
One Chopping axe	.75
One lot of Cupboard ware	1.37
One Table and Box	.50
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One bucket of Lard	\$ 0.75
One Smoothing Iron and Coffee Mill	.25
One looking glass	.25
One Mantle Clock	4.00
One fallingleaf Table	5.00
Four Chairs	.75
One Bedstead	3.00
One cord	.50
One Bed and furniture	6.00
One Feather Bed	7.00
One Bed and Bedding	11.25
One lot of Bed clothing	14.00
One Feather Bed and a lot of Pillows	8.50
Two Sheats and under tick	1.50
Two large Towels and Table linen	.37
One lot of Spun thread	2.00
One lot of Cotton yarn	1.00
One lot of Clean Flax	2.50
One lot of dried Fruit	1.00
One Bureau	7.00
One press	5.00
One lot of Broke flax	1.20
One real	1.00
One wool wheel	1.00
One flax wheel	1.50
One auger and drawing knife	.75
One Sleigh and gears	.50
One axe Shoe Hammer	.35
One lot of geese	3.00
One lot of Chickens	1.50
One lot of Beeswax	15
One lot of growing wheat	5.00
One lot of Sheep	10.00
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	\$ 107.57



One large gun	\$ 0.50
One lot of wool	5.00
Two Blankets and One Sheat	1.50
One wash tub	37
One weaver reed	50
One Saw and Boiler	87
One Note on William and Daniel Richardson	20.00
Interest on Said Note	.50
One Note on Madison Lamb due Dec 6 <sup>th</sup> /51	20.00
Interest Interest	.60
One Note on Patterson Hannah for	50.00
Interest for Six Month	1.50
One Note on Henry Lambert for	13.00
Interest on the same	45
	<hr/> \$ 114.79
Cash on hand	23.30

138.29

221.56

Total amount \$ 359.75

Given under our hands this 19<sup>th</sup> day of  
June A D 1852

David Demoss } Appraisers  
Harold Finckley }

State of Indiana }  
Hendricks County } ss Be it known, that on  
the 22nd day of July A D 1852 Nathan  
Meritt Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth  
Stout late of said County deceased, personally ap-  
peared before the Clerk of the Probate Court of said  
County, who being by said Clerk duly sworn



upon his oath says that the foregoing inventory is in all respects just and true, and contains a full statement of all the property, bonds, mortgages, notes, other securities, debts and accounts in favor of the estate of the said deceased, which have come to his knowledge, and of all the money bank bills and other circulating mediums, which have come into his hands belonging to said estate, Nathan Meredith—

Subscribed and sworn to before me July 22. 1852  
J. D. Parker Clerk

Sale Bill of  
the personal Estate  
of Elizabeth Stout  
deceased —

\$259.97

Filed in my office July 22.  
1852  
J. D. Parker Clerk.



Account of Sales of the personal property of Elizabeth Stout late of the County of Hendricks and State of Indiana deceased, at a public auction held at the late dwelling house of the said deceased, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1852

Names of purchasers	Articles	Price
William Stout	One Small pot Note	\$ 0 25
Samuel J Barker	One large Oven Note	30
David Brewer	One oven Hooks & lid	30
William Stout	One large Kettle Note	1 60
do do	One Bucket	30
Rachel Rushton	Two Milk pans Note	1 2½
William Bryant	2 do Crocks Paid	18
William Stout	One jar and .. Note	25
Jeese Rushton	One half Bushel Note	40
John Meeks	One Tea kettle Paid	10
Jeese Sanders	One Skillet and lid	35
William Bryant	One Churn and Seive P	50
Tandy Scott	Two meal Sacks Note	30
John H Bray	Three Sheepskins Note	56
Rachel Rushton	One lot of Soap Note	1 50
Samuel J Barker	One axe Note	85
Jeese Rushton	One do & Hammer Note	40
William Stout	One handsaw & Borer Note	81
William Bryant	One Iron & Coffee mill P	26
Samuel Rushton	One Set of plates Paid	25
Jeese Sanders	1 lot of cups & saucers Paid	20
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Benjamin Parson	One lot of Plates &c	Note	\$ 0 16
Moses Elmore	One looking glass	Paid	27
Rachel Rushton	5 Chairs	Note	75
do do	One Table & Box	Note	25
Wm R Rushton	One Bucket and lard	Note	75
Nathan Merdeth	One auger & drawing knife		63
William Fisher	One Barrel & Salt		1 37
William Rushton	One loom	Paid	1 25
William R Rushton	One Side Saddle	Note	3 05
John A Merdeth	22 Pounds Bacon $7\frac{1}{4}$ p per pound		1 57
William Fisher	53 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " 7 p " "	No	3 74
Jepe Rushton	28 pounds Bacon 7 p " "	not	1 96
" "	2 jaws Bacon	Note	05
Spencer Hiatt	One Mantle Clock	Paid	2 25
William Stout	One large Table		4 46
William Bryant	One Beadstead	Paid	3 06
Samuel J Barker	One Cord	Note	62
John Miles	One Bunch flax	Note	65
" "	" " " "		55
Anna Barker	" " " "		45
John L Hadley	One lot of Broke flax	Paid	90
Rachel Rushton	One lot of Cotton yarn	Note	1 00
" "	" " Flax thread	Note	50
" "	" " Toe " "		1 00
" "	One Table linen & Towels	"	20
William R Rushton	One Veal	Note	1 00
Jepe Rushton	One Bed tick & 2 Sheets	Note	1 13
Samuel B Barker	Two wheels	"	10
Nathan Merdeth	One lot dried fruit		1 00
			34 69



William Stout  
 Rachel Rushton  
 John L Hadley  
 David Demoss  
 William Blalock

" "  
 Rachel Rushton

" "  
 Jesse Rushton

Anna Barker

Elizabeth Lamb

Alfred H Richardson

Jesse Rushton

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Allen E Bray

One Flay Wheel	note	\$	1	75
One Sleigh & Harness	note			10
One Sley	Paid			41
One lump of Beeswax	P			15
One lot of wool	12½ per pound		1	87½
"	13½ " note		2	56½
Two Blankets	note		1	01
One linen Sheet	"			75
35 pounds wool	13½ per pound		4	61
One feather Bed	note		6	00
One Bed tick	Paid			75
One Feather Bed	note		5	30
" " " "	"		5	40
" " " "	"		4	02
Two under Beds	note		1	25
" " " "	"			50
One Bureau	note		5	40
One Clothes press	note		5	20
One lot of Feathers	"		4	20
One lot of Pillows	"		1	00
" " " "	"		1	00
" " " "	"			25
Two Bolsters	"			25
2 quilts	"			35
One " " "	"			60
" " " "	"			80
" " " "	"		1	05
" " " "	"			38
	Paid			33
				57 30



Allen & Bray  
 Jesse Rushton  
 Sandy Scott  
 do do  
 Patterson Hannah  
 Nathan Merdeth  
 do do

One quilt	Paid	\$	37
One quilt	note		62
One Blanket		1	20
One comfort		2	10
One checked Blanket		1	25
" "	" "	1	55
" "	" "	1	90
" "	" "	1	90

Patterson Hannah  
 Samuel J Barker  
 Rachel Rushton  
 Jesse Rushton  
 Banna York  
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One Bedsted and cord		1	50
" do do			58
One and half doz chickens		1	50
One lot of growing wheat		3	50
5 Sheep 1 <sup>st</sup> Choice 85 each		4	25
" " 2 " 78 "		3	90
" " 3 " 62 "		3	10

Jesse Stout  
 John Merdeth  
 Samuel J Barker  
 do do  
 Jesse Rushton  
 Jesse Rushton  
 do do

7 4 <sup>th</sup> " 59 no		4	13
7 bushels of wheat 40¢ per bu		2	80
One gum note			55
One lot of Hay		2	90
25 bu corn 40¢ per bu		10	00
25 bu 30 "		7	50
30 bu 30 " no		15	00
4 hogs 1 <sup>st</sup> Choice no		17	50
4 " 2 " "		15	00

Chesley Reynolds  
 do do  
 John H Bray  
 John Miles  
 John Hannah

One Sow and pigs		16	00
One Black Cow		8	35
One Spotted Stear		9	10
		137	05



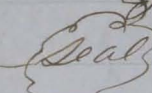
John Miles	One Cow and calf	note	\$17.06
Rachel Rushton	One wash tub	note	64
William R Rushton	28 geese 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ Each	note	3 50
			21.20
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Total amount ————— \$ 259.97 $\frac{1}{2}$   
 John L Hadley Clk

State of Indiana

Hendricks County ss I John L Hadley do solemnly  
 and sincerely affirm, that the above account is  
 a just and true of the Sale of the personal  
 Estate of Elizabeth Stout late of the County  
 of Hendricks deceased, as I Expect to answer  
 under the pains and penalties of perjury —  
 Subscribed and ~~sworn~~ affirmed to  
 before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of  
 July A.D. 1852

John L Hadley

Nathan Merdeth   
 Justice of the peace —

Elizabeth Stout's  
Estate -

Settlement Sheet -

Filed in open Court  
Oct 24, 1853

John Ross  
Clerk



State of Indiana } In the Court of Common Pleas of Hendricks  
Hendricks County } County. October Term 1853 -

To the Honorable John Corogill Judge of said Court:

Nathan Meredith administrator of the estate of  
Elizabeth Stout, deceased, makes the following report for  
final Settlement, to wit:

Whole amount of appraisement of personal property  
exclusive of notes & money, as per inventory on file \$230.20

All of said property amounting by appraisement  
to said sum of \$230.20 was sold as per sale bill on file for \$259.97

Amount of notes & money inventoried - - 129.55

Amount of interest accrued & not inventoried - 3.72

Whole amount of assets - \$393.24

Said administrator claims credit for the following  
sums by him paid out in discharge of the debts of the estate and  
expenses of administration, vouchers for which he herewith files, ss:

No. 1.	By amt. paid	Moose & Kennedy	on acf	\$17.00
" 2	" " "	Jas. S. McCurdy	for Coffin	5.50
" 3	" " "	Burgess & Fletcher	on acf	2.95
" 4	" " "	John L. Hadley	" "	1.25
" 5	" " "	Piley Gregory	" "	2.10
" 6	" " "	H. Brittain	Co. Treas. tax for 1853	99
" 7	" " "	W. H. H. Lewis	Printers fee	2.25
" 8	" " "	John Irons	clks fees	9.47
" 9	" " "	Harvey & Gregg	Attys fee	5.00
" 10	" " "	allowed Admt.	for services	<u>15.00</u>

Whole amount of credits \$61.51

Leaving to be distributed among the heirs of decd. \$331.73  
which sum is herewith paid into Court for the use of the  
said heirs all of whom are minors -

All of which contains a full statement of all  
the estate of the decedent for which said  
administrator is chargeable,  
with the credits to which he is



entitled.

Nathan Merdeth

Subscribed & sworn to in  
Open Court October 25, 1858  
John Evans Clerk



No 1

Moors Receipt  
\$17.00

# Elizabeth Stout

To Moore & Kennedy Dr

1853	April	23 <sup>rd</sup>	To	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Alteratives 5	25
"	"	"	"	Anodyne 31	25
"	"	26 <sup>th</sup>	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	"	"	"	Anodynes 4	25
"	"	"	"	Alteratives 5	25
"	"	3 <sup>rd</sup>	"	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	"	"	"	Anodyne 31	25
"	"	"	"	Alteratives 3	25
"	"	29 <sup>th</sup>	"	Laxative	25
"	"	"	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	May	1 <sup>st</sup>	"	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Alteratives 5	25
"	"	"	"	Tonic gr 10	25
"	"	3 <sup>rd</sup>	"	Medical Call	25
"	"	"	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	"	5 <sup>th</sup>	"	Medical Call	25
"	"	"	"	Expectorant 31	25
"	"	7 <sup>th</sup>	"	Medical Call	25
"	"	"	"	Tonic & Febrifuge 31	50
"	"	"	"	Expectorant 31	25
"	"	3 <sup>th</sup>	"	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Alteratives 5	25
"	"	"	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	"	6 <sup>th</sup>	"	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Alteratives 5	25
"	"	"	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	"	7 <sup>th</sup>	"	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Febrifuge 31	25
"	"	8 <sup>th</sup>	"	Medical Visit	\$1.50
"	"	"	"	Anodyne 31	25
					\$10.00



Received Beckett July 17<sup>th</sup> 1832 of  
Nathan Meredith administrator of  
the estate of Elizabeth Stouts Received  
seventeen dollars in full of our medical  
account against said estate

Moore & Kennedy

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Nathan Merideth Admr. of the estate of Elizabeth  
Stout, dec<sup>d</sup>. Claims & charges for his service in settling  
and administering said estate — \$15.00

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Recd Oct 25. 1853 of Nathan Merdeth Admt. of  
Elizabeth Stouts estate five dollars in full of Atty's fee  
for services rendered said Admt. in the settlement of  
said estate -

Harvey & Gregg -

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John Irons Receipts

~~\$~~ 9.47



\$947<sup>9</sup> Oct 23, 1833. Paid of Nathan  
Meredith, administrator of the estate of  
Elizabeth Stout, nine dollars and forty seven  
Cents in full of the Clerks fees, in said estate.  
John Irons Clerk.

W H Lewis's  
Receipt for \$2.25



Received of Nathan Meredith Adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
Estate of Elizabeth Struts Estate two dollars and twenty  
five Cents for advertising Notice of Letters and Sale  
of the personal property of said Estate  
October 28, 1883

W. H. H. Lewis

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No. **337** Danville, Oct 25 1853. \$ **097**

Received of N. Meredith Admr of E. Stant's Estate Dollars,  
and 99 cents, in full for State, County, Road, School and Li-  
brary Tax, for the year 1853, on ~~poll and~~ personal property, also on

H. Britain Treasurer Hendricks Co.

2  
McCurdy's  
Receipt  
\$3.50



May 9<sup>th</sup> 1852 Elizabeth Stout dr to one  
coffin for self \$ 5.50  
July 17<sup>th</sup> 1852 Received of W. Merrieth  
administrator of the estate of Elizabeth  
Stout dec; five dollars &  $\frac{50}{100}$  for the  
above coffin James D. McCurdy

October 12<sup>th</sup> 1832

Received of Nathaniel

Mendenhall administrator of the Estate of  
Elizabeth Hunt deceased the sum of two  
dollars and twenty five cents in full of  
the within account Burges & Fletcher

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Burges &  
Fletcher  
Rec<sup>d</sup> 12.95



October 12<sup>th</sup> 1832

Received of Nathaniel  
Mendeth administrator of the Estate of  
Elizabeth Stout deceased the Sum of Two  
dollars and Ninety five cents in full of  
the within account Burgess & Fletcher

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Burgess &  
Fletcher  
Rec'd \$2.95

Belleville Oct 12<sup>th</sup> 1852

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Haddy's  
Receipt

\$1.25-

Nathan Meridith Administrator of  
the Estate Elizabeth Stout Dec Dr  
to Clerking for sd Sale \$1,25

Recd of Nathan Meridith Administrator  
in full of the above account

John L. Hadley



July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1833 The executors of Nathaniel Burdett  
administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Stout deceased  
two dollars and ten cents in full of the within account  
Daley Gregory

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Gregory's  
Receipt \$2, 10

July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1858 Received of Nathan Mudgett  
administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Stout deceased  
two dollars and ten cents in full of the within account  
Piles Gregory

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Gregory's  
Received \$2.10



May 1857

Elizabeth Stout Dr To Jesse Allen & Co -  
No Carding

No 8	17	lbs of Rols at 5¢ per pound	85-
" 66	25	do do at 5-	\$ 125-
			<u>210</u>

State of Indiana

Hendricks County ss } I Riley Gregory do solemnly  
and sincerely affirm that the foregoing account  
is just and true and that no portion of  
it has been paid as I verily believe as I  
expect to answer under the pains and penalties  
of perjury  
Riley Gregory

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup>  
day of July AD 1853