

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

THE UNDERSIGNED, applicant for Letters of Guardianship on the person and estate of

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| <u>Stephen P. Reed</u> | , born <u>May 28</u> | 18 <u>93</u> |
| <u>Jared D. Reed</u> | , born <u>Jan'y 10</u> | 18 <u>84</u> |
| <u>Luke Reed</u> | , born <u>Sept 10</u> | 18 <u>87</u> |
| <u>Oliver F. Reed</u> | , born <u>Nov 14</u> | 18 <u>89</u> |
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minor heirs of Caroline E. Reed, late of Allen County, deceased, represent that the said minors reside in Allen County, in the State of Indiana, and are joint owners of Real Estate situated in Allen County, of the probable value of

value of Three hundred forty Dollars. Said words also own personal property of the probable value of William J. Reed Dollars, which will rent annually for the sum of

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, SS:

William J. Reed the above applicant, being duly sworn, says that the material facts contained in the above statement and application for Letters of Guardianship, on the persons and estates of the persons therein named, are correct and true, as he verily believes, and further saith not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of May, 1897

Know all Men, That we William J. Reed, John J. Reed and John B. Reed Voors Clerk A. C. C.

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the sum of One thousand Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed and dated this 1st day of May, 1897

If the above bound William J. Reed will faithfully discharge his duties as Guardian of the person and property of Stephen P. Reed, Jared D. Reed, Luke Reed and Oliver F. Reed

minor heirs of Caroline F. Reed, deceased, then this obligation is to be paid, else to remain in force.

Approved by court this 3 day of May, 1897
W. J. Reed (Seal.)
John J. Reed (Seal.)
John Voors (Seal.)
E. O. Houmke Judge Clerk A. C. C.

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, SS:

I, William J. Reed, swear that I will honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as Guardian of Stephen P. Reed, Jared D. Reed, Luke Reed, and Oliver F. Reed

minor heirs of Charles F. Reed deceased, according to law, so help me God. William J. Reed Guardian.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 3rd day of May, 1897
W. J. Reed
W. M. Metzger Clerk A. C. C.

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, SS:

I, John J. Reed, swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, in real estate One thousand Dollars, as I believe, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of May, 1897
John J. Reed
W. M. Metzger Clerk A. C. C.

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, SS:

I, John B. Voors, swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, in real estate One thousand Dollars, as I believe, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of May, 1897
John B. Voors
W. M. Metzger Clerk A. C. C.

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, SS:

I, DANIEL W. SOUDER, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, certify that William J. Reed of said County, has been appointed guardian of the person and property of Stephen P. Reed, Jared D. Reed, Luke Reed, Oliver F. Reed

minor heirs of Charles F. Reed late of said County, deceased, and has qualified as such. 1st

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court this 1st day of May, A. D. 1897
W. M. Metzger Clerk.

Filed and Recorded May 1, 1897
W. M. Metzger Clerk A. C. C.