



We, Stephen A. Thornton & James Wyatt
are bound unto the State of Indiana, in the sum of Three Hundred
dollars, for the payment of which, we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed and
dated this the 18 day of October 1862

If the above bound Stephen A. Thornton
will faithfully discharge his duties as guardian of the person and property of James P. Kitchum
aged about 17 years

minor heir of Andrew J. Kitchum
~~himself~~, then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in force.

Stephen A. Thornton 
James Wyatt 

Approved by the Court
the 18 day of October 1862

J. S. Nelson Clerk of C. C. P. of Allen Co.

STATE OF INDIANA, } ss.
Allen County, }

I, Stephen A. Thornton
swear that I will honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as guardian of James P. Kitchum

minor heir of Andrew J. Kitchum ~~himself~~ according to law.
so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18 day of Oct. 1862.
Stephen A. Thornton
J. S. Nelson
C. C. P. Allen County.

STATE OF INDIANA, } ss.
Allen County, }

I, J. S. Nelson
Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of said county, certify that Stephen A. Thornton
of said county, has been appointed guardian of the person and property of
James P. Kitchum

minor heir of Andrew J. Kitchum
late of said county, deceased, and has qualified as such.



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
the seal of said Court, the 18 day of Oct. 1862.
J. S. Nelson Clerk.