

Know All Men, That we, William W. Stevens
Jacob C. Bowers

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of One thousand dollars
for the payment of which we, jointly and severally, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and
administrators. Sealed and dated the 7 day of October 1854.

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound
William W. Stevens shall faithfully discharge the duties of his trust
as administrator De bonis non of the estate of
John Smith deceased, according to law, then the above obligation is to be
void, else to remain in full force.

Wm W. Stevens

J C Bowers



Approved by me, the 7 day of October 1854.

J D G Nelson

C. C. C. P. Allen County.

STATE OF INDIANA,

Allen County,

SS:

I, William W. Stevens
De bonis non
the duties of my trust as administrator, of the estate of John Smith deceased,
according to law, so help me God.

Wm W. Stevens

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 7 day of October 1854.

J D G Nelson

C. C. C. P. Allen County.

I, J D G Nelson Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the
county of Allen, in the State of Indiana, do hereby certify that adminis-
tration De bonis non of the estate of John Smith
late of Allen county, deceased, who died intestate, is granted to William
W. Stevens and the said William W. Stevens having qualified and
given bond as such administrator, De bonis non is duly authorized to take upon himself the administration of such
estate according to law.



Witness my Hand, And the seal of said Court, this 7 day of
October 1854.

J D G Nelson

C. C. C. P. Allen County.