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Know all Men, That we, David McDonald &  
Peter Malone

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Three hundred dollars,  
for the payment of which we, jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and  
administrators. Sealed and dated the 28 day of December 1855.

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound  
David McDonald shall faithfully discharge the duties of his trust  
as administrator of the estate of John  
M. Malone deceased, according to law, then the above obligation is to be  
void, else to remain in full force.

David McDonald   
Peter Malone

Approved by me, the 28 day of December 1855.

I. D. G. Nelson

C. C. C. P. Allen County.

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STATE OF INDIANA,  
Allen County, } ss.  
County,

I, David McDonald swear that I will faithfully discharge the  
duties of my trust as administrator of the estate of John M. Malone deceased,  
according to law, so help me God.

David McDonald

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 28 day of December 1855.

I. D. G. Nelson

C. C. C. P. Allen County.

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I, I. 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 of the estate of John M. Malone  
late of Allen county, deceased, who died intestate, is granted to David  
M. McDonald and the said David M. McDonald having qualified and  
given bond as such administrator, 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 28 day of  
December 1855.

I. D. G. Nelson

C. C. C. P. Allen County.