

Know all Men, That we, Thomas Stokes and James Graham

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Five hundred \$ dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators. Sealed and dated the 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 1865.

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound Thomas Stokes shall faithfully discharge the duties of his trust as administrator Patrick E. Stokes of the estate of Patrick E. Stokes deceased, according to law, then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force.

Thomas Stokes



James Graham



Mary E. Graham



the Court  
Approved by me, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1865.

Wm. Fleming

C. C. C.P. Allen County.

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STATE OF INDIANA,

Allen County, } ss.

I, James Graham Thomas Stokes swear that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as administrator of the estate of Patrick E. Stokes deceased, according to law, so help me God.

Thomas Stokes

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1865.

Wm. Fleming

C. C. C.P. Allen County.

I, William Fleming Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the county of Allen, in the State of Indiana, do hereby certify that administration of the estate of Patrick E. Stokes late of Allen county, deceased, who died intestate, is granted to Thomas E. Stokes and the said Thomas E. Stokes 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 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1865.

Wm. Fleming

C. C. C.P. Allen County.