

Know all Men, That we Nippolyte Gerardin
 and Jacob Alter
 are bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Three Thousand Dollars,
 for the payment of which we, jointly and severally, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators.
 Sealed and dated the 16th day of December 1870

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound Nippolyte
Gerardin shall faithfully discharge the duties
 of his trust as Administrator of the Estate of
Anthony Gerardin
 deceased, according to law, then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force.

Nippolyte Gerardin § L. S. §
Jacob Alter § L. S. §
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Approved by me, the 16th day of December 1870.
W. J. Edsall
 C. C. C. P. Allen County.

STATE OF INDIANA, } ss.
 ALLEN COUNTY.

I Nippolyte Gerardin swear that I will faithfully discharge the
 duties of my trust as Administrator of the Estate of Anthony Gerardin deceased,
 according to law, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 1 day of December 1870.
W. J. Edsall
 C. C. C. P. Allen County.

I W. J. Edsall 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 Anthony Gerardin
 late of Allen County, deceased, who died intestate, is granted to Nippolyte
Gerardin and the said Nippolyte Gerardin
 having qualified and given bond as such Administrator, is duly authorized to take upon himself the administra-
 tion of such Estate according to law.



Witness my Hand, And the Seal of said Court, this fifteenth day of
December 1870.
W. J. Edsall
 C. C. C. P. Allen County.