

Know all Men, That we James Bayless and John M^c Dougal

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators. Sealed and dated the 4th day of January 1878

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound James Bayless shall faithfully discharge the duties of his trust as Administrator of the Estate of

✓ Francis Coates deceased, according to law, then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force.

James Bayless L.S.
John M^c Dougal L.S.

Approved by me, the ^{the court} 4th day of January 1878

F W Wolke Clerk
C. C. C. R. Allen County.

STATE OF INDIANA, }
ALLEN COUNTY, } SS.

I James Bayless swear that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as Administrator of the Estate of Francis Coates deceased, according to law, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 4th day of January 1878

F W Wolke Clerk
C. C. C. R. Allen County.

I F W Wolke ^{Esquire} 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 Francis Coates late of Allen County, deceased, who died intestate, is granted to John M^c Dougal and the said John M^c Dougal 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 4th day of January 1878

F W Wolke Clerk
C. C. C. R. Allen County.