

Petition of Joseph W. Jones In the  
 matter of the estate of Nancy C. Waldridge deceased  
 for Letters of Administration

To the Hon. C. Crouch Judge of the County Court  
 of Hamilton County, in the State of Illinois.

The Petition of the undersigned, Joseph W. Jones  
 respectfully represents that Nancy C. Waldridge late of the  
 County of Hamilton aforesaid, departed this life at Lazater Precinct  
 in said County, on or about the 20th day of February  
 A. D. 1878, leaving no last will and testament as far as your petitioner know or believe.

And this Petition further shows that the said Nancy C. Waldridge  
 died, seized and possessed of real and Personal Estate, consisting chiefly of Household &  
 Kitchen furniture a few Bu. corn and a  
 few small Accts due and owing to her, and also  
 a pension of \$8. per month

all of said personal estate being estimated to be worth about Sixty  
(60) dollars. That said deceased left surviving <sup>her</sup>  
~~her~~ minor children his widow and John & Rebecca &  
 Lebanon Sarah & Nathan P and Perry  
 A Waldridge

<sup>her</sup> his children, as heirs. That your petitioner (being Requested By the Children  
to administer of said deceased, and) believing that the said estate should be immediately  
 administered, as well for the proper management of said property and children  
 as for the prompt collection of the assets, by virtue of their right under the Statute  
 therefore pray that your honor will grant Letters of Administration to Joseph W. Jones  
 in the premises, upon his taking the oath prescribed by the Statute, and entering into bond in such sum,  
 and with securities, as may be approved by your honor.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, )  
Hamilton COUNTY, ) ss. Joseph W Jones

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that the facts averred in the above petition are true, according to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me,  
John M. Buck  
 Clerk of the County Court of Hamilton  
 County, this 23rd day of  
May A. D. 1878  
J. M. Buck Clerk.

Joseph W. Jones

CONTRA.

*He* asks to be credited with the following payments to Creditors of Deceased, as per Vouchers here-  
with submitted.

DATE.	AMOUNT PAID OUT.	Amount.	Total Am't.
Sept, 17, 1878,	By Am't paid for coffin for deceased	11.73	
" " "	" " " " Burial Goods	5.75	
" " "	" " " " Clerks fees	10.00	
" " "	" Expenses drawing remains	78	
" " "	" Commission on Dec. estate	6.60	
" " "	" three days time	6.00	
" " "	" To en John Boyd Unavailable	5.00	
" " "	" " " Buggy allow "	1.00	
" " "	" fee to Dutts & Co. in State	5.00	
" " "	" Am't property turned over and set-		
	off to Clayton Woodrigo, Sarah S,		
	Woodrigo, Nathan P. Woodrigo		
	and Perry A. Woodrigo on specific		
	allowance in property at the approval		
	of the	51.76	
" " "	By Am't of apprs. fees	6.00	

# RECAPITULATION.

		Dolls.	Cts.
Total amount received,	110	12	
" " paid out,	110	12	
Balance due,			0.00

*and now having fully administered said estate with the same being truly inventoried and cash to be finally disbursed as such done,*

*All of which is respectfully submitted.*

*Joseph W. Jones*  
Admin  
of the  
estate  
of *Nancy C. Woodruff* deceased.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }  
Hamilton County, } ss.

*Joseph W. Jones*

Admin  
of the estate  
of *Nancy C. Woodruff* deceased, being duly sworn, say that  
the foregoing is a full and perfect account of all his dealings and transactions, and of all moneys and effects  
received and paid out by him as such Admin from his appointment  
to the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, A. D. 1878

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this }  
17 day of Sept, A. D. 1878 }  
*J. B. Sutt n. o.* Clerk.

*Joseph W. Jones*

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } To the Judge of the County Court  
Hamilton County, } ss. Of Hamilton County, September Term, A. D. 1878  
The undersigned, *Joseph W. Jones Administrator*  
of the estate of *Nancy C. Woodruff* deceased,  
would respectfully submit to the Court the following report of his acts and doing as such Admin,  
from his appointment to Sept, 17, A. D. 1878 no charge \$  
himself with the following, to wit:

Culver, Page, Hoyle & Co., Stationers, Chicago.

Date.	ITEMS OF RECEIPTS.	Amount.	Total Am't.
		Dolls.	Cts.

Administrators  
**GUARDIAN'S INVENTORY**

In the Matter of the <sup>Estate</sup> ~~Guardianship~~ of the  
~~Minor Heirs of~~

*Nancy C. Woodruffe*  
 Deceased.

Filed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of

Sept 1878

*J. J. Buck* Clerk.

Approved 18<sup>th</sup> Sept 1878

*C. Crouch* County Judge.

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*J. J. Buck* Clerk.

Culver, Page, Hoyna & Co., Stationers, Chicago.

Note.—This Inventory is to be filed in the Clerk's office within sixty days from the issuing of letters.

CHATTEL PROPERTY.		VALUE.
No.		Dollars Cts.
	Cash on hand,	0 00
	One Stone and Metals complete	16 00
	One Carthyard	4 00
	One set dishes, cups, knives, plates &c	1 50
	One American	8 00
	One quilt	1 6 50
	One wardrobe of dressed & upholstered, 2 country chairs	6 00
	One long chest	1 00
	One high bedstead & cord	2 00
	One further bedstead, sheet & blanket quilt	4 00
	" " " " " "	3 00
	One pair scales (balances)	15 00
	One coal oil lamp	25 00
	One looking glass	25 00
	One metal bucket	15 00
	One wash tub & board	5 00
	One dining table	25 00
	One metal kettle	1 00
	Three pine boxes	5 00
	Three boxes	1 00

Box No. 49 File No. 9

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**PROBATE COURT**  
HAMILTON COUNTY, ILL.

ESTATE OF

Nancy C. Hooldridge

DECEASED

Joseph W. Jones,  
admr,  
N. Gholson

} Security

BOND \$ 120<sup>00</sup>

Letters granted April 2<sup>nd</sup> 1878

Inventory filed.....

Amount of Appraisement, \$.....

Amount of Specific Allowance, \$.....

Amount of Sale Bill, \$.....

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