

**Dallas County, Texas  
Probate Cases  
1846 – Early 1900's**

Case Number 638

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# 638

Writter No 13 -

Ernest Schmidt to  
Michel Lack Dr  
1873 To Cash last him \$ 27.50

Received payment in full  
of Ben Long Adm. Park Michel

State of Texas, I personally appeared  
County of Dallas before me Michel  
Lack who being sworn  
says that the above are against  
J. Schmidt for cash loans him is  
true & correct & that the same has  
been fully liquidated & paid off  
by Ben Long Adm.  
I sworn to and subscribed by ~~Ernest Schmidt~~  
before one this 18<sup>th</sup> Nov  
1873.

J. M. Lawer CLK  
By J. H. Jackson Esq

V. W. Schmidt  
Oliver V. Hale Dr or  
1873 To Cash Cred \$ 5.00  
May 20 To Cash Cred ~~and~~ \$ 5.00  
The State of Texas, County of Dallas, I declare that the above  
sum of money belonging to me  
claim is just, that nothing has been  
paid or advanced toward the claim of  
that there are no other claims against  
and that the sum claimed is fully paid  
and that the claimant Oliver V. Hale  
is directed to appear on this  
date of day of Sept. A.D. 1873  
at the office of the Clerk of the Court at D.

# THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dallas County—Greeting:

Whereas, by an Order of the County Court of said County, entered on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1875, John Long Administrator of the Estate of Ernest Schmidt, deceased, is required to pay the costs, that have accrued therein, before or during the next term of said Court, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Dallas, on the Third Monday in April.

A. D. 1875.  
THEREFORE, you are hereby commanded to serve the said John Long with a copy of this notice, and due return hereof make to said term of our said County Court.

WITNESS my official seal and signature, at office in the City of Dallas, this, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1875.

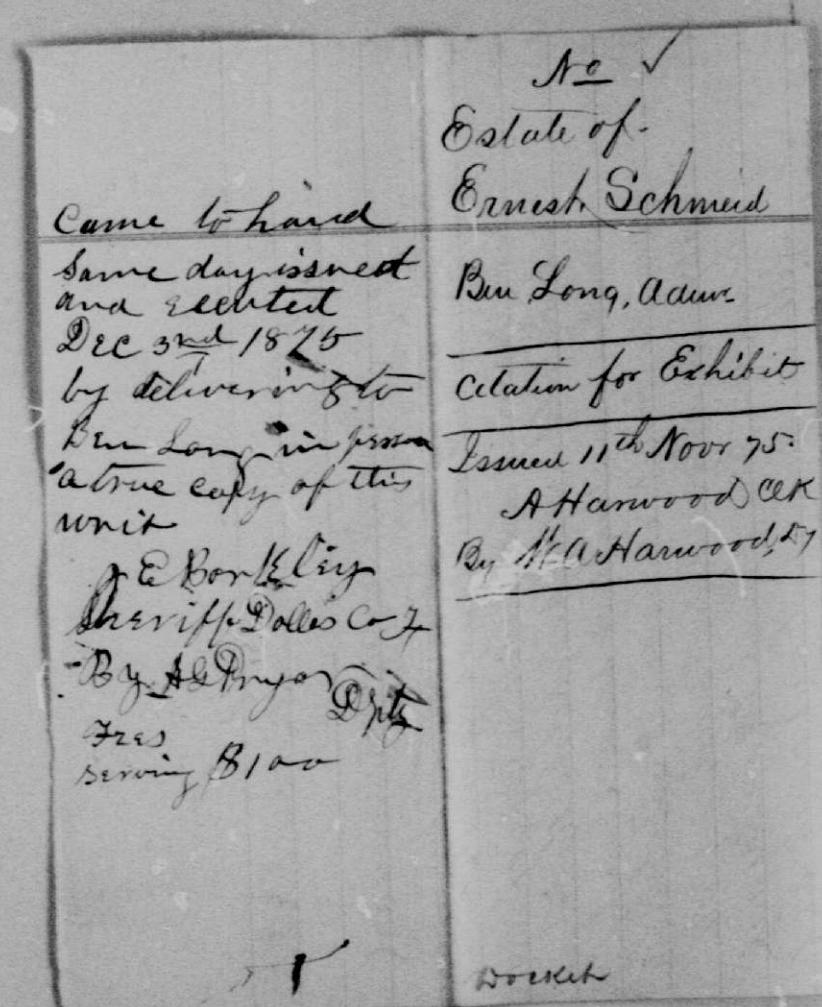
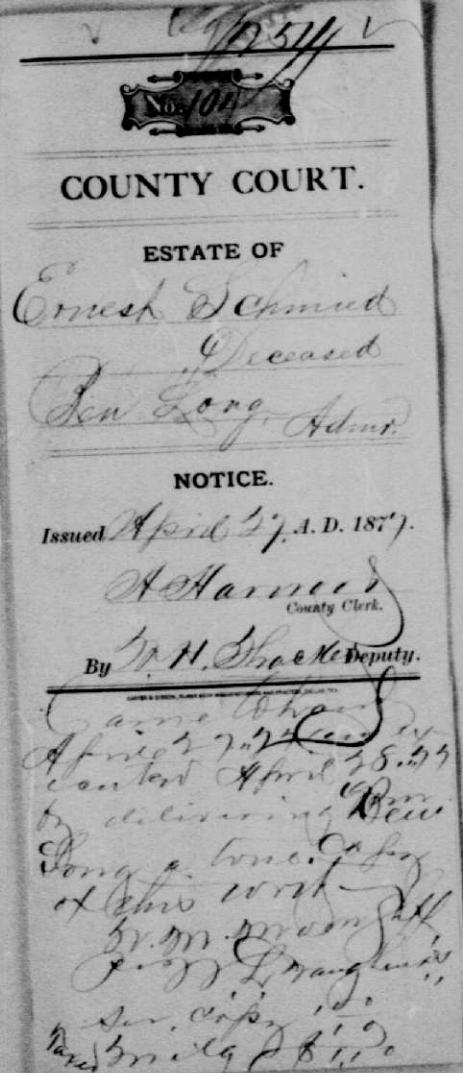
W. H. Shadaker Deputy.  
By

The State of Texas  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dallas County Greeting

You are hereby commanded that you cite John Long Administrator of the Estate of Ernest Schmidt by serving him with a copy of this writ to be and appear before the Honorable District of said County on the First Monday in February 1876 to show cause if any he can why he has failed to make and file his Annual Exhibit and Settlements as required by Law. Herein fail not but have you then and there before said Court this writ with your return thereon showing how you how you have executed the same.

Witness Attawood Clerk  
District Court of said County  
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 1875.

Attawood Clerk  
By W. D. Reeves Lly



Ben Long vs Lee County Court-

Admvs. Dallas County Texas

Ernest Schmidt January Term 1888

To the Hon. R. H. West Judge County Court

Dallas County Texas

The petition of Ben Long Admvs.

In the Estate of Ernest Schmidt deceased

respectively share to the court that

he has paid out above, valid and accepted

claims against said estate, a sum of money

largely in excess of the account realized

by the sales of the property of said estate

as will appear by the vouchers on file

in this cause, said Admvs. further shows

to the court that some of the papers at the

court are lost from the files, among them

an account current with said estate, &

that he has no date from which to supply

said last paper, instant which the Admvs.

cannot make a complete exhibit of said estate

and as there is no property of any kind left

belonging to said estate remaining in the hands

of the Admvs. he deposes to be discharged unto

and prejudice to the creditors as heirs of the said

Ernest Schmidt Deed, the Admvs. paying

~~with~~ all costs in this behalf incurred

Ebner & Sterrett

Attest for Ben Long Admvs.

1873.  
July

The Estate of Schmidt  
to Jacob Bopp. Do  
# Co.

To washing & dressing the Body of Schmidt deceased, digging grave & Burrying Com. - 25.00  
To Feeding 2 Miles of Schmidt from the 11<sup>th</sup> to the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1873. Com. 18.00 Total in Com. \$ 43.00  
Received payment in full this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1873  
Jacob Bopp W/ 173 43.00

The State of Texas  
County of Dallas Before me John M. Lewis Clerk  
of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas, personally  
appeared Jacob Bopp who is to me well known  
and after being by me duly sworn, deposes and says  
upon Oath that the foregoing account is just and  
Correct, & that the same is wholly unpaid nor is  
there any offsets from the said Schmidt &  
& that the Services rendered as therein stated are  
reasonably worth the amount therefore charged.  
Sworn to and Subscribed before me this  
29<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1873.

John M. Lewis Clerk  
By H. Boll Dptg

Jacob Bopp

No. 104	✓										
S	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	E	1
Dear Long											
Dallas											
Arrrest Schmidt											
application for qualified											
Discharge											
Filed June 31, 1874.											
At Harwood, C.R.											
By W. W. Shaefer, dep.											
Officer											
Recorded											

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } ESTATE OF Ernest Schmidt.  
COUNTY OF DALLAS. }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS. That we, Ben Long,

as Principal, and

as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto J.M. Laws Clerk of the Dis-  
trict Court of the county of Dallas, and his successors in office, in the sum of One

Thousand dollars, conditioned that the said  
Ben Long shall well and truly perform all the duties incumbent  
upon him as Administrator of the Estate of Ernest Schmidt.

WITNESS our hands and seals, using scrawls as such, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July,  
A. D. 1879.

Ben Long   
Hannie Boll   
W. Jones 

Approved in open Court, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1879.

J.M. Laws  
Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas.

By G.E. Combes Deputy.

I do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform all the duties of Administrator  
of the Estate of Ernest Schmidt, deceased.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1879.

J.M. Laws  
Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas,

By G.E. Combes Deputy.

Booker #53-

1873. Mr E. Smith  
In Apo with J. L. Welch.

March 18	To Shaving mules, & 1 horse	2. 60.
" 25 "	1 belt in Coupling pole.	25.
" 4 "	4 rivets & 2 belts in halster	1. 25.
" "	2 straps & 2 " end of "	1. 25.
" "	" new hammer strap holder & 3 belts	1. 25.
" 27 "	removal.	1. 00.
May 5	2 open lip rings	50.
" 7 "	4 new sheet lead.	3. 00.
" 17 "	1 old shoe	35.
July 9	a setting tire, 2 straps on hauglin	4. 00.
" "	road on standard, & 1 belt.	75.
" "	upsetting 2 axle bolts, & traces	75.
" "	shaft in tail side.	25.
" "	upsetting 1 stage chain hook, & traces	75.
		\$19. 45.

1872  
Dec 8. To 1 set major horses collars &  
bridles, complete. 30. 00  
Paid on the same. \$15. 00

Balance due on same. \$15.

Total amount due. \$34. 45. Specie

The State of Texas  
Dallas County 3 Before the undersigned authority  
this day personally appeared  
J L Welch who is to me well known, who  
being by me ~~sworn~~ sworn deposes and says  
that the attached claim against the State  
of Texas deceased, is true; that  
nothing has been paid or delivered toward

The satisfaction of said claim except  
what is created, that there are no  
counter claims known to appear  
and that the sum of Thirty four  
dollars and forty five cents in  
specie is pretty due.

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me the 21<sup>st</sup> day of  
July A.D. 1873.

C. H. Jones  
Clerk of the County  
Pay G. & C. Combes - Deputy

Received of Benjony Adams the full amount  
of the within account this the 29<sup>th</sup> day  
of Nov. 1873  
H. L. Welch.

June 1<sup>st</sup>.

E Schmidt deceased

To  
J M Cassidy.

1873

July 7 <sup>th</sup>	Repairing front wheels.	\$ 4.50
" "	Hind "	1.75-
" "	Axletree	4.00
" "	Thimble & Box	3.00
" "	Repairing Bolster	.50.
" "	Repairing Bed	<u>12.5</u>
	Total	\$14.00

The State of Texas & Before the undersigned authority  
Dallas County I personally appeared of Mr  
Cassidy who is to me well known, who being  
duly sworn, says that the attached claim against  
the estate of E Schmidt deceased is just, that  
nothing has been paid or delivered toward the  
satisfaction of said claim that there are no  
Counter claims known to affant and that  
the sum of Fourteen dollars now claimed  
is justly due

J. M. Cassidy

Dworn to and Subscribed before me  
this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July A.D. 1873

J M Cass  
Clk Dist of Dallas Co Texas  
By G C Bouche City

Voucher No. 55

Dallas Tex. Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> 1873.

Ernst Schmidt

1873.

to August Nagle.

June 14 for shoeing Horses	3 60
25 " " " " " " " "	4 50
	# 8 10

State of Texas Before me J. M. Laws Clk. of  
County of Dallas, Just & personally appeared

Henry Nagle of the firm of An-  
gus & Nagle who being duly sworn says that the  
above account against the estate of Ernst  
Schmidt is true and correct, and that said  
Ernst Schmidt is justly indebted to said  
firm in the sum of Eight & 10/100 dollars  
(Currency), the same remains wholly unpaid.

Swear to and Subscribed before H. Nagle.  
me this 11 day of August A.D.

1873.

John M. Laws  
Clk. Just & Dallas Co.,  
By J. W. Jackson by.

Bonner No 6  
Colo City Co. Tex.  
Septem 19 1823

City of East New Orleans  
from Belme

Received of John Belme in Cash on  
Housing Acc  
May 1st in Cash \$200  
June 1st in Cash \$200  
July 1st in Cash \$200  
Aug 1st in Cash \$200  
Sept 1st in Cash \$200  
Oct 1st in Cash \$200  
Nov 1st in Cash \$200  
Dec 1st in Cash \$200  
Total Account due John Belme \$620

The State of Texas  
Dallas County I do solemnly swear  
that the foregoing account  
against the Estate of E Schmid  
is accurate and just, that all  
all offsets payments and demands  
known to affiant have been  
allowed and that the sum of  
Sixty Two Dollars is justly due

Adam Bogman

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1823

J M Laws clk  
B. B. Bonner depy.

oucher No 8

Bew Long Adm'r of Estate of  
Ernest Smith Deed - Dr  
So. E Powell -

1878 To Labor as a Traveller  
from March 1st, 73, to July 12  
1878 125.00

March 2 73 Cash 60.00

Received from his  
The State of Texas of E. Powell

County of Dallas Personally appear  
ed before me the un-  
designed authority E. Powell

who being duly sworn says  
that the above claim is just;  
that nothing has been paid or  
delivered toward the satisfaction  
of such claim except what  
is credited on it; that there  
are no other claims known  
to affiant which have not been  
allowed and that the said  
claim is justly due.

Snow 5 - Dicks River  
before me this day of Sept 1878  
E. Powell

J. D. R. for E. Powell

Voucher No 2 -

Ernst Schmidt  
To Andrew Ganza Jr.

For Board at 5 t.p.m.	4 30	00
+ hire of team	6	"
Paid for an old - & Mrs Fiebi	70	"
Interest on same for		
2 1/4 years at 10 p.c.	28	00
For nursing and waiting on him	10	00
+ feeding 2 horses from 10 July		
Bills at present at 50 cent yesterday.	18	00
<hr/>		
Paid from Ernst Schmidt	\$ 137	00
on the 25 May in cash.	4	20

\$ 137 00

To sum amount of one thousand dollars  
bills paid by Ernst Schmidt during  
his life appears to be worth \$250<sup>00</sup>

Received payment  
William Ganza.

long horses sent from Bill for last 1891  
 for C. Wolff s. 58. except 308.  
 Dr for Dr Knipe taken forward  
 and Dr Action more well. Maffl Karp 68  
 p 36  
 Dallas 25 May 12) and Dr Wolff for feeding dogs & cats 70  
 Dr Liebold except  
 Dr. Schmid. for Dr. 10 p 23  
 Du. 12 9

Tuberculosis care for 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ years at 10 p. t.	23 00
For nursing and waiting on him	10 00
Feeding 2 horses from 10 July	
Bill as present at 50 62 per day.	18 00
<u>122</u>	
Said from Ernst Schmidt \$ 157 00	
on the 25 May in cash. \$ 20 00	
<u>\$ 137 00</u>	
To Dr. Schmid for payment of over his terms due him to me by Ernst Schmidt during his life appears to be worth \$ 250 00	

Received payment  
William Ganza.

The State of Texas  
Dallas County

On the 28<sup>th</sup> day of July 1873 before  
Sawyer appraiser before the undersigned atten-  
tude and cause being and do as I know  
and bring by me and sworn appraiser and  
says that the above Appraiser account for our  
finances and thirty seven dollars is a just  
claim against the Estate of Ernst Schmidt  
and adds that nothing has been paid or ac-  
counts toward the satisfaction of said claim  
and that is true and adds that  
there are no other claims known to offi-  
cial which have not been allowed and that  
the sum claimed is sixty one dollars  
for the State that he has in his possession  
two horses belonging to said Plaintiff and  
owns them by said Ernst Schmidt in  
his lifetime as security for the payment  
of said claim and that he holds a bill  
upon said horses for the same

Andreas Ganger  
sworn to & Subscribed this day and date  
above written John M. Law clk  
By H. Bell Deputy

Wm. C. Smith No. 9-  
FREE DELIVERY.Dallas, Texas, July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1873WHOLESALE LIQUORS  
AND  
Bar Room Supplies.M. C. Smith  
**Bought of LEON CAPERAN,**DEALER IN  
Groceries, Tobacco, California Wine, Crockery & Glassware,  
CORNER MAIN & MARKET STREETS.

PAYABLE ON DEMAND.

June 14	Tobacco due		1.76
	Bacon 1/4 lb Coffe " Matchy 25		2.20
	Tobaco " Whisky 1/2 Pint "		3
	1/2 Gall Whisky 1/2 Pint "		2.00
	22 Ounces " Salt " Tobacco " Soap "		2.15
	Matchy " Tea " Crokers "		.95
	23 Cigars " half Whisky 1/2 Cigars 35		2.55
	24 Coffe " bacon 1/4 lb Whisky 1/2 Pint 60		3.01
	28 Bacon 1/4 lb Whisky 1/2 Coffe " Tobacco 1/4 Cigar 25		8.67
July 2	1/4 gal Whisky		1.50

Sum 28 19  
Paid 10  
Balance 18 19

The State of Texas  
Dallas County I Leon Caperan  
do solemnly swear that the  
foregoing and attached  
Bill of Lading against the Estate  
of E. Smith is just and  
unbiased. That the sum of  
Eighteen &  $\frac{1}{2}$  Dollars is  
is justly due after allowing  
allowing all set offs and  
demands known to affiant.  
E. Caperan

Sown to and Subscribed  
before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
September A.D. 1873

The state of Texas &  
Dallas County I Leon Capera  
do solemnly swear that the  
foregoing and attached  
bill against the State  
of E Smith is just and  
equitable that the sum of  
Eighteen & ~~7~~<sup>1</sup> Dollars  
is justly due after allowing  
allowing all set offs and  
demands known to affiant  
L Capera

Swear to and Subscribed  
before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
September AD 1873  
With my official signature  
and the Seal of the ~~the~~ County  
Court of Dallas County  
at office in the City of  
Dallas this the 1<sup>st</sup> day  
and date last above  
written

J M Laws  
Clerk Dist Ct Dallas County  
By J E Leomiles Deputy.

Wexler No. 10

Mr. Ernest Schmidt

1873	To Joseph Riltz	Dr
June 20 <sup>th</sup>	To Cash	4.00
"	To Drinker & Co	1.00
June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	To Drinker & Co	1.60
June 29 <sup>th</sup>	To Drinker & Co via Cognac	4.80
"	To two wine barrels (20 <sup>lb</sup> ea)	1.80
"	To two beer barrels (20 <sup>lb</sup> ea)	3.00
		<u>\$17.40</u>

State of Texas  
County of Dallas  
I, Joseph Riltz do solemnly  
swear that the above claim  
going account is just, done & owing & that it  
has not been paid or any part thereof &  
that to affiant there are no fees, interest  
known against the same. I further do  
swear to a subscriber who is to day of date  
A.D. 1873

John Long, Notary  
Ex Off. J. S. C. D.

The Est. of Schmidt due to  
S. M. Leibovich Dr  
1873 To Balance due on houses \$20.00

I solemnly swear that the foregoing  
claim against the est of  
Schmidt due is just, that nothing  
has been paid or delivered towards  
the satisfaction of so claims, that  
there are no counter claims known  
to affiant, & that the sum claimed  
is justly due.

S. M. Leibovich  
Subscribed & sworn to before me this  
the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1873  
J. W. Kipforth Esq.

Voucher No 14-

Wm Est. Ernest Schmidt Deed or  
I Ma ap J B Scruggs  
Do 1 wagon \$25) or  
Rec Payment in full J B Scruggs per R E Hid  
I solemnly swear that the  
foregoing claim against the  
Est. of Ernest Schmidt Deed is  
just, that nothing has been  
paid or delivered toward the  
satisfaction of ad claims, that  
there are no counter claims  
known to appear & that the  
sum claimed is just & due.

R L Dial Atg for  
J B Scruggs

Subscribed sworn to before me  
this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Novr 1873

J. D. McFate S. L.

Ernest Schmidt  
in APC with  
Joseph Pütz

I accept the  
within account  
this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July  
Ben Long  
Atw.

Voucher No. 15 Dallas City Dallas County Texas

To the Bill of Ernest Klemke with \$  
August 4, 1873

Worked in June & July by the day at \$1.50 a day for  
1/2 month from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of 4 June 1873 to the  
1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1873 at \$2.25 per a month amount of \$35.00

Received by Cash \$1.50 \$30.00  
Total amount due \$29.25

Ulrich Baumgartner

State of Texas Before me the undersigned authority per  
County of Dallas Sonally appeared Ulrich Baumgartner who  
being duly sworn deposes and says that  
the above account against Ernest

Inventory and Appraisement of the  
Property belonging to the Estate of  
Ernest Schmidt Deceased. Now in  
Possession of Ben Long Administrator.

one Wagon without Bed. Valued at.	\$ 40.00
1 pair Harness	15.00
1 Saddle Blanket	1.00
Clothing Haults &c.	10.00
1 Brown Stallion	100.00
1 Roan Horse	100.00
2 Mules (one brown & 1 Sonell)	<u>\$ 200.00</u>
Total Value \$ 466.00	

Henry Boll  
Conrad Britzky

The State of Texas Before me John W. Lewis  
County of Dallas Clerk of the District Court  
of Dallas County Texas, personally  
appeared Henry Boll and Conrad Britzky  
dismembered persons & freeholders of said County, to me  
well known and who upon Oath say that they are  
not Interested in the Estate of said Ernest Schmidt  
deceased, nor of kin to any person Interested therein  
and that they will according to the best of their  
abilities view and appraise the personal property  
to them shown & produced & described in the Inven-  
tory, and after taking said Oath of Affiants say  
that the sum above set opposite each Item in  
said Inventory is the appraised Value of said

Inventory and correct, and that the  
Inventory is true and correct, and that the  
Property included in the same is the  
Property included in the same, the value  
being of \$ 466.00, and that the same  
has been over seen and valued except  
as per the sum or sum above named  
in appraisement. Done at Dallas on the  
24th day of August, 1875.

John W. Lewis  
John W. Lewis  
John W. Lewis  
John W. Lewis

Property as Valued by them  
Sworn to and Subscribed  
before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of  
August A. D. 1873.

John M. Laws  
Clerk Dist Ct Dallas Co Tex  
By J.W. Jackson by

The State of Texas  
Dallas County Person ally appeared before  
me the Undersigned Author  
ity, Benjamin Long, Administrator, of the  
Estate of Ernest Schmidt deceased, who upon  
oath says, that the foregoing is a true, full and  
correct Inventory of all the Property belonging to  
the Estate <sup>said</sup> so far as has come to his hands or he  
has been able to ascertain, and that affiant was  
not bound or indebted to the deceased in any  
Contract at the time of his Death.

Sworn to and Subscribed before B.M. Long  
me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 1873.

Jno. M. Laws Clerk  
By J.W. Jackson by

X104.  
Ben Long  
Amos' Inventory

Cornelius Schmidt  
Filed Aug 4<sup>th</sup> 1873

I witness etc  
By J.W. Jackson

Recorded

The Est of Smith Decd To  
Jimm Humphries Dr  
To his & Dragon from  
January 1<sup>st</sup> 1873 - to June 1<sup>st</sup> 1872  
~~at \$20.00 per day~~ \$20.00

I solemnly swear that the  
foregoing Acct against the Est  
of Smith Decd. is just &  
correct, that nothing has been  
paid or delivered towards the  
satisfaction of said claims,  
that there are no counter  
claims known to appear  
and that the sum claimed  
is justly due his  
Jimm Humphries  
mark

Subscribed & sworn to before me  
this the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1873 -  
G. W. Ferguson 25.

Received Dallas Texas November  
13<sup>th</sup> 1873 of Ben Long Seventy Dollars  
in full payment of the above claim.  
attest: Jimm Humphries  
C. S. Mitchell mark

Ben Long.

In account

One (1) Dragoon - per inventory	40.00
" " Pair Harness	15.00
" " Double blanket	1.00
Clothing blankets &c	10.00
One (1) Brown Steer	100.00
" " Roan Horse	100.00
Two mules, home & corral	200.00
Value of Estate per inventory filed Aug 4th 1875	<u>466.00</u>

The State of Texas  
 County of Dallas } Personally appeared before  
 me the undersigned authority,  
 Ben Long, Administrator of the Estate of  
 Ernest Schmidt deceased said being  
 by me duly sworn according to law  
 says that the within foregoing ex-  
 hibit of the Estate of Ernest Schmidt  
 deceased, is true and correct  
 statement of the condition of said  
 Estate; that the moneys paid out  
 by said administrator as shown by  
 the vouchers ~~and~~ herewith filed  
 were truly paid out by said adminis-  
 trator on claims approved against said  
 Estate

B.M. Long Admin.

Drown to & subscribed  
 before me this 2nd day  
 of December AD 1875

R.T. Arwood C.W.  
 Not at S.C. Tivay

Settled with the Estate of  
Ernest Schmidt Deceased  
1873-

		Cr -
July 29.	To amount paid Jacob Boff as per voucher No one "	43.44"
	in coin -	
" 28	amount paid Andrew Gon- zales as per voucher No two (2)	137.44
" 21	amount paid Joe Melvin as per voucher No 3-	14.45
" "	amount paid J. M. Cassidy as per voucher No 4.	14.44
Aug. 11	amount paid Angus & Doyle as per voucher No 5-	8.10
Sept. 19	amount paid Adam Bergman as per voucher No 6 -	62.44
" 9	amt paid Oliver Hale as per voucher No 7. coin	5.44
Sept. -	amount paid E. Powell as per voucher No 8	175.44
" 1	amount paid Leon Capraan as per voucher No 9-	18.19
July 17	amt paid Joseph Putz as per voucher No 11	10.40
Oct. 9	amount paid S. M. Leftwich as per voucher No 11-	20.00
Nov. 13	amt paid Jim Humphries as per voucher No 12 -	20.00
" 18	amt paid Michael Luck as per voucher No 13	27.50
" 26	amount paid J. B. Scraggs as per voucher No 14 -	25.44
		<u>584.64</u>
Aug. 21	amount paid Reich Bauman V No 15 29 or <u>613.64</u>	

P. 104  
Est Ernest Schmidt  
Mrs Long Atm  
Final account

Deid Decr 3<sup>rd</sup> 1875  
A. H. Brown

Approved  
John C. Smith  
W. A. C. & Co.  
for the above