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vs

Yarger, Joseph

Selling liquor on Sunday

**State of Missouri,**

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

TWENTY-SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT;  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT,

*January* TERM, A. D., 187*7*

THE Grand Jurors of the State of Missouri, duly impaneled, sworn, and charged to inquire within and for the body of the County of Jefferson, in the State of Missouri, upon their oath do present that *Joseph Yergler* late of said County, did, on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, to-wit: on the *31<sup>st</sup>* day of *December*

187*6* at the County of Jefferson, in the State of Missouri, unlawfully sell and retail, to a person to

the Jurors unknown, one gill of Whiskey for ten cents; one gill of Brandy for ten cents; and one gill of Gin for ten cents; the same being then and there *having a license as a Dram Shop Keeper* contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State.

And the Grand Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present that the said *Joseph Yergler* , on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, to-wit: on the *31<sup>st</sup>* day of *December*, 187*6* at the County

of Jefferson, in the State of Missouri, unlawfully did sell and retail, to a person to these Jurors unknown,

one pint of Beer for ten cents; one pint of Wine for ten cents; and one pint of Ale for ten cents; the same being then and there *having a license as a dram shop keeper* contrary to the form of the Statute such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State.

*Wm. J. Williams*

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

Wade  
vs  
Joseph Gerger

Indictment for  
selling liquor  
on Sunday

Witnesses  
Rudolph Harnetz

a True Bill  
D. L. Jarvis  
Foreman

Filed Jan'y 11<sup>th</sup> 1877  
C. Ho. Jarvis clk  
By J. J. Green Depy

STATE OF MISSOURI,

ss.

The State of Missouri,

County of Jefferson

To the Sheriff of Jefferson County Greeting:

WE COMMAND you to take

if he be found in your

County, and him safely keep, so that you have his body before the Judge of our Circuit Court, at the Court House in

Hillsboro within and for the said county of Jefferson

on the second Monday in May next, then and there before our said Judge, to answer an indictment preferred against him by the Grand Jurors of the State of Missouri, empaneled, sworn and charged to inquire into and for the body of the County of Jefferson aforesaid, for

Killing a man on Sunday

whereof he stands indicted. And this you shall in no wise omit. And have you then and there this Writ.

GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of our said Court,

Done at office in

Hillsboro

in the County aforesaid, on this 19th

day of February, A. D. 1877.

C. M. H. H. H.

CLERK.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Returnable Term, *May* 1877.

STATE OF MISSOURI,

VS.

*Joseph Merges*

*Selling liquor and*

*Swindling*

Sheriff will take Bond in Penalty of  
Dollars.

ATTEST:

Clerk.

*John Williams*

*Sheriff fee \$150*

*Filed May 14<sup>th</sup> 1877*

*C. Thos. Horine*  
*Clerk*

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That Joseph Yenger as principal, and

as securities, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Missouri, in the full and just sum of one Hundred

Dollars, for the true payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 9th day of May A.D. 1877.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the above bounden

Joseph Yenger shall personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the first day of the next term of court, to be begun and held at the Court House, in the town of Hillsboro, within and for the County of Jefferson, on the 14 day of May 1877 next, to answer an indictment preferred against him for

Selling Liquor on Sunday

and from day to day and from term to term, and not depart said Court without leave thereof, then this bond to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Joseph Yenger Seal

Seal

Seal

Taken and approved by me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 187 \_\_\_\_\_.

Filed May 14<sup>th</sup> 1844  
to the Honorable  
Clerk

STATE OF MISSOURI, }  
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

To Rudolph Harner

You are hereby commanded, that setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, you appear before our Circuit Court, for the County aforesaid, on the 14th day of May, 1877, at Hillsboro, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein the State is Plaintiff, and Joseph Gieger is Defendant, on the part of State; and herein you are in no wise to fail.

Witness, C. THO' HORINE, Clerk of our said Court, with the seal thereof hereto affixed, at office, this 11 day of May, A. D., 1877.

C. Tho' Horine CLERK.

I served the writ in Jefferson County Mo  
on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1877 by executing  
the same to Randolph Starnes

John Williams  
Sheriff

State  
Joseph Mercer  
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Randolph Starnes.

John Williams  
Sheriff per 50