

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case Files - Civil
November 1821

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Johnson, Benjamin
vs

Moss, William

Ejectment

450 arpents on Sandy Creek;
\$500 damages

In the Circuit Court

November term 1821.

Jefferson County to wit Benjamin Johnson Com-
plains of William Mox of a plea of trespass and
ejectment with force and arms for that the said
Benjamin Johnson, heretofore to wit on the fif-
teenth day of September Eighteen hundred
and twenty one was and still is legally entitled to a
certain tract of land containing four hundred and
fifty acres, with the appurtenances thereto
belonging, situate on Sandy Creek in the said
County of Jefferson, and the said Benjamin
Johnson being so legally entitled to the premises
the said William Mox on the day and year
aforesaid with force and arms, at the County
of Jefferson aforesaid entered into & upon the
same and ejected and still keeps out the said
Benjamin Johnson from the possession of the
tenements aforesaid, taking to himself the
issues & profits thereof of great value to wit of
the value of five hundred dollars, and other
wrong to the said Benjamin then & there did to
his great damage and against the peace
of the State. And also for that the said
Benjamin Johnson heretofore to wit on the
day & year aforesaid at the County aforesaid

the said Benjamin was legally entitled to another tract of land containing four hundred and fifty arpens, with the appurtenances, situate on Sandy Creek in the County aforesaid, and was then there possessed thereof, and the said Benjamin Johnson being so entitled to the said tract of land with the appurtenances and so thereof possessed, the said William Mox then and there with force and arms entered into upon the same and him the said Benjamin therefrom ejected & expelled and still keeps him out from the possession thereof, & the said William taking to him self the issues and profits thereof of great value to wit of the value of five hundred dollars, and the wrongs to him then & there did to the great damage of the said Benjamin and against the peace of the State.

All which is to the damage of the said Benjamin Johnson One thousand dollars, wherefore, and to gain possession of the tenements aforesaid he brings his suit &c

Robert Mox

Rev. Johnson
Esq
Dear Sir
New York

This is an action of Debt
- against Damage \$1000.
Yours a lunatic.
Wm. T. J.

Sept 20th 1821
Wm. T. J.

State of Missouri
County of Jefferson

The State of Missouri To the
Sheriff of Jefferson County
Greeting,

We command you to Summons William —
Moss if he may be found in your County so
that he be and appear before the Judge of our
Circuit Court at the next term to be held in the
Town of ~~Herulecum~~ ~~in the~~ and for the
County of Jefferson on the fourth Monday of
November next then and there to answer
unto Benjamin Johnston of said ~~Place~~
Petition of Ejectment, Damages One Thousand
Dollars, And have you then there this
Writ —

Witness Sam Woodson Clerk
of our said Court at ~~Herulecum~~
neum this twenty second
day of October in the year
of our Lord Eighteen hundred
and Twenty One, And of
American Independence
the Forty Sixth —

Witness my Hand
J. H. Woodson

State of Maryland } Township of Frederick Nov: 28th 1821
 County of Jefferson } I then served the within declaration
 and summons by reading the same in the hearing
 of the within named William Mops

Pharmacy Smith & Sheriffs

Sheriff fees Senior 80 80
 Travel 40
 120

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Jefferson Circuit Court

November Term 1821

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Benj: Johnston

Exigent

William Mops

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State of Missouri
County of Jefferson

To the Sheriff of Jefferson County
Greeting

You are hereby commanded to summon David
Proyunt, Murray M'Connell & Benjamin Johnston Jr
well setting aside all manner of excuse & delay
they be and appear in proper person before the
Judge of our Circuit Court on the Second Monday
of April next at the Town of ~~Academy~~
there and there to testify and the truth to say in
a certain matter, of Controversy now pending in
our said Court wherein Benjamin Johnston
is plaintiff and William Mays Deft on the
part of the Deft, and have you there there
this writ —

Witness Saml Woodson Clerk
of our said Circuit Court at
the Town of ~~Academy~~ this 25th day
of Feb^y in the year of our
Lord Eighteen hundred and
Twenty Two —
By Clerk

Jefferson Circuit Court
April Term 1822

B Johnston

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William May

+ David Bryant
+ Mury M. Cornell
+ Bory: Johnston for

State of Missouri
County of Jefferson
Jasiah Jernighan vs. Frank S. 1812

Served the within subpoena by reading

the same in the hearing of the within named David
Bryant Mury M. Cornell & Bory: Johnston for

Shirley Jernighan \$80.00

Shirley Jernighan

1.00
7.89

State of Missouri, County of Jefferson, S.P.L.
To the Sheriff of Jefferson County, Greeting: You are hereby
commanded to summon John Metcalf

my whole manner of conduct and delay he be and appear in person
-er person before the Judge of our said Circuit Court on the
second Monday of April next at the Town of St. Louis where there
there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of Controversy
-by now pending in our said Court between Benjamin Johnston
Plaintiff, and William Metcalf Defendant

on the part of the Plaintiff and having on them and there their writ
Writings from Madison Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the Town of St. Louis to appear
this 25th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred
and twenty two and of the Independence of the United States the forty sixth
J. H. Metcalf
J. H. Metcalf

Jefferson Circuit Court
April Term 1882

Bear & Johnston

vs
Mc

William Mc

John Melody

State of Missouri }
County of Jefferson }
Joachim Township March 18th 1882

I then read the within subpoena
in the hearing of the within named John Melody.

Chauncey Smith Sheriff

Sherriff fees \$0.33

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State of Missouri County of Jefferson, Mo.

To the sheriff of Jefferson County, Gentlemen: You are hereby commanded to summon Henry Mitty, North Gornin, Wrennes, Mops and Pickens Stover

setting aside all manner of excuses and delay they be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court on the second

Monday of April at the Town of Herculaneum there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court where in Benjamin Johnston is Plaintiff, and William Mops Defendant

on the part of the Defendant and have upon them and there the writ

Writ of Habeas Corpus Clerk of our said

Circuit Court at the Town of Herculaneum this seventh day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty two and of the Independent State the forty sixth

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of April 1844

Jefferson Circuit Court
April Term 1882

Wm Johnston

vs
Wm H. H. H.

Wm H. H.

Henry H. H.
Wm H. H.
Wm H. H.
Wm H. H.

State of Missouri, Jefferson County, March 15th 1882
County of Jefferson
I then read the within subpoena in
the hearing of the within named Thos Hays and Henry H. H.
The said Chas. Hays and Rich. Glover not to be found in
my presents.
Chauncey Smith, Sheriff

Remittor \$2.66
Travel 1.40
not found 1.00
3.06

State of Newpore, County of Jefferson, Act
to the Sheriff of Jefferson County

JOSEPH L. LIND

You are hereby commanded to summon ~~James~~ Thomas, Henry
Thomas & Stephen Thomas

sitting aside all manner of excuse and delay they be and appear and
appear person before the Judge of our circuit court on the second
Monday of April at the town of Newpore thence there
to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy
now pending in our said Court wherein Benjamin Johnston
is Defendant and William Mott
Defendant on the part of the Plaintiff and have read
them and things thereto

Witness my hand

Clark of

our said circuit court at the town of Newpore
on the Eleventh day of March
in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight
hundred and twenty two and of the State
of Tennessee the undersigned Clerk of the County
do hereby certify

JOSEPH L. LIND

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State of Maryland / Joachim Formby March 16th 1822
County of Jefferson

I then read the within Subpoena in
the hearing of the within named James Thomas Mary Thomas
and Charles Thomas

Phineas Smith Sheriff

Sheriff per Ser. \$0.99
Travel 1 50

2.49

+ James Thomas
+ Mary Thomas
+ Charles Thomas

William May

by J. M. S.

Johnston

Johnston Circuit Court
April Term 1822

State of Missouri County of Jefferson, Sct.
To the Sheriff of Adams County Greeting: You are hereby
Commanded to summon Wm. M. Marmeter a Deputy Surveyor of

that setting aside
all manner of excuse and Delay he be and appear in proper person
before the Judge of our Circuit Court on the second Monday of June
next at the Town of Mercedaux there to testify and the
truth to say in a certain matter of Controversy now pending in
our said court, wherein Benjamin Johnston is Plaintiff
and William Mays Defendant on the part
of the Def't and have by or then and there the writ

Writ of Habeas Corpus Clerk of our said

Circuit Court at the Town of Mercedaux
the Eleventh day of March in the
Year of our Lord One thousand Eight
hundred and Twenty Two and of the Independence of the United States the forty sixth
Wm. M. Marmeter
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Vanmeter not found in my County

In Simonds p. 5, eff.

Jefferson Cemetery
April Term 1882

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my

Wm. May

—Vannmeter

State of Missouri County of Jefferson, Oct.
To the Sheriff of Jefferson County, Greeting You are hereby
Commanded to summon Thomas A. Macklin

Jefferson Circuit Court
off 2^d Term 1882

By John T. ...

vs. The

Gen. M. ...

Executed on the within
Thomas Madison by ...
being a copy at this ...
and on the 13th March 1882

John A. ...

Mr. Madison

State of Wisconsin. County of Appleton. ss
Do that Sheriff of Jefferson County greeting. You
are summoned to summon David Benjamin Thompson
Cornell Benjamin Johnston Jr & John McClell
aside all manner of excuse and delay they be and
appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court
on the 12th Day of August at the Town of Neenah
- and then and there to testify and the truth to say
in a certain matter of Ben Thompson now pending in
our said Court wherein Benjamin Johnston is
Plaintiff, and William May - Defendant
on the part of the Plaintiff
and their true writ.

Witness my hand and seal of our said
Court at the Town of Appleton this
23rd Day of June in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and
thirty two and the hundred and
of the United States the forty. Fifth
Samuel Thompson Clerk of the said County

Jefferson County, July 17th 1892

I then read the within Subpoena
in the hearing of the within named Henry
McConnell and John Metcalf

C. Smith & Son

for \$100

Jefferson C. Co.
July Term 1892

B. Johnston

for \$100

for \$100

D. D. Bryant
for \$100

B. Johnston for
for \$100

State of Maryland, County of Baltimore. To
of the Sheriff of Baltimore County Greeting. - You
are commanded to summon Henry Mety Chewes

Forin Francis Mety & Richard Chewes - - That setting

aside all manner of excuses and Objections they be and
appear in person before the Judge of our Circuit
Court on the 12th Day of August at the Town of
Baltimore and there to testify and the truth
to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending
in our said Court, wherein Benjamin Johnson
is Plaintiff, and William Mety - - Defendant
on the part of the Debt - and have you there and there this

Witness my Hand and Seal of Office this
Court at the Town of Baltimore this
23rd Day of March in the Year
of our Lord one thousand Eight
Hundred and Twenty two and the
Independence of the United States of the
United States the forty fourth
Year of our Lord one thousand Eight
Hundred and Twenty two

Johnson & Co
Aug 1 term 1882

to Johnson

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for 1882

Henry Mott

Charles Howard

Thomas Mott

Richard Howard

State of Wisconsin. County of Jefferson. ss
Of the Sheriff of Jefferson County greeting. You
are commanded to summon James Thomas Murray
Thomas Day Green Thomas & Thomas Madison that meeting
aside all manner of excuse and delay they be and
appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit
Court, on the 19th day of October at the Town of
Keshelocum then and there to testify and the truth
to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending
in our said Court, wherein Benjamin Johnston
is Plaintiff, and William Wells Defendant
on the part of the Defendant and have you then and there
this writ

Witness my hand and Seal of our said
Court at the Town of Keshelocum this
23rd day of April in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred
and twenty two and of the said Wisconsin
of the United States the forty sixth

John W. Madison
Jy 21st 1844

County of Jefferson, Jackson Township June 29th 1822

I then read the within subpoena
in the hearing of the within named Thomas
C Thomas & M Thomas this Thomas & M Thomas
found in this County Chauncy Smith Sheriff

rec \$150

Thomas C & Co
Aug 1st 1822

Johnston

in the

the

Thomas Thomas

+ Mary Thomas

+ Benjamin Thomas

+ Thomas McArthur

Jefferson Circuit Court April Term 1822

Benjamin Johnston

vs
William Wells

Plaintiff shows claim his attendance
as a witness in the above suit

Three days attendance - - 3.00

Gen Wks Travel - Co 50¢ 1.50

3.50

Lverm 10 Apr 1822
William Byrd

Uppermost Circuit Court
April Term 1822 }

Benjamin Johnston

vs
Wm. M. M. M.

~~James~~ Thomas claims

his attendance as a witness in the above
suit

Three Days attendance - - - \$ 3,00

Ten Miles travel @ 50c - - - 50

3,50

Given 10th Apr 1822
J. M. W. Clerk
S

Memorandum John Lee Smith. Charles. Three days
when danced, & Captain Miles lived
in the case of Paul's children
against William Moore as witness
etc.
Apr. Term 1822. \$3.00.

March 10th 1822
J. M. W. D. C.

M. W. D. C.