

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case Files - Civil
June 1835

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Strother, George F

vs.

Carr, William C.

Trespass & Ejectment

Change of venue from St. Louis
County; 40 arpents in Jean
Beguett's Spanish land grant;
\$500 damages

State of Missouri

County of Saint Louis } We it Remembered that heretofore to wit; on the Seventh day of March in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty five George F Strother by his attorney filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for the County of Saint Louis in the State of Missouri his declaration against William C Carr which said declaration is in the words and figures following to wit; " State of Missouri, Circuit Court St Louis County ss, March Term A D 1835. St Louis County ss. George F Strother by Bird his attorney complains of William C Carr of a plea of trespass & ejectment. For that heretofore to wit on the first day of March in the year of Grace eighteen hundred & thirty five the said George at St Louis aforesaid was legally entitled to the possession of forty arpens of land situate in St Louis Township & County & State aforesaid the same that was originally surveyed for Jean Bte Bequet under the Spanish Government as will appear by reference to Livre Terrien No 2 kept in the office of the Recorder of Land Titles for the State of Missouri where said survey is registered, bounded north by another forty arpen lot originally surveyed for one Languin & South by another lot originally surveyed for one Sanglois and being so entitled to the possession of said forty arpens of land as aforesaid the said William C Carr afterwards to wit on the day & year & at the place last aforesaid with force & arms entered into & upon the said tract of forty arpens of Land & from thence ejected the said plaintiff & other wrongs then & there did, by means of which premises said plaintiff says he is greatly injured & hath sustained damage to five hundred dollars wherefore he sues &c- G. A. Bird Plffs atty.- and on the said declaration is the following indorsement viz; "Action of Ejectment Damages \$500 the clerk will please issue a Summons, Bird Plffs atty" and on the said seventh day of March the clerk of said Court endorsed on said declaration a writ of summons in the words following to wit; "County of Saint Louis ss The State of Missouri To the Sheriff of the County of Saint Louis. Greeting; We command you to summon William C Carr that he be and appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court at the next term thereof to be held at the City of St Louis within and for the County of Saint Louis on the fourth Monday of March instant then and there to answer unto George F Strother of a plea of Trespass & Ejectment to the Damage of the said plaintiff of Five Hundred dollars and have you then there this writ (seal) Witneys Archibald Gamble Clerk of our said Circuit Court at office this seventh day of March in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and thirty five Archibald Gamble Clerk- and the return of the Sheriff endorsed on said writ and declaration is as follows to wit

"Executed this writ by reading it and the declaration to William C Carr on the 7th day of March 1835 in the County of St Louis, J Brotherton shff by G. Hammond Deft" and on the twenty seventh day of March at the said Term of the said Circuit Court in the year aforesaid the said defendant filed his plea to the action aforesaid in the words following to wit; "William C Carr ads George F Strother And the said defendant Carr by his attorney comes and defends the force and injury when &c and says he is not guilty of the said supposed trespass and Ejectment above laid to his charge in manner and form as the said plaintiff hath above thereof complained against him and of this he puts himself upon the Country &c H R Gamble atto for Deft- and at the said March Term of the said Circuit Court on the first day of May One thousand Eight Hundred and

change
of venue

thirty five the following order was made by said court in said cause to wit: George F Strother vs William C Carr. The Judge of this court being interested in this cause it is ordered by the Court that the Venue be changed to the County of Jefferson in this State and that the Clerk of this court do certify and transmit a full transcript of the Record and proceedings in this cause together with all papers appertaining to and filed in the cause to the Clerk of the said Circuit Court for the County of Jefferson at the next term thereof. —

State of Missouri }
County of Saint Louis } J. Archibald Gamble Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County of Saint Louis do certify that the above and foregoing is a full transcript of the Record and proceedings in the case of George F Strother against William C Carr and that there are no papers appertaining to or filed in the cause other than those included in the said Transcript —



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court at office in the City of St. Louis County & State aforesaid this 23rd day of May One thousand Eight Hundred and thirty five

Archibald Gamble
Clerk

Clerk Archibald Gamble's fees - (in Suit)	\$1 - 13 $\frac{3}{4}$ -	one dollar thirteen & three fourth cents
Do Transcript of Proceedings - Certificate & Tax	1 " 91 - -	one dollar ninety one cents
Do Transmitting Copy of Proceedings - - - -	3 " 00 - -	Three dollars
Writ & Tax - paid by plaintiff's attorney - - - -	1 " 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ -	one dollar sixty two & one half cents
Sheriff - - James Wrotherlon - - - - -	1 " 00 - -	one dollar
	<u>\$ 8 " 67$\frac{1}{4}$ -</u>	<u>Eight dollars sixty seven & one fourth cents -</u>

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George & brother
to 3 Change of Venue & Affirmation
William C Carr

Filed Jan 23. 1883
Chas Woodson Clerk

Forwaite