

Jefferson County Circuit Court
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December 1838

Alford, Johnson H.

vs

Forrest, Allen

McQuiston, James T.

Debt, note

Debt \$100; Supreme Court

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Wendlandene July 15. 1836

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the above named bill. I have the honor to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Yours, &c.
 J. M. Smith

Alenhardt

John W. Brewster Esq.

J. W. Alford

Filed Oct 6th 1838

J. Mathews
Clerk

State of Missouri, Jefferson County Circuit Court
December term 1838

To the Jefferson Circuit Court Johnson H. Alford
plaintiff, states that he is the legal owner of a bond
against the defendants Allen Farist and J. S. McCristion
James S. McCristion to the following effect

\$100 Mercantile on July 15. 1836

Three months after date we or either of us jointly
or severally promise to pay to Johnson H. Alford
or order one hundred dollars without defalcation
value received, with interest at the rate of eight
per cent per annum. Witness our hands and seals
Allen Farist (Seal)

J. S. McCristion (Seal)
Let the debt remain unpaid therefore he forgoes
demand, judgment for his debt, and damages for
the detention thereof together with costs

Johnson H. Alford
Gives atty

10.00
8.00
8.00
1.33 1/3
17.33 1/3

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Jefferson County 88.

The State of Missouri
to the Sheriff of Jefferson County Greeting
You are hereby commanded to summon Allen
Forrest and J. S. alias James S. McCristion, that
they be and appear before the Judge of our Circuit
Court at a Court to be held at Merculaneum
in and for said County on the second Monday
in December next, then and there to answer
the complaint of Johnson McAlford in a plea
of debt a copy of which is hereto attached, and have
you then there this writ.

Witness John S. Weather Clerk
of our said Circuit Court at
Office in Merculaneum this
8th day of October in the year 1838
John S. Weather, Clerk

Copy
State of Missouri Jefferson County Circuit Court
December Term 1838

To the Jefferson Circuit Court Johnson McAlford
plaintiff states, that he is the legal owner of a bond
against the defendants, Allen Forrest and J. S. alias
James S. McCristion to the following effect
\$100. Merculaneum July 15. 1838

Three months after date we or either of us
jointly or severally promised to pay to Johnson Mc
Alford or order one hundred dollars with cost
of execution, value received with interest at the
rate of eight per cent per annum. Witness our hands
and seals.

Allen Forrest (Seal)
J. S. McCristion (Seal)

Yet the debt remains unpaid therefore he claims and
judgement for his debt and damages for the deten-
tion together with costs. Johnson McAlford
Givens Atty.

I Executed this write on James S. McCusker on the 23^d
day of October¹⁸³⁸ on Allen Forest on the 16th day of November
1838 by Reading the ~~write~~ ^{and Declaration} in their presence and
Hearing

John Hammond Sheriff

In Jeff. Co. Court
December Term
1838

Johnson McCusker
vs
Allen Forest &
James S. McCusker

Filed Dec 8th 1838
Matthews
clerk

Johnson & Clifford

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After Forest & J. J. McCauley, who now at this day carry
the said Lewis & McCauley against whom judgment has
been rendered by default with, can show the court here to annul
the said judgment herein for the following reasons.

1st Because it does not appear from the record that he
was the J. J. McCauley who executed the writ in the petition
mentioned.

2^d Because there is nothing on the face of the record
showing to show that said Lewis & J. J. McCauley
is said petition mentioned.

3^d Because the said judgment is now illegal and
invalid -

Went for McCauley

A. W. Afford
vs }
Forrest & Co. Louisiana

Motion for an
appeal

Filed Dec 13th 1838
A. Mathews
Clerk

John or H. Ford

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Allen Forrest & J. S. McCusker } ~~The said~~ James McCusker
against whom Judgment has been rendered in the above cause
~~being~~ duly sworn in the above cause says that his
application for an appeal in this case is not made for
purpose of vexation or delay but because he believes
himself aggrieved by the Judgment of the Court

J. S. McCusker

Sworn to before me in Court

Decr 13th / 1838

Mathew C. R.

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McClinton } Alfred
for appearance

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Matthew McK

State of Missouri Washington County
In the Supreme Court - Fourth Judicial District
May Term 1839

James S. McCusker Appellant
vs
Johnson W. Alford Appellee
Now at this day come
the said Appellee by
his Attorney And it appearing to the satisfaction of the
Court that the said Appellant has failed to file in
the office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court a transcript
of the Record And proceedings in this Cause in pursuance
of the Statute in such Cases made And provided And
the said Appellee produced here in Court a Transcript
of the Record in said Cause And it appearing to the
satisfaction of the Court that an Appeal has been
allowed in this Cause it is considered by the Court
that the Judgment aforesaid in favor of said by the
said Circuit Court rendered be in all things affirmed
And stand in full force and virtue it is further considered
by the Court that the said Appellant recover of the
said Appellant his Costs And Charges by him about his
Defense in this behalf in this Court expended And that he
have thereof his writ of Execution

State of Missouri
Washington County
I, J. P. Alford Clerk of the
Supreme Court for the Fourth Judicial District in the
State of Missouri do hereby certify that the above and foregoing
is a true and perfect copy of the order made at the last
May Term of this Court in the Case of James S.
McCusker Appellant versus Johnson W. Alford
Appellee as the same remains of record in my office

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the Seal of said Supreme
Court at office in the Town of Toledo
this 13th day of July 1839

John McCreary Clerk

By W. O. McCreary Deputy Clerk



Stephen & Son
May 20th 1839
Boston N. H.

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Allen Forest &
No 29 No. 100

Wright & Son

Wright & Son 12th 1839

Wright & Son

Wright & Son in payment
Wright 2305

Wright & Son in payment
of the expenses

Wright & Son

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