

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case file - criminal
December 1860

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State
VS

Willkison, James M.

Selling liquor without a license

State of Missouri } In the Jefferson Circuit
County of Jefferson } Court December Term.
A. D. 1860

The Grand jurors of the State of Missouri
now here in Court duly empanelled, sworn
and charged to inquire within and on the body
of the County of Jefferson, upon their oath
present that James M. Hickison late of said
County on the first ——— day of September
Eighteen hundred and sixty with force and arms
at and in the County of Jefferson aforesaid,
unlawfully did sell intoxicating liquor that is to
say whisky Brandy gin, rum wine punch Schnapps
Beer and ale that is to say one glass and one pint
of each said liquors to each of the following named
persons viz, George H. Hughes, Thomas Cooper
Charles Cooper and to divers other persons to them
and there being to the jurors aforesaid unknown,
at the price and sum of five cents for each glass
and ten cents for each pint so sold, the same being
a quantity less than one quart at one time, and
permitted the same to be drunk at the place
of sale, without then and there having in force
and effect any license authorizing him to sell
as aforesaid, Against the peace and dignity
of the State.

Daniel D. Hale
Circuit Attorney

In the Circuit Court
of Jefferson County.

Dec Term 1860

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The State

James M. Wilkinson

Indictment for selling
liquor without a license

Wm. Bill

Smith

Storeman of the Grand Jury.

Witnessed

E. M. Hughes

Thomas Cooper

Charles Cooper

Attest Dec 14th 1860

Wm. S. Horney Clerk

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SCT.,
The State of Missouri,

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

We Command you to take James M. Wilkerson

if he be found in
your County, and him safely keep, so that you have his body before the
Honorable Judge of our Circuit Court, on the second Monday after the
fourth Monday in May next
at Hillsboro' within and for the County of Jefferson, then and there
to answer unto an Indictment found against him by the Grand Inquest
for the body of the County of Jefferson, for: Selling liquor with-
out License contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Elias Horney

Witness, THO. C. FLETCHER, Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed,
at office, this 31st day of
December A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and fifty Six

Elias Horney

Clerk Circuit Court.

I executed the within capias in the County of Jefferson
State of Missouri on James M Wilkinson by reading it
to him and taking his bond for his appearance before
the judge of the Circuit Court in Hillsboro on the 10th day
of June 1861 this the 2^d day of May 1861

Oscar Doved Sheriff

No

STATE

AGAINST

James M Wilkinson

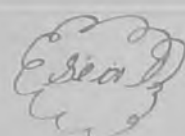
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Sheriff's fee \$1.50

Know all men by these presents that I
James M Wilkinson as principal and
Oscar Dover, as security are held and
firmly bound unto the State of Missouri in the
just and full sum of one hundred Dollars for the
true payment whereof we bind ourselves jointly
severally and firmly and do by these presents
acknowledge ourselves indebted in the above named
sum signed by us and sealed with our seals and
dated this the 2nd day of May 1861

Yet upon condition that whereas a capias
was issued from the office of the clerk of the
circuit court of Jefferson County Missouri on the
31st day of December 1860 and directed to the Sheriff
of Jefferson County Mo in favor of the state of
Missouri and against James M Wilkinson for
selling Liquor without License now if the said
James M Wilkinson shall be and appear in person
on the first day of the next Term of the circuit
court to be held in the court House in Hillsboro on
the tenth day of June 1861 and not depart therefrom
from day to day or from Term to Term untill this suit
is disposed of without leave of the court then the
above bond to be null and void otherwise to remain
in full force and virtue, this the 2nd day of May 1861

James M Wilkinson 

Oscar Dover 

James M. Wilkinson
appearance novel

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To *Geo. W. Houghbo. known as Cooper Charles Cooper*

GREETING:

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

10th day of June 1861

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 of Mississippi is* Plaintiff and *James McMillen* Defendant on the part of *Plaintiff* and herein you are in no wise to fail.

WITNESS, ELIAS F. HONEY, Clerk of our said Court with the Seal thereof hereto affixed, at office this

26 day of *April* A. D. 18*61*

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

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Dorchester Court
June Term 1861

State

vs
James M. McKimmon

for Debt

Geo. H. Douglass

Thomas Cooper

Charles Cooper

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

George H. Douglas, Thomas Cooper, Charles Cooper

GREETING :

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

9th day of June 1862

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 of Missouri

Plaintiff and

James M. McKinnon

Defendant on the

part of *Plaintiffs*

and herein you are in no wise to fail.

WITNESS, ELIAS F. HONEY, Clerk of our said Court,

with the Seal thereof hereto affixed, at office, this

9th day of *July*

A.D. 1862

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

June Term, 1862

State
vs
Jas M Wilkison
for Plff

Geo M. Hughes Mar
Thos Cooper Mar
Chas Cooper Mar
Sheriff fee \$1.50+

Presented the within Sher in the County of Jefferson in the State of
Missouri before the undersigned for reading it to him on the 2nd day
of May 1862. John D. Smith

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

George M. Hughes, Thomas Cooper

Charles Cooper

GREETING :

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
Seventh day of December 1862 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 of Missouri* is
Plaintiff and *James M. Wilson* Defendant on the
part of *Plaintiff* and herein you are in no wise to fail.

WITNESS, ELIAS F. HONEY, Clerk of our said Court,

with the Seal thereto affixed, at office, this

21st day of *October* A.D. 186 *2*

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Deer Term, 1862

State
vs. S. a
James M. Wilkeson

For Peff
Geo W. Hughes 2
Wm Cooper 5 2
Chas Cooper 8 2
Sheriff W. Mitchell Dec 1, 56

I Executed the within writ at the County
of Jefferson State of Mo by Reading
the same in the presence and hearing
of G. W. Hughes Thomas Cooper and Charles
Cooper on the 20 day of December
1862
J. B. Jones Sheriff
W. Mitchell Deputy

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To *Geo. M. Houghs.* *John Cooper* *Charles Cooper*

GREETING :

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

22nd day of January 1863 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 of Mo*

Plaintiff and *James Mc Williams* Defendant on the

part of *Plaintiff* and herein you are in no wise to fail.

WITNESS, ELIAS F. HONEY, Clerk of our said Court,

with the Seal thereof hereto affixed, at office, this

9th day of *December* A.D. 1862

Elias F. Honey
Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

January Term, 1863

State

James McKesson

For Plff

Geo W. Hughes &

Thos Cooper &

Chas Cooper &

Sheriff fee \$1.50

I do certify the within writ at the County of
Jefferson State of Missouri by reading the
Warrant in the presence and hearing of Geo W Hughes
and leaving written notice of the same to
Thomas Cooper and Charles Cooper on the
6th day of January 1863

J. P. & Co Sheriff
By W. Mitchell
Atty

State

Evidence

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Wilkinson & Heyndout sold me
~~some~~ whisky in the latter part
of the summer or in the fall of
1860 - Heyndout said he would
not sell less than a quart at a
time. But we could get it as we
wanted. We sometimes took a
pint at a time - We got whisky
frequently during two or three months.

He said we must take it away
as we took it and not drink it at
the house. We never drank at
the house, but took the liquor away &
drank at a mineral house 10 or 12
feet from the store. We always paid
for a quart at a time - Could not
get it any other way. - We bought
the liquor when on the way to our
mining or when on our return.
We did not go there for the purpose
of buying liquor - The sales took
place in this country

Of the jury before from the evidence
that defendant, at the County of Jefferson,
and, at any time within one year
before the finding the indictment,
directly or indirectly debt entered
creating liens in his property
than can great they will
find the defendant guilty and
assess the fine at not less than
twenty dollars nor more than
one hundred dollars -

Given
If the jury find from the
evidence, that the defendant deliv-
ered to Hughes one pint of whiskey
at one time, and although he may
have received pay only by the
grant, he then is guilty as charged
in the jury ret. o. find.

Given
Unless the defendant shows
he had a license he could not
sell intoxicating liquor in
any grant this

We the jury find the Defendant
guilty and assess his fine at
fifty dollars.

James Johnston

Town