

June 1863

State

vs.

Friester, George

Rockel, Ferdinand

Robbery

Assaulted Russell Sanders with pistols,
stole money and clothes, and put a rope
around his neck to hang him

State of Missouri In the Circuit Court of Jefferson
County of Jefferson } County - June Term 1863

The Grand Jurors of the State of Missouri now here in
Court empaneled sworn and charged to inquire
within and for the body of the County of Jefferson
upon their oath present that George Priester and
Ferdinand Rockel late of the said County on
~~the or about the twenty third~~ ^{sixty two} day of April eighteen hundred and
at and in the County of Jefferson ^{with force and arms} being then and there
armed with ~~certain~~ offensive weapons to wit;
each with a gun loaded with powder and lead
in an upon one Russell Sanders in the peace
then and there being ~~then and there~~ feloniously
did make an assault, and him the said Russell
Sanders in bodily fear ~~of his~~ and danger of his
life then and there feloniously did put and one
piece of silver ^{coin} of the value of five cents, one piece of
silver ^{coin} of the value of ten cents, one piece of silver coin
of the value of twenty five cents, one piece of silver
coin of the value of fifty cents, one piece of silver
coin of the value of one dollar, one United States
Treasury Note of the value of five cents, one
United States Treasury Note of the value of ten
cents, one United States Treasury Note of the
value of twenty five cents, one United States
Treasury Note of the value of fifty cents and
one United States Treasury Note of the value
of one dollar ~~and divers~~ and divers other
Bank Notes and Treasury notes of the value
of ten dollars, and various articles of clothing
of the value of ten dollars of the Monie's goods
and chattels of the said Russell Sanders from the
person and against the will of the said Russell

Sanders then and there feloniously and violently did steal take and carry away against the peace and dignity of the State of Missouri

And the Grand Jurors aforesaid upon their oath aforesaid do further present that the said George Priester and Ferdinand Rockel late of said County of Jefferson afterwards to wit on the twenty third day of April eighteen hundred and sixty two — at and in the County of Jefferson aforesaid with force and arms and that the said George Priester and Ferdinand Rockel having then and there a certain rope in and upon one Russell Sanders in the peace then and there being feloniously did make and assault, and did then and there tie said rope around the Neck of the said Russell Sanders and hang up the said Russell Sanders and in the said Russell Sanders in bodily fear and danger of his life then and there feloniously did put and one piece of silver coin of the value of five cents, one piece of silver coin of the value of ten cents, one piece of silver coin of the value of twenty five cents one piece of silver coin of the value of fifty cents one United States Treasury note of the value of five cents, one United States Treasury Note of the value of ten cents, one United States Treasury Note of the value of twenty five cents one United States Treasury Note of the value of fifty cents and divers other Bank Notes of the value of ten dollars and various articles of clothing of the value of ten dollars of the monies, goods and chattels of the said Russell Sanders from the person of the said Russell Sanders and against his wife; then and

then feloniously and violently did steal take
and carry away, Against the peace and dignity
of the State of Missouri

J. C. Tuttle Cr. Atty
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June Term 1863

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Christine Ketur,
dum Defendant,

George Priester
Defendant vs
Indictment for
Robbery

A true Bill
Geo D Dore
Foreman

Witnesses
Russell Daniels
Elizabeth Arnold
Charles Prichard
Charles Wyle
Florence Arnold

Dated June 16th 1863
Geo J. Horney
Clerk

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

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

We Command you to take *Herder and Rachel*
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, *forthwith*
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: *breach of peace*
contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Elias F. Honey
Witness, *Thos. C. Fletcher*, Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed:
at office, this *15th* day of
June A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and *fifty six* *three*

Elias F. Honey
Clerk Circuit Court.

No.

STATE

AGAINST

Jordan and Rachel

CAPIAS.

Wharf Steer \$100

CLERK OF THE COURT

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

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

We Command you to take *George Prester*
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, *forthwith*
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, *Ribery*
contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Elias J. Honey
Witness, *THO. C. FLETCHER*, Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed.
at office, this *16th* day of
June A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and *fifty six* *three*.

Elias J. Honey
Clerk Circuit Court.



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STATE

AGAINST

George. Webster

CAPIAS.

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

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

WE Command you to take *George Preester*

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 7th day of December*
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: *Robbery*

contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Elias J. Honey
WITNESS, *THO. C. FLETCHER*, Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed,
at office, this *25th* day of
June A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and *fifty-six* *three*

Elias J. Honey
Clerk Circuit Court.

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S T A T E

AGAINST

George Sweetser

C A P I A S .

J. B. Davenport

Not found in my hands

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

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

We Command you to take Ferdinand Roedel
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 7th day of Decer, 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: Robbery
contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Elias F. Honey
Witness, THO. G. FLETCHER, Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed,
at office, this 25th day of
June A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and fifty six three

Elias F. Honey
Clerk Circuit Court.

No

STATE

AGAINST

Anderson and Rockel

CAPIAS.

Wm. Anderson & Co

The within named Anderson and Rockel not found in my County this 1st day of Decr 1869
Jesse B. Brown Sheriff

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

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

We Command you to take George Pruster
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 2nd Monday after
the 1st Monday in November
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 Robbery
contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Witness, THO. C. FLETCHER, Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed:
at office, this 23^d day of
Sept A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and fifty Six, three

Chas Honey
Clerk Circuit Court.

No

S T A T E

AGAINST

Geo. Prester

CAPIAS.

J. B. Danner Dec 28/75

I executed the Writ in the
County of Jefferson State of Mo. on
the 23rd day of September 1863 by
taken the Body of the Writ in
named George Prester and Delivered
him up to the Com. Jailer of St. Louis
County there he is now held in
Jefferson County

*J. B. Danner Sheriff
By J. B. Power Deput*

Know all men by these presents That
I George Prieto as principal and John Prieto and
Anton Berger and George Martin as securities are
indebted to the State of Missouri in the Sum of five
hundred dollars as witnesses our hands & seals this 9th
day of November 1863

The condition of the above obligation is such
that whereas George Prieto has been indicted in the
circuit Court of Jefferson County Mo on two indictments, one
for a Robbery ~~the other~~ for an assault with intent
to rob and has been brought before J J Johnston County
Court Justice of said County on habeas corpus and has
been admitted by said justice to bail in said suits in
the Sum of five hundred dollars Now if said
George Prieto shall appear before the circuit
Court of said Jefferson County at the next
Term and appear from day to day and not depart
the Court without leave, to answer the indictments
aforesaid and be dealt with according to law, then this
recognizance shall be void other wise to remain
in full force.

Witness

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his
George X Prieto Seal

Joseph Gray Seal

George Martin Seal

Anton Berger Seal

Seal

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H. J. Strom
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To G J Johnston Justice of the County Court of
Jefferson County Missouri

The undersigned in behalf of George Priester
states that at the June Term 1863 of the Circuit
Court of this County Russel Sanders caused George
Priester to be indicted by the grand jury of this
County on two indictments, one for an assault
on said Sanders with intent to rob, the other
for a robbery of said Sanders, that two
warrants were issued on said indictments
& placed in the hands of the Sheriff of this
County by virtue of which said Sheriff ar-
rested George Priester & committed him to jail
in St Louis County Mo where George Priester is
now confined.

Petitioner further shows that the offences
for which said George Priester is confined in said
prison are bailable and that the Sheriff of this
County has left said warrants with the Jailor
of St Louis, and for that reason petitioner could not
obtain copies of the warrants to accompany this
petition, that he demanded copies of said Sheriff
who did not have them, & that no other appli-
cation to any other Court or Judge has been
made for a writ of Habeas Corpus for George
Priester. The petitioner prays for a writ of
Habeas Corpus directed to the Sheriff of Jefferson
County, to bring the body of George Priester before
you & to admit said Priester to bail as provided
by law

Subscribed & sworn to before
me this 4th day of November
1863

Jo John Johnston

G J Johnston County Clerk

Section for the Chicago
Bureau for Chicago, Puerto

State of Missouri

County of Jefferson

} ss By the Habeas Corpus Act

The State of Missouri to the
Sheriff of Jefferson County, Greeting
You are hereby commanded that
the body of George Priester in the jail of
St Louis County Mo under your custody let
ained as it is said, under safe and secure
conduct together with the day and cause of
his being imprisoned and detained, by what
soever name the said George Priester may
be known, you have before me G J Johns
ton, one of the Justices of the County Court
of Jefferson County at the Court house in the
Town of Hillsboro in said County on the 9th
day of November 1863, to do and receive what
shall then and there be considered concerning
the said George Priester, so imprisoned and
detained as aforesaid; and hereof fail not
at your peril

Witness my signature this 9th day of
November 1863

J. J. Johnston

County Court

Justice of Jeff

-erson Co - Mo

I here bring before G J Johnston the body of George Priester. He was confined by me in the Jail of Lewis and for safe keeping by virtue of two warrants issued on two indictments from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County. Two copies of which are herewith filed one of said indictments is for a robbery and the other for an assault with intent to rob. By virtue of this writ I have brought George Priester on the 9th day of November 1863, before G J Johnston at the Courthouse in Henderson. Mo. witness my hand this 9th day of Nov 1863

G. M. Dover Sheriff
by J. T. Map

By the Hatter
corpus act.

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

*James Johnston, Sebastian Leber
Abner Cagle, Abner Buntarn, and Rachel*

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
8th day of December 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 Missour* is
Plaintiff and *George Brecken* is Defendant on the
part of *defend* 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

17 day of *April* A. D. 186*3*

Elias F. Honey
Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Decemb 3rd Jan, 1863

State

Geo. Prester

for debt

Jas Johnston

Sebastian Collier

Chas Ogile

Chas Putnam

Herb. Rachel

J B Damer Shff \$2.50

I. Executed this writ and by Charles Burdett on the 19th of Jan
Sebastian Collier James Ogile on the 4th day of Dec
Charles Ogile on the 1st day of Dec. 1863 by Reading
The same in their presence and hearing Herd
Rachel not found in my county

Jessie B Damer Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

E. J. Johnston *vs* *E. J. Johnston*

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 December 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 Missouri*

Plaintiff and

George

Proctor

Defendant on the

part of *defendant* 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

dec A. D. 1863

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Decr.

Jan, 1863

State
vs

Geo. Preuster

for debt

G. J. Johnston

G. L. Johnston

(B Dorer & Co) \$1.00

I expected that said Geo. J. Johnston on the 24th
day of December 1862 also in Jersey G. Johnston on
the same day by receiving the same in their
presence and receiving

Jerome B Dorer & Co

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

*Edmunds, Elizabeth Annotta, Charles
Benjamin Ephraim Eagle, Florence Annotta
Edmund, Eagle*

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
8th day of November 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 Missouri*
Plaintiff and *Geo. Alexander & Rachel* 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

12th day of *Nov* A. D. 1863

Elias F. Honey
Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

December Jan, 1863

State
vs
George Priester
Fred Rockell

for P.P.

R Landers

Elizabeth Arnold
Chas Purdam
Chas Ogle
Florence Arnold
Samuel Ogle

J B Dower \$15,00

I executed this writ on R Landers Elizabeth Arnold
Florence Arnold Chas Purdam Samuel Ogle on the
19th of November 1863 by Reading the same in their presence
& hearing also on Charles Ogle on the
30th day of December by Reading it
to him

Jerome B Dower Sheriff

Bricky } Motions
vs }

Henry

Henry vs Thomas

Williams vs Prout, Security for costs

Julien vs H & Co

Buel vs Herman & Co

Brooks vs Bricky