

Safferson County Circuit Court
Case File - Civil

June 1863

Swann, Samuel G.

vs

Buren, P. H.

Debt

Debt \$450 balance due on \$200
purchase price of unnamed male
slave who ran away

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Samuel Swan Plaintiff }
vs } In the Jefferson
P H Buren Defendant } Circuit Court
Missouri

Plaintiff states that defendant owes him \$450 balance of the value of a negro man ~~for~~ the value of \$900 delivered to defendant by plaintiff in August 1860 at defendant's Request. That said Buren in December 1860 paid plaintiff ~~\$450~~ one half of the value of said negro and that \$450th with interest from August 7 1860 are still due plaintiff for which he asks judgment
Sd Swan

Sd Swan makes oath & says that the foregoing petition and the matters therein stated he believes to be true

Subscribed & sworn
to before me this
4th day of Nov 1861
Elias P Honey clerk

S. H. Swan

Saml & Susan
to J. Pollock

J. H. Brown

Attest Mar 28th 1863

Alvan J. Hooley
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Stamps paid by J. H.

The State of Missouri, } ss.
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

To the Sherifff of the County of Jefferson---Greeting:

We command you, that you summon *J H Buren*



if he be found in your County, that he
be and appear before the Hon. Judge of our Circuit Court, on the first day
of the next term thereof, to be begun and held at the town of Hillsboro, within
and for the County of Jefferson, on the second Monday after the fourth
Monday of *May* next, then and there to answer unto

upon *his* original petition, a copy whereof is hereunto annexed and ac-
companies this writ, and have you then there this writ.

Witness, ELIAS F. HONEY, Clerk of our said Circuit
Court, with the seal thereof hereunto affixed, at office
in Hillsboro, this *Twenty eighth*
day of *March* A. D. 1863

Elias F. Honey

Clerk Circuit Court.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT

June 3rd, 1863

J. H. Burren
vs J. H. Burren

Sheriff's Fees \$1.00

Filed May 27th 1863
Elias J. Hooley Clerk
Pro Se.

I, Executed the within writ at the County of Jefferson State of Missouri, on the 13th Day of May 1863 by delivering to J. H. Burren the within named Defendant A true copy of this writ and annexed Petition as furnished me by the Clerk

Jerome B. Doven Sheriff

Samuel L. Swan, Plaintiff }
 Against }
 P. H. Buren, Defendant, } In the Jefferson
 Circuit Court.

Now at this day comes the Defendant in the above entitled Cause and for answer to the petition of Plaintiff, heretofore filed in this behalf denies that he owes Plaintiff the sum of \$450, or any other sum, as balance of value of negro man of the value of nine hundred dollars, delivered by Plaintiff at Defendant's request in August 1860 and denies that in December 1860 he paid Plaintiff four hundred and fifty dollars, one half of the value of said negro. Defendant denies that four hundred and fifty dollars, or any part thereof, are due Plaintiff.

Defendant for further answer, states that he, some four or five years since and up to August 3rd 1861, has loaned Plaintiff a great amount of money & he has paid debts owing by Plaintiff to divers persons within the terms aforesaid, at Plaintiff's request amounting in all, including money loaned and debts paid aforesaid to the sum of seven hundred dollars; that about one year after the negro named in said petition had run away from Plaintiff & was about the 3rd day of August 1861, Defendant agreed to credit Plaintiff's account with \$450. for his choice in one half of said fugitive slave, which was acceded to by Plaintiff, but

Defendant alleges that said negro was never reclaimed by which he lost said sum of \$450. Defendant further avers that Plaintiff has paid all of said seven hundred dollars including the above \$450. He left about _____ dollars which is due Defendant.

John L. Thomas
Atty for Def't.

P. H. Buren makes oath & says that he believes the above ^{answers} ~~petition~~ & the matters as therein stated are true.

Sworn to & subscribed before } P. H. Buren
me this 24th day of July }
1861.

John L. Thomas
Not. Pub. Off. Co. Mo. }

Sam. G. Duran

J. H. Breen

Shower.

Filed July 28th 1863

Wm. J. Honey
Clerk

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI

To *Wm J. Hoovee, Seny, Japhs, M^{rs} Strickland*

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
16th 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 *Samuel H. Sarnal* is
Plaintiff and *J. He Furman* is 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

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

Elias F. Honey
Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Decemb^r Jan, 1863 3

Saml G. Smarr

P H. Buren

for deft

Wm S. Hoove

B. Sapp

Wm Strickland

Sheriff Fees \$15⁰⁰

Executed the within writ an Wd Howe
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member of his family over the age of 15 years
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the same in their presen^{ts} an hearing
I B Dole Sheriff
by J J. Mop Dptg

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

Arthur Taylor

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

The 16th day 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 *Samuel G. Swann is*

Plaintiff and *J. H. Brown is* Defendant on the

part of *the 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

17th day of *March* A. D. 186 *3*

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

December Term, 1863

Paul G. Swan

vs.

P. H. Buren

Served the within by
reading the same to
Subart Taylor on the
10th day of December
1863 - James M. Young Const.

of Marion T. St.
Francis Co, Mo.

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

E. Vernon

GREETING :

You are Herely Commanded, That setting aside all

manner of excuse and delay, you appear before our Circuit Court for the County aforesaid, on the

15th 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 *Samuel G. Brand* is

Plaintiff and *Ed. Bruner* is

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

17

day of *Nov*

A. D. 1863

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

December Term, 1863

S G Swan
vs
P H Buren

for p lff
C Vernon & 21

J B Dones Sheriff \$, 50

I Executed this writ on C Vernon by
Receiving the same in his presence and hearing
this 21st day of November 1863

J B Dones Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

Wesley Brown

GREETING:

You are Herely 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 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

Plaintiff and

J. H. Brown

Defendant on the

part of *the 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

17th day of *November* A. D. 1863

Elias F. Honey

Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Decemr Jam, 1863

J. G. Swann

P. H. Buren

for Plff
E. Vernon

Sheriff Fees 3'0

Executed the within within E. Vernon
by reading the same in his presence and bearing
this the 9 & day of Novemr 1863

J. B. Owen Sheriff
G. J. D. Mob. Sept

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,
To *Geo W. Morris*

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

5th day of February 1864 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

Samuel G. Brown vs

Plaintiff and

W. H. Brown vs

Defendant on the

part of *Self* 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

24th day of *December* A. D. 186*3*

Elias F. Honey
Clerk.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Decr Jan, 1863

S & Swan

vs
P H Buren

for Plff

E Vernon

vs Strickland

A B Dener Shd Nov 50

I represented this writ on & bearing by Reading
the same in his presence & hearing this 25th day of

January 1863

Perme B Dener Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To

STATE OF MISSOURI,
Jm. Boone, Depy-
Jm. Buchanan

GREETING:

Now we **Hereby Commanded**, That setting-aside all

manner of excuse and delay, you appear before our Circuit Court for the County aforesaid, on the

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On day of December 1864 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

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Plaintiff and

Dr H. Duren is

Defendant on the

part of

Heft

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

24 day of *December* A. D. 1863

Dear Sir Henry

Glycerin.

TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.

Dear Sir, Jan, 1863

E H Swan

vs

P H Buren

for debt

Wm S Horne

B Sapp

Wm Strickland

Wm Strickland 1.50

I executed this writ on Wm S Horne B Sapp and
Wm Strickland by reading the same in their
presence and hearing this 1st day of February 1864
Sworn to before me

July 20 1864

C G Henley Clerk

(Copy) "Nine months after date and
for value received I will pay J. H. Buren
or order Seventy five Dollars with interest
at Ten percent from date until paid, Witness
my hand this 3rd of August 1861
S. G. Swan "

To William Strickland Executor of the Estate of
S. G. Swan take notice that I will present a
note for allowance to the County Court of
Jefferson County Missouri ^{at Hillsboro in said County} against the Estate
of S. G. Swan of which the foregoing is a copy
on the 16th day of March 1868 also an
other note at the same time & place of which
the following is a copy:

"Nine months after date and for
value received I will pay J. H. Buren or
order one hundred Dollars with interest
at Ten percent from date until paid
Witness my hand this 3rd of August 1861
S. G. Swan "

Signed: J. H. Buren By
Jos. J. Williams Atty.

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J. H. Brown

Per

W. H. Brown

Notice

Copy for

Per. (Hickland)

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"Nine months after date and for value
received I will pay P. H. Buren or order
Seventy five Dollars with interest at Ten
per cent from date untill paid witness
my hand this 3rd of August 1861
S. G. Swan "

To William Strickland Executor of the Estate
of S. G. Swan Take notice that I will present
a note for allowance to the County Court of
Jefferson County Missouri at Hillsboro in
said County against the Estate of S. G.
Swan of which the foregoing is a copy
on the 16th day of March 1868 also

Another note at the same time & place
of which the following is a copy

"Nine months after date I will
and for value received I will pay
P. H. Buren or order one hundred Dollars
with interest at Ten per cent from date
untill paid, witness my hand this 3rd
of August 1861

S. G. Swan "

Signed P. H. Buren Ref
Jos. J. Williams Atty

J. H. Brown

Dr. H. H. Brown

Notice
Defence

Sheriff fee

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Recd March 16 1868
H. H. Brown

I Executed the within notice at Jeff Co. ^{Mo.} on the 5th day of March A.D. 1868 by Delivering to William Strickland a true copy of the same.

John Williams Sheriff
By J. W. Horing
Deputy