

Tofferson County Circuit Court
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Knorr, William

vs

Veth, George

Slender

Defendant accused plaintiff of
poisoning his mare; \$500 damages

William Knorrp, - plaintiff }
Against }
George Veth, - defendant }
In the Circuit Court
of Jefferson County, Missouri

The Plaintiff states that the Defendant, on the 14th day of March 1864, at the County of Jefferson aforesaid, spoke the following false and slanderous words concerning the Plaintiff, that is to say, "William Knorrp, poisoned my mare," meaning thereby, that the Plaintiff did wilfully and maliciously administer poison to the mare of Defendant, so as to cause her death, - and intending thereby to impute a crime against Plaintiff, which, if true, would subject him to punishment,

And Plaintiff further states that, on the 14th day of March 1864, at the County aforesaid, the Defendant spoke the following false and slanderous words concerning the Plaintiff, that is to say, "he (meaning the Plaintiff) poisoned my mare and I can prove it," intending thereby to impute a criminal offence against Plaintiff,

By reason of the speaking of said false and slanderous words, Plaintiff says he is damaged to the amount of five hundred dollars, and for which he asks Judgment.

Abner Green
Attorney for Plaintiff

William Knorr, plaintiff, makes oath and
says the above Petition and the matters therein, as
stated, he believes to be true.

William Knorr.

Sworn to and subscribed before
me, this 17th day of March 1864
A. R. P. Clerk



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In Circuit Court
Jefferson County
William Knapp
vs.
George Watts
Petition in
Deceit
for Damages
done, & Groceries
for Watts

Filed Dec. 17th 1864
Wm J. Honeys
Clerk

3d paid by P.H.

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

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

We command you, that you summon *George Vetter*

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
William Stroop

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 *Eighteenth*
day of *March* A. D. 1864

Elias F. Honey
Clerk Circuit Court.

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TO JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT

Grand Term, 1864

William George
vs & Defendants
George. Leith

Answer thereto 1864

Examined by Off &
costs paid

I, Esquire, do hereby certify that the within copy of the original of the above
written petition is furnished me by the Clerk
Jefferson & Son, Clerk

Received of George Beth Ten dollars,
the amount of my attorney fee for the
pleading, in the case in the Circuit
Court of Jefferson County of Missouri
Thorp's against David George Beth, the
same suit being Commonwealth vs
Thorp David George Beth, bringing the case
of attorney fee, — May 30th 1864

Attorney's Recd
May 31st 1864