

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case Files - Criminal
May 1865, No. 14

Box No.

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State

vs

Vernon, Elisha

Assault with intent to kill

Defendant accused of striking
Archelaus Lee on the back of
the head

State of Missouri } In the Circuit Court
County of Jefferson } May Term 1865
The Grand Jurors of
the State of Missouri now here in
Court empaneled sworn and charged
to ~~examine~~ inquire within and for
the body of the County of Jefferson
upon their oath present that
Elisha Vernon with force and
arms on the Twelfth day of February
Eighteen hundred and sixty five
at and in the County of Jefferson
of onesaid ~~unlawfully did make~~
~~an~~ upon the body of one
Archelus Lee in the peace of the
State then and there ^{did make an} ^{assault} being with one
certain Iron ~~weight~~ ^{weight} that is to say
a piece of Iron of the weight of
Two pounds which said Iron he
the said Elisha Vernon then and there
held in his right hand and to and
upon the back part of the head of him
the said Archelus Lee he the said Elisha
Vernon did then and there ~~threw~~ wilfully
Feloniously premeditatedly on purpose
and of his malice aforethought—

Cast and throw said piece of
Iron aforesaid he the said Elisha
Vernon standing then and there
within six feet of him the said
Achelus Lee with the intent ~~him~~
then and there wilfully feloniously
premeditatedly on purpose and
of his malice aforethought him
the said Achelus Lee to ~~kill~~ kill
and murder

Against the peace and
dignity of the State of Missouri

Jos. Williams
County Atty.

June 2nd

June 14th 1890

State of Missouri

Wisha Bernson

Indictment for
an assault with
a cut-throat
knife
vs. John Bell

Henry Mattelmeier

Foreman

Witnesses

Frank Galtus

James England

Archelus Lee

Richard Chee

Joseph Mull

Filed May 13 1895.

James H. Thompson

Indict 75-
Deputies 1.50
Continuance 55-

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

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson—GREETING:

We Command you to take Elisha Vernon
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 13th day of Nov-1865,
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: an assault
with intent to kill contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
and dignity of the State.

Witness, Samuel A. Rapp Clerk of
our said Circuit Court with
the seal thereof hereto affixed,
at office, this 25th day of
September A. D. Eighteen
Hundred and fifty six
five
Samuel A. Rapp
Clerk Circuit Court



This Capias is returned the within named
Elasha Vernon is not to be found in my
County
Nov 10 1865

C. C. Fletcher
Sheriff



S T A T E

AGAINST

Elasha Vernon

C A P I A S .

Fletcher Sheriff 75

