

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0001

No. 40-CH-1

Union Common Pleas Court.

Lyme Starling

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Charles Botkins Jr.

Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1840

Dismissed at
JUD'G V PLAINT'F

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Union Com. Pleas

Sydney Starling jr

W. 3rd Dist. in Cty.

Charles Botkin jr

Filed Feb. 19. 1840

James H. Geo Club

MAY TERM 1840

To the Honorable the President and Associate -
Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, of the
County of Union and State of Ohio, in Chancery
Sitting

Humbly complaining sheweth
unto your honors, your Orator Lyne
Starling Junior (for the use of Michael L. Sulli-
vant, Wray Thomas and Matthew J. Gilbert)
that on the first day of June A. D. 1837. your
Orator and one Charles Potkin Junior
(whom your Orator prays may be made
defendant hereto) entered into an article
of agreement under their hands & seals
whereby the said your Orator contracted
to sell to the said defendant two several
tracts of land lying and being in the
County of Union aforesaid, containing
together two hundred fifty two acres of
land, at three dollars per acre, amounting
to seven hundred fifty six dollars, payable
as hereinafter mentioned with interest, and
further upon the punctual payment of the
purchase money & interest, to convey said
land to said defendant by deed of general
warranty - and the said defendant on his
part agreed to pay to your Orator said
sum of \$756 in installments as follows
\$350 with interest on the first day of December
thence next ensuing, \$203 with interest on
the 1st day of December A. D. 1838. & \$203 ~~and~~
with interest on the 1st day of December A. D.
1839 and to pay all taxes upon the land, apportioned
after the year 1837 and executed to your

Orator his three several promissory notes
for the sums & payable as above mentioned;
all which will more fully & at large appear
reference being had to said article of
Agreement & promissory notes, copies
of which are herewith filed, (the originals
being ready to be produced upon the
hearing hereof) and made parts hereof
marked as vouchers, A. B. C. & D. —
Your orator further represents & charges, that
except the sum of \$233 dollars paid by said
defendant on the 19th of January 1838 and
endorsed on said note of \$350. no part of
said purchase money has been paid
and your orator is uninformed, if said
taxes have been paid upon said land —
and although your orator has at all
times been willing and ready to receive
said purchase money and to convey
said land to said defendant accord-
ing to the terms and stipulations of said
article of agreement, yet the said de-
fendant has utterly neglected and re-
fused to pay the same. In tender con-
sideration whereof and for as much as
your orator is remediless in the premises
by the strict rules of the common law
and relievable only in equity where
matters of this sort are peculiarly cogni-
zable; To the end therefore, that the said de-
fendant may full, true & perfect answer
make to all the matters & things herein
charged & contained, as fully in every respect
as if the same were here again repeated

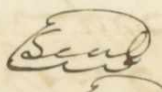
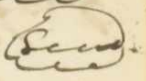
and he thereunto particularly interrogated
and that your Orator may have a decree
in the premises, for the payment of the
residue of said purchase money, and
for a sale if necessary of said tracts of
land to pay the same, or that said
Contract may be rescinded, and said
land revert to your Orator, in default
of such payment and for such other
further relief as the nature of the case
may require and to your Honors may
deem meet. Your Orator prays the
writ of Subpoena &c and as in duty
bound will ever pray &c.

Brush & Gilbert
Solets for Compt

Voucher A. (copy)

Articles of agreement made this first day of June
eighteen hundred and thirty seven, by and between
Lyne Starling jr of the one part and Charles Botkin jr,
of the other part witnesseth, that the said Starling has
this day agreed to sell to the said Botkin, two tracts
of land, lying in Union County Ohio, part of Survey
Nos 5778, 5841, 5806 & 6495 entered in the name
of Robert Means and Patented to Daniel Ball, they
being Lots No. 3, containing one hundred and twenty
three acres & No. 4, containing one hundred and twenty
nine acres; being the next two lots, south of the
road next to the tract purchased by Joshua Judy
on the east side of Judy's tract. In consideration
of which the said Botkin agrees to pay said Starling
the sum of three dollars per acre in three instalments

with interest from date - three hundred and fifty dollars on or before the first day of December next, two hundred and three dollars, on or before the first day of December A. D. 1838. and two hundred & three dollars on or before the first day of December A. D. 1839 - The said Botkins having executed to the said Starling his three single bills or promissory notes for the said sums of money, agrees to pay them punctually as they respectively become due, and to pay all taxes which may hereafter be demandable after the year 1837 - And the said Starling binds himself, his heirs &c. that as soon as the purchase money aforesaid with interest shall be paid, to make to the said Botkins, his heirs or assigns a good deed of general warranty for the above lots of land, describing the same by metes & bounds - In testimony of all which the parties have hereunto set their hands & seals the day first herein written -

Signed Lyne Starling jr 
Charles Botkin Junr 

Voucher 13. (copy)

On or before the first day of December next I promise to pay Lyne Starling jr or order, three hundred & fifty dollars with interest from date for value received - June 1st 1837. Signed Charles Botkin jr -
\$ 350 -

Embossment on the back of the above -

"January 19th 1838. received on the within two hundred & thirty three dollars

Signed M. J. Gillent
Mary Thomas

Voucher C. (copy)

On or before the first day of December A. D. 1838 I promise to pay Lyne Starling jr. or order two hundred and three dollars with interest from date for value received - June 1st 1837 - signed Charles Botkin jr.

Voucher D. (copy)

On or before the first day of December A. D. 1839 I promise to pay Lyne Starling jr. or order two hundred and three dollars with interest from date for value received June 1st 1837 - signed Charles Botkin jr.

Issue Subpoena to Sheriff of Clark & Union Cos. Jay 29th 1840.
James W. Gill OK.

Bourk & Gilbert
Sols for compt

Union Bond Pleas

Lynn Starting Dr
for cc 3 Subs to
 ad } Chamney

Charles Botkin Dr
Servs ——— 35
Mil ——— 75
 \$110

Filed May 4th 1860

Wm H. Givens Clk

13.52
245
92.51

Defendant not found
R. Clark Sheriff

The State of Ohio Union County

To the Sheriff of said County greeting
We command you to summon Charles Bottom
to appear before the Honorable the Judges of our Court
of Common Pleas within and for the County of
Union at the Court House in said County
on the first day of next Term to answer the
matters and things charged and contained in
a Bill in Chancery exhibited against him by
Lyne Slating Jr (for the use of Michael J. Sullivan
Wray Thomas and Matthew J. Gilbert) and that
he shall in no wise omit under the penalty of
one thousand dollars and have you that
there this writ

Witness James H. Gill Clerk of
said Court at the Court House
aforesaid this 19th day of Feb.
A.D. 1840

James H. Gill Clerk

Union Com. pleas

Lyne Starting Jr.

vs } No. 5

Charles Botkins Jr.

Deer for costs \$ 3.76
writ .40

Deft Botkin^{sr} not found
in this County.
H. Vanmeter Sheriff

Shuffles } writ - 35
 } mileage - 50
 } 85

Filed Sept 18. 1840
Jas H Lee Clerk

[Faint, mostly illegible text from the reverse side of the page, including words like "writ", "mileage", and "costs".]

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

WHEREAS, at a Court of Common Pleas of said county, begun and held at the Court House in the

Town of Marysville on the 19th day of May A. D. 1840

Syne Stating Jr recovered against *Charles Botkins Jr.*

as well the sum of

dollars and _____ cents, for _____ damages, as the sum of \$ 2.76

for *his* costs and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore

commanded, that of the goods and chattles, and for want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said

Charles Botkins Jr.

you cause to be made the damages and costs aforesaid, with interest thereon from the _____ day of

A. D. 18 _____, until paid. Also the sum of \$ _____ the cost of increase

on said judgment, and the accruing costs. And that you have those moneys before said Court, at the

Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next term, to render unto the said *claimants*

Hereof fail not, at your peril, and have then there this writ.

WITNESS JAMES H. GILL, Clerk of said Cou

at the Court-House aforesaid, this 18th

day of July A. D. 1840

ATTEST: *James H. Gill* Clerk.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0002

No. 40-CH-2

Union Common Pleas Court.

James Spurgewo Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Mary Burwick Defendant.

Nov

1841

Decree for plaintiff

Recorded &
Indexed,

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James Spurgin
Adm

is. 3

The heirs of Manly
Bond

Bald in Chy.

Filed March 3rd 1840

J. S. Gill, Clerk

cost here made

Recorded

A Hall do
in petition

to this price) her heirs at law
Your petition in this state that he was duly
appointed Adm of the estate of said
Manly Bond on the 21st day of December
1839. By the Court of Common Pleas is shown
this County ^{which facts} a copy of his letter returns
affixed will more fully exhibit
Your petition therefore prays the order
of this Court that he may be empowered
to complete said contract & convey said
land to said heirs according to the
tenor & effect of said several Bonds

A Hall
Attorney for petitioners

To the Court of Common Pleas in & for the County
of Union.

James Spurgin Admr of the Estate of Mary Boudre
deceased states to your Honors by way of Petition
that on the 24th day of May AD 1839 the said
Mary Boudre entered into a penal Bond for
the conveyance of fifty acres of land to one
Virian P Beck part of Survey No. 5498 bounded
as follows Beginning at a stake in the line
of James Blackburns land N.W. corner to said
Mary Boudres land. Thence with his line South $90^{\circ}25'$
E 101 poles & 14 links to a stake Thence N. $77^{\circ}30'$ E
78 poles 19 links to a stake in the line of William
Embersons land Thence with his line N. $9^{\circ}25'$ W 101 poles
14 links to a Oak & Elm in the Origl North line
of said survey. Thence with said line S. $79^{\circ}30'$ W
78 poles & 19 links to the beginning... That fifty
dollars was paid in hand upon the execution
of said Bond. and said Beck executed
his Note his Note for the sum of one hundred
and fifty dollars. payable on the 12th day of
December 1839. upon the payment of which
sum the said Mary Boudre by her said Bond
was to execute to said Beck a deed for
said land...

That said Mary Boudre deceased without
having completed her said contract. and
said Note is now due & owing & said Beck
is ready to pay the amount due when ^{he can} obtain title to said land

Your petitions further states That William Curtin
Mary Boudrick Benjamin Boudre Samuel
Boudre George Boudre & Nancy Spurgin (whose
names in petition may be made defendants)

June 23^d 1840 Lenea Benjamin Bowan for
small by copy and George Bowan and Mary
Briswick by leaving copy at their Residence
and the other defendants not found in the
County William Warner Shpp of M. C.

Union Com. Pleas

James Georgeon

as } Sub. in Chy.

W^m Curtain Mary
Briswick. Benj. Boudro
Sam^l. Boudro, Geo. Boudro
& Nancy Georgeon

Shff Fees

Mileage	" 70
Service	" 75
Copies	" 45
	<hr/>
	\$ 1.90

Filed June 30. 1840

James H. Hill att

The State of this Union County ss. $\frac{3}{4}$

To the Sheriff of Maddison County. Greeting:

Ye commanding you to summon, W^m. Curtain, Mary Burick, Benj.
Boudre, Saml. Boudre, Geo. Boudre & Nancy Spurgion, to appear before
the Judges of the Court of Com. Pleas. within and for the County of Union
at the Court House in said County on the first day of our next term
to answer the matters and charges contained in a petition in Chancery
exhibited against them by James Spurgion; and that they shall in no wise
omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars and have you show them
this writ.

Witness James H. Hill, Clerk
of said Court, at the Court House
in Marysville this 25th day of May
A. D. 1810.

Ja^s H. Hill Clerk

Mary Boudre's bond

Filed May 11th 1840

J. H. Gill. Clerk.

Know all men by these presents that I
Mary Bowdoin of the County of Union and State
of Ohio am held and firmly bound unto William
Beck in the penal sum of four hundred Dollars
to the payment of which I bind myself my heirs
Executors administrators and assigns jointly and
severally firmly by these presents sealed with
my seal May 24th 1839

The Condition of this obligation is such
that whereas the said Mary Bowdoin has this day sold
unto the said William Beck fifty acres of land
out of Survey No 5478 being the land formally
acquired by Chester Dynes for the sum of two hundred
and Dollars fifty Dollars the said Beck has
in hand paid and one hundred and fifty Dollars
to be paid December 12th 1839 Now if the said
Mary Bowdoin does make and convey unto the
said Beck a deed for said land by the 12th Day
of December 1839 then this obligation to be null
and void other wise to remain in full force
and virtue in law as witness my hand and seal
test
Samuel Beck May 24th 1839
Mary + Bowdoin Seal
mark

James Spurgeon
A.D. 18

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The heirs of Mary
Bondie

Plea Garden
ad. 1840

Filed July 8th
1840

Jas. H. Rice atty

The answer of George Bowdler an infant defend
-ant. to the Bill of Complaint James Spencers
Adm. of Mary Bowdler Dec.

And the said Defendant by his Guardian Ad litem
and for answer to says that he is an infant
and wholly ignorant of all the matters con-
tained in said Bill. but have understood
the the matters and things contained in said
Bill are true & the said defendant prays
the court to protect their rights

George Bowdler
by ~~J. J. B.~~
his Guardian Ad litem

Union Com. Pleas.

James Spurgin
vs 3 Subin Chy
Heirs of Mary Bondie
Sear ————— 1.35
C. Copy ————— 90
Wt ————— 50
•—————
\$2.75

Filed May 11th 1840
James W. Gies. clk.

48
3.23

Received by Districting a certified Copy to Samuel
Bondie & Henry Spurgin from Bondie & Spurgin
Remover Wm. Curran & Henry Bondie not found
H. C. Clark clerk

The State of Ohio Union County
To the Sheriff of said County Greeting
We command you to summon William Curtains
Mary Busick Benj. Bowden Samuel Bowden George
Bowden & Nancy Spurgin to appear before the Honorable
the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas within &
for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said County on the 19th day of May next
to answer the matters & charges contained in a pe-
tition in Chancery exhibited against them by James
Spurgin, and this they shall in no wise omit under
the penalty of one thousand Dollars and have
you thus these this writ

Witness James H. Gill Clerk of said
Court at the Court House in
Marysville this 3rd day of March
A. D. 1840

James H. Gill Clerk

James Spurgeon
addr

↙
The town of Mary
Boulder

Preache

Filed March 3, 1840

James H. Gillett

of North
Peters

James Huggins

vs

William Curtain

Mary Busch

Benj. Bondre

Samuel Bondre

George Bondre

& Nancy Spurgeon

The Clerk of Union
Common Pleas will
please issue subpoena
to the Sheriff of Madison
County in this cause

To J. H. Gill Clerk.

A. H. Sob
per petition

Served the within named William Curtain
by leaving a copy with his wife at his residence the
other dependants not served by order of the plaintiffs

Oct. 27th 1841

J. Davidson Sgts. F
Madison County

Exp. fees

Mileage

Service

Copy

50

34

15

\$100

Return from Pleas

James Spurgeon Adair

vs J. H. Gill et al.

New Court case et al.

Filed Oct 28. 1841

James H Gill Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Madison* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Wm. Captain Mary Bowditch Benj. Bowditch Samuel Bowditch George Bowditch and Nancy Spurgin* to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House in said county, *on the 3^d day of November next*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill in Chancery* in Chancery exhibited against *them* by *James Spurgin Admt of Mary Bowditch decd*, and this they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in Marysville, this *26th* day of *October* A. D. 184*7*.

James H. Gill Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0003

No. 40-CH-3

Union Common Pleas Court.

Jesse G. Nott

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

James Beggage

Defendant.

NOV

1841

Dismissed.

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Muir v. Cannon Plea

Jesse G. Nott

vs

James Cannon

Bill in Chancery

Filed May 18th 1840

W. H. Allen Clerk

cost bill made

Recorded

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of
Common Pleas in and for the County of Union
When in Chancery sitting

Your Orator Geo. G.
Kott of the County of Champaign and State of
Ohio Humbly Complaining would represent
unto your honors that some time about the
year 1830 your orator by title bond purchased
of Silas G. Strong a certain parcel of land
lying on the waters of Bliss Creek and Sugar
Creek Township containing 105 acres being part
of Survey No 5506 beginning at two buches and
the North East Corner of Lot No 6 by subdivision
thence N. 80° E. 171 poles 4 links to two buches and
Ironwood and Sugar tree thence S. 10° E. 100 poles
to an Ironwood and two buches thence S. 80° W.
175 poles and two links to three buches thence North
70° 45' west 100 poles to the beginning. That your
orator had time on the back payments for the
same and under the contract aforesaid took
possession of said land and improved the same
by erecting three comfortable log houses clearing
forty acres of the same fit for the plow by plan-
ting a young orchard and clearing inclosing
the whole with a good rail fence digging wells &c
whereby the same became greatly increased in value
Your orator would further represent that in the
month of August 1834 one Bayley Hathaway
(then in life but long since dead) from Grayhock
County this state purchased of your orator his right
his right to said land and abutments for the
sum of one hundred and twenty five dollars to be
paid in two months from date that the said Hathaway
executed his note to complainant for said amount
as will appear by the same now on file in the Court
Shew

That said Strong executed a deed to said Hatheway
for said land and took from him a mortgage dated
on the 18th of September 1834 securing the balance
of the purchase money In January 1837 this
mortgage was assigned to Lure Batcher and
on the 31st of March 1838 assigned by him to James
Clugage of said County of Minn. and who now
your orator prays may be made Defendant
to this bill your orator further represents that
soon after he said deed came to said Hatheway
said Hatheway died entirely insolvent in the
County of Chatham and left nothing whereby
the said debt your orator or any part thereof as
aforesaid could be paid by ^{Abbott his admini-}
istrator (your orator further charges that the said
mortgage is now in process of foreclosure in this
Court against said administrator by said Clugage
and by an order of this Court at last term for
that purpose has been sold by the proper officers and
purchased by said Clugage by which purchase the
said Clugage is in possession of our land and interest
in said premises without having paid any person
for the same ^{your orator further charges that if} the equitable claim of your orator on
said premises the said Clugage had full and early
notice and long before he made said purchase

That your orator by his agent repeatedly and in
a humble and peaceable manner requested the said
Clugage to pay your orator the amount of said note
as he should and he ought but he utterly refused In-
tender consideration whereof and inasmuch as
your orator is wholly remediless at Common Law &
can only be relieved in this Court when matters of
this sort are happily cognizable your orator
prays that said defendant may be made to answer
this bill upon ~~oath~~ his Corporal Oath particularly

and that on final hearing this Court would order
and decree the payment of said amount to
your orator and that your Honors would grant
to your orator such other and further relief as
equity and good conscience may require and
as in duty bound he will ever pray

By Amos Lawrence & P. B. Cole
his solicitors

issue a subpoena returnable ~~forthwith~~ on first day
of next term May. 1841

Lawrence & Cole

C. H. Con Pleas
Union Co

Nott
as
To Hathaway



~~William Bayly~~

~~[Large section of text, heavily scribbled out with dark ink]~~

~~[Large section of text, heavily scribbled out with dark ink]~~

August 20th 1834

this may Certify that I have Purchased Jesse G. Scott's
right of land in Leesburg Township Union County
Ohio for which I promise to pay unto him the
S^d J. G. Scott or bearer the sum of one hundred and
twenty five Dollars to be paid in good horses &
handy waggon delivered on the above named
land within two months from this date
it being for value received *Robert M. Thompson*

~~attest~~

D. Gallard

Pierre Lanphear

Leesburg Township Champlain County
Ohio

Union Com. Pleas

Jesse G. Stott
vs Sub. in Chy
James Blugage

Sev — 35-
Mil — 50
Copy — 15
\$100

Filed May 19. 1840
Jas H. Hill Clerk

Amount by Drawing & copying
Copy to Defendant & Clerk thereof

State of Ohio Union County ss. 3

Do the Sheriff of said County Greeting:

Ye command you to summon James Clugage to be and appear before the honourable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of said County at the Court House in said County on the first day of our next term. to answer the matters and charges set forth in a bill in Chancery exhibited against him by Jesse G. Kott and this he shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars. and have you then there this writ.

Witness Ja. W. Gill Clerk of
said Court. at the Court House
in Marietta this 18th day of
May A. D. 1840

Ja. W. Gill. Clerk

James Clugage

June 9. 1840

Answered in Copy

Filed June 24. 1840

James H. Gillett

Acc per Res

The answer of James Cluggage to a Bill filed
against him in the Court of Common Pleas in & for
Union County by Jesse G. Nett

And the said Respondant now comes and for
answer to the said Bill of the said Complainant
or so much thereof as he is advised is material for
him to answer, says. - That true on the 31st.
day of March 1838 Respondant purchased by
assignment of Jesse Butcher his equitable interest
in the Land described in Complainants Bill.
That Respondant was then a stranger in the Coun-
-ty of Union, and found said Butcher in possession of
said Land, holding under an assignment of a mortgage
executed by Bayley Hathaway, to Silas G. Strong to
secure as Respondant was informed the payment of
- the original purchase money due from Hathaway
to Strong for said Land which mortgage had been
- assigned by said Strong to said Butcher. Respond-
-ant paid said Butcher at the time of said purchase
the sum of \$208.³²/₁₀₀ for his equitable interest in said
premises and took possession of the same. Respondant
admits that there was some small improvement upon
said Land at the time he took possession of the same, but
Respondant expressly denies all knowledge of the former
history of the purchase, sale, or improvement of said
Land except what appeared of record in the Records
office in said County, where said Respondant exam-
-ined before purchasing, to see that the Land was free
from all and every incumbrance.

Respondant afterwards paid a large sum of money
to wit, the sum of \$105.00 to the widow of the
said Bayley Hathaway for a quit claim of her

Dower estate in the land aforesaid and made
large and valuable improvements thereon
Respondant further states that in the spring of 1839
Respondant filed his Bill in this Court, to foreclose
said Mortgage and that afterwards the said Jesse
Nott by his agent informed ^{Respondant} that Complainant had
once been in possession of said land & made some improve-
ments thereon, and had sold his interest therein to said
Nathany, and that 125\$ of the purchase money
remained unpaid. Respondant here expressly states
that this was the first information ^{Respondant had} that Complain-
ant had ever ~~been~~ been in possession of said premises
or that such person as Complainant was in exis-
tence. Respondant further admits that at
the fall term of this Court 1839. Respondant obtain-
ed a decree of foreclosure upon said mortgage
the Court thus & there ordering that the sum of
\$227.90 be paid by the Administrator of the estate of Jesse
Nathany to Respondant in ten days from the
date of said decree, or that the same be sold for
the Respondant. Had been & was at the time said decree
was made making valuable improvements upon said
premises - and expected he should be under
the necessity of bidding in said land, to
satisfy his demand, or to continue his improve-
ments subject sale to some other person.
Said premises was appraised at the sum
of 450\$. And Respondant purchased the same at
the sale thereof for the sum of 300\$. The balance of
which sum now remains in the hands of R. Clark
Sheriff of said County, subject to the call of said
Complainant. Respondant therefore prays that having

Thus fully shown that complainant has
no equity in said premises or otherwise
whereby to charge to respondent that he may
be dismissed with his costs and... upon
doubt as is duty bound will ever say. &c

A. Hall Sol

Per Resp

State of Ohio Union County ss
The above respondent ^{James Chynge} being duly sworn
according to Law ^{says} that the matters and
things contained in the above answer
to the Bill of Complaint of Gese & Bott
so far as they purport to be stated from his
own knowledge are true & so far as stated
upon the information of others he believes
to be true.

James Chynge
Subscribed & sworn this 7th day
of October 1840 before me
Jas H Gillett

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Chancery Case

1840-CH-0004

located with

District Court Case

1852-DC-0001

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Union Common Pleas Court

Benjamin Woods

Plaintiff,

against

Stephen W. Laine

Defendant.

AUG TERM, 1842

Settled

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Benjamin Woods

vs Bill

Stephen M Lane

& William H Woods

In Chy

Filed May 18th 1840

Pa. H. Gill clk

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No. 111. Judges of the Court of Common Pleas
in & for the County of Union in Chancery sitting

Your petitioner Benjamin Wood of said County, represents unto your Honors. That on or about the 17th day of Jan^y. 1839. one Levi Antrim was indebted to William Sharp. in the sum of six hundred and forty two dollars. evidenced by six Notes of hand described as follows. One for \$40.00 due at date - one for \$121.00 due three months after date one for \$121.00 due six months after date one for \$121.00 due nine months after date one for \$121.00 due twelve months after date & one for \$121.00 due fifteen months after date all made payable to O. B. Cissel or Beaus & dated Dec 31st 1838 That said Levi Antrim was also indebted to Stephen McSain (whom your petitioner prays may be made defendant to this Bill) about 214th Dollars by three several notes of hand. and that the said William Sharp & Stephen McSain had jointly went bail for the stay of execution upon a judgment in favor of Enos Ward against said Antrim for the sum of \$4.56 $\frac{1}{2}$ including costs. That the said Levi Antrim for the purpose of securing the payment of the above described promissory notes & securing the said Sharp & McSain against the payment of said judgment. on the 17 day of Jan^y 1839 executed & delivered to them a mortgage upon the Lot No 18 in the Town of Marysville Union County Ohio. and also upon a large quantity of personal property. of the value at \$232.00. which mortgage or a copy thereof is herewith filed and made part of this bill. by ref-

quence to which these facts will more fully
appear. Your petitioner further states that
on 17th day of July 1839 the said Levi Antwine
for the purpose of further securing the payment
of the above described Promissory notes &
Leavitt's assigned all his rights & title
in ~~the~~ lot No. 69. in said Town of
Maysville Union Co Ohio to said Thaps
& McLean. Your petitioner further states
that said Antwine had purchased of W C
Lawrence one third part of said lot
& paid said Lawrence the purchase money
thereon except perhaps a balance of thirty
or forty dollars.

Your petitioner further represents that afterwards
on the 24th day of May 1839. the said William
Thaps was indebted to your petitioner and
for the purpose of securing the payment
of such indebtedness ^{Thaps} represented to your
petitioner that the above described note calling
for 1218 nine months after the date thereof was
so secured by mortgage & assignment of Title
bond that your petitioner was induced to
purchase the same and release said Thaps
Your petitioner further states that he afterwards ascer-
tained that your petitioner's said note was
not specifically described in the mortgage
that said mortgage was given to secure the
payment of six several notes of hand. but by
mistake the specific description of the note
so sold to your petitioner was omitted

Yet your petition expressly charges, that the
note so sold to your petitioners was intended
to be secured by said Mortgage.

Your petition further charges that, afterwards
the said Sharp sold to one William Woods
the other five notes together with the interest
which said Sharp was entitled to by reason
of the amount due upon said notes in said
Mortgage and Title Bond to in Lot No 69
in said town of Mansfield.

Your petition further charges that the
said McLean & the Woods had notice
of all and singular the matters and
things charged in this bill. that they knew
at the time they respectively obtained an
interest in said Mortgage & Title Bond
that said Mortgage & assignment were
enclosed as well to secure the ^{payment of the} note now
held by your petitioners as the notes held
by them - and your petitioners further charges
that at the time of the sale from Sharp to
Woods, said Woods & McLean were well
advised that your petitioners was in posses-
sion & had purchased the note calling for
12 1/2 nine months of two dates dated Dec 31
1800.

Your petition further states that said William
Sharp shortly after the sale of said Mortgage &
left this country for some part of Indiana
and your petitioners has prosecuted said
Contract at law upon said note to insol-
-vency.

Your petition further charges that said Woods & McLean ~~have~~ or one of them have paid up the balance of the purchase money due Wm Lawrence for Lot No 9 aforesaid & taken a deed direct from said Lawrence to said Woods.

Your petition also states that said Woods & McLean have between them disposed of the real and personal estate so mortgaged & assigned as aforesaid as well to secure the payment of the amt due from said Antine to your petition as the ^{said} indebtedness to them.

Your petition further states that in a peaceable & gentlemanly manner he has made application to said McLean & Woods and requested them to account to your petition for his proportion of the amount accruing from the sales of said property. And your petition expressly charges that the said property so mortgaged & ~~mortgaged~~ ^{assigned} & ~~secured~~ was abundantly sufficient to pay all the indebtedness to of Antine to said Woods McLean & your petition and your petition fondly hoped that they would account to him for his proportion. Yet the said Wood & McLean ~~are~~ consoling together to defraud your petition ~~are~~ utterly refuse to ^{do} so. But do so - times pretend that your petition is ^{not} in possession of said ~~note~~ & at other times they say that your petition if he

has such note has no claims upon them
for an appropriation of said funds.

In tender consideration whereof and in as
much as your petition has no relief
upon the face hereof of this Court —
Your petition prays that said W^m Wood
& Stephen McLean .. answer all & regulate
the matters & things charged in this Bill
and that they may answer how much
they paid W^m Lawrence to obtain the
title to the lot No 69. — how much
they sold the same for & to whom.

That they may be compelled to answer what
appropriation has been made of ~~the~~ by them
of said lot No 18. and what they
have done with the ~~same~~ personal
property which being so mortgaged came
into their hands. — and on final hearing

of this cause your petition prays that the
Defendants may be decreed to pay to
your petition the proportions which the
Amount of his said claim when compared
with the amount due said Wood & McLean
by said mortgage and the value of the
mortgaged effects which have come into their
hands .. and for such other & further
relief as Equity & good conscience may
require & your petition as in duty bound
will ever pray &c

A Hall

Edw R Compton

his heirs, His heirs heirs male the 1st day of June
1839 between said heirs of the
Mortgages said William Clark and Stephen McLean

Clark & McLean said heirs has the day sold granted
bargained or conveyed to the said heirs
of the second part the following described property being
in the town of Marysville Union County Ohio and known
and designated on the record plat of said town as in lot
No 181 eighteen with its appurtenances and appurtenances
near for the lot and full sum of two hundred and fifty
dollars to me in hand paid 75 \$ there and to the said
lots unto them & heirs and assigns forever and the said
party of the first part covenants that he will and his
heirs & shall forever warrant and defend to the said
second party their heirs or assigns the premises aforesaid
and observed to said parties of the second part the full
being received property and as the price to each annexed
to wit: One large quilt looking glass 18 \$ one set of
poney chairs 15 \$ with tables bottom one pair of brass
andirons one shovel & tongs 3 \$ one bureau 12 \$ one stool
one \$ 3 French bedsteads at 5 \$ each one fine covered chair
bedstead 15 \$ 9 feather beds and pillows at 7 \$ each
11 chairs ticks at 15 \$ all 8 bed comfortables at 25 \$
together 8 quilts at 25 \$ one large settle and six
at 6 \$ all exclusive of the of the realty mentioned above
So show and to hold the said goods and chattels to them
and their heirs and assigns forever in witness whereof the
said party of the first part together with Mary his wife
who hereby relinquishes her right of dower to the same
decently their hands and seal the day and year
first above written But note this that the above
deed is made with the proviso and matters to wit

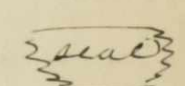
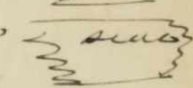
Mortgage

Filed May 18th
1840

W. H. Gier Clerk

for and in as much as the said Antium is indebted
to said Sharp as is evidenced by six several notes of hand
for the sums (to wit) one for 20 \$ due and dated 31st Decem-
ber 1838 2^d same date for one hundred 121 \$ due 3 months
from date 3^d same date 121 \$ due 6 months from date 4th
same date for 121 \$ twelve months from date 5th same
date for 121 \$ due 15 months from date all made payable
to O B Keiffell and also is indebted to the said McLain
in the amount of 2 several notes of hand the first for
194.06 \$ due some time since 2^d for 19.76. \$ dated August
27. 1837 and due 6 months from date and also for that
whereas the said parties of the second part are liable
as bail on docket for the said party of the first part
at the office of James Turner in in the sum of 64.56.5.
cost and all now if the said Antium shall well and
truly pay or cause to be paid the said several notes as
they become due and also keep the 2^d party clear of
damage in consequence of said bail then this deed to be
null and void other wise to remain absolute
Signed sealed and delivered

In presence of us
I Mahaffey
James Turner

Levi Antium 
Mary ^{his} Antium 
mark

State of Ohio Union County

Personally appeared Levi Antium and Mary his wife and
severally acknowledged the above deed to be their deed for
the purposes therein expressed and said Mary on separate
examination and explanation by me said she did sign
the same voluntarily
James Turner J.P.
January 17th 1839

In as much as much as the possession of the personal
property mentioned above is necessary for the use of the
Tavern we agree to let it remain with him for the
present for the sum of 1.00 \$ per month or at that rate
rent

7c \$1.

Stephen McLain
William Sharp

B. Benjamin Wood
vs
Stephen McLain &
W W Wood's

In Union Common
Pleas
In Chancery

Depositions taken in the above
Cause pending in the Court of Common
Pleas in & for Union County and for Com-
plainant in pursuance of the notice hereby
attached and and at the time and place
therein mentioned. Compt present by
his atty.

James I Lord of the County of Union of lawful
age being first duly sworn as hereinafter
certified deposes as follows

I was present at a conversation
between Wm Sharp W W Woods & Stephen
McLain preceding a trade which was
soon afterwards affected for the five
notes particularly described in the
Mortgage executed by Levi Cutler
& Mary his wife to Wm Sharp &
Stephen McLain dated Jan 17th 1839

The conversation ~~was~~ above referred
to between W W Woods & Wm Sharp
was in February or March 1839
it was stated in the above conversation between
the parties that there was six notes mentioned
in the mortgage and but five described
W W Woods was making inquiry where
the sixth note was Wm Sharp after
a while admitted that he had traded it
off ~~it was~~ my impression is that Sharp
said he had traded the note to

Benjamin Wood W W Woods contended
that the note traded off would come
in for its proportion of the mortgage
W W Woods however traded with Wm
Sharp after words for his interest in
said mortgage and the five notes
before mentioned I do not recollect
the amount of the note traded of but
it was said to be over a hundred
dollars and they did not close the
trade until the next day on account
of said note be assigned away by
Sharp. After the trade was effected
W W Woods in conversation with Depoant
said he had made a good trade with
Sharp said he would not trade back
for one hundred dollars W W Woods
said the notes was sufficient to hold
the house and part of the lot standing
be low McFains Shop where
Wm Ross now lives

W W Woods

All so at the same time in place
Feyter B Smith of the county of Union
of lawful use being first duly sworn
as here after certified Depoant and says
some time in the Spring of 1839
Wm Sharp & Benjamin Wood came in to
my office and examined the records for
a certain mortgage executed by Levi
Antrim & wife to Wm Sharp & Stephen
McLain Dated Jan 17th 1839 said
Sharp informed said Wood that a note
which he was about to trade him

calling for \$121.00 payable monthly
after date to C. B. Cissel or bearer was
secured by said mortgage Sharp told
Wood altho said note was ^{not} for tenancy
described in said mortgage yet it
was mentioned and would draw its
proportion of the property mortgaged
Deponent believes that said Sharp told
said Wood that the property mortgaged
was sufficient to secure all the notes
Deponent also understood the parties
that a title Bond executed by Wm. C.
Lawrence to Levi Antrim had been
assigned to Sharp & McLain ^{or to Sharp alone} to secure
the payment of the six notes described in
said mortgage and payable to C. B. Cissel
or bearer including the note assigned
to Benjamin Wood ^{of other claim mentioned in said mortgage} said title Bond
called for one third part of in lot A B 69
in the town of Marysville upon which
there was due ~~to~~ between thirty & fifty
dollars as it was informed by Mr
Lawrence Benjamin Wood concluded & did
purchase said note of said Sharp said
in lot ^{A B 69 is the same lot} lying below McLain's Shop where
Wm. * Robt now lives P. B. Smith

Also at the same time an place William
Boys of the county of Union of lawful
age being first duly sworn as how after
certified Deposes and says he purchased
of W. W. Woods in May 1839 one third
of in lot A B 69 in the town of
Marysville on which he now lives
for which he was to said woods
what was valued at \$600.00

Deponent believes that the Bond executed by Wm C Lawrence to Levi Antrim & assigned by Antrim to Wm Sharp & Stephen McLain to secure the payment of certain notes & demands against said Antrim mentioned in a mortgage executed by said Antrim & wife to said Sharp & McLain Dated January 17th 1839 was assigned by said Sharp & McLain to W. W. Woods when he purchased the interest of said Sharp & McLain in said mortgage

Mr Ross

Also at the same time and place S. B. Johnson of Union County being of Lawful age being first duly sworn as here after certified & sworn as follows Some time between the first & fifth of July in the year 1839 (I think ~~at an~~ ~~meeting~~ but cannot be positive as to date) W. W. Woods & Benjamin Wood came in to the Recorder office & asked to Examine the Records concerning a Mortgage which Levi Antrim had given to Wm Sharp & Stephen McLain (I then had Charge of the Books in the office Mr Smith being absent) B Wood had a note which I understood that he had purchased of Wm Sharp the amount of which I do not know recollect but understood that it was over one hundred dollars: which note he expected

Was secured by the Mortgage & on examination it proved not to be described in the Mortgage - W. W. Woods then told B. Wood that he knew that that note was not in the Mortgage. If he had not he should not have done as he had. I think that he said that he should not have traded for the Mortgage; But of this cannot be positive - We understood from the conversation that he knew of the existence of this note but thought that it would not be included in the amount secured by the Mortgage. Further this Dependant doth not
S. B. Johnson

Also at the same time and place Silas G. Strong of lawful age being first duly sworn as hereinafter certified deposed and says

That some time in the winter of 1839 I had a conversation with some one or two individuals respecting a Mortgage then about to be traded for and as I then understood one of the Notes ~~was before that for which~~ for to secure which the Mortgage had been given had been assigned away to some other person but to whom I do not recollect I was called upon for my opinion or else I voluntarily gave it - "That said Note so assigned away might yet be brought forward and upon it a claim set up under the Mortgage - This conversation was I think in company with some two or three persons & I think from the best recollection that I can in words was one of the persons present

And was then in Treaty with some person -
for said Mortgage - The Mortgage was one
which Levi Antum had had some thing
to do with but whether he was the Mortgagee
or Mortgagee I cannot say that I then knew
I only recollect that his name was men-
tioned in the conversation as being some way
concerned -

James G Strong

I James Lerner a Justice of the peace in
and for the townships of Paris in the county of
Union & State of Ohio do here by certify that
the above named J. L. Lord Peyton B
Smith Wm Ross. S. B. Johnson & J. G.
Strong were by me first duly sworn
to testify the truth the whole truth and
nothing but the truth and that the foregoing
depositions by the respectively subscribed
were reduced to writing me except S. B.
Johnson & J. G. Strong which was reduced
to writing by them selves and were taken
at the time and place specified in the
inclosed notice given under my hand and
~~seal~~ this 30th Day of January A D 1841

Bill of costs
Justices cert \$ 1.02
Court fee 0.60
Witnesses fees 5th 2.50

James Lerner J P

Benj. Wood }
vs. } In
Mr. W. Woods & } Chancery
Stephen McLean. }

Master Commissioners
Report.

Filed April 22nd 1842

Jas. H. Gill Clerk

Master's fee \$2⁰⁰

Defendant's answer by his solicitor
to the report of the Master. He was refused the privilege
of being before the Master that the Court noticed
from ant. No 69 was a habeas and not a cash case
Q.3. profits for profits and that it was not considered
worth to exceed 500\$.

2nd Because a habeas procees prevented defendant
from showing that the sum paid in evidence on
and lot was due to him or three dollars and not 40\$.
as charged in the bill

3rd Because by a like refusal defendant was precluded
from showing that said lot was sold by said trustee
for 450\$. and not mortgaged as charged in the bill
By the Court
no do 1

Benjamin Wood } Union Common Pleas:
vs. }
William W. Woods } In Chancery.
Stephen McLain. }

The Report of Otway Curry, Master in Chancery, to whom this Cause stands referred, for the purpose of stating an account between the parties, pursuant to the interlocutory decree, rendered at November Term, A. D. 1841.

By the papers & exhibits in the case and by the admissions of the parties it appears that of the property, real and personal, which was assigned to the the Defendants by William Sharp together with the mortgage including the same executed by Levi Antrim to said Sharp on the 17th day of January 1839, the personalty was taken and kept by Stephen McLain; and the Realty, being lots numbers 18, and 69, ^{in the town of Marysville} was, by the arrangement of the Defendants, appropriated to the use and benefit of William W. Woods.

On the 12th day of April 1839 the said Woods ^{the Def^t} sold said lot number 69 to Wm Ross for the sum of \$600,00. But it is admitted by the Complainant that said Wood ^{the Def^t} the Defendant has derived no benefits from lot number 18, on account of a defect in his title there to, and that there is no probability that he ever will derive any benefit therefrom. Consequently said Woods is not liable to account to said Complainant for anything more than his ^{Complainant's} proportion of the price for which said Woods sold said lot number 69.

Of the five notes of hand described in said mortgage, & which went into the hands of said Woods the Def^t only one, to wit: for the sum of \$40,00, came to maturity before the time when said Wood the Defendant sold said lot number 69 to said Ross, and the amount of interest which had then accrued on said note for \$40,00 was 8 cents, making the whole amount due on said note at that time \$40,08. — This last sum, added

to \$484,00 The aggregate amount of four other notes of hand of \$121,00 each which are described in said mortgage, & which went into the possession of said Wood the Defendant, will give a sum total of \$532,00

The Complainant's Bill alleges that said lot number 69 had been paid for before it came into the possession of said Wood the Defendant, except a balance of from 30 to 40 dollars. This allegation is not denied in defendant's answer.

The Complainant, now admits the maximum sum stated ^{in the Bill} to be the amount which said Wood the Defendant paid to William L. Lawrence, in order to procure his deed for said lot number 69. This last sum of \$40,00, so paid as aforesaid by Wood the Defendant to procure said deed, added to the above stated sum of \$532,00 will give the entire sum of \$572,00 being the amount of the claim of said Wood the defendant, in proportion to which must be estimated his share of the proceeds of the sale of said lot number 69.

The Claim of said Complainant Benjamin Wood, as stated in the Bill is \$121,00 evidenced by a promissory note which came to maturity on the 1st day of October 1839. Since the maturity of said note interest has accrued thereon to the amount of \$18,00, making the whole amount due thereon \$139,00 — And said sum of \$139,00 is the amount of the Claim of the Complainant, in proportion to which must be estimated his share of the proceeds of the sale of said lot number 69.

From the foregoing, the following results are arrived at, viz:

Amt for which Defl. Woods sold lot No. 69 to W. Rops.	\$ 600,00
Amt. of the Claim of Woods the Defendants,	\$ 572,00
Amt. of the Claim of Wood the Complainant,	\$ 139,00
Defendants <i>pro rata</i> dividend, ..	\$ 482,19
Complainant's <i>pro rata</i> dividend.	\$ 117,17

Otway Curry,
Special Master Commissioner

Sent by Delivering a certified
Copy to each Defendant
May 18th 1848 R. Clark Sheriff

Union Corn Plot

Benj. Wood

vs { Sub. in Chy

Stephen M. Lains

W. W. Woods

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State of Ohio. Union County ss {

To the sheriff of said County Greeting:

We command you to summon Stephen M. Cain and W. W. Woods to be and appear before the Judges of the Court of Com. Pleas. of said County, at the Court House in said County on the first day of our next term, to answer the matters and charges set forth in a bill in Chancery exhibited against them by Benjamin Wood, and this they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of two thousand dollars and have you then there this writ.

Witness the Sa. W. Gill Clerk
of said Court at the Court
House in Marysville this
18th day of May, 1850. A. D.
Sa. W. Gill Clerk

Union Com. Pleas

Benjamin Wood
vt } Priceps

Stephen M. Linn

Wm. W. Woods

Filia May 18th 40

J. W. Giles Clerk

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Benjamin Wood

vs

Stephen McGlavin &
Woods

}

In Union Common Pleas
In Chancery.

Issue a subpoena
returnable next Term

A. Ballentyne

per Compt

To Clerk Union Common Pleas

B. Wood } In
vs. } City.
W.W. Wood et al.

Admission of Comp.
before Special Mast^{rs}

B. Benj. Wood.

vs.

W. W. Wood &

Stephen M. Sain

In Chy. Union Court Place

It is admitted by the Comptrol
that the Personal Property secured
by the Mortgage in this case was
taken by Stephen M. Sain to secure
in satisfaction of Anterior indebtedness to him of
the real estate by W. W. Wood.

A Hall Atty
for Comptrol

Benj. Wood

Woods &

J. M. Saw

City of Trenton

Union County Court of Common Pleas of the State of New
York A.D. 1861

Benjamin Wood

W. Woods and
Stephen M. Linn

} On Chancery

In this case it is ordered
by the Court that the bill
together with the answers and exhibits
be referred to the County Special Master
Commissioner to take an account of the
value of all property which passed into the
hands of W. Woods when he purchased the
notes and mortgages and title bond in
plaintiff's bill mentioned what portion of the
property mortgaged or assigned has been sold
or remains unsold and also what amount
thereof would be due to Benjamin Wood
upon an equitable division of the value so
received, between the said W. Woods and
said Benjamin Wood according to their re-
spective claims in said bill stated and
Report at the next Term of this Court

The above is a correct copy of the
Entry made in said case on the
Journal of said Court New York
A.D. 1861

March 26th 1862

James H. Geo. Clark

B. Wood

s

Mr Wood et al

Replication

Filed Aug 26. 1861

Jas H. Eise ltr

Benjamin Wood

v

In Chancery

N W Woods &
Stephen McLain }

And the said Benjamin Wood comes and says that that the matters and things set forth in said Bill of Complaint are true in substance and in matter of fact and that the matters and things set forth in the answer of the said N W Woods & the said Stephen McLain contrary thereto are untrue and this he is ready to make appear as this Court shall direct

By J Hall his
Solicitor

Wm Com Pleas

Mr W Woods
ads } in Chamery
Buy Wood

Answer

Filed Sept 30. 1860

James H. Gillett

The separate answer of Wm Woods to the bill of Complaint exhibited against him by Benf Woods

This Defendant now comes and for answer to said bill says that he knew nothing of the existence of the said note in Compl^t bill mentioned or of its assignment to Compl^t by Sharp until ~~after~~ ^{some time} after this Defendant had purchased the said Sharp's ^{the said} interest in the mortgage. Nor does this Def^t know nor does he take Compl^t's word for this that the said note was intended to be included in the mortgage at the time of its execution and that Sharp said that it was or was intended to be included this Def^t wants the proof if it has any thing to do with the case

The property secured by the Mortgage being in lot No 18. and Furniture in the Tavern stand is still held by the mortgage except the Furniture and the mortgage is not foreclosed This defendant disclaims and denies all knowledge of the note of Compl^t until it was in Compl^t's hands ~~say some 3 months before~~ after Def^t had bot the ~~same~~ Mortgage and knew of no other notes secured by the mortgage or intended to be so secured than those accompanying it And having thus fully answered this Def^t prays to be dismissed with his costs in this be half expended and as in duty bound he will ever pray He to Clarence Jof Def^t

State of Ohio }
Union County ss }

Wm W. Woods being duly sworn says that the matters and things set forth in the foregoing answer are true in substance and in fact as he verily believes

W. W. Woods

Sworn and subscribed before me Sept 30. 1840

Wm H. Frank - J. P.

Stephen M. Linn
all in Chancery
Benj Wood

Answer

Filed Sept 30. 1840
James H. Linn Clerk

The separate answer of Stephen M. Laine to the bill
of Complaint of Benj. Wood exhibited against himself and Wm Wood

Deft in answering to so much of said bill as he is
advised is material for him to respond to says that the Mortgage
will show the dealings of the parties so far as it goes. and the
most that this Defendant knows about the matter is that it did
not bring him the amount of Money the Mortgage purported to se-
cure. and Deft further states that he had sold and parted with
his interest before he knew or heard of the note ^{being} in the hands of Compt
and whether Sharp had the note at the time of the making of the Mort-
gage or not or whether it was intended to be secured by the
Mortgage or not Deft cannot positively speak but it is
possible all these things are so. and Deft further answering
says that if Compt took the word of Mr Sharp and is injured
it is not his fault as he was not consulted ~~and~~ did not advise
Compt to make the deal with Sharp and having thus fully
answered he prays to be dismissed with his reasonable costs this behalf
unjustly expended and as in duty bound &c

By Wm Lawrence his Sol

State of Ohio
Union County

Stephen M Laine being duly sworn says that
the matters and things contained in the foregoing are true
in substance and in fact as he verily believes

Stephen M Laine

Sworn to and subscribed before me Sept 30. 1840

Wm W Frank J.P.

Benjamin Wood

vs

Stephen McLain &
W W Woods.

4 In Union Common Pleas
3 In Chancery
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The Defendants & their attys
will please take notice that depositions
will be taken to be read on trial of the cause
before James Furness a Justice of the Peace
in & for Paris Township Union Co Ohio
at his office on Friday the 29th day of June
1841 between the hours of nine o'clock A.M
& nine P.M on said day.

Benjamin Wood
By A Hall
attly

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0006

No. 40-CH-6

Union Common Pleas Court.

Lynn Starling

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

John W Jones et al

Defendant.

OCT TERM, 1840

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Lynn Sterling Jr

John W Jones et al.

~~James B. Pugh et al.~~

Bu in Chancery -

Filed May 18th 1840

J. W. Gice Clerk

To the Court of Common Pleas for the County
of Union. In Chancery sitting -

Humbly complaining sheweth unto your
Honors your orator Lyne Starling jr that a certain
James B. Cogbill of the State of Virginia being legally
seized of one moiety of two surveys of land numbered
5135 and 5136 lying in the County of Union in the
State of Ohio did by Deed dated the 10th day of February
~~eighteen hundred and one~~ ^{conveyed one}
convey to a certain John W. Jones his undivided interest
in the two above mentioned surveys, ^{with the exception of one hundred & twenty five acres, more or less, which have been sold} in trust to secure certain
debts therein named, as will more fully and at large
appear by reference to said Deed of Trust which is herewith
filed as an exhibit ^{marked A)} & prayed to be taken as part of this bill -
The said debts are as follows to wit. a debt of Two hundred
= ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~eighty eight~~ ^{eighty eight} dollars due Jane J. Bozpeau - a debt of ~~Three~~
one hundred ^{eighty seven} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~forty two~~ ^{forty two} dollars, due Michael K. Murray - a debt
of Three hundred & Seventy dollars - due Benjamin
Bozpeau and a debt of
due Edward H. Bozpeau - Your orator charges that the
said debt due Michael K. Murray has been paid off and
fully satisfied - that the debt due Jane J. Bozpeau
has been duly assigned by her to Benjamin Bozpeau
& that the debt due Edward H. Bozpeau who was only
entitled to the surplus after the payment of the other debts
mentioned in said Deed of Trust has also been assigned
& conveyed by him to John B. Goode in trust for the
Benefit of a certain Peter F. Bozpeau leaving
thus Benjamin Bozpeau John B. Goode and Peter
F. Bozpeau as the only persons interested in the said
Deed of Trust from James B. Cogbill to John W. Jones as
Trustee &c - Your orator further charges that he
has purchased by deed dated 12th day of ¹⁸³⁹ ~~1838~~ filed as an
exhibit marked B & prayed also to be taken as part of this bill of
the said James B. Cogbill Benjamin Bozpeau John B.

Evode and Peter F Boysseau all the equitable interest.
They hold in the said survey Nos 5135 and 5136 lying
as aforesaid in the County of Union Ohio - But notwithstanding
your orator is now the sole cestui que Trust under said
deed of Trust yet the said John W Jones has refused
and still refuses to convey to your orator the legal estate
which he the said Jones derived as Trustee under said deed
of Trust from Logbill to him - and that consequently the
legal title to an undivided half of the ^{said} surveys, ^{with the exception of one hundred & nearly four acres} before
mentioned, still remains outstanding in him the
said Jones - Your orator further represents that a
certain Thomas E Gary now deceased was in his life time
seized of the other undivided half of the survey above
referred to - That the said Gary in his life time conveyed
by deed of Trust his undivided half of the said surveys
to the aforesaid John W Jones also in trust to secure
certain debts therein mentioned - and that by several
assignments the equitable interest under said deed of Trust
is now held by John F. May of the town of Petersburg
Virginia - The said Thomas E Gary at the time of his death
left several heirs whose names and places of residence
are to your orator unknown - Your orator
in consideration of the premises therefore prays that
that the said John W Jones, John F. May and the unknown
heirs of the said Thomas E. Gary deceased may be made
party defendants to this bill and that they may
be each compelled by the usual process of the court or in
such other way as the Court may direct, to answer
severally each and all of the allegations in this
bill contained as fully as if particularly & specifically inter-
rogated. That on the final hearing of this cause the Court
will decree to your orator the legal title to ^{an} undivided
half of the two aforesaid surveys, Nos 5135 & 5136, now ^{with the exception of the one hundred & nearly four acres before mentioned}
held by the said Jones under the deed from Logbill, &
that partition of said land may be ordered and that
the undivided half to which your orator is entitled
may be set off to him in severally and that your

Grantor may have such other & further relief in the
premises as equity and good conscience may require

By his command
Wm. Thomas

Slating

⁷
Wines & Honey

Proof of Publication

Filed Oct 6, 1860

for the Geographical Club

State of Ohio Union County ss

Personally appeared before me, Wm. H. Frank, a Justice of the Peace in and for Union County, Robert McMatney, Editor & publisher of the "Union Star" a newspaper published and having general circulation in the County of Union; and, being duly sworn according to law deposed and sayeth that the aforesaid advertisement was regularly published in said paper for six consecutive weeks prior to the sixth day of October 1840

R. McMatney

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of Oct. 1840.

Wm H Frank J.P.

Notice.

JOHN W. JONES, John F. May, and the unknown Heirs of Thomas E. Gary, who are non-residents of this State, and supposed to be residents of Virginia, will take notice that a bill has been filed against them in the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Union, and State of Ohio, by Lyne Starling, Jr.—The object and prayer of which bill is that the legal title to an undivided half of surveys No. 5135 & 5136 may be decreed to him—which is now out standing in the said John W. Jones, Trustee. As he the said complainant is now the sole cest que trust, under said trust Deed to Jones.—And the said bill further prays that partition of said Surveys may be made between said complainant and the said John W. Jones, John F. May, and the unknown Heirs of Thomas E. Gary.

WRAY THOMAS,
for complainant.

July 30. 1840.

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State of Ohio Union County Maquoket Records Office
J. B. Smith Recorder of said County do hereby certify that
the foregoing deed is a true copy as it stands recorded
in my office in vol 1 page 74 & 95

In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed this seal of my
office this 6th day of October 1860

J. B. Smith

Recd

Exhibit
A

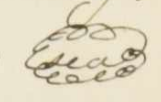
James B. Espile
to
John A. Smith
Filed Oct 6. 1860
Jas. H. Gill Clerk

James B Cogbill } An indenture made this tenth
Deed } day of February in the year of
Jones & others } Christ one thousand eight hun-
} dred and twenty one between
} James B Cogbill of the first part
} John W Jones of the second part

James Baizeau Benjamin Baizeau & Michael K Murray
of the third part and Edward H Baizeau of the
fourth part whereas the said James B Cogbill is in-
debted to the parties of the third part as follows
James Baizeau in the sum of two hundred & sixty
eight dollars ninety two cents with interest from
the twenty fourth day of April 1819 to Benjamin Bai-
zeau in the sum of three hundred and seventy
dollars with interest from this date and Michael
K Murray in the sum of one hundred & forty two
dollars eighty seven cents with interest from
the twenty third of February 1819 the payments of
which he is desirous to secure and whereas there
are unsettled transactions between the said
Cogbill & Edward H Baizeau upon which by a
agreement the said Edward H Baizeau is to be
provided for as is herein after mentioned

Now this Indenture witnesseth that the said
J B Cogbill in consideration of the premises and of
the sum of one dollar to him by the said John
in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby ac-
-knowledged hath granted bargained & sold and he
doth by these presents grant bargain and sell un-
-to him the said John W Jones the following tracts or
parcels of land lying in the county of Delaware on Mill Creek
in the State of Ohio to wit Survey No 5135 (number five
thousand one hundred and thirty five) and Survey No 5136
number five thousand one hundred and thirty six)

Containing in the whole two thousand two hundred & forty six & a half acres whereof one hundred and ninety four acres have been sold and one half of the Residue is owned by ~~Thomas~~ ^{John} Gary leaving one thousand & twenty three & a fourth acres which are hereby conveyed To Have and to hold the said Lands with the appertinances unto him the said John W Jones his heirs & assigns In trust & up-
-er Conservation nevertheless that it shall and may be lawful for him or in case of his death for his legal ^{personall} Representative in Virginia to Make sale of the said Lands & appertinances in such manner & upon such terms either publicly or privately as the said James Baep-
-scaw & Benj^m Baipeau shall deem expedient & best for all the parties and out of the proceeds of such sale after paying all costs & charges attending such sale or sales & the authentication & proball of this conveyance in the first place to pay to the said parties of the third ^{part} the full amount recited to be due to them respectively and severally to pay to the said Edward H Baipeau the Surplus arising from the sales aforesaid and to be app-
-lied by him to the Credit of any debt or demands which he may have against the said JB Cogbill and the said JB Cogbill for himself and his heirs the lands and app-
-ertinances aforesaid unto him the said John W Jones his heirs & assigns shall & will warrant & by these presents forever defend for the purposes aforesaid against all persons whatsoe In Witness whereof the said JB Cogbill hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his seal the day & year first written

James B Cogbill 

at a Hustings Court held for the Town of Petersburg at
the Court house of the said Town Thursday the 15th day of
February 1821 The annexed indenture of trust between
James B Coghill of the first part John W Jones of the second
part and James Baizeau Benjamin Baizeau and Michael
H. Murray of the third part and Edward H Baizeau of the
fourth part was acknowledged in open Court by the
said James B Coghill as his act and deed and ordered to
be certified to the proper Court in the State of Ohio
in order to be recorded in testimony whereof I John Grammer
as clerk of the said Hustings Court in the ~~state~~ Town of
Petersburg do hereunto set my hand and also set & affix
the corporate seal of the said Town of Petersburg hereun-
to at Petersburg aforesaid in the State of Virginia the
date aforesaid
J Grammer Ck

Town of Petersburg State of Virginia Act
I John H Brown Recorder of the said Town as such
Chief Magistrate thereof the Mayor ~~John~~ Elect
having as yet not qualified do hereby certify that John
Grammer whose name is subscribed to the above certifi-
-cate of the acknowledgement of the indenture ~~ann-~~
-exed thereto is clerk of the said Hustings Court and
that the seal annexed thereto is the corporate seal
of the said Town & used as the seal of the said
Court and that the said certificate & attestation
is in due form and ordinary form

Given under my hand this 15th day of June 1821

John H Brown Recorder

Received & recorded this deed July 27th AD 1821

Thomas Reynolds

Recorder M C O

Coybill Swode other

^{to}
Harling

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Exhibit

B

Cozbell Good & others
Deed
Starting & others

An indenture made this 12th day of
December 1839 between James B Cozbell
of the first part John B Good Trustee
of Benjamin Boisseau & Peter F Boisseau
of the second part and Lyne Starting
of Columbus Ohio of the third part
whereas the land herein after mentioned was conveyed
by the said Cozbell to John W Quinn trust to secure certain
debts due to Ben^d Boisseau Jane J Boisseau Michael W Murray
and Edward A Boisseau and the said Murray's debt having
been paid and the said Jane J having assigned her
to the said Benjamin they are no longer interested in the
said land and the said Edward who was only entitled to
the overplus after paying the other debts having assigned
& conveyed his debt to John B Good in trust for the
benefit of Peter F Boisseau and the said lands having
been sold under the laws of Ohio for the nonpayment
of taxes the said Starting has agreed to purchase the
interest of the said parties to the said lands at the
price of fifteen hundred dollars which is not quite suf-
ficient to pay the amount due to the said Benjamin

Now therefore this indenture witnesseth that the
said Cozbell & Good ^{Trustee} of B Boisseau & P F Boisseau in
consideration of the premises and especially of the said
sum of money paid to the said Benjamin Boisseau by
the said Starting here & each of them hath bargained
sold assigned & confirmed unto the said Lyne Starting
Senior one moiety of Surveys N^o 5135 & 5136 in the Vir-
ginia Military district lying in Union County on Mill
Creek in the State of Ohio containing it is supposed
about one thousand and twenty acres be the same
more or less however met together with all and singular
the appurtenances of every kind thereunto belonging
To Have and to hold the said undivided moiety of the

said lands unto the said Lynne Starling Junior his heirs and assigns forever and the said parties of the first & second part each one for himself & his heirs respectively shall & will warrant and forever defend the said land unto the said Starling his heirs and assigns against all persons claiming under the said & several parties of the first and second part respectively but against no other person or persons whatsoever

In witness whereof the said parties of the first and second part have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals the day ~~and~~ first written signed sealed and delivered

in presence of

Edicora James

J. L. James

Samuel J. Baptist

as to Bogbill

& Goodle & B. B.

D. F. Baizeau

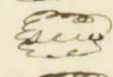
James B. Bogbill

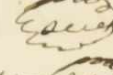
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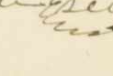
B. Baizeau

Peter F. Baizeau











Town of Petersburg to wit

Appeared before us Geo. H. Jones & William Hawthorn Aldermen for said Town James B. Bogbill J. B. Goodle B. Baizeau & Peter F. Baizeau parties to the above deed and acknowledged the same to be their act and deed & for the same to be certified to the Clerk of Minnie County in the State of Ohio in order that it may be recorded

Given under our hands & seals this 15th day of Decr 1839

Geo. H. Jones 

Wm Hawthorn 

State of Virginia Town of Petersburg to wit

I David Bernard Clerk of the Hastings County of said Town in the State of Virginia do hereby certify that George H. Jones and William Hawthorn whose names appear to the foregoing certificate of the acknowledgement of the annexed deed are now and were at the time of

their signing the said certificate acting aldermen or Jus-
tices of the peace in and for the said Town duly appoi-
nted and qualified as such the same appearing from the
records of the said Court and I likewise certify that
the said certificate is entitled to full faith and credit

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Hus-
tings Court this second day of January in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty

D W Bernard Clk

State of Virginia Town of Petersburg to wit
I Robert B Bolling the Mayor of the said Town and
as such the presiding Justice of the Hustings Court of
the said Town do certify that David W Bernard
whose name appears to the ^{preceding} ~~pregoing~~ certificate is
the Clerk of the said Court and that his said
certificate and the attestation thereof are in
due form of Law Given under my hand this 2^d
day of January 1840

Robert B Bolling Mayor

Filed & recorded January 21st 1840

D B Smith Record

State of Ohio Union County Maupville Recorder's Office
I D B Smith Recorder of said County do hereby certify that
the foregoing deed is a true copy as it stands recorded
in my office in Book 7 page 490 & 491

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the seal of
said office this 6th day of October 1840

D B Smith

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Lynce Starling jr
vs } in Chy
John W. Jones and others

Report of Commissioners

Filed Oct 9 1840

Jas. H. Gill Clerk
cost here made

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Lynn Sterling }
vs } In Chy
John W. Jones }
et al }

It is further ordered that Levi Phelps Stephen McLain and Roberson L. Broom being first duly sworn upon actual views of the premises set off and assign in severalty to the Complainant one equal half of the lands in the bill described and the remainder to the Respondents and return of their proceedings make herewith

The above is a true copy of the
part of decree in said case
Oct 6, 1840
James H. Gre clerk

State of Ohio
Union County }
} Personally appeared before me Levi Phelps, Stephen
} McLain and Roberson L. Broom and made
oath that they would well and truly perform to the
best of their ability the duties required of them
in the above order.

Levi Phelps
Stephen McLain
Roberson L. Broom
subscribed and sworn to before me this sixth day of October
AD 1840

James Turner Justice of the peace in
for Union County

Lynn Sterling }
vs } In Chy
John W. Jones & others }

We Levi Phelps Stephen McLain & Roberson L. Broom
being sworn and upon actual views of the premises, do set off
and assign to the said complainant in severalty for his equal
half and share of said Lands the two following pieces or par-
cels of Land to wit; part of Survey No 5135 Bounded and
described as follows. Beginning at two ashes and a Hickory
southwesterly corner of the Original Survey thence with the line
of said Survey N10W 171 poles to a Hickory Lyms and Oak corner
to the one hundred and ninety four acre Lot previously sold thence
with the line thence of connecting the course N81.25E 157 poles to
a cherry and other trees corner to said Lot thence with another
line of said Lot connecting the course N9.30W 41 poles to a stake
in said line thence N82.30E crossing mill creek at 120 poles 282 poles
to a Lynn Oak and Hickory in the east line of the Original
Survey thence with said line connecting the course thence of S10.50E
214 poles to a Hickory Beech & Sugar tree southeasterly corner of
the Original Survey thence with the Original line connecting the
course thence of S82.30W 438 poles to the Beginning. Lying in
the County of Union and containing five hundred and forty
six acres more or less; and also part of Survey No 5136 being the
lower half on the creek. Bounded and described as follows
Beginning at a Sugar Lyms and two Ironwoods southwesterly
corner of the Original Survey thence with the Orig. line con-
necting the course thence of N12.20W 146 poles to a stake west of a
white ash thence N80E 575 poles crossing Mill Creek at 275
poles to a Burr oak and three Lyms in the east line of the Original
Survey thence with said line S10E 146 poles to two hickies and a
Red Oak southeast corner of the original Survey thence with
the Original line S80W 570 poles to the Beginning crossing the
Creek at 352 poles. Lying in the County of Union and
containing five hundred and twenty one acres less the same
more or less. — We also set off and assign to the said respon-
dents in severalty for their Equal half and share of said Lands
the two following pieces or parcels of Land, to wit, part of
Survey No. 5135 Bounded and described as follows, Beg

white ash, then N80E 575 poles crossing Mill Creek at 275 poles to a Bur oak and three Lymns in the east line of the Original Survey then with said line S10E 146 poles to two hickies and a Red Oak southeast corner of the original Survey then with the Original line S80W 570 poles to the Beginning crossing the Creek at 352 poles. Lying in the County of Union and containing five hundred and twenty one acres be the same man or less. — We also set off and apportion to the said respondents in severalty for their Equal half and share of said lands the two following pieces or parcels of Land, to wit, part of Survey No. 5135 Bounded and described as follows, Beginning

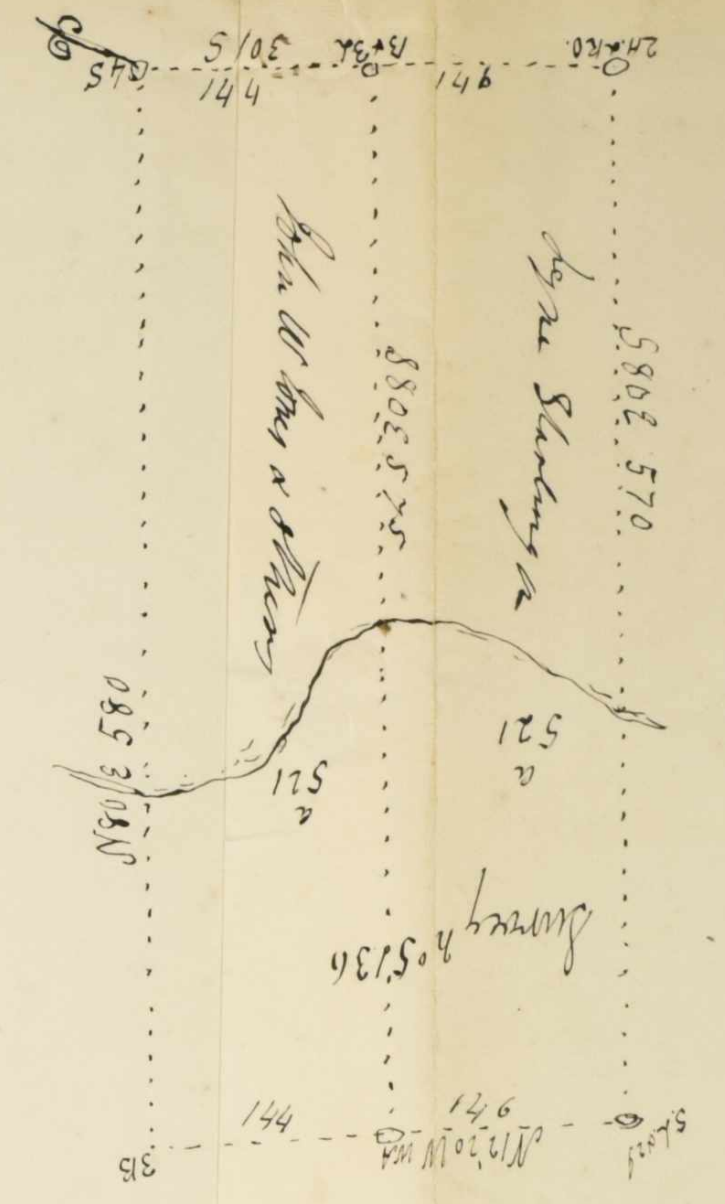
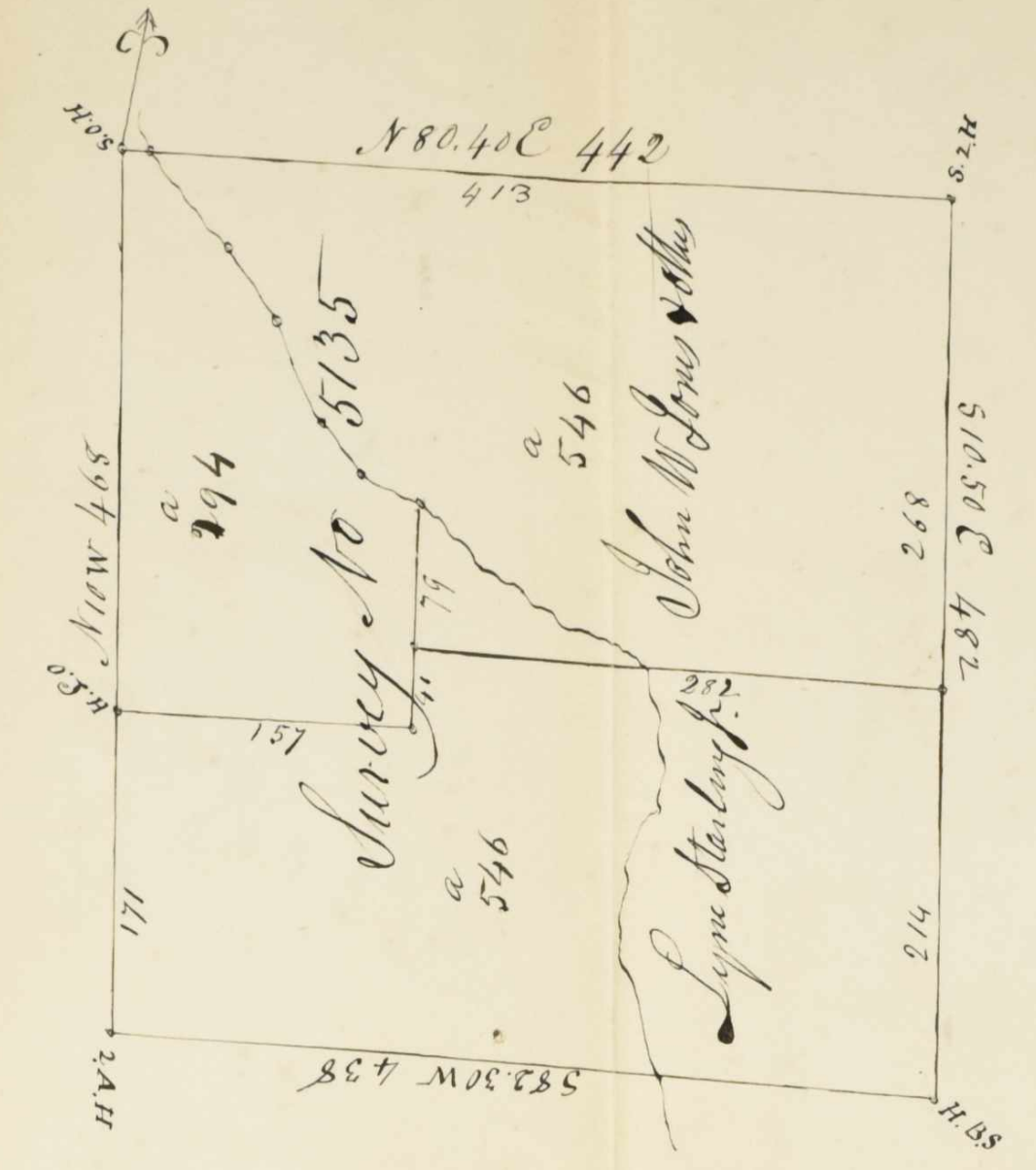
at a stake in the line of the one hundred and ninety four acre lot and corner to the piece assigned to the complainant then with the line of said lot correcting the course thereof N9.30W 79 poles to three Lymns on the bank of Mill Creek and corner to said one hundred and ninety four acre lot then up the Creek with meanders thereof and with the lines of said one hundred and ninety four acre lot N72W 34 poles N50W 34 poles N35W 58 poles N46W 46 poles then N50W 54 poles to a stake in the north line of the Original Survey then with the Original line correcting the course thereof N80.40E 413 poles to two hickies and a Sugar tree north easterly corner of the Original Survey then with another of the said lines correcting the course thereof S10.50E 268 poles to a Lymns Oak and Hickory corner to the piece assigned to the complainant then with his line S82.30W 282 poles to the Beginning Lying in the County of Union & containing five hundred and forty six acres be the same man or less, and also part of Survey No. 5136 Being the upper half on the Creek Bounded and described as follows Beginning at three Beeches north west corner of the original Survey then N80E with the Original line 580 poles to four Sugar trees also corner of the Original Survey crossing the Creek at 190 poles then with the original line S10E 144 poles to three Lymns and a Bur Oak corner to the piece assigned to the complainant, then with his line S80W 575 poles to a stake with a white ash crossing the Creek at 300 poles the said stake being in the west line of the Original Survey, then with said line correcting the course thereof N12.20W 144 poles to the Beginning Lying in the County of Union and containing five hundred twenty one acres be the same man or less. A plat of the above described lands will be found on the back of this Report. Given under our hands this 9th day of October AD 1840

Levi Phelps
 Stephen McLean
 Robin L. Brown

Commissioner's fees	\$6.00
Surveying expenses	17.00
Notary fee	.25
Printer's fee	5.00
Lawyer fee	30.00
	<u>\$58.25</u>

Lynce Starling jr
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Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0007

No. 40-CH-7

Union Common Pleas Court.

Mordecai Baughman

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Benj' Gynnes, Heirs of,

Defendant.

APR TERM, 1841

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Union Com Pleas
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vs
Harris of Benj Gyles
et al

Bills in Chancery
Filed May 19th 1840
Ja. N. Gill Clk

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To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common
Pleas in and for the County of Union when in Chancery ~~at~~ ^{the} ~~City~~

Humbly Complainin^g sheweth unto your Honor y^{our}
Orator Mordecai Baughan a resident of said County that
on the 13th day of February 1813 there issued to the Heirs of
the late Capt. Benjamin ~~three several patents~~ of Virginia
namely to W^m J. Grymes Benjamin Grymes, George N. Grymes
and Martha C. Grymes and unto Abraham B. Hooe and W^m
J. Hooe children of Lucy J. Hooe before that time dead three
several Patents for lands lying in this County ~~front~~
United States. That in the year 1828 these three several
tracts of Land were sold at Tax Sales and described as Surveys
No^s 4404 & 4405. and 4404. in this County That ~~at said sale~~
~~and~~ your Orator purchased at said Sale Survey No. 4404
and in due season went into possession of the same and improved
and then still lives. Further that ~~any~~ of the Heirs
and legal representatives aforesaid there still lives Martha
C. Grymes now by marriage ~~with~~ John Stewart Martha
C. ~~Grymes~~ ^{Stewart} 2nd George N. Grymes 3rd Abraham B. Hooe who
is entitle^d to the interest of his Brother W^m J. Hooe who died
without issue 4th William J. Grymes died in 1828 leaving Jane C.
his widow and Virginia Washington ^{his eldest daughter} formerly Virginia
Grymes by marriage with Henry Washington and the
following children who are still minors Richard M. Grymes
W^m J. Grymes Benjamin J. Grymes and Thomas J. Grymes
5th Benjamin Grymes a patentee also, died in the year 1829
leaving Louisa Grymes since married to Edgar Snowden
and Washington L. C. Grymes, Lane B. Grymes and Eleanor
the 3 last named being minors his heirs and are the
wards of the said John Stewart all of whom y^{our} Orator
prays may be made Defendants to this bill who reside
in King George^{County Va} y^{our} Orator further charges that on the 7th of
June 1832 by ~~the~~ said Abraham B. Hooe & W^m J. Hooe and
George N. Grymes patentees as aforesaid ~~and the said~~

and who were entitled to $\frac{2}{5}$ of said lands over their hands
and seals authorized and enforced ^{of Carrol} one Laurence Ashton
whom your orator make a like defendant to this his vice
to redeem by law or otherwise compromise and raise from
off said lands ~~the~~ incumbrance occasioned by it ~~and~~
tax sales aforesaid at said Ashton's own proper costs and
charges and in consideration thereof bound themselves
to a vide by and ratify any contract or compromise
he said Ashton might make for that purpose and convey
to him by a proper conveyance the one third part ^{of his interest} of
said lands when so redeemed or otherwise raised.

And for this purpose said Ashton was appointed agent
for by the ^{other} Adult Heirs in their proper person and the guardians
of the minors aforesaid. Your orator further charges that
in due season said Ashton did redeem or otherwise compromise
for and raise and obtain from said lands ~~all~~ the tax
incumbrances aforesaid. That is from James & Curry
the tax claim on Survey No 4405. from J. G. Strong
the same on surveys Nos 4405 & 4404 And in September
1832 entered in to an agreement with your orator for
his interest in said Survey No 4406 of 1333 $\frac{2}{3}$ which
said agreement is herewith filed marked A by which
it will appear that said Ashton for and in consideration
of your orator's agreeing to relinquish his right to said
1333 $\frac{2}{3}$, said Ashton bound himself ~~to~~ ~~convey~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~to~~ ~~your~~ ~~orator~~
to convey to your orator 144 acres in fee simple a
part of said Survey and described as follows Beginning
at an Ash Bush & Red oak the North line of sd Survey
thence S. 80. W. 156 poles crossing the creek at 120 poles
to a white oak thence S 25° W 207 poles to a stake
witness two hiccorys thence S 65° E 80 poles to 2 small
Sugar trees

and ask thence N 25. 170 poles to a stake on the N.
E. Bank of the Creek where a swamp beech and Sugar tree
thence N 80 E . 94 poles to a stake near a dogwood and
Red elm in Massie's line then with that line N 11. W
69 poles to the beginning. Said agreement further shows
that your orator was to release to said Ashton so soon as
said Ashton conveyed to your orator as aforesaid in ~~the~~ two years
thereafter your orator was to pay to said Ashton the sum
of 70. \$. Your orator here charges that he has repeated
proposed to release to said Ashton as proposed in said agree-
ment and requested him to convey to your orator as
by said articles he ought ^{and said release is now with file for him} but that the said Ashton has
acquired habits of negligence even to a disease and still
neglects and refuses your further charges that at sundry
times he has advanced ~~for~~ and loaned money to said
Ashton when he was in need to the amount of 100. \$
a part of which and so much as was necessary was to be
applied to the payment of said 70. \$. So the same has
been fully paid

Your orator further charges that his ~~home~~ and labor
ever since said purchase has been and expended on said
land and his improvements made under the contract are
in value not less than 1000\$. And your orator here charges
explicitly that at Court of Hamilton and on the 13th
day of July in the year 1839 said Ashton
combining with one Smallyn M. Gwynne of that place
(who is hereby made defendant also) and contriving and
wickedly intending to cheat and defraud your orator
~~out~~ that ^{he} sold or pretended to sell and convey to ~~you~~
~~orator~~ to said ~~Ashton~~ Gwynne his entire interest
in said 4000. acres of Land, but says that it was
so sold to said Gwynne as to verbally reserve to your
orator his rights, if so, it may be right, but it don't
look pretty, and as to these things let them speak in
answering. Your orator further charges that the
said ~~Hood~~ and George W. Gwynne also executed to
said Ashton a separate agreement binding themselves to come
to ~~your orator~~ said Ashton their interest in the one third
part of said Lands and also that said Ashton has fre-
quently said and told your orator that they had done so
But here your orator knows not the truth
Your orator charges that these things so far as the
doings of defendants are concerned are mischievous unjust
and contrary to equity and good conscience and
tend manifestly to the injury of your orator

Under Consideration whereof and in as much
as your orator is compelled by the forms of law and can
only be believed in this Court where matters of this kind
are alone cognisable your orator prays that said
Defendants may be compelled to answer particularly
the allegations of this bill and especially that and es-
pecially that the said Surviving Hooe and George N. Gryme
may answer and discover to this Court where the
legal title to said Ashtons part is, whether they have convey
to him, and that said Ashton may answer the same
your orator therefore prays that on the final hearing
of this case that said Defendants or such of them
as now hold the legal title to the part so sold to your
orator as aforesaid may be compelled to convey and
release to your orator and that as to the other and these
Defendants your Honors would grant partition
of the same in such manner that your orator may
hold his in severalty. And that your orator may
have other and further relief in the premises as equity
and good conscience may require and as in
duty bound he will ever pray and so forth
By W. Lawrence his Sol



Lawrence Ashbridge
Add³ Separate address
of Boston

M. Baughan

Filca March 29, 1861
Saw H. E. Allen

The separate Answer of Lawrence Ashton to
a Bill in Chancery exhibited Against him & others
in the Court of Common Pleas for the County of
Union, by Mordecai Baughan.

This Respondent Savings for Answer to
Compt's Bill, or so much thereof as he is
Advised, is proper or material that he should
Answer, saith that he Admits the title his-
tory of the land title as set forth in Compt's
Bill. Also the statements relative to the tax
Sale of his ^(Compt's) having purchased the same. He also
Admits the Correctness of the Contract be-
tween the Compt & this Resp. But this Resp.
has no recollection of having borrowed of the
Compt \$100. As stated in his Bill. he Owns
that he received of the Compt a small horse,
the price of which he disremembers.

As the Compt has Accused this Resp. of
not looking pretty; he would say that in his view
this Allegation of his is the Only thing which
now Obscured his beauty - but believing him
to be an honest man, he still indulges the hope
that ere long those difficulties will all be re-
moved & that he will again Appear in his
pristine purity - As regards the deed which
this Resp. made to S. M. Gwynne, he saith
that he cannot express the deep regret he feels
at the results which have followed this act of
his, which was attended at the time, by him
for good, & was Only designed to be used as a Power
of Attorney & should have been used by Gwynne
in no other way, as he never paid to this Resp.
Any Consideration for the land to the best
of this Resp.'s recollection, And the various
transactions which we have so Often had with
each other should have nothing to do with this.
This Resp. executed said deed to Gwynne for

* M. Bangham may be specifically performed.
for the purpose of facilitating his business
with which he was then much pressed
& not for the purposes of fraud & as Gwynne
had neglected the business of this Resp. & the
Object of the Conveyance had not been an-
swered this Resp. Sincerely wishes that the
Deed may be set aside & that his Contract with
This Resp. Sath, in answer to Compl's inteng-
atory whether he had received a Conveyance of his
portion of the land mentioned in Compl's Bill &c. that
he had received an instrument of writing executed
by the Adult Heirs for themselves by John Stewart
& Mrs Gwynne (Widow of Wm J Gwynne) as guardians
for their wards, which he considered a sufficient
legal paper authorizing him to have the land di-
vided & his part struck off, which paper he sent
to Mr - Minor & Mr Lawrence his Attorneys in the re-
demption Case & whom he considered his friends
but what had become of said paper he knows
not.

And now having fully answered Compl's
Bill, he prays that he may be dismissed from
said Bill with his Costs &c.
Lawrence Ashton

Commonwealth of Ky.

Carroll County, Let.

J. H. Harris a Justice of the Peace for the
County of Carroll & State of Ky. do Certify
that Lawrence Ashton, the Resp. in the foregoing
answer, this day appeared before me in my Of-
fice & made oath that the statements contained
in said answer, so far as they purport to be
made on his own information are true, & that
so far as they purport to be made on the infor-
mation of others, he believed to be true.
Given under my hand as Justice aff'd

this 19th day of March A.D. 1841.

H. Harris J.P. Seal

Commonwealth of Ky.
Carroll County } Let.

I, Rich^d P. Butler, Clerk of the County Court
for the County afo^r do Certify that ~~this~~
H. Harris, whose name is signed to the above
Certificate, is an acting & duly authorized Justice
of the Peace for said County, & that his Official
acts as such are entitled to full faith & credit
& that said signature is genuine.

In testimony whereof I have here-
unto subscribed my name & af-
fixed my seal this 19th day of
March A.D. 1841.

Rich^d P. Butler cl^k
By J. Senour del

Commonwealth of Ky.
Carroll County, Let.

I, R. P. H. Harris, Presiding Justice of the Peace
for the County afo^r do Certify that Rich^d P. But-
ler whose name is subscribed to the above Certif-
icate is the duly qualified & acting Clerk of the
County Court for the afo^r County & that J.
Senour is his duly qualified Deputy & that
their official acts as such are entitled to
full faith & credit. And that said the
Seal & Signature affixed to said Certificate
are genuine. Given under my hand as
Justice afo^r this 19th day of March A.D. 1841.

H. Harris J.P.

Mordecai Boughman
w/ 3 proof of put
Heirs of Guinness
Filed Oct 9. 1840
Jos H Gilwell

When wheats are very hard
But I'm the man that's rich enough,
If I collect my rents?

'Come, Uncle Levi, tell us now,
What think you of Whig votes?

'Oh dear, I think they can't be bought
With my sub-treasury notes.
I've figured out my long reports
Arrayed in solid column.

But where's your CASH, the whigs cry out,
With faces long and solemn.

The cash is gone and credit too,
With our administration,
And we have ruined every man
Throughout the Yankee nation.'

'Now Poinsett you can cheer us up
With glad and cheerful sounds.'

'Oh no, I can't, those cursed whigs,
Have treed me with blood hounds;
We've got to leave the White House now,
As fast as we can go,
I'll take my hat and make my bow,
For I am D. I. O.'

~~State of Ohio~~
State of Ohio
Union Com 5 ss

State of Ohio,

Union Common Pleas,
MAY TERM, 1840.

Mordica! Baughan,
vs.

The Heirs of Benj.
Grymes, Lawrence
Ashton, & Lewal-
lyn M. Gwynne.

IN CHANCERY.

ON motion and it appearing to the Court that some of the defendants in this case are non-residents of the State of Ohio: Ordered that notice of the pendency of this suit be published for six consecutive weeks in the Union Star, a weekly newspaper published in Marysville in said county, with a summary statement of the object and prayer of said petition and this cause is continued.

The Bill charges that Patents for 3 surveys V. M. Lands, Nos 4404, 4405 and 4404, in said county, on the 13th of February, 1813, were issued to Wm. F. Grymes, Benjamin Grymes, George N. Grymes, and Martha C. Grymes and Abraham B. Hooe and Wm. F. Hooe, Heirs of said Benjamin Grymes, that prior to the year 1830, said surveys were encumbered by tax sales: That on the 7th of June, 1832, said heirs of said Grymes agreed to convey 1-3 of said lands to one Lawrence Ashton if he redeemed said lands from said sales; that Ashton did so redeem said lands, that by said agreement the heirs bound themselves to ratify such contracts as Ashton should make in and about said redemption: That Ashton shortly afterwards to procure the redemption of survey No. 4404, from complainant agreed to convey 144 acres to complainant out of said lands by metes and bounds particularly described: That complainant has and is ready to fulfil his contract on his part: That some time in the year past Ashton fraudulently conveyed his interest in said lands to one Lewallyn M. Gwynne of Hamilton co., Ohio, and prays a discovery of the title specific performance and partition. By

W. C. LAWRENCE, his Sol.
J. H. GILL, Clerk of said Court.
May 21, 1840. 6w

Job Printing,

Neatly executed at this office

R. M^e Bratney editor and
publishes of the Union Star a News-
paper published in the Town of
~~Union Co~~ Marysville Union
County Ohio and in general
circulation in said County being
duly sworn says that the appended
notice appeared regularly and weekly
in said paper for six
weeks subsequent to the rising
of the Spring term of this Court of
which the appended is one
sworn to R. M^e Bratney
and subscribed before me
at 8. 1840 Wm^t H. G. York J. V.

R. McBratney editor and
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sworn to R. McBratney

and subscribed before me
Oct 8. 1840

Wm H. York D.V.

This time they do not joke,

Says Blair to Mat—'Good President,

I think it is unlucky,

That I must streak it back again

To teach school in Kentucky;

But go I must, for I am sure,

Our battles all are fought,

And New York's favorite son is beat

By sober second thoughts.

Now Matty don't get sick, I'm sure

We may as well clear out,

And join that loco loco Price

And honest Sam Swartwout?

And next says Paulding, I do wish

To novels I had struck,

For writing them would ne'er have made

Of me so lame a duck.

Dear Matty, We must soon go back

To quiet Minderhook.

And in your garter I will write

Another shilling book.

Oh dear, the time

Lyman Hill

1823

M. Bowdoin

Filed April 15. 1823

Wm. H. Hill

Richard McOrmes et al
Plaintiffs by J Curry
Guardians ad litem
ad

Mordcai Baughan

Union Com Pleas
Mr Chancery

The Defendants now
come and for answer

to said bill or so much thereof as they are
advised is material for them to answer to say
that further than the paper show they know not
and submit their case to the court and pray
to be dismissed with their costs

By J Curry Guar. ad litem

Union Complex
Mord: Bought
is } Repl
J. Ashton
Filed Apl.

Mordicai Baughan }
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Lawrence Ashton et al }
in Chancery

and the said Baughan comes
and says that the matters and things set forth in
his said Bill of Complaint are true in substance
and in fact and that the matters and things set
forth in the answer of the said Lawrence Ashton contrary
thereto are untrue and this he is ready to make appear
as by the Court shall be ordered

By W. S. Lawrence —
his Sol

Before the Signing and Sealing of the agreement in Witness
Whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands and
Seals the date first above written

Attest
William Blackhill

Worcester Boughton
James Ashton Esq

John T. Esq

Samuel Carter

Articles of Agreement ⁴ Between
M. Boughton & L. Ashton

A

Memorandum of an agreement made and entered in to this 10th
Day of September 1832 Between Mordecai Baughan of Union
County State of Ohio of the one part and Lawrence Ashton of
the county of Fauquier and State of Virginia of the other part
Witness that the said Mordecai Baughan did on the second
Monday in December 1828 purchase at public sale in the
Town of Marysville the county Seat of Union county in the
State of Ohio a certain tract of Land which was sold by the
Auditor of Union County as the property of Benjamin Grymes
or his heirs for the taxes then due it is agreed between
Mordecai Baughan and Lawrence Ashton that the said Ashton
shall make be good and sufficient deed to said Baughan for the
Land that the said Baughan now lives on containing one hundred
and forty four acres on Mill creek in Union County Ohio
Being part of Survey No 44 of entered in the name of Benjamin
Grymes and bounded as follows to wit Beginning at a small Beech
and red oak in the original North line of the Survey running
thence South 80° West 156 poles crossing the creek at 120 poles
to a white oak thence South 25° West 202 poles to a stake witness
2 hickories thence South 65° East 80 poles to two small sugar trees
and an ash thence North 25° East 170 poles to a stake on the
North East bank of the creek witness a Swamp Beech
and sugar tree thence North 80° East 94 poles to a stake near a
Dog Wood and near Elm in massie line thence with that line
North 11° West 69 poles to the beginning containing 144 acres
~~and said Ashton~~ and when said Ashton executes the deed as
agreed to on his part then the said Baughan agrees to convey by
deed to said Ashton all the Right and title that he has in and to the
thirteen hundred and thirty three and two third acres
which was taxed in the name of Benjamin Grymes or his
heirs and sold as delinquent and described in the deed and
certificate executed by the auditor of Union County Ohio
to the said Baughan and said Baughan further agrees to pay said
Ashton seventy Dollars in two years after ^{said} Ashton executes the
deed for the 144 acres as above agreed to it is understood between
the parties that said Ashton is to have full and ample time to settle his
Agency with the heirs of Grymes and to execute the deed to
Baughan the interpretation of the words and figures here excepting
the one hundred and forty four acres described above
Have inserted between the lines twenty eight and nine

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0008

No. 40-CH-8

Union Common Pleas Court.

Levi Aultman

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Stephen ^{Mc}Laure,

Defendant.

April 1843

Dismissed at plaintiffs
costs

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Union Con. Pleas

Levi Aultman

vs.

Stephen M. Leavin & al

Bill in Chancery.

Filed May 20th 1860

J. N. Gill clk

Recorded

To the Judges of the Court of Com.

Pleas for Union County in Chancery sitting.

Your orator Lewis Antrim respectfully represents that on the 17th day of January 1839 your orator executed a mortgage to William Sharp and Stephen McLean bearing that date and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of the said County a certified copy is hereto attached & shown the Court; which mortgage conveyed to the said Sharp & McLean the following Property, to wit; In Lot Number eighteen (No. 18.) in the Town of Marysville in the said County and also the following describe Personal Property to wit, Large Lookingglass at \$18. one set of fancy chairs at \$15. with rattan bottoms, one pair of brass Andirons, shovel & tongs \$3.00 one bureau \$12. one desk \$20 - 3 Green bedsteads at \$5 each, one fine carved post bedstead \$15. 9 feather beds & pillows at \$7 each. 11 straw ticks at 15¢, 8 bed comfortables at \$25. together, 8 quilts at 25¢ one large Kettle & bail at \$6. Do have & to hold the same to the said Sharp & McLean their heirs & assigns forever. Which said Mortgage ~~and assigns~~ and conveyance was subject to the following condition & provisions therein expressed to wit; Whereas the said Antrim was indebted to the said Sharp as evidenced by six several notes of hand for these sums (to wit) one for \$40. due and date 31 December 1838 - 2^d note same date for \$121 due 3 month from date - 3^d same date for \$121. due 6 month from date - 4th same date for \$121. twelve months from date, - 5th same date for \$121. due 15 months from date, all made payable to C. B. Cipell. And also is indebted to the said McLean in the amount of two several notes of hand, the first for \$194.06 due some time since.

2^d for \$19.76 date August 27th 1837 and due six
months from date, and also whereas the said ~~Thorp~~
& McLean ~~are~~ liable as bail on Docket for the
said Auction at the office of James Turner in
the sum of \$64.56.5 costs and all. And if the
said Auction should well & truly pay or cause to be
paid the said several ~~sums~~ notes as they became
due and also keep the said Thorp & McLean clear
of damages in consequence of said bail then
the said Mortgage and Conveyance should be null and
void otherwise to be absolute &c.

And whereas the said Thorp & McLean took possession
of the said lot No. 18. ^{and the said Thorp upon his interest therein} and the dwelling house & other
tenements situate thereon and immediately thereafter
sold and conveyed the said lot and tenements to William
Ross who ever since has been in possession of the
same enjoying all the rents & profits thereof
The said Thorp having signed & disposed of all his
right and interest in the said Mortgage to the said
Ross has left the Country and gone to parts un-
known to your orator.

And your orator further shows that afterwards
on the 6th day of February 1839 your orator was
in the possession of a certain lot of land and two
tenements situate in the Town of Marysville known
known as the ~~latter~~ tavern situate &c by virtue
of a certain demise thereof for a term then
unexpired and which would end on the first
day of June 1840, and your orator on the said
first day of Feb. gave let to demise the said
tenement situate, all the furniture mentioned in
the said Mortgage and a large amount of

other furniture to Chester Tarrum as follows, to wit: The whole amount of furniture and bill of goods were \$454.23 $\frac{1}{4}$. and the said Tarrum then & there by a written articles of agreement herewith shown to the Court agreed to take the said furniture & amounting to \$454.23 $\frac{1}{4}$ as found for one month and to pay your orator for the use thereof \$4.25 cents per month, and likewise at the rate of \$175. per annum for the use of the house & stabling which amounts in all to \$226. per year, and if the said Tarrum wishes to give up the property at the end of one month he can do so by paying in that proportion and if he wishes to continue he has the privilege of doing so until the expiration of the lease which will on the first day of June 1840, but he the said Tarrum should have no power to sell or rent the property to any person but to the said Antrea your orator, and the said Tarrum thereby agreed to pay your orator the further sum of fifty dollars above the aforesaid specified as rent for the privilege of the lease which was to be paid here been paid in fifteen days from that date. of which property the said Tarrum took possession and chose not to give up the same at the end of one month but has ever since remain in the use & possession thereof.

And your orator further shews that afterwards on the same day that the said Mortgage was executed as find or there about, the said William Sharp sold and assigned all his rights, interest in the said Mortgage & the notes therein specified to

William B. Woods who now claims with the said Mc
Lain all the benefit of the said Mortgage & notes.

And your orator further represents that your
orator was seized of the south part of lot No. 69 in the
Town of Marysville with the dwelling house there
situate, and your orator sold the same to the
said McLain & Woods for the sum of \$550 which was
to be paid by an endorsement of the same
amount on the said Notes & Mortgage, which
endorsement the said McLain & Woods wholly neglect
& refuse to make.

And your orator further represents that the said McLain
& Woods have without notice to or the consent of
your orator sold or pretend to sell the said furniture &
personal property so as aforesaid Mortgage, to the said Farnum
and receive of him therefor a large sum of money
for which the wholly neglect & refuse to account
for to your orator or endorse the amount
thereof upon the said Notes & Mortgage.

That the said Farnum now pretends to claim the whole
of the said furniture as his own and therefore refuses
to pay any part of the said rent pretending some
times to have accounts for the same to the
said McLain & Woods and at other times
pretends he is wholly discharged from the payment
of the said rent in consequence of the purchase
of the said furniture as aforesaid; and that in consequence
of thereof your orator prevents & embarrass in setting
up and proceeding at law in the collection of the
said rent from the said Farnum.

* see last page

Your orator therefore prays that the \rightarrow Stephen
McLain, William W. Woods \rightarrow Chester Forman
be made defendants hereto by due process of
Subpoena and answer fully all the matters
& things herein charged &c.

That your orator be permitted to redeem the
Mortgage Property upon payment of the amount
which may be found due thereon.

That the \rightarrow defendants McLain & Woods may
account unto your orator for all the property that
they received from your orator upon the Mortgage
of said, and all they have used upon the sale
of any part thereof or for the use and hire
thereof.

That the \rightarrow Forman may account for what
Property remains in his hands after the rights of the
parties may be adjusted and such part of the rest
to be due your orator from him the \rightarrow Forman
on the \rightarrow contract or articles of agreement in such
manner & proportion as shall seem to your Honors
just & equitable.

And that your orator have such other and
further relief in the premises as shall seem to
your Honors just & equitable.

And your orator will ever pray &c.

J. W. Powell Compt. Sol.

✕
your orator further represents that the said McLean
& Woods ~~have~~ ~~found~~ some time ~~pretend~~ that they
have procured a legal title to the said Lot No 18. Mortgage
as if as that they have sold the same, and that if
they have done so they wholly neglect & refuse to
account for the amount they have received on
the sale of the said Lot 18. as consideration therefore.

Union Common Pleas
Levi A. Truitt

vs

Stephen M. Linn

Replication in Chancery

Recorded

Levi Axtell

vs

Stephen McLain

In Chancery

And the said Levi Axtell says
and says that the said matters and things set forth
in his said bill of complaint are true, in substance
and in matter of fact, and that the said matters and
things set forth in the said answers of the said
defendants contrary thereto, are untrue, and that
he is ready to make appear as this court may
direct

Lord W. Powell

Solicitor for Plaintiff

This indenture made and concluded this first
day of June in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and thirty six between
Tho^s. J. Lewis of the County of Union and State
of Ohio of the first part & Andrew McAdue of the
County ^{and State} of the second part Witnesseth that
the said Tho^s. J. Lewis for and in consideration of the
yearly rents & covenants herein after mentioned &
approved on the part & behalf of the said Andrew
McAdue his Executors, administrators and assigns
to be paid kept & performed hath demised let
and to farm let assign all the of and by these
presently doth demise let and to farm let unto
the said Andrew McAdue his Executors, adminis-
trators & assigns all the Messuages & lots of ground
known by their numbers 39 & 35 and situated lying
in the town of ~~the town of~~ ~~the town of~~ ~~the town of~~ ~~the town of~~
and to hold the said Messuage & lots of ground and all
the appurtenances hereby demised with the appur-
tenances unto the said Andrew McAdue his Executors
administrators & assigns from the day and date hereof
untill the first day of June 1840 the said lots
embracing the Tavern Stand now in ^{the} possession of the
said McAdue also the said Lewis his self his
heirs & hereby bears and for the use of the said
Tavern Lots unto the said McAdue his heirs & exe-
cutors of the following kind of personal property
being the furniture now in and necessary for the fir-
ting up of the said Stand for the term aforesaid
in consideration whereof the said Andrew McAdue his
heirs or assigns is to pay unto the said Tho^s. J. Lewis
his heirs of the sum of two hundred dollars rent
yearly and every year in manner following to wit
commencing from the first day of June 1836 which
payments are to be made first the taxes are to be paid
83 (over)

as they shall become due yearly the remainder of the
Two Hundred per annum is to be paid Annually at the
close of each year in painting the wood work of ~~the~~
~~the~~ inside of the House the Finishing
of the Gable Fencing of the lot and such other
improvements as the parties shall from time to
time agree upon and what is not thus expressed
in improvements is to be paid in Cash so that the
rent shall be paid annually and no part and
it is further agreed by the said Mr. Allen that he
will or his heirs Executors or shall give unto the
said Thos. Lewis peaceable possession of the
Premises aforesaid in good repair together
with the following list of Furniture and necessary
~~to the same~~ except the wear and tear at the expiration
of four years from the first day of June 1836

In testimony whereof the said Thos. Lewis
hath hereunto set his hand and seal this the
day and year above written
Signed sealed &c. as witness
in presence of
S. B. Johnson
B. B. Brown

Thos. Lewis

The State of Ohio } Before me Samuel B
Johnson County ss } Johnson a Justice of the
Peace in & for said County personally seen
Thos. Lewis sign & seal the within
said Acknowledged the signing & sealing
of the same to be his voluntary act & deed
for the purposes therein expressed

Given under my hand & seal
this 1st day of June AD 1836
Samuel B. Johnson
Justice of the Peace

I hereby assign ~~all~~ My right title and
Claim of the within lease to Wm. Sharp for
value rec^d and allow the same to be recorded—
this 3rd day of Sept 1836.

A. B. Alony

NB Possession to be Given on the 12th of this
Inst.

A. B. Alony

Filed & recorded Octo 13th 1836 in Volume 5 page 250
B B Smith Record

For & in consideration of the sum of four hundred dollars
in hand paid; ^{or deemed to be paid} I assign all my right, title & interest to the
within Lease to Payton B. Smith.

Marysville. July 28th 1837.

and I allow the same to be recorded
 as witness my hand and
 Orest }
 was there } O. B. C. ipel Seal

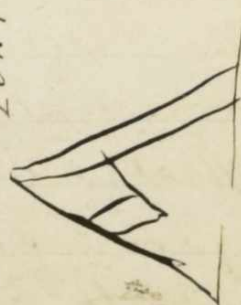
For value received I assign my
 Right and title to the within Lease to Chester
 Faunum and allow it to be recorded witness my
 hand February 6th 1839 Levi Antwin

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1) I hereby assign all my
write title & claim of the
within lease to Eli Shundy
for value received. by him & the
his heirs & assigns with the conditions
in said lease from the first of June 1838

written June 1840
and I allow the same
to be recorded
as witness my hand
William Hays

Thos J Lewis
to Lease
Andrew McAdoo

Filed & recorded August
6th 1846 in volume 5th page
297 & 8 P B Smith Recorder
MBC

I Herely assign all my wright
Litle Interest and Claim of the
within Lease to G. B. Birfill or Bourn
for value Received and allow the same
to be Recorded as Witness my hand

Nov^r 6. 1838

Oli^{ver} Lunday
witness

Attest
Mrs. Thorpe

Dec^r 31 1838

I Herely assign all my write litle
Interest and ^{of the within Lease} Claim to Levi Antrim
or Bourn for value Received & said Antrim
agrees to ^{pay} all Rents Due or may be Due
from the first of June 1838 until June
1840 as Specified in said Lease

Union Com. Pleas

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Præcipe

Stephen M. Linn

W. W. Woods and

Chester. Farnam

Filed May 20th 40

J. W. Gill Clk

Union Co. N. C. May Term 1840

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vs.

Steph McLean
William B. Woody X
Chester Farmer

Bill in Chancery.

In this case issued

Subpoena returnable forthwith.

To Clk. of Com. Pleas
Union Co.

J. B. Powell Compt. Sol.

Union Com Pleas

C Larnum
a G. in Chen
Sevi Auburn

Answer

Filed Sept 30. 1840
James H. Geolett

Recorded

The separate answer of Chester Farnum to the
Bill of Complaint exhibited against himself and others by
Levi Antrim


And the said Farnum now comes and for
answer to said bill or so much thereof as he is advised is material
for him to respond to in answering says that on the 6th day
of February 1839 the said Complainant was in possession of
the Tavern stand as charged. and that pretending as he did that
the Furniture in the House and ~~rest~~ ^{part} of the stand ~~part~~ ^{part} of ~~some~~
~~part~~ ^{part} ~~was~~ ^{was} his Complainant's ~~part~~ ^{part} ~~left~~ ^{left} did induced by
such pretences enter into the agreement with Compt as charged
But that left remained in possession of the stand and
Furniture but a few days before most of the property mentioned
not included in the Mortgage of Sharp and McLean in the House
and owned by Antrim was levied upon by Constables or other officers
and the balance ^{was sold to left by Antrim after the sale by the officers}
and sold, and the Mortgagees or their assignees as they said become
apprehensive of losing their property in the same way and refused
to leave it in Compt's possession longer, that in consequence
this defendant was compelled to buy the property or give up
the lease and quit the house to which he had but recently
removed at great expense, that this left so purchased the
property scheduled in the Mortgage of W. W. Woods alike left
for ~~the~~ ²¹² \$~~212~~ excepting one bed and bedding not furnished to this left
by said Woods. That ~~about~~ ^{that sometime after this} ~~or~~ ^{the same} ~~time~~ ^{time} one
David Witte and one Pete Igon called on left and informed
this left that he could not hold the House longer unless left
became a center of them or one of them and that this defendant
accordingly was compelled again to rent the House of them
~~said~~ ^{said} Igon to whom for the rent this left executed
his several notes of hand which are still in the hands of said
Igon except so far as have been paid. That thus by the
officers, ^{Complainant's} the Mortgagees, and the owners of the Freehold this
defendant was deprived of all benefit from the lease made
to him by Compt

You ~~must~~ ^{deft} further charges that he accounted to said Compt
 for the rent of the House and Furniture so long as he held them
 in his possession, ^{by a lease from Compt} and what was unjust and ~~wholly~~ wrong paid
 Compt the 50.\$. for the privilege of the lease. That in this
 way this deft. has been taught to call the Furniture his own and
 that he never pretended that he had accounted to Woods or McEain
 for the rent of the same nor did deft ever think that rent for the same
 was due any one from him. The part of the Furniture Bot-
 By this deft. of Com-plainant is evidenced by the three bills
 here with filed marked 1, 2 & 3. and this deft. here
 expressly charges that at the time of entering into said articles mentioned
 and frequently since ~~deft~~ Compt directed defendant to pay the
 rent on the freehold to the owners thereof in improvements on the
 Lot and House and for that purpose to enable deft to do so
 assigned to this defendant the lease he held on the premises
 herewith filed marked A. and that any payments this deft
 could make on the premises of the House would go in discharge
 of the rent secured to Compt by said articles for which as aforesaid
 defendant has giving his notes to Igon and the rent on the
 premises due Igon amounted to 224\$. per year in
 stead of 175.\$. for which deft was to have the
 premises from Compt. That this deft
 has accounted with the owner for the rent
 of the freehold from the day he entered the same
 until this day. and having thus fully
 answered this defendant prays to be discharged
 with his costs in this behalf expended and as in duty bound
 he will ever pray By ~~Robert~~ ^{Robert} his Sol

~~Robert~~
~~Robert~~
~~Robert~~
~~Robert~~
~~Robert~~

State of Ohio ()
Union County)

Chester Farnum being duly sworn says
that the matters and things contained in the foregoing answer
are true in substance and in fact as he verily believes

Chester Farnum
Sworn and subscribed this 23 day of Sept 1840
Oliver Quincy 
Mayor of the Town
of Mayville

A bill of
 our property
 lost by Lumber
 from Intruder

5	26
1	4
3	5
1	18,00

7	10
1	25
1	37
1	40
3	00
1	02
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14	52

Boat for hire
 1 Bag canvas cloth
 2 Small shovels
 1 Saw carrying knife

\$25.683 1/4
1.37 1/2
1.45
1.00
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\$28.81 1/4

February 6th 1839

A Bill of Articles in the bar
C. Fannum Bot of L. Antoin

6	Decanters at	68 $\frac{3}{4}$	\$4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
1	Doz Decanters		6.00
1	Jar		.50
1	bottle		.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
2	bottles peppersauce	37 $\frac{1}{2}$.75
1	Large Lamp		4.50
2	funnels	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.5
1	bottle with Lemmon		06 $\frac{1}{4}$
1	" " Atolan		6 $\frac{1}{4}$
1	" empty		6 $\frac{1}{4}$
2	large bottles	50	1.00
2	measures each	6 $\frac{1}{4}$.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
2	Jugs bottle & pitcher	12 $\frac{1}{2}$ each	.50
1	Bar pitcher		1.83 $\frac{1}{4}$
4	candlesticks	6 $\frac{1}{4}$.25
1	Counters Brush		.25
1	Bar tub		.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
1	Bucket		.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
1	wash Barrow		.183 $\frac{1}{4}$
10	pair Slippers	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.75
1	boot Jack		.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
1	oil cloth for table		1.00
3	" " Star covers	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
	taken over		\$95.68 $\frac{3}{4}$

Ship
of summer
bet of brook

C.

one Curdall Stair 4 Straps of Carpenting one
Carving knife and fork one safe one gridiron one tea kettle
one Iron pot 2 pair of Iron tongs 14 knives and forks 2 cream
Cups 2 spoons 2 small Servers 1 small Bell 1 oyster Bell
2 sets window Curtains one pair of Tute yard

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1 medium fork	\$1.00
1 ritter	6.00
1 gilt glass	5.00
1 ritt chain	6.00
1 table	3.50
1 light stand	2.50
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	\$ 24.00

Union Com Pleas

S. M. Cain

Q ds } in Chancery
Svi Antoin

Answer

Filed Sept 30. 1840

James H. Gillette

Recorded

The separate answer of Stephen Mc Lain to
the bill of Compt exhibited against himself and the
defendant in answering says that he entirely
disclaims any interest in this controversy. saying true
the mortgage was executed as charged and the profits taken
by Thors and self as charged but says that his interest passed
to m. w. woods a like debt by sale as early as the spring of
1839. That to effect this sale to Woods this debt had
to and did discount on his claim so as to induce woods
to buy a bond 9 per cent on the whole. He positively de-
nies that Compt ever requested him to account, endorse,
give credit, for, or about this whole transaction
of the mortgage and profits and says that he was always in
readiness and willing to do so, so long as he had any interest
in the matter. This debt would further state that one of
the beds and bedding described in the mortgage at the time of
its execution belonged to one Robson & Boome and was by
him held and not by the Mortgagees. This defendant
denies that he had any thing to do with Compt in his
dealings so as to prevent him from securing and prosecuting
his claims against ^{Jarman} at Law and says that what if any
thing the said Jarman pretends let him answer for him
self

And having thus fully answered he prays to be dismissed
with his costs in this behalf most unjustly incurred
and as in duty bound he will ever pray &c
State of Ohio Misc Com 5 SS (1839 to Lawrence his sol
Stephen Mc Lain being duly sworn says that the matters and
things set forth in the above answer are true in substance
and in fact

Stephen Mc Lain

Sworn and subscribed before me
Sept 29. 1840

Wm H Frank J.P. &c

Wm. C. Pleas

Wm. Woods

A. C. Chauncey

Serv. Antrui

Answer

Filed Sept 29, 1840

James H. Gill M

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The ~~Joint~~ and several answers of of W. H. Wood
and Stephen McLain to the bill of Complaint of
Levi Antin exhibited against themselves and C. Garrison

The said Woods now comes and for answer to said bill
or so much thereof as he is advised is material for him to
respond to in answering says that he admits the execu-
tion of the mortgage by Compt to Sharp and McLain and also
the sale of the part of lot No (69) but positively denies that
the Compt was to receive 550\$. for said part of a lot
but charges that it was valued in its passage from Antin
to the mortgagees at 450\$. as he is informed and verily
believes. He further admits the sale by Sharp to self of his
interest in said mortgage and denies that he now at any
time since about the time of his purchase from Sharp that
he claims with ~~one~~ S. McLain but charges that he
long before the commencement of this suit and as early as the
Spring of 1839 he purchased of Stephen McLain his interest in
the same by selling the personal property described in said
mortgage to said Garrison for ~~Five~~ ^{Three} hundred dollars the
which said McLain took in full discharge of his interest
in said mortgage. This sale was made as this defendant
believes with the full knowledge of Complainant.

This defendant here ~~denies~~ positively denies that he ever
refused or neglected to account with the said Compt for
any thing received for said property or neglected or refused
to endorse the amt of 450\$. for part of lot No 69. or
for that part received for the personal property or in
any thing in any way connected with said mortgage
or property. But on the contrary charges that he has at all
times and places been ready willing waiting and extremely
anxious to have this business closed by receiving the money
due him and Compt taking a release of said mortgage
on in lot No 18. and denies that Compt ever requested
him to account or endorse but he done it promptly

This defendant in further answering says that he sold the personal property for every cent it was worth and a little more and would here remind Compt of a fact known to us both that one of the beds and bedding contained in the mortgage was claimed held and owned by one Robson & Broome for which when we come to a settlement defendant will claim a credit of about 18.75.

That as for redeeming said personal property defendant knows not but would be very much obliged to Compt if he would redeem the realty after taking credit for the personalty and if Compt would rather have this in preference to the credit defendant will procure him the property to same amount. This defendant here denies that Compt has ever offered to or paid the notes on said mortgage and charges that he has had to and did pay the Bail debt mentioned in the bill of Compt. This defendant denies having had anything to do with the matters of Compt and Farrum to prevent a legal prosecution.

And having this fully answered he prays to be dismissed with his cost in this case unjustly occasioned and as in duty bound will ever pray &c

By Robson & Broome his sol

State of Ohio
Union County

W. W. Woods being duly sworn says that the matters and things set forth in the foregoing answer are true in substance and in fact as he verily believes.

W. W. Woods

Sworn and subscribed before me
Sept 28 1840

James Turner JP

Antrim }
by } In Chancery
McLain }

Master Comr's

Report

by
Filed Apl. 26. 1842
Jas. H. Hill Clerk



Records



Levi Autvin
 by
 Stephen McLain
 W W Woods &
 Chester Farnum } Sir Chauncery

The report of James M Milkington Master in Chauncery, to whom this cause stands referred, for the purpose of stating an account between the parties pursuant to the interlocutory decree, rendered at November term A. D. 1841.

The amount to secure, for which the Mortgage was given, appears to be as follows To wit

one ^{note} for \$40 due and dated 31 st december 1838	\$40,00,0
one note same date due 3 months from date for \$121,00	121,00,0
one note same date due 6 months from date for \$121	121,00,0
one Note same date due 12 months from date for \$121	121,00,0
one Note same date due 15 months from date for \$121	121,00,0
all made payable to C B Cipel	
Two notes given to S McLain amounting to	213,82,0
Amount of Bail debt for which McLain & Thayer were holden	64,56,5
Total Amount	\$802,38,5

The whole Personal property transferred by Mortgage amounted to \$232,00 for which Autvin is entitled to Credit 232,00
 From which deduct \$8 claimed for Bed & bedding owned by R L Broom - which W W Woods claims, Leases \$214,00
 To which add the amount for which Lot No 16 was sold to Mortgagees namely \$450,00 450,00
 Total Amount of Credits \$664,00
 Leaving a Ballance
 Due on Mortgage of \$138,98,5
 for which W W Woods holds Lot No 18 -

James M Milkington Master Com

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0009

No. 40-CH-9

Union Common Pleas Court.

Levi Phelps

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Gwynn's Heirs,

Defendant.

APR TERM. 1841

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Wm. C. Peas

Levi Phelps

vs

Lawrence Ashton et al

Bill in Chancery

Filed May 20th 1840

J. H. Gill Clerk

Copies made

Read

To the honorable the Judges of the Court of
Common Pleas, for the County of Union, when in Chancery sitting.

Humbly Complaining sheweth unto your Honors
your orator Levi Phelps, a resident of said County, that on
the 13th day of February 1813 there issued to the heirs of the
late Captain Benjamin of Virginia, namely to W^m. F. Cynes
Benjamin Cynes, George N. Cynes, & Martha B. Cynes,
and unto Abraham B. Hove, & W^m. F. Hove, Children of
Lucy F. Hove, before that time dead, three several
patents for lands, lying in this County, from the United States.

That in the year 1828, that three several tracts of land
were sold at tax sales, and described as surveys No^s 4404
& 4405, & 4404 in this County. That James A. Curry purchased
survey No. 4405. Further that of the heirs & legal Repre-
sentatives aforesaid there still live Martha B. Cynes, now
by marriage with John Stewart, Martha B. Stewart, 2^d George
N. Cynes, 3^d Abraham B. Hove who is entitled to the interest
of his brother W^m. F. Hove, who died without issue. 4th
W^m. F. Cynes died in 1828, leaving Jane B. his widow, and
Virginia Washington, his eldest daughter, formerly by Vir-
ginia ~~Washington~~ ^{Cynes}, but intermarried with Henry Washington
And the following Children who are still Minors: Richard
M. Cynes, W^m. F. Cynes, Benjamin F. Cynes, & Thomas J. Cynes.
5th Benjamin Cynes, a patentee, also died in the year 1829,
leaving Louisa Cynes since married to Edgar Snowden,
Washington L. Cynes, Jane B. Cynes and Eleanor
the three last named being minors, his heirs, and are the wards
of the said John Stewart, all of whom your Orator prays may
be made defendants to this bill, & who reside in this
George County Virginia. And your Orator further Charges that
on the 7th of June 1832 said Abraham B. Hove, and W^m. F. Hove,
and George N. Cynes patentees as aforesaid, and who were entitled
to two thirds of said lands, did, over their hands and seals, autho-
rize and empower one Lawrence Ashton of Carroll County Kentucky,

whom your Orator prays may be made a like defendant to this bill, to redeem by law or otherwise Com promise and raise from off said lands the incumbrances caused by the Tax sales aforesaid, at said Ashton's own proper Costs & Charges, and in consideration thereof bound themselves to abide by and ratify any contract or compromise he, said Ashton, might make for that purpose, and convey to him by a proper conveyance the one third part of their interest in said lands, when so redeemed, or otherwise raised.

And for this purpose said Ashton was appointed agent by the other adult heirs in their proper persons, & by the the guardians of the Minors aforesaid. And your Orator further Charges that in discharge the said Ashton did redeem or otherwise Com promise for and raise and obtain from said lands all the Tax incumbrances aforesaid; that is, from James A. Durny the Tax Claim or Survey No. 4405, & from Silas G. Strong the same on Survey No. 4405 & 4406 and from Mordecai Baughan the same on Survey No. 4404

Your orator further Charges that on the 19th day of Feb^r 1833 entered into a written agreement over his hand and Seal for one half his interest in Survey No. 4405 - 1

which is hereby made a part of this bill. Marked A and by which the said Ashton was to have long since have conveyed to your orator. For the sum of 100.\$. the payment of which by your orator was made and enabled said Ashton to redeem said lands from their incumbrances aforesaid. Your orator further Charges that some time in the last year said defendant combining with one Sewall Gwynne of Hamilton County this State and fraudulently intending to cheat and defraud your orator in that behalf conveyed or pretended to convey the whole of his lands

interest in said lands to said Guymer whom your
orator make a title defendant Your orator
charges this sale to have been fraudulent and for-
iniquitous, purpose and contrary to Equity
Your Honor's consideration whereof and in as much
as your orator is wholly remedied at law and can
only be relieved in this Court where matters of
this kind are justly and exclusively cognizable
Your orator therefore prays that Defendants
severally may be compelled to answer all and
singular the allegations of this bill as particularly
as tho they were here separately interrogated upon the
several charges and Especially that the said Guymer
discover to this Court for what consideration really
paid he obtained said conveyance and the said
Ashton answer and show if he has obtained his
Deed from said Heirs or which of them according
to his said Contract with them: and that on
the final hearing of this cause your Honors would
order and decree a performance of said Contract
by said parties or such of them as may be found
to hold the title to your orator and that
Your Honors would grant your orator
other and further relief such as Equity and good
conscience may require and as in duty
bound your orator will ever pray &c

By T. C. Lawrence
his Sol

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Vair Phelps
as Act
V. Ashton

Señ Phelps

Lawrence Ashton

Mine Obedients

In Chancery

And the said Phelps comes and says that the matters and things set forth in his said Bill of Complaint are true in substance and in fact and that the matters and things set forth in the answer of the said Lawrence Ashton contrary thereto are untrue and this he is ready to make appear as by the Court shall be ordered *By* Lawrence
his Sol

(Exhibit A)

A Copy of an
Agreement
Between
L. Ashton
&
Gwyn

Filed March 27, 1861
Asst. H. E. C. C.

Whereas Lawrence Ashton has made a deed to me this day for the undivided interest which he held in the Lands patented to the heirs of Captain Benjamin Grimes as will more fully appear by the papers on file in the Clerk's Office of the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio, And on the records of said County Now it is understood and agreed between us that the deed is to have the force & effect of a power of Attorney & is to be used in that way. The Consideration named in the deed being merely nominal without a Cent having passed between the parties in this way - But as the said Ashton, on a former occasion sold a certain tract of Land in Hardin County Ohio to me the said Grimes as agent for the heirs of George Lewis as will appear by reference to the deed & documents touching the case Now if the said Ashton should fail to make good the sale to Grimes for the land in Hardin & Grimes should loose the land in Hardin then he the said Grimes is authorized to amply pay himself out of the sales of the land which Ashton has conveyed to him by deed bearing even date with this Agreement, but if Ashton makes good the sale and title to the land sold to Grimes in Hardin then Grimes is to have no claim to the land in Union or any part of the proceeds of the sale except so much as will remunerate him for the trouble & expense of transacting the business.

Cincinnati Ohio

July 13th 1837. (The instrument of which the above is a true copy was signed by Lawrence Ashton & L. M. Grimes)

Levi Phelps

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Hair of Quinsal

Film Oct 7. 1840

Jas. H. Jewell

State of Ohio }
Union County ss.

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21, 1840.

State of Ohio,
Union Common Pleas.
MAY TERM, 1840.

Levi Phelps,

vs.

Heirs of Benjamin
Humes, Lawrence
Hobbs, and Lewallyn
Hwyne.

IN
CHANCERY.

ORDERED that notice of the pendency of this suit be published for consecutive weeks in the "Union Star" a weekly newspaper published at Marysville, in said county with a summary statement of the object and character of said petition and the cause continued.

The bill charges that patents for three surveys V. M. lands, Nos. 4404, 4405 and 4406 in said county, on the 15th day of February, 1813, were issued to Wm. F. Grymes, Benjamin Grymes, George N. Grymes and Martha C. Grymes and unto Abraham B. Hooe and Wm. F. Hooe, children of Nancy F. Hooe, heirs of said Benjamin Grymes, that prior to the year 1830, said surveys were encumbered by tax that on the 7th of June 1832,

R. M. Bratney editor and publisher of the Union Star a weekly newspaper published in Marysville Union County Ohio and of general circulation in said County being duly sworn says that the appended notice appeared for

Six weeks successively on the rising of this the Court of Common Pleas at the May term of this County of which the appended is one sworn to and subscribed before me

R. M. Bratney
This 8. day of October 1840

Wm. H. Frank J.P.

State of Ohio,
 Union Common Pleas.
 MAY TERM, 1840.

Levi Phelps,

vs.

The heirs of Benjamin
 Grymes, Lawrence
 Ashton, and Lewallyn
 M. Gwynne.

IN
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W. C. LAWRENCE, his Solr.
 J. H. GILL, Clerk of said Court.

May 21, 1840.

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JAMES WARD

ad J. A. WARD

LEVI PHILIPS

Filed Apr. 15. 1841

Wm. H. GIBBON

Richard M Grymes & als
Infants by O Curry
Guardian ad litem

^m
Sevi Phelps

Winn Com pleas
In Chancery.

The defendant now comes
and for answer to said
bill as ~~to~~ much thereof as
they are advised is material

for them to answer do say that further than
the papers show they know not, and submit
their case to the Court and pray to be dis-
missed with their Costs.

By O. Curry Guardian
ad litem

Commonwealth of Ky
Carrroll County, 3. Lot.

J. H. Harris, Presiding Justice of the Peace for
the County aforesaid do certify that Richard Butler
is the duly qualified acting Clerk of the County
Court for the County aforesaid that W. Jennings is his
deputy duly qualified, that their acts official
acts as such are entitled to full faith & credit
in that the seal & signature affixed to ~~said~~ the
within Certificate are genuine
J. Harris J.P.

L. Ashton Gal.
Ad 3 Separate and
3 of Ashton

Levi Phelps

Lilia March 27. 1861

Was. W. Rice Clerk

The Separate Answer of Cross of Lawrence-
Ashton to a Bill in Chancery exhibited against
him & others in the Court of Common Pleas for the
County of Union by Levi Phelps Compt.

This Respondent Answering saith, that
he admits the history of the land title as set forth
in Compt's Bill. Also the statements relative to
the tax incumbrance. That this Respondent
was employed to Redeem said land from said tax in-
cumbrance at his own cost, for which he was
to receive ~~two~~ One third of the land so redeemed, as
stated in Compt's Bill. He admits further, that
he did enter into a written agreement with the
Compt, by which, according to his present impress-
ion (he not having the original agreement or a
copy thereof), this Respondent was to convey to
S^r Phelps one half of his third part of all the
said lands he should aid this Resp. in redeem-
ing from the tax incumbrance afo^r. This Resp.
further admits that said Phelps did aid him
in Redeeming of James A. Curry from the incumbrance
afo^r 922 acres, which he supposes will more fully
appear by reference to the Auditor's & Treasurer's books
of Union County Ohio. To Compt's interrogatory, wheth-
er this Resp^t had obtained a deed &c, this Resp. would
answer, that the Adult Heirs for themselves, John
Stewart & Mrs Gwynne (widow of Wm J. Gwynne) did
as guardians for their wards, did execute to him
what he considered a sufficient legal paper to au-
thorise ^{him} ~~me~~ to have the land divided & his part struck off.
Which paper he sent to Mr. Minor & Mr. Lawrence
who were his Attornies in the Redemption
Case & whom he considered his Friends, but what has
become of said paper he knows not.

As regards the deed which this Resp. executed
to Gwynne he saith that he cannot express the
deep mortification he feels on account of the

Unhappy results which have grown out of that
Act of his, which at the time was intended for good.
He saith that the various duties of his Agencies
being laborious & expensive, he thought he could
facilitate his business by executing a deed to
Gwynne, in whom he then had the ^{ut} most Con-
fidence, which he supposed could be used by
Gwynne as a Power of Atto. by which S. Gwynne
could settle this Respondant's business without being
in the least trammelled or embarrassed. Now this
Resp. expressly states that said deed was a volunta-
ry act of his made without any consideration
having been by him received & intended to be used
only as a Power of Attorney, as is shown by an
instrument of writing executed by us at the
same time, a copy of which instrument is here
filed marked (Exhibit A) & made part of this
Answer. ~~Shortly After~~ After some time had
elapsed after the said transaction, without the said
Gwynne having done anything towards closing
the business of this Resp. This Resp. to his
great astonishment was informed that Gwynne
had gone to Europe - but for what or on what
mission this Resp. knows not. It is true
that this Resp. sold to S. Gwynne about 150 acres
of land in Hardin County Ohio, but as to the title
of said land he ^{as Gwynne} was well advised & had every
light on the subject which ^{was} in this Resp's
power to give him & therefore he should not, on
that account make any pretention to hold the
land mentioned in said deed, as it would be un-
just & unfair in the extreme & not in conformity
to our understanding at the time of making
said deed & would be doing great injustice to Levi
Phelps who aided ~~this~~ this Resp in redeeming that
portion of S. land which James A. Curry had
bought & would be doing equal injustice to Alexander Pol-
lock

Who aided ^{this Resp.} me in redeeming the 411 acres which
were purchased ~~by~~ at tax sale by S. G. Strong out
of the same tract if this Resp's memory serves him
This Resp. therefore does most sincerely wish
that his deed to Gwynne may be set aside &
that the land may be divided between Phelps
& Pollock that Levi Phelps & Alexander Pollock
may have their portion of the land allotted
to them according to the true intent & meaning
of their contract with ~~me~~ this Respondent,
And having now fully answered the
Compt's Bill, he prays that he may be dis-
missed from said Bill with his costs &c.
Lawrence Ashton

Commonwealth of Ky.
Carroll County, Sct.

J. H. Davis a Justice of the peace for the
County of Carroll in the State of Ky. do Certify that
Lawrence Ashton, the Resp in the foregoing Answer,
this day appeared before me in my office & made
oath that the statements in said answer, so far
as they purport to have been made on his own
knowledge, are true, & so far as they purport to be
made on the information of others, he believes
to be true. Given under my hand as Justice
aff. this 19th day of March A.D. 1841.

J. H. Davis J.P. Seal

Commonwealth of Ky.
Carroll County, Sct.

J. Rich^d P. Butler, Clerk of the County Court for the
County aff. do Certify that H. Harris whose name is
signed to the above Certificate, is an ^{fully qualified} acting Justice of the
Peace for said County & that his official acts as such are
entitled to full faith & credit & that his said signature is
genuine. In testimony whereof I have
herewith subscribed my name & affixed
the seal of my office this 19th March 1841.

Rich^d P. Butler clk
By J. Senowen J.P.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0010

No. 40-CH-10

Union Common Pleas Court.

James W Evans Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Stephen M Lavin Defendant.

APR TERM, 1841

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of this Court & our Grator fees he may be made defind
out and that on final hearing your Honor would order
and confine & conveyance to your Grator of said
lot and that your Honor would grant your Grator
other and further relief in the premises as may be agin
take and suit and you Grator as in that bond and
in may ~~be~~ By W. Lawrence del for ~~Bank~~

I waive the use of process and hereby enter my appearance
and acknowledge service hereof given under my hand
July 6. 1840
Stephen McLean

Union Com Pleas

James W Evans
vs Bill in Chancery

Stephen M. Guin

Filed July 6. 1840

Jas. H. Rice Clerk
cost here made

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Chancery
in Chancery sitting

Humbly complaining sheweth unto your Honors James W. Evans of said County that heretofore to wit on the 3^d day of May 1837 your orator purchased of one Stephen McLain of the same place (who was or pretended to be seized in fee thereof) in lot no. 15. in the Town of Marysville in said County for the sum of 469. \$ 257 \$ thereof was to be and was paid on the first day of November 1837. and the balance 212 \$ was to be and was paid by your orator on the first day of May 1838 to said McLain all of which will more fully and at large appear by reference to the agreement of said McLain and the notes of Receipt herewith filed and marked A. B & C and which he prays to be taken as part of this bill your orator further shews that in pursuance of said agreement he took possession of said lot and improved the same to a great expence to your orator (to wit 1500 \$). That by said agreement marked A said McLain was to convey said lot to your orator by good warrant deed and further that on the payments aforesaid and on divers other days since your orator has called on and requested said McLain in a peaceable manner to execute and convey said lot to your orator as by his said agreement he should and he ought but that said McLain neglects and refuses so to do sometimes alleging that he has not time sometimes pretending that he will after a while your orator further charges that said McLain combines with others to your orator unknown to cheat and defraud your orator out of his title to said lot contrary to equity and good conscience in tender consideration whereof and in as much as your orator is with out remedy at common law and can be relieved alone by the Chancery Jurisdiction

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Filed Aug. 6. 1840

Jas. H. Hill Clerk

On or before the first day of May
1838 I promise to pay Stephen J. McLean
Dr order two hundred and twelve
dollars value rec^d May 3^d 1837.

Evans

C

Film July 6. 1840

Jas. H. Sullivan

On or before the first day of November
next I promise to pay Stephen McLain
or order the sum of two hundred and
fifty seven dollars value ~~recd~~ Mar 3. 1837.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0011

No. 40-CH-11

Union Common Pleas Court.

Charles Barr

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Elizabeth Dean

Defendant.

APR TERM, 1846

Sale of Land

DECREE FOR PLAINTIFF

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The description of said lands so far as your
order can go is that the lands are a part of Survey
No. 3443. W. M. entered in the name of David Danvers
for one thousand acres and lying on the waters of Wolf
creek this county. The survey on your petition stands
is that he may be evicted by the order of this court to see
said 96. acres off the north end of the lands of said Dan
vers. That the debts may be paid and the will executed
and as in duty bound he will ever pray &c
By testimony in law

Union Com Pleas

Charles Barr

vs

Elizabeth Dean et al

Petition to see land

Filed July 6 1840

Geo. H. Hill Clerk

Cost bill made

Recorded

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in the County of Union Ohio in Session and in Chancery sitting

~~The undersigned~~ your Petitioner Charles Burr an resident of said County and Administrator with the will annexed of John Dean late of this County died respectfully represents to your Honors that by the last will and testament of said Dead He disposed of all his personal property in kind to his minor Children and made several Legacies to such of his Children as had left his family and charged the payment of the same upon and from the proceeds of ninety six acres of land and left no other means of paying the debts of said Dead but the proceeds of said lands. All the lands of ~~which~~ which the said Dean died seized ~~up~~ in this County and amount to 396. acres and by said will he devised three hundred acres of the same to his minor Children Elizabeth, Jackson, George and Greenland Dean whom your orators pray may be made defendants to this will and further that the said Dean in his life time set off and appointed the 96. acres to be sold for the purposes aforesaid on the north end of his farm to be laid off so as to lie parallel to the north line of said farm but in his will made no provision for the sale of the same by any person specifically,

Said Dean left the following Heirs of age (Joint) Sarah Howe ~~and~~ of Kentucky whose Husband ^{Christian} name is unknown to this petitioner, Owen Dean in the State of Illinois, John Dean same State and Ruth Bodkin of Ohio whose whose husbands Christian name is alike unknown ~~and~~ ~~for~~ all of whom your orator prays may be made defendants your orator further shows that he has proceeded so far as possible under said will in execution of the same as can be done without the sale of said land and that the ^{and Legacies} debts due from said estate remain wholly unpaid and must do so until the same is sold to enable your orator

do to do

Charles Burnes

3 proof of pub

Ely. Jean

Filed Nov 4. 1861

James H. Gilwell

Union Common Pleas.
PETITION TO SELL LAND.

Charles Burr Adm'r with
the will annexed of John
Dean,

vs

Elizabeth Dean Jackson,
George & Greeland Dean
& husband, Owen Dean
John Dean, and Ruth
Bodkin & husband, heirs
and legal representatives
of said John Dean dec'd.

IN CHANCE-
RY.

THE Bill charges the death of said John Dean & the disposition of the personalty entire by will, and that the debts are directed to be paid from the proceeds of the sale of ninety six acres off of the North end of the land of said Dean deceased, lying in Union county, being part of Survey No. 3443 entered in the name of David Duncan, on Bokes creek; and further charges that there is no special power in said will authorizing the sale thereof, and concludes with a prayer for an order of Court for the sale of said land. The said Sarah How and husband, resident somewhere in Kentucky, Owen Dean and John Dean of the State of Indiana, and Ruth Bodkin & husband somewhere in the State of Ohio, (the Christian names of the husbands of said Sarah and Ruth being unknown to the petitioner, as well as the present residence of said non-resident defendents,) are hereby notified that they appear and defend, or the said bill and matters therein charged, will, after the expiration of sixty days from the rising of the next term of said Court be taken for confessed, and a decree rendered accordingly.

W C LAWRENCE, Sol for Pet:

J H GILL, Cl'k s'd Court:

Sept: 3, 1841

be Counterfeiters

will

State of Ohio Union County ss
Personally appeared in open
Court Robert McBratney pub-
lisher of the "Union Star" a ~~news~~
weekly News paper published in
Marysville of said County and
of general circulation therein who
being duly sworn according to Law
says that the appended notice appear-
ed for six weeks successively in
which the one here attached is one
first-day of this term
1841.

Robert McBratney

Subscriber

40 days of Nov. 1841

James H. Gullatt

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Said paper of which the one here attached is one
 prior to the first-day of this term
 Nov. 4. 1841. Robert McBratney

Sworn to and subscribed
 before me this 4th day of Nov. 1841
 James H. Sullatt

Burn vs Deans Hire

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Union Cont^d Pleas

Charles Burr Et.

" } Order to Apprais

Eliz Dean

Mr Danforth

get some J.P. to swear you
will appraise it leave his sign and
send down to morrow to Court

Wm E. Lawrence



State of Ohio Union County ss.

On motion to the Court by Mr. Lawrence Counsel for the Petitioner, It is ordered that James Henderson David Danforth & Andrew Thompson, being first duly sworn do upon actual view of the Premises make a just valuation of the ~~premises~~ real estate described in the Petition of Charles Burr Administrator of John Dean dec^d. or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the Debts of said estate and that they return such valuation to the next Term of this Court, - ~~The~~ ~~last will & testament~~ of John Cassid Clerk of said Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio, Certify the foregoing entry to have been correctly taken and copied from the Journals of said Court at their May Term AD 1845,

John Cassid Clerk

We the undersigned, Commissioners mentioned
in the Order directed to us, from the Union Com^m
Pleas Court, After being duly sworn upon an
Actual view of the premises, we estimate said
land mentioned in the Petition at ~~Three Dollars and~~
~~fifty cents~~ ~~dollars~~ ^{per} acre, Given under
our hands, and seals this 19th day of August AD 1845,

James Henderson Seal
David Danforth Seal
A. H. Menpsee Seal

Fees of Appraisors \$51.00 Each

The State of Ohio, Union County ss.

On the 19th day of August 1845, before
me personally appeared James Henderson David Dan
forth & Andrew Thompson above named and made
solemn Oath that they would upon Actual View
honestly and impartially appraise the real estate of
John Sean deceased in pursuance of the order of the
Court of Common Pleas of Union County in the case
of Charles Burr. Executor vs. Elizabeth Sean & others

Justice of the Peace
of said County,
Joshua Judye J.P.

Union Court Pleas

Charles Burr Esq

Eliz Dean et al

Order of Sale

Filed Febr. 27. 1846.
John Cassil CLK

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the door of the court house in the town of Marysville in Union county, between the legal hours on the 31st day of December next, by order of the court of common pleas, ninety-six acres of land to be taken off the north end of the farm owned by the

late John Dean, deceased, in said county and township of Liberty, and part of survey no. 3443, entered in the name of David Duncan, on the waters of Bokes creek. Terms—one third in hand, the balance in one and two years, interest from sale.

CHARLES BURR, Admr.
with will annexed.
Nov. 29, 1845.

be within order
of the premises in
shown by the appraisers
published in
Union and
and between the
Lock P.M. on
court house
It lands as

described in the notice and the said tract of the same
to Isaac Holloway he being the highest and best bidder there
for at the sum of three ~~hundred~~ dollars for acres the same
being more than two thirds the appraised value thereof
upon terms as directed

Dec 31, 1845

Charles Burr
Admr with the will annexed

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Filed Febr. 27. 1846.
John Cassil CLK

In pursuance of the within order
I proceeded to advertise the premises in
the Bill described as appears by the appended

notice for more than thirty days in the only paper published in
and of general circulation in the county of Union and
on the 31st day of December 1845 proceeded between the
Hours of 10 O'clock A.M. and 4 O'clock P.M.
to sell by public outcry at the door of the court house
in the Town of Marysville to the highest bidder the lands as
described in the notice and the ^{there} and struck off the same
to Isaac Holloway he being the Highest and best bidder there
for at the sum of three ~~hundred~~ dollars per acre the same
being more than two thirds the appraised value thereof
upon terms as directed

Charles Buzzard

See 39. 1845

do not with the will annexed

State of Ohio Union County ss.

Charles Burr Executor vs

Elizabeth Dear et al

} Appraisement returned
and Confirmed and
the Court finding it
necessary to sell said

premises to pay debts, The said Executor is ordered
to sell said premises upon the following terms
One third in hand, One third in one year from
the sale thereof and the remaining ~~two~~ third in
two years, with Interest, and make report to the
next Term of this Court, to which time this
Cause is Continued,

Charles Burr Exr. vs } Oct Term 1845

Eliz: Dear et al

} Continued under former order

J. John Cassid Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of Union County Certify the foregoing
to be correctly taken and copied from the
journals of said Court,

Witness my hand and seal of office
this 25. day of Nov. A.D. 1845

John Cassid Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0012

Chancery Case

1840-CH-0012

located with

Supreme Court Case

1841-SC-0004

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0013

No. 40-CH-13

Union Common Pleas Court.

Silas G. Strong

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Ransom Clark

Defendant.

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State of Ohio Union County ss

Silas G. Strong being duly sworn according to Law De Joseph and sayeth, that the within statements contained in the within Bill of Complaint of the said Silas G. Strong vs. Ransom Clark Samuel V. Muesh. Robert M. O'Hara & Edgar Warrnott. so far as stated from his own knowledge, are true & so far as stated from the information of others he believes to be true.

Silas G. Strong

Sworn & subscribed this 15th day of July

A 1840 Before me

James W. Wilkinson Master Comptroller

in Charge for
Union County

Silas G. Strong

Ransom Clark
Et al

Bill in Chancery

Filed July 17. 1840

Jas. H. Sewell

with bills read

Recorded

July 16th 1840

I allow an ⁱⁿjunction
to issue in this case
as prayed for in the Bill
by complainants giving bond
& security to the acceptance
of the Clerk in the sum of
two hundred dollars
James Sewell
Clerk of Court

To the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas
in and for the County of Union in Chancery Sitting
Humbly complaining your Orator Silas G. Strong
of said County represents unto your honors that on
the 3^d day of October AD 1837. The President directors
and Company of the Clinton Bank of Columbus,
recovered judgement against your Orator & others upon
the Law side of this Court for the sum of \$1218.50
That on the ~~same~~ fourth day of May 1838 an execu-
tion issued upon said judgement, which was levied
upon In lots Nos 30, 31 & 42 & out lots No 2 in the
Town of Mansville Union County O. which said lots
were appraised by the oaths of Ambrose Meeker
Sidney Gilbert & Alexander Pollock at the sum
of \$2,500. to wit In lot Nos 30, 31 & 42 at 500¢ and out
lots No 2 at \$2,000 which said execution was returned
"no sale for want of Bidders, That on the 9th day of ~~May~~
March 1838. your Orator paid to Mr Gilbert one of the
Attornies of said Bank the sum of two hundred dollars
upon said judgement That subsequently on motion
said appraisement was set aside by the Court and on
the 14th day of November 1838. an Alias Venditioni
Exponis issued upon said judgement and said lots
reappraised at 1450¢ to wit In lots No 30, 31 & 42 at
350¢ and out lot No 2 at 1100¢ That on the 12th day of
July 1839. Your Orator paid to Brush & Gilbert attys for
Plaintiffs ~~the~~ One hundred and Fifty dollars. and
on the 13th day of the same month the further sum of 50¢
upon said judgement That on the 9th day of ~~August~~ October
1839 an Alias Plura Venditioni Exponis with a Levy Clause
issued to Ransom Clark Sheriff of said County whom your Orator
prays may be made one of the defendants to this Bill which
was levied by said Sheriff upon 365 acres of land part of
Survey No 2982 in Union County Ohio which was appraised

at Four dollars per acre which said writ was returned
"not sold for want of Bidders" Your Petitioner further states, that
on or about the 23^d day of May 1840. Brush & Gilbert had in
their hands the sum of 117 $\frac{1}{2}$ money collected for your Orator
and your Orator by Agreement with Samuel Brush one of
the Plaintiffs Attornies (whom your Orator also prays to be made
defendant to this Bill), in said Judgement and active mem-
ber of the Firm of Brush & Gilbert doing the Business of the firm
of Brush & Gilbert doing the Business of the Firm exclusively
in Minn County for said Bank applied the said 117 $\frac{1}{2}$ Money
in their hands of Brush & Gilbert towards the payment of the
aforesaid Judgement in Consideration that the said Brush then
and there agreed & promised your Orator that No Vendition
Executio should issue against your Orator upon said Judge-
ment during the following Vacation between the terms of this
Court your Orator therefore agreed that said 117 $\frac{1}{2}$ should be
applied upon said Judgement, and it was so applied, and the
said Brush agreed and promised as aforesaid, Your Orator
relying in good faith upon the said promises, of ^d Brush gave
himself no further uneasiness upon the subject, but so it was,
as your Orator has been informed & verily Believes, the ^d
Ransom Clark Sheriff as aforesaid and Samuel Brush one
of the Attornies for the Plaintiff in said Judgement combining together
to injure and defraud your Orator and Cause said land to be sold
Contrary to your Orators belief and expectation the said Clark made
Application to the Acting Deputy Clerk of said County informing him
that he must have a vendi issued upon said Judgement immediately
or he could not advertise and sell the same and persuaded the said
Acting deputy Clerk to issue a venditioni Executio upon said
Judgement on the 4th day of June 1840 and the said Sheriff
advertised your Orators said property for sale on the 9th
day of July 1840. Your Orator further states that your Orator
having important business in the United States Court then
in Session in the City of Columbus in this State and still

having Confidence that the said Bush would act in good faith with your Orator and order said Sale to be stayed when the same came to his Knowledge, left the County of Union previous to said Sale & remained absent for several days during which time said Sale took place.

But so it was the said Ransom Clark Sheriff as aforesaid & said Bush for the Combining and Confederating together to injure & defraud your Orator United with Robert McIlwain & Edgar Harriott as your orators is informed and when your Orators pray may be made defendants to this Bill verily Believes to sell said Land at but a few cents more than two thirds its appraised value as your orator is informed & verily Believes the said Robt McIlwain & Edgar Harriott sent the bid to said Sheriff in writing, and if the said Clark cried said bids at all publicly, he must as your Orator is informed have done so in a low voice and for but a short time & that too during the time when this Court was in session and the attention of all those who were not party to this fraudulent transaction was drawn to the business of this Court. Out lot No 2 was there sold to the said Robt McIlwain & Edgar Harriott for the sum of 734\$ as in a fraudulent manner contrary to the said express verbal agreement between your orators & said Samuel Bush attorney for said Bank and as your Orator believes at a secret and clandestine sale made by said Clark, said Sale was immediately on motion in the absence of your Orator confirmed by said Court and said Clark ordered to make a deed for said out lot No 2 in Mayville. Your Orator therefore pray that in as much as he has no remedy upon the law side that the said Ransom Clark Samuel Bush Robert McIlwain and Edgar Harriott may be compelled to answer upon their Corporal Oaths all and singular the matters & things contained in this Bill that the said Clark answer, whether he did not make application to the deputy Clerk for said Vendic

And Urge the said Clerk to issue the same -
Whether he did not receive the bid of said McIlvain & Harriott
in writing sometime previous to said sale. And whether he did
not offer said land for sale during the actual session of Court
in a law notice voice strike the same off in less time
than one minutes time to prevent further bidding upon said
land. The said Brush may answer whether he did not
as attorney for said Bank make an agreement with you
Orator to stay proceedings upon said Judgment until after the
subsequent term of this Court upon the payment of the said
117\$. And whether under the arrangement by which
said sale was made he did not receive from James E Harriott
or Robert McIlvain for Robert McIlvain & Edgar Harriott in part payment of
the amount of the purchase money, a note given by said
J E Harriott with security and how much said note called
for whether the Bid of said McIlvain & Harriott was not made
in writing & whether (he knows) was said Bid & the sale of said land
made by public Out Cry or in a ~~great~~ low voice & great haste
And that said McIlvain answer whether he has any interest
in said land except to permit his name to be used whether the
bid was not made in writing & not publicly cried
And that said Edgar Harriott. answer whether he knew anything
of said purchase. whether he ever gave his consent thereto or suffered
his name to be used together with his consent if so how said
bid was made whether in writing or verbally
Now orator further prays that a writ of Injunction may issue
that Ransom Clark Sheriff of said County may be enjoined
from executing a deed to said McIlvain & Edgar
Harriott for said Out lot No 2 in the Town of Marysville so
sold on the 9th day of July 1840 and on final hearing of this
Cause said sale may be set aside and that your orator may have
much other & further relief in the premises as equity & good
Conscience may require and your orator as in duty bound will ever pray
Silas G. Stone in proper

Union Com Pleas

Silas E. Strong

vs Sub. in ch

R. McStrain et al.

I act no wldge service and enter the
appearance of E Harriott one of Defts to
this bill 'McLawrence acc for E Harriott

Filed Oct 6. 1840

Jas H. Gill clerk

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Injunction allowed and
bail given

Jas H. Gill clerk

Clare J. Wood
1070

Served by copy upon
Ransom Clark &
Robert McKeown
Edgar Harriott &
Samuel Bruch



The State of Ohio Union County

To the Crown of said County Greeting

We command you that you summon Ransom Clark
Samuel Brush Robert McBrain and Edgar Hammett
to appear before our Court of Common Pleas of said
County of Union at the Court House on the 6th day
of October next to answer a petition in Chancery
exhibited against them by Silas S. Strong and that
they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of
one thousand dollars and have you thus done
this writ

Witness James H. Sill Clerk of
our said Court at the Court House
this 17th day of July A.D. 1840

James H. Sill Clerk

Union Com. Plead
Samuel Brush
ads. & Answer
Silas G. Strong
Filed Oct. 7th 1860
Jas. H. See Clerk

The separate answer of Samuel Brush, one of the defendants to the bill of complaint of Silas G. Strong, complainant.

This defendant, now, and at all times hereafter saving and reserving to himself, all, and all manner, of exception and advantage of exception, to the many errors, insufficiencies, and untruths, in said bill of complaint contained, for answer therunto or unto so much, or such parts thereof, as he is advised, is material for him, to make answer unto, he answers and says, that he believes said bill contains the true amount and date of said judgment therein named, except costs. That he cannot at this time say, whether the statement in said ^{bill} of the issuing of the executions levy & appraisements therein named, are correct or not, as he has not the same before him. That some time during the fall of the year 1839 - (last fall) during the October Session of the Court of Common Pleas of Union County he (as one of the firm of Brush & Gilbert) received of complainant, several notes for collection. That he believes, that at the time, said Strong gave this defendant said notes to collect, said Strong hoped to induce this defendant to stay proceedings upon said judgment and two other judgments, in favor of said Clinton Bank of Columbus as said Strong had on one or two prior occasions, offered to give this defendant some notes to collect, upon the condition that he would stay proceedings upon said judgments, which this defendant always refused to do. - That at the time this defendant received said notes to collect, he made no agreement to stay

proceedings against said Strong, upon any of
said judgments nor was he asked to make
any such agreement at that time - That
he gave a receipt ^{or receipts} for said notes to said
Strong for said notes in the name of Brub
& Silbert generally for collection, that
subsequently the same day or the next
day before he left Marysville, said
Strong, said to this defendant, that the
money arising from the collection of said
notes, should be paid by this defendant
to said Clinton Bank, but it made
no difference about it being expressed in
said receipt or receipts - That on or about
the 16th day of January last, one of said
notes was paid to this defendant, which
after deducting fees of collection, amounted
to the sum of \$117 - and this defendant not
knowing upon which judgment of said
Clinton Bank, agt the said Strong, said
Strong wished said money to be paid,
upon reflection concluded to pay the same
upon the judgment in the bill named, as the
said Strong was principal therein, and this
defendant supposed him to be security at
that time, in one and perhaps both the
other judgments - That at the last May Term
of the Court of Common Pleas of Union
County, at Marysville, this defendant settled
said payment of said \$117 - with said
Strong and receipts were passed between
them, and then said Strong informed this
defendant, that he wished all moneys
received by this defendant, from the
proceeds of said notes, to be paid over

to said Bank, upon a judgment against
said Strong, Stephen McLain and Ransom
Blank and for 1100. 65¢ + costs +¹¹ and gave
this defendant + his partner a written
authority so to do - That at said May Term
A. D. 1839 - said Strong requested this defen-
dant not to issue an execution on said
last mentioned judgment agt said Strong
McLain and Blank; that this defendant
did comply with said request and did
not order an execution on said judgt -
between said May and July Terms A. D. 1840 -
That this defendant did order an execution
on the judgt ment in the bill named and
left with the deputy blank a written order
therefor, this defendant knows nothing
about said defendant blank applying
to the acting bank for said writ, in the
bill named, but if said defendant blank
did so, this defendant believes he did
right, as said Deputy blank, had neg-
lected his duty in not issuing the same,
and this defendant has frequently
requested and directed said defendant
blank to get said executions and attend
to the same, and has some times left
with him the precepts therefor - That
during the latter part of August A. D. 1840
in a conversation with said Strong
he informed this defendant, that he
had persuaded said deputy blank
not to issue said writ - and that the
same would not have been issued
if said defendant blank had not
attended to the same -

This defendant further answering says, that he never did agree and promise, that no condition of law, should issue against said Strong upon said judgment in the bill named during the vacation between the May and July Term last, and on at any other period and this defendant cannot understand how said Strong could be induced to make said allegation in good faith - That at the last July Term of the Court of Common Pleas of said County of ~~the~~ Union, in the morning of the day of the sale of said Out Lot in the bill named, said defendant Robert McElvain, ^{Harriot} if he is not mistaken in the person, called to see this defendant, as he now recollects in the Court house (perhaps it was in his room in the hotel) to know the amt of the appraisement of said Out Lot and the sum necessary to purchase the same, all which information was given by this defendant to said McElvain ~~and~~ Mr Harriot, that he did not then make up his mind whether he would purchase or not, and this defendant did not know whether said McElvain + Harriot would bid upon said premises, till a short time before the sale - This defendant was present at the sale of said Out Lot by said defendant blank, ^{at this defendant's} which took place ^{regularly} between the adjournment of the Court in the morning and the meeting thereof in the afternoon and not, as mutually alledged in said bill during the time Court was in session, that said Sale was made, at the same time divers other tracts of land and Real estate

were offered at public outcry by said defendant
Blank, and not in a loud voice as mutually
alleged in said bill, that several persons
were present at said sale, and every effort
made to attract purchasers, that this defen-
dant and defendant Blank, were anxious
to have as many present as possible, as they
hoped to, and did effect a sale of other real
estate, the ~~proceeds~~ proceeds of which were
& partly did, come to this defendant's
hands for another client, This defen-
dant believes, that said McIlwain
and Harriot had given to said defen-
dant Blank, a memorandum of the
amount they were willing to bid, and
this defendant distinctly heard, said
defendant Blank, cry said bid in an
audible voice - This defendant admits
that he was well satisfied that said
sale was made, as he has always been
anxious to close the claims in his hands
against said Strong, he being a troublesome
and shrewd man, and this defendant
has had great trouble in preventing
said Strong from taking advantage
of this defendant's clients, This defendant
denies all fraud and unlawful com-
bination whatever, and said ~~do~~ Strong
expressly admitted to this defendant in
the conversation above mentioned, in
the latter part of August last, that this
defendant had not been guilty of
any fraud, and that he was compelled
to make this defendant party to his
bill or the same could not be sustained.

This defendant submits to this honourable
court, whether he is compellable to approve
the private transactions of said McAlvin
& Harriot, as to whether he received
all money or a note for part of the proceeds
of said sales, as this defendant humbly
believes, that ^{it} is none of said Storers
business - This defendant believes, that said
payments as mentioned in said bill, are
very nearly correct, ~~except on the date~~
~~on the 12th of July 1839 \$150 only was paid~~
~~but the next day (13th) - 50 more,~~
All which matters and things this defendant
is ready to aver, maintain and prove as
this honourable court shall direct, and
prays said injunction to be dissolved, and
this defendant hence dismissed, with
his reasonable costs, in that behalf
most wrongfully sustained - S. Brush
State of Ohio Franklin County ss.

Personally appeared before me, the
Subscriber President Judge of the 8th
Judicial Circuit of Ohio, the above named
defendant, Samuel Brush, and being by
me, duly sworn, saith, that the matters
and things in the above answer certainly
stated to be from his own knowledge and
true, and the matters and things stated
from the information of others, he believes,
to be true - Sept. 11th 1840.

S. P. M. W.
Presd 12th J. Cir. C.

With leave of Court on Pleas of Maria Long
Ohio in Chancery sitting

The separate answer of
of Ransom (link to the bill filed herein against,
his father, G. Silas, & Strong)

This respondent for
answer to said bill or to so much thereof as,
he is advised is necessary and proper for him to
answer comes and says that it is true as in
said bill stated that this respondent had a
mish of conditions Expenses as in said bill
stated and it is true that this respondent
made a sale by virtue of said mish but this
respondent states that said sale was made
privately in every respect, that the property sold
was sold at public outcry and on unusual
terms occupied in effecting said sale and
great exertions made to give publicity to the
same, that the mish was issued by the deputy
Clerk upon request of this respondent because
the Clerk requested this respondent to see to
the issuing all necessary mish in his absence
that the bid was made in writing as in the bill
alleged but this respondent made said
bid public in the usual way and gave
the name of the bidder in an audible voice
so that he was heard across the street. This
land having been cried more than a reasonable
time it was struck down as in the bill stated
This respondent knows nothing of any agreement
between said Strong & his co-defendant (Rush)
but this respondent denies all fraud & combination
wherein he stands charged and prays to be
discharged with his costs &c

Rush & Strong

Union Com Pleas
Ransom Clark et al

vs

Silas G. Strong

assignee of the Postso
Clinton Bank of
Columbus

Filed Oct 7th 1840

Jas. H. Lee att



3-11-1840
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To the Court of Common Pleas of the County
of Union and State of Ohio in Chancery
sitting - The separate answer of the President
Directors and Company of the Clinton Bank
of Columbus to the bill of complaint filed
herein against them and others by Silas
G Strong respectfully represents that their
respondents as they are advised and believe
obtained against the said Strong within
the judgment referred to in the said bill and
that some payments have been made on the
same, of all which this co-defendant I think
is cognizant. Their respondents further answering
say that they know nothing of any agreement
subsequent to judgment made with said
Strong or with any one else. Their respondents
have made no agreement either directly or by
implication and therefore pray to be dismissed
hence with their reasonable costs in this behalf
most unjustly sustained.

Frank Gibbs
Columbus Bank

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the
Clinton Bank of Columbus the foregoing was adopted
as the answer of the President, Directors & Company
of the Clinton Bank of Columbus to the bill of
complaint filed in the Court of Common Pleas
of Union County, Ohio against them & others
by Silas G Strong. Dated this tenth day of
September A.D. 1840. Witness the Seal of said Bank
and the Signature of the Secretary of said Board

Wm. D. Perkins Secy
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Deposition in
the case of

J. G. Strong

vs

R. McShain &

E. Harriott

Filed Aug. 17. 1844

Amos A. Lincoln

Strong
ms

Clark et al

exceptions to
report

File no. 4. 1841

J. H. Sill

Adas & Strong Compt

vs

Ransom Clark et al

On Chancery

on report of
Master

Mr. Swan & Harriet Come and except
to the report of the Master in this case Return
because the report finds an agreement to
compromise ~~to~~ when the testimony shows no such
thing.

2 Report does not show when possession was
taken by Swift or that it was contemporaneous
with the propositio.

for which cause Defendants
move to set aside the said Report and
that it be decided pro Curia upon the merits
of the cause.

Harriett & M^{rs} Graine

ad } Answer

J. G. Thoms

Filed Dec 28. 1846

Jas H. Guille

The Joint Answer of Edger Harriott and Robert
McIwaine to the bill of Complaint exhibited against
them and others by Selus G Strong Complainant

These Defendants now come and for
answer to said bill or so much thereof as they are
advised is material for them to answer to say that
as to the Judgement, Appraisements, Executions, &c
charged in the said bill they know nothing but
suppose they are of record in this Court and will show
for themselves. That Defendants or Robert McIwaine
acting member of the firm of Harriott and McIwaine
enquired of said Clark a like defendant to Compt^r
said bill the amount of the Appraisal on the said
property (so charged to be sold.) that thereupon said
McIwaine told said Clark that as he could not
leave the store to bid that he would give him (Clark)
a minute of the amount he would give for the property
in writing that there might be no mistake, and
so marked down the sum of 734.\$. This was on the day
of the sale and just before the sale was to commence,
and Defendant believes after Court had adjourned
for dinner, that before some time in the day
he was informed that the property was struck
off by the Sheriff to the firm of Harriott & McIwaine
on the bid aforesaid. The full amount of which has
been paid by said firm. That as to the sale and the man-
ner of the sale Defendants believe it was regular and
most positively deny all fraudulent combining or
collusion in any manner to effect the said sale and
purchase either with any or ~~all~~ all of the Co-defen-
dants or any person or persons else. That Defendants
for the answering say that ~~none~~ of them was present
at the sale but that they are informed and verily believe
that the sale was made in the usual voice and
cried the usual time.

That the purchase was made without the knowledge
or special approbation of the said Edgar Harriott but
in exact accordance with the views of ~~the~~ and object
of the firm for the benefit of the firm ~~and~~ by the said
R. M. Thaine under whose care and sole control and
management the business of the firm is conducted in this
state (said E. Harriott being a resident of N. York)
one third of the interest of which is in said R. M. Thaine
The defendants having this fully answered they pray
to be dismissed with their costs in this case most unjust
ly incurred and as in duty bound &c.

By ~~to~~ ~~Sawyer~~
Sol for deft

State of Ohio }
Mmion County }

Robert M. Thaine being duly sworn
says that the matters and things stated of his own knowledge
in the foregoing answer are true in substance and fact
and that what is related on the information of others he
believes to be true.

Robert M. Thaine

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26. day of
December 1840

Abijah Gandy J. C.

Deposition of S. A. Cherry

Taken in a case pending in ~~the~~
the Union Court in Junction in Caneey, where in
Silas G. Strong is Plaintiff & R. McShain &
C. Harriott is Defendants, in pursuance of the
notice here to attached

Deft's Present of Agent
S. A. Cherry of the County of Union & State
of Ohio of Lawful age being first duly sworn
by me as here after certified deposes and says
Question by Deft

What is the property sold from Strong to
McShain & Harriott out Lot 2^d in the
Town of Marysville Union in Caneey Ohio what
is the use of said property worth per year
Answer by witness I consider the property
to worth sixty dollars
S. A. Cherry

I James Luns a Justice of the Peace of Paris
Township Union County Ohio do certify that the
above named S. A. Cherry were first duly sworn
to testify the truth the whole truth and nothing
but the truth and that the foregoing depositions
by him respectively subscribed were reduced to
writing by me and were taken at the
time and place specified in the enclosed notice
Given under my hand this 14th Day of
Aug 1841 James Luns J. P.

Justice's fee 1.25

Witness fee 0.25

Geneva August 12th 1841. By copy
Wm. A. Fank

Wm G Strong
vs
R McIlvan & E Harriott

Union County
injunction in
Chancery

Complainant or his Counsel will
take notice that Dependants will
proceed to take depositions before James
Turner Justice of the peace of Union County
at his office in Marysville on the 18th Day
of August 1841 between the hours of 8 A.M.
and 4 o'clock P.M. on said Day to be read
in Evidence on the trial of said Cause
August ~~7th~~ ^{the} 1841 R McIlvan and
12 Edgar Harriott

State of Ohio ss
Union County Common Pleas
Silas G Strong }
vs }
R McIlvain & } In Chancery
Edgar E Harriott }

The report of James M Wilkinson
Master in Chancery, to whom this Cause stands
referred for the purpose of stating an account
between the parties, Pursuant to the inter-
locutory decree, rendered at the April Term
AD 1841. On the 31st day of July notice having
been given by the Defendants to Compt J.
Issued a subpoena ~~to~~ the Corona for Mr Steele
Samuel A Cherry & Alexander Pollock. to
~~testify~~ to attend on the 2^d Day of August
when by consent of Parties the taking of
their depositions was postponed until the
3^d day of August, at which time 3 witnesses
were present and made Depositions in relation
to the matter at issue, Alexander Pollock having
made his Deposition Mr Steele was called upon
when J E Harriott agent for Deft^s refused to
have him examined as his witness, ^{and urged all rights to him} ~~but~~ then
examined by Compt J. and afterwards Cross
examined by Deft^s Agent. I find ^{by} three
points in the examination (to wit McIlvains
proposing to Steele that if Strong would ~~written~~
~~draw~~ his Injunction suit he would throw
off the rent, & Strong's with drawing said
suit. and McIlvains taking possession
of the premises.) That there was an...

agreement or compromise & which
was that if Strong would dissolve his
suit of Injunction and give possession
that said McIlvain would throw off
the rents.

All which is respectfully
Submitted

James M. Wilkinson

Master Com fees \$2.47

Coroner fees 75

W. W. Steele — 50

A. Pollock 2 days 1.00

J. A. Cherry 50

\$5.22

Master Com m

Witness

Master Com
Report

Q^y by Compt

Do you not Remember that I in that conversation said that he ~~made~~ ^{McGowan} ~~said~~ in talking of the two suits or whole matter of Difference made what I considered no proposition at all or was this suit particularly mentioned Answer; there was not any particular suit mentioned that I recollect of I supposed it to be relative to the whole differently between you

Question by Compt

Do you Recollect that I told you that he ^{McGowan} finally proposed that if I discontinued the suit well if not - that the firm in case I had any property to be exposed should take their own course with their funds on hand and that he accompanied his threat with showing to me his cash book & that he betted within one Inch the top of the page and that the same exhibited cash on hand to the amt of \$1005.00

Answer

There was a conversation to that ~~effect~~ affect

Question by Compt

Did you understand from me that upon the above proposition I left him & that I left him from me in the conversation - alluded to above

Answer I do not recollect question by Defendant Agent; had you any knowledge of any Difference between the parties more than ^{they} had bought his house and lot and that was the Difference and wrong

and further if you had not learned that Mr Strong had sworn out an injunction and Detained the said house and lot and that was the main Difference as you thought at the time of this conversation

Answer I did understand that Mr Strong had detained the property by injunction and also that McGowan & Harriott had sued Strong on another matter

Question by Compt

Did you or did you not see Mr Robert McGowan a few days before the Spring Term of the Court upon the premises in which had been detained as you supposed by Injunction and what did appear to be his business there -

Answer as near as I can recollect a few days before court I see Mr McGowan on the premises and supposed him to be repairing the garden fence by nailing on some parlings

further this deponent saith not

A. Pollock

J. James McMillinson Master Commissioner of the Court of Common Pleas for Union County Ohio do hereby certify that the above named Alexander Pollock was by me first duly sworn, to testify the truth the whole truth and nothing but the truth and that the foregoing deposition by him subscribed was reduced to writing by said A. Pollock excepting the three first lines and the fourth to the Erasure ~~made~~ ^{made} in the first answer which was written

by me and was taken at the time and place specified on the inclosed notice to wit 3 August

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 3^d day of August in the Year 1841

James McMillinson

Also Mr Steele of the County of Union of Lawfull age, being first duly sworn by me, as hereafter certified, deposes as follows: (Defendants ^{have} objected Questions to the examination of this witness as his witness.

Question By Compt

Do you recollect having a conversation with Mr Robert McElvain at any time past March or April relating to the Compromising the Injunction suit I had - brought and if so when was it, and what conversation passed between him & you self - and - whether afterwards you told Mr the result of - said conversation - as you understood it - as nearly as you can recollect

Answer I had some conversation with R McElvain, I think the last of March, he McElvain asked me if I thought Strong would give ~~give~~ discontinue the suit of Injunction if they ~~McElvain~~ would throw off the rent, ~~he~~ could not say he positively said he would do this, to obtain possession, but thought him willing to do it & consequently told Strong, that I would move from the premises, if he wanted to give possession.

Question by Compt

Did you not relate to me the above conversation - and at the time did I not receive it as his proposition or appear so to understand it

Answer I stated the conversation between myself & McElvain to Strong - How he the said Strong understood it I cannot say.

Question by complainant

Was you residing in the Premises at the time alluded to - if so about what time did you first take possession and about what time

did you move out of said House

Answer

I was residing on the premises at the time of said conversation, I moved into the House I think the 10th day of April 1840. I left the premises about the 1st of April 1841.

Question by complainant

Did or did not Mr McElvain or his attorney - present a paper for your signature on the day that the premises in question were sold by the Sheriff - if so at or about what time in the day was it & what was the purport or appeared to be the design of the paper or writing which was presented - & Did you sign said writing

Answer

Mr Brush presented me a paper, about 2 O'clock P.M. on the day the Sheriff sold the property in question The purport of said paper as near as I can remember was, that I would give peaceable possession to the property I signed the writing -

Mr McElvain or Harriott was not with Mr Brush at the time of the presentment of the Paper

Question by Compt

Was or was not the paper upon an alternative - To give possession or hold under Mr McElvain & Harriott & whether Mr McElvain's name was or was not used as a party in said paper

Answer

I cannot now remember whether the above alternative was in the paper or not, my impression is that the object

of the paper or purport, was that I would agree to deliver peaceable possession to McElvain & Harriott

Question by Counsel

What is your present impression in relation to its containing an alteration - or you may relate the conversation

Answer by

The conversation as near as I can recollect, that occurred between Mr Bush & myself was this, He said the Buyers of the property was afraid or did not know but I had a lease on the property, this object of the paper was to satisfy them

Question by Counsel

Did either of them, ^{McElvain or Harriott or finally} ask or demand possession after the time had elapsed or after you signed said writing

Answer - No - it is my impression not after the expiration

Question of the time I agreed to give possession, there was a notice given me to leave the premises, but to the best of my recollection it was before the time expired, according to the agreement I signed

Questions by Defendants Agent

Did you at any time hear Mr McElvain say that he would give in the writs to Mr Strong if he would withdraw his suit

Answer

I can not say positively that I did but the impression I have is that he was willing to do it if Strong would discontinue the suit, I told Strong if they made this arrangement I would leave the premises, immediately

question by Defendants

Did you ever here of any arrangement being made and if so what was that arrangement after that time and from whom did you learn it

Answer

After I left the premises, ~~and~~ ^{and} sometime a short time before the April term of Low pleas Court, the Clerk informed me that Strong had discontinued his injunction suit - I think the same day Strong told me also he had discontinued the suit upon the strength of what I told him, relating to the conversation with McElvain

question by Defendant

how long did you live on the premises after the sale to McElvain & Harriott and what is said property worth per year as writ

Answer

I lived on the premises from the day of sale until about the 1st of April 1841. I think the rent is not worth over sixty dollars a year

question by Defendants

have you had any conversation with Mr Strong since the seventeenth of last March of his trying to compromise with McElvain ^{and} Harriott of their meeting in the Court house one evening for that purpose and could not agree

Answer

I have heard from Mr Strong, ~~asked~~ ^{asked} me if I had any objection to his meeting Messrs McElvain & Harriott in the office occupied by myself & Mr Curry I had none, after the meeting I understood from Mr Strong that no compromise had been made & upon what ground or what requirements were asked of either party

I do not now remember of ~~any~~ hearing from either of the parties

Question by Compt:

Was you knowing ^{to} or did you understand that - that the Meeting you speak of at your Room in the Court House was the Only Meeting - between said Complainant & Mr McElvain -

Answer

I understood from Mr Strong that he had a subsequent meeting, with Mr McElvain in his Store Room - that is McElvains -

Question by Complainant

In your former ^{answer} to the Respondents Question you say ~~for~~ you think the rent not worth over sixty Dollars - Now how much rent did you pay or agree to pay - from the time you ~~was in possession~~ the injunction was brought until you left the premises -

Answer

All rents required of me when I took possession of the premises was to keep the property in repair both before and after the injunction suit was brought

Question by Compt:

Was any rent ever demanded from you by either of the parties or their atty. & if so by whom

Answer

No rent was ever demanded of me by either of the parties

Question by Compt:

Did you see Mr Robert McElvain concerning an owner ship before Court or in the premises if so say how

Answer

I saw Robert McElvain on and about the premises before the April Court of Comt pleas railing. Palings ~~on the fence~~ or boards on the fence around the House -

And further this Deponent doth not

W. W. Steele

I James M. Wilkinson, a Master Commissioner of the Court of Common Pleas, for County of Union, Ohio, do hereby certify that the above named ~~Wm~~ W. Steele, was by me first duly sworn to testify the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth and that the foregoing deposition by him subscribed was reduced to writing by the said Wm W. Steele and were taken at the time and place specified on the notice (to wit 3^d August

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, this 3^d day of August in the Year 1841

James M. Wilkinson

Depositions of Witnesses Taken in a Cause
Pending in the Court of Common Pleas
of Union County Ohio wherein Silas G.
Strong is Plaintiff vs R M Shain & Edgar
& Harriott are Defendants and for said
Defendants in pursuance of the notice hereto
attached, and at the time & place therein
mentioned. Silas G Strong, Complainant &
James E Harriott, Agent
~~H. C. ...~~ Attorney for defendants were
present

Silas G Strong

vs
R M Shain et al

} Union Com. Pleas
injunction &
Chancery

Compt. on this course will take
notice that defendants will proceed to
take depositions before James M Wilkinson
at his ~~his~~ office in Mansfield on
the 2nd day of August 1841 between the
hours of 6 A.M. and 6 P.M. on said
day to be read in evidence on the trial
of said cause

R M Shain &
E Harriott

This cause adjourned by consent of parties
until August 3rd at 9 o'clock

J M Wilkinson Master Comr

Alexander Pollock, Of the County of Union, of lawful
age being first duly sworn by me, as hereafter
certified, deposes as follows

Question ^{my Deft.} What did Mr Strong say to you speak
ing of a compromise he was trying to have
with McIlvain & Harriott. And when was
it.

Answer ^{my Deft.} Cannot say at what time it was
Thinks it was in March or April. Mr
Strong told me of a proposition having been
made by ~~one~~ him to McIlvain & McIlvain
replied I'll see you in Hell before
I'll accept it or to that effect
McIlvain made a proposition to him
that is to Strong which he Strong
said he considered no proposition at
all

Alexander Pollock
Deponent

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0014

No. 40-CH-14

Union Common Pleas Court.

Wm W Woods

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Ransom Clark

Defendant.

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Union Com. Pleas

W. W. Woods

vs } Inj Bond

James A. McLean &

Ransom Clark

Filed Sept 21. 1840

James H. Givell

Know all men by these presents that we W. W. Woods
and Mrs. H. Frank are held and firmly bound
unto ~~James A. McLean~~ James A. McLean Ransom Clark and
John Lawrence in the sum of fifty dollars to payment of
which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our
heirs Executors and Administrators Sealed with our
seals and dated this 21st day of September A.D. 1840
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
above named W. W. Woods has obtained an allowance of
an injunction in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of
Union and State of Ohio to stay all further proceedings
upon a Judgment obtained in the same Court of Common
Pleas by the said James A. McLean against the said
W. W. Woods together with Samuel H. Dodd at the October
Term thereof 1839 for the sum of one hundred and forty five
dollars and twenty two cents debt and \$7.46 costs until
the matter thereof can be heard in Equity. Now if the said
W. W. Woods shall pay all moneys and costs due or to be-
come due from him the said W. W. Woods in said Judg-
ment at Law and all moneys and costs which shall
be decreed against the said W. W. Woods in case said
injunction shall be dissolved then this obligation shall
be void otherwise in full force and virtue in law.

Approved Sept 21. 1840

James H. Gill
Clark

W. W. Woods Seal

Mrs. H. Frank Seal

on said execution against your estate. & that
on hearing your honors may do further &
assist & in the premises & as in duty bound
your estate will ever remain &
Wm W Woods

State of Ohio Union County, ss

Personally appeared ~~before~~ Wm Woods who being duly
sworn says that the facts stated in the within
affidavit are true so far as he knows them to be
truly & verily believes
Wm W Woods

sworn to & subscribed before me this
21st day of Sept 1840
Wm W Woods
Magistrate of the Union
of Wm W Woods

Wm W Woods
vs

Ransom Black 3rd
Filed Sept 20. 1840
James H. Gice Clerk

I allow a writ of
injunction in this case
upon Comp. giving
security in the sum
of \$50.00 to the accep-
tance of the Clerk

Seal. G. Strong
Sps. Judge
as bill made

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court
of Common Pleas for the County of Union and
State of Ohio when in Chancery sitting
Humbly Complaining sheweth unto your honors
your orator W. H. Woods of the County of Union
Respectfully represents unto your honors
That on the 31st day of Oct. in the year
1839 your orator became liable as a security
for Samuel Woodd principal on a warrant of
attly to confer a judgement on a note for \$145.22
payable to James A. McFair. your orator
further ^{sheweth} that at the Oct. Term of said Court
in the year 1839 said McFair ^{combining with one John Lawrence} & fraudulently
intending to injure your orator filed his de-
claration against said Dodd & your orator
as if they were both principals and equally
liable in said transaction & said John Lawrence
one of the attys of said Court at the same
time appeared & contrary to the form of said
Warrant of attly conferred judgement against
said Dodd & your orator as principals when it
was a manifest fact that your orator was
only a security. for the word security was
attached to the signature of your orator
on said Warrant of attly. your orator further
sheweth that on the 30th day of July 1840
an execution issued on said judgement against
said Dodd & himself as principals all of which
your orator charges to be contrary to equity & good conscience
said execution is now in the hands of Ransom Black
Sheriff of said County whom your orator ~~may~~
may be makes defendant to this Bill together
with said McFair & John Lawrence
The prayer of your orator is that said Sheriff
be enjoined from proceeding against you

Union Court Pleas

W. W. Woods

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Ransom Clark &

Jas. A. McQuinn

Term — 45

Copys — 25

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Appearance allowed
and bail given

Jas. H. Gill Clerk

Served by copy upon
Ransom Clark and
Jas. A. McQuinn

Claves J. Wood, Clerk

The State of Ohio Union County ss.
To the Coroner of said County Greeting
We command you to summon Ransom Clark and
James A. McGinnis to appear before our Court of Common
Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House in
said County on the sixth day of Oct. next to answer the
matter and charges contained in a Bill in Chancery exhib-
ed against them by W. W. Woods and this they shall
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars
and have you show them this writ

Witness James H. Gill Clerk of said
Court at the Court House in Mansfield
this 25. day of Sept. A.D. 1840

James H. Gill

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0015

No. 40-CH-15

Union Common Pleas Court.

James & John Deuro
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Anna M Deuro
Defendant.

OCT TERM, 1840

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From M. Deane &
Mary A. Tompkins

and

John G. Deane & James Deane
Executors of Walter Deane decd

Answer to Petition

Filed Oct 6. 1840

Jas. H. Gilchrist

The joint answer of Asa M. Dean and Mary A. Tompkins
to the petition of John G. Dean and James Dean Executors of the
last Will and Testament of Walter Dean dec'd. filed in the Court
of Common Pleas in and for the County of Union and State of
Ohio against them and others.

These respondents by George W. Dean their agent and
attorney in fact for answers to said petition say, that they admit
the contract set forth in the petition was executed by the said Walter
Dean in his life time, also that the purchase money for the said
land has been fully paid, and submit that an order for a conveyance
may be made by this Honorable Court authorizing the Petiti-
oners as the Executors of the said Walter Dean to convey the land
in the petition mentioned in consummation of said contract
and these respondents having fully answered pray to be dismissed &

Asa M. Dean

Mary A. Tompkins

by Geo W Dean
their agent & attorney

Walter A. Deane &

Robert G. Deane

and

Executors of Walter Deane

Answer by Guardian ad
Litem

Filed Oct 6. 1840

Jas. H. Gillett

The joint answer of Walter A Dem and Robert G Dem minor children and heirs of Walter Dem deceased, to the petition of John G Dem and Sarnus Dem Executors of the last Will and Testament of Walter Dem dec. filed in the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Union and State of Ohio against themselves and others

These respondents by their Guardian ad litem for answer to said petition say, that they have no knowledge of the Contract set forth in the petition, nor have they any knowledge of the payments made on said Contract, and therefore can neither admit nor deny the same, and as they are infants of young and tender years, they pray the Court that their rights may be protected and now having answered pray to be dismissed.

Walter A Dem

Robert G Dem

by
their Guardian ad litem

Agreement
Bor. H. H. H. & John C. C. C.
Dec. 1. 1832 - 146 acres of land,
part of survey N. 8523..

AS 110. (A)
exhibit —
one hundred dollars
paid for the same on the
within account

Assigned to
John R. M. C. C.
Filed Oct 6. 1840
Jas H. C. C.

Will with 11 February 1833 Dec. on the within
one hundred dollars for the same
Jas. H. C. C.
Robert H. C. C.

This agreement between Walter Dun of Fayette county, Kentucky, and David Holycross and John Coolidge of Union county, Ohio, Witnesseth that said Dun hereby sell unto said Holycross and Coolidge a tract of one hundred and forty six acres of land, on the waters of Darby's creek, in said Union county, bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at two white oaks and a hickory at the easterly corner of James Holloway junr's survey N. 77 3/4°; thence N 75 W 74 poles; thence N 8 E 6 1/4 poles; thence N 85 E 6 1/2 poles to a hickory and box oak; thence S 88 E 130 poles to two oaks; thence S 24 N 212 poles to the beginning: In consideration whereof the said Holycross and Coolidge, jointly and severally, agree to pay to said Dun the sum of Two Hundred and one Dollar fifty cents, in the following payments, to wit: one third part thereof in hand this day, and the remainder in two equal annual payments hereafter: And when said sum of money is paid as aforesaid, together with the taxes that may hereafter accrue on said land, the said Dun hereby agrees to ~~convey~~ convey to said Holycross and Coolidge, the said land with covenant of general warranty. Witness our hands and seals this first day of December 1832.

Witness
Walter Dun
Sevi Rathbun

Walter Dun seal

David ^{his} Holycross seal
mark

John Coolidge seal
W. Rathbun

Union Common Pleas

John G. Durr & James Durr

Executors of Walter Durr

vs ³ Petition to convey

Land
Durr M. Durr & others

Filed Oct 6. 1840

Jas. H. Givell

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas
for the County of Union in the State of Ohio

Your petitioners John G Dem and James Dem Executors of Walter
Dem dec^d would respectfully represent that the Testator Walter Dem
in his lifetime on the first day of December 1832 sold to David
Halycroft and John Corbridge of Union County, in the State of Ohio
a tract of one hundred and forty six acres of land in the vicinity
of Darby Creek in said Union County, bounded as followeth
to wit, Beginning at two white oaks and a hickory at the Eastern
corner of James Galloway Senr. Survey N^o 7734, thence N 45
N 174 poles; thence N 8 E 64 poles, thence N 85 E 61 poles to a hick-
ory and beech oak; thence S 88 E 136 poles to two Elms; thence S 24
N 212 poles to the Beginning. For which they agree to pay Four
hundred and one dollar and fifty cents, in the following payment
to wit one third part thereof in hand and the remainder thereof in
two equal annual payments thereafter all which will more fully ap-
pear by the agreement of the said parties to which the Complacments
refer Mark A and prayed to be taken as part of this petition.

Your petitioners further represent that full payment has been made
for said land, and that the said David Halycroft and John Corbridge
have sold, assigned and transferred said estate of agreement to
one John A McDowell who now holds the same.

Your petitioners therefore pray your honors to authorize them
as Executors of the last will and testament of the said Walter
Dem to execute a conveyance to the said John A McDowell for
said land, and for that purpose they make Amel Dem the widow
of the said Testator, and Mary A Tompkins who is of full age and
Walter A Dem and Robert G Dem who are minors, children and
heirs of the said Walter Dem, defendants to this petition, and pray pro-
cess against the said Defendants, and that a Guardian or Guardian
ad litem may be appointed to defend for Walter A Dem and Ro-
bert G Dem, and on the hearing hereof that your honors would
authorize and direct your petitioners as the Executors as aforesaid
to consummate the Contract of the Testator according to his written

Contract referred to in this petition marked A and your petitioners will
pray &c.

John G. Dean }
James Dean } Executors of
 } Peter Dewitt

Waller Dunn Esq

in

The Widow's Rent & charges

Order for conveyance

Entered

cost bill made

Recorded

and that, with consent of general committee binding the estate
of the said Dunn according to the case submitted, and it is further
ordered that the said Petitioner pay the costs of this proceeding out of
the estate of the said Waller Dunn.

John G. Dean & James Dean
Executors of the last Will and
Testament of Walter Dean decd.

The Widows heirs & devisees
of the said Walter Dean

Petition for authority
to complete said contract

This day came the petitioners aforesaid their petition praying
by authority to enable them to complete a contract entered into
by the said intestate with David Halcyon & John Cookidge for
the sale of the land in the petition mentioned, and Samuel Dean
Widow of the said Walter Dean & Mary A. Tompkins one of the
children and heirs of the said Walter having acknowledged service
of the process by their agent and attorney in fact George W. Dean and
filed their answer admitting that the contract set forth in the
petition was entered into by the Testator and that full payment
has been made for the land mentioned in said contract as set
forth in the petition, and at the same time produced to the Court
satisfactory evidence of his having been duly appointed the agent
and attorney in fact of the said Samuel Dean & Mary A. Tompkins
for that purpose, and the said George W. Dean having been duly
appointed Guardian ad Litem for the minor defendants, Walter
A. Dean & Robert G. Dean by this Court and having acknowledged ser-
vice of the subpoena for and on behalf of the said minor defen-
dants, and filed the answer of the said minor, and being made
appear to the satisfaction of the Court that the said contract was
made and entered into by the said Walter Dean, and that full
payment of the purchase money had been made as stated in said
petition, and it further appearing to the Court that the said contract
had been assigned by the said David Halcyon and John Cookidge
to John R. McDowell. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the
said John G. Dean and James Dean as Executors of the last will
and Testament of Walter Dean decd. on behalf of themselves and
the Widows and heirs and other devisees of the said Walter Dean
execute a deed of conveyance to the said John R. McDowell for the

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1840-CH-0016

No. 40-CH-16

Union Common Pleas Court.

George Kersell Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Abner Randall Defendant.

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Judge vs Deft
Settled

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Union Com. Pleas

George Russell

vs.

Alvan Randall & Co.

Bill in Chancery

Filed Oct. 8th 1840

James H. Gill att

To the Judges of the Court of Com. Pleas
for Union County in Chancery sitting:-

Your orator George Keusel respectfully complains
that on the 19th day of May 1840 your orator received
judgment in the ~~in~~ Court of Com. Pleas on the law
side thereof against Alvan Randall for the sum
of fifty dollars his damages and Courts taxes at \$37.63 $\frac{1}{2}$
as will fully appear by the ~~in~~ judgment & proceeding
of record in the ~~in~~ Court upon which judgment
execution has been issued to the Sheriff of the ~~in~~
County of Union who has returned thereon that there
~~was~~ were no goods or chattels, lands or tenements
of the ~~in~~ Randall in the ~~in~~ County whereon to
levy ~~on~~. That your orator is wholly unable
to make the amount due him from the ~~in~~
Randall on the ~~in~~ judgment. That the ~~in~~ Ran-
dall has removed out of the state of Ohio some
where to the state of Indiana.

That one John Percell now residing in the
~~in~~ County of Union is indebted to the ~~in~~ Randall
in the sum of three hundred dollars or upwards
by notes ~~and~~ otherwise; which is ^{now} due & owing
from the ~~in~~ Randall to your Percell to the ~~in~~ Randall.

That the ~~in~~ Randall some times pretends that he
has assigned the ~~in~~ claim against the ~~in~~ Percell
to his son Joshua Randall, who also resides in
the state of Indiana, ~~and~~ your orator charges that the
~~in~~ assignment was fraudulently made for the purpose
of defeating your orator in the collection of the ~~in~~
judgment. ~~and~~ your orator avers that there is
no property of the ~~in~~ Alvan in the ~~in~~ County out
of which the ~~in~~ judgment might be satisfied except
the ~~in~~ claim against the ~~in~~ Percell.

your orator therefore prays that the ~~is~~ Alvan
Randall, ~~John~~ Randall & John Percell be
made defendants hereto by due process & publication, so
that they answer the same.

That upon hearing thereof that the ~~is~~ John Percell
be ordered & decreed to pay your orator the amount due
on the ~~is~~ judgment against the ~~is~~ Randall out
of the money or dues in his hands due & owing
to the ~~is~~ Randall.

And that your orator may have such further
& other relief in the premises as will be
agreeable to equity & good Conscience.

And your orator will ever pray &c.
J. D. Percell, Sol. for Compt.

Recd of Abner Randall by John Percival Shurton dollars and
seventy two cents in full of my fee as Shff and witness in
Case of Keenel vs Randall in Union Common Pleas
June 25. 1841 R Clark Sheriff

Keenel }
Randall } Recd of Randall by John Percival June 25. 1841 seven
teen dollars and seven cents & a half as costs in
the above case James H. Dix Clerk

\$ 14.07 1/2

For value Recd I promise to pay on demand to Jas. H. Hill a
order Fourteen dollars and 7 1/2 cents. June 25th 1841

May the 6th 1841

Received of John Storrer ^{cents} 75
for my Court or attendance at the
Suit of Alvin Randall and George Hensel
Union County May Term 1840
Marysville Mo

Justus M Hill

Served by delivering a certified copy to
John Percell A Randal and H Randal not found
H Clarke Sheriff

Union Com. Pleas

Geo. Wendell

vs } Sub vs Chy

Alvan Randal

Joshua Randal &

John Percell

Sum 75

Mt 50

Copy 15
\$140

Given Oct 2 1860

Jas. H. Lincoln

The State of Ohio Union County ss
To the Sheriff of said County Greeting,
We command you to Summon Alvan Randall Joshua
Randall and John Percell to appear forthwith before
Our Court of Common Pleas within and for said
County of Union at the Court House in Marysville
to answer the matters and charges contained in Bill
in Chancery Exhibited against them by George Keenell
and that they shall in no wise omit under the penalty
of one thousand dollars and have you then return
this writ

Witness James H. Gill Clerk of said
Court at the Court House in
Marysville this 8th day of Oct 1840
James H. Gill Clerk

George Mansell

Ans.

Alvan Randall

~~Isabella Randall~~ &

John Percell

Bill in Chancery -

In this case issue subpoena returnable
forthwith -

Oct. 8. 1840.

J. D. Powell ~~clerk~~ - sol

Recd. of Alva Randall by the notes of John Peirce
twenty five dollars - \$20. Part of the principal was \$5.00
docket fee in the case of Geo. Newell vs. A. Randall
in Union Co. Pleas on appeal.

May 1st 1841.

J. W. Powell atty. at l.

George Hensel
vs
Alvan Randall } Judgment ~~in~~ May Term Union Court.
Reas 1840

Recd of Alvan Randall by
John Piser the full amt of said Judg-
ment in my favor and I payed same 24 1841
J. Piser

Received Twelve Dollars and fifty nine cents in full
of John Pierrot fees in a suit wherein George Nurse
was Plaintiff and Eben Randall was Defendant
June 24th 1841

Christian Myers J^r

June the 25 1841

Received of John Peissal one Dollar and
25¢ for my part ~~for my part~~ witness
in the Suit of A. Ward vs Georg Henrich
Oliver Smith
his Mark

June the 25th 1841

Received of John Perkol five Dollars for my cost of attendance
at the sate of Arvin Randol and George Harrol
Decided at the May Term 1840 Union County, Maysville
Ohio I say Received by me
David Hill

S

S.

J. Perry

There is a mistake of one day's
attendance by my name at the justice } S. Harriott
Respecting this I note } Dr to Cash
his name is not on the } Paid on pay
Bill o' Catts } fifty cents

May 25th - 1841

Recd of John Personal one Dollar 25[¢] cents
for my Post or attendance at the Court of
Alvin Randal and George Hensil

Union County May term - 1840

Samuel Herrriott
many will Ohio

May the 6 1846 Received of John Poirer
two Dollars and ~~two~~ twenty five cents
for the use of Albin Randle for East

J. S. Holmes

June 23^d - 1841

Received of John Pearsol my fee in full as
witness in the suit between Alvin Bond
and George Hensel

Aaron Gillett

No goods or Chattels - Lands sold tenanted
found R Clark Sherry

Union Acow. Plus

Geo. Housar

as J. F. G.

Alvan Randall

Damages \$ 50.00

Plffs costs 37.63 1/2

Defts " 29.04 1/2

but 41

Filed Oct 8th 1840
James H. Gie att

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

WHEREAS, at a Court of Common Pleas of said county, begun and held at the Court House in the town of Marysville on the *19* day of *May* A. D. 18*40*

George Hensel
recovered against *Alon Randal*

as well the sum of *Fifty dollars* dollars
and _____ cents, for *his* damages, as the sum of \$ *37.63^{cs}*
for *his* costs and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, and for want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said *Alon Randal*

you cause to be made the damages and costs aforesaid, with interest thereon from the *19th* day of *May* A. D. 18*40*, until paid. Also, the sum of \$ _____ the costs of increase on said judgment, and the accruing costs. And that you have those moneys before said Court, at the Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next term, to render unto the said *Hensel*

plus costs \$29.04^{cs}

Hereof fail not, at your peril, and have then there this writ.

WITNESS JAMES H. GILL, Clerk of said Court,
at the Court-House aforesaid, this *8th*
day of *Oct.* A. D. 18*40*

Attest:

James H. Gill Clerk.

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Chancery Case

1840-CH-0018

located with

Supreme Court Case

1842-SC-0008

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Case No. 1841-CH-0001

No. 41-CH-1

Union Common Pleas Court.

W W Woods

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Samuel Bowers

Defendant.

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time of signing the said receipt, on the 29th day of
December 1838; and that you Grant may have full
power and further relief in the premises as equity and
good conscience may require. And you Grant
further pray that out injunction may be allowed
to restrain the said Dowell Boston from all further pro-
ceedings upon the said judgment at law obtained as afore-
said, against you Grant, before the said William F.
Shaw; and to restrain the said John Thurley from pro-
ceeding, in any wise, against you Grant by virtue of the
said execution now in his hands as afore said.

Done, Albany, this 18th day of January.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

I, W. W. Woods being duly sworn, depose and say, that all
the several matters and things, which are stated in the
foregoing Bill, as from the information of others, & believe
to be true; and that all the several other matters and
things therein set forth are true in substance and in fact.

W. W. Woods

sworn to and subscribed, before me, this 18th day of January
A. D. 1841.

Wm. H. Drake J. C.

Recd. book
new one
collector
Kennedy

Union Com. Pleas

W. W. Woods

as J. Bill in Chy

Samuel Bentons

John Hardy

Filed Jan 22nd 1841

Clas H. E. Clerk

cert bill made

Received

I allow an injunction as prayed
for in this bill - to be continued
until further order of the
Court; And order the Plaintiff
to give bond & security
to the Defendant in the
sum of \$150.00 Dolly
conditioned according to

Law Jan 18th 1841

Silas Strong
Associate
Judge

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the
County of Union, and State of Ohio, in Chancery, sitting:

A. W. Woods, of the County of Union and State of Ohio, represents
that Samuel Benton of the County of Champaign State ^{aforsaid} (and whom your
Orator may be made defendant to this bill) had in his possession,
on the 29th day of December, in the year 1838, a promissory note for the
sum of seventy two dollars and fifty cents, dated on the 7th day of
february in the year 1838; payable to Samuel Benton or bearer, six
months after the date thereof; signed by O. B. Kessel, A. Hall,
and Samuel Bradford; and bearing upon the outside ^{there of} an endorse-
ment of credit to the amount of two dollars and fifty cents. And
the said Samuel Benton, on the said 29th day of December in the year
1838, requested your Orator to take the said promissory ^{note} and endeavor,
or, by suit at law or otherwise, to collect the amount thereof from
the said signers thereof; and the said Samuel Benton proposed, ~~at~~
the same time, that your Orator should attend to the collection of
the said promissory note, for him (the said Samuel Benton) and that
for the agency of your Orator touching the collection of the said
promissory note, your Orator should charge a reasonable com-
pensation, which he, the said Samuel Benton would allow. And your
Orator acceded to the request and proposition aforesaid, and
received the aforesaid promissory note for collection, and gave
the said Samuel Benton a receipt for the said promissory note,
containing a clause by which your Orator was bound, ~~at all~~
events, to "return the note or that amount of money;" a copy of
which receipt is herewith filed and made part of this bill. —

Your Orator further represents that he did commence an action at
law upon the said promissory note before S. A. Wood, a justice of the peace
in and for the County aforesaid; but that, inasmuch as it was well
believed both by your Orator and other judicious and disinterested
persons, that there was but small probability that the said promissory
note could be collected, your Orator did, therefore, consent to
receive from O. B. Kessel, one of the makers of the said promissory note,
and in part payment thereof, a certain other promissory note, made
by A. G. McKendry & Co. of the County of Licking, and State of Ohio,
payable to the said O. B. Kessel, to the amount of sixty dollars, and

dated on the 15th day of January 1839. And the said Ira Wood, on the trial of the ^{said} suit instituted by you orator upon the said promissory note for seventy two dollars and fifty cents signed by the said O. B. Wibel, A. Hall, and Samuel Bradford; did allow as an offset against you orator the said promissory note to the amount of sixty dollars signed by the said A. G. McKendry & Co. and the said Ira Wood, on the said trial, after allowing said offset against you orator, gave a judgment in favour of you orator to the amount of nineteen dollars and seventy eight cents, ~~and~~ ~~which~~ judgment now remains (at the time of the filing of this bill) unsatisfied; and the aforesaid promissory note for sixty dollars signed by A. G. McKendry & Co. was given ^{by you orator} to John Moore a justice of the peace in & for the County of Dickins aforesaid; for collection; and the said John Moore issued process on behalf of you orator against A. G. McKendry & Co. and gave a judgment in favour of you orator against the said A. G. McKendry & Co. on the said promissory note for sixty dollars signed by the said A. G. McKendry & Co. for the full amount thereof; and you orator represents that, although the said A. G. McKendry & Co. are responsible persons, still the said judgment so rendered against them remained, at the time of the filing of this bill, unsatisfied, because their property, when taken in execution by virtue of the said judgment so rendered against them, could not be sold for want of bidders. And you orator, therefore, represents that he has, as far as was possible, complied with the terms of the true original contract made between himself and the said Samuel Benton, as aforesaid, on the said 29th day of December in the year 1838, touching the collection of the said promissory note signed by the said O. B. Wibel, A. Hall, & Samuel Bradford; & that he is now ready, as far as possible, to comply with the terms of the said contract. And you orator further represents that at the said Samuel Benton sued you orator before William H. Frank, a justice of the peace in and for the County of Union aforesaid, upon the said receipt, given by you orator to the said Samuel

Benton for the said promissory note signed by O. B. Kipfel, A. Hall, and Samuel Bradford, and obtained judgment upon the said receipt, before the said William H. Frank, on the 15th day of May 1840 for the sum of seventy six dollars, & five cents, for which amount, & costs of suit, an execution was issued by the said William H. Frank against your Orator on the 16th day of January 1841, and which execution is, at the time of the filing of this bill in the hands of John Hurley, a constable of the Township of Paris in the said County of Union, ^(and whom your Orator may also be made dependant to this bill) and your Orator represents further that at the time of signing the said receipt by virtue of which the said Samuel Benton obtained the said judgment for the said sum of seventy six dollars, & five cents, he was wholly mistaken as to the legal effect thereof; & did in fact think that the said receipt would bind him (your Orator) only to truly endeavor to collect said promissory note signed by O. B. Kipfel, A. Hall, and Samuel Bradford, by suit ^{at law} or otherwise, for the said Samuel Benton, and that not at the risk of your Orator; such being, as it well known to the said Samuel Benton, the original intention and construction of the agreement between your Orator & the ^{said} Samuel Benton, made on the said 29th day of December 1838, touching the collection of the said promissory note signed by the said O. B. Kipfel, A. Hall, & Samuel Bradford.

Your Orator, therefore, being wholly without remedy at law, prays that a writ of subpoena may issue against the said Samuel Benton, ^{and the said John Hurley,} and that they may be compelled to answer all and singular the premises. And your Orator further prays that ^{on the final hearing of this cause} the unjust agreement contained in the said receipt upon which the said Samuel Benton obtained judgment, as aforesaid, against your Orator, before the said William H. Frank, may be decreed to be cancelled and set aside; and that the parties thereto may be decreed to observe and abide by the true original agreement, according to what is herein before shown to have been the intention of the said Samuel Benton and your Orator, at the

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Samuel Benton
advs }
Wm Woods

Tilla August 5. 1841

Samuel W. Allen

Samuel Benton In Chancery Minor Com Pleas
Veds

Wm W Woods and the said Benton comes and
demurs to said bill of the said Wm Woods and for
cause of demurrer shows that the said Woods by his
said Bill has not made such a case as entitles
him to any relief against him this left wherefore
and for other good causes he the said Benton de-
murs to his said bill and prays the Judgment
of the Court whether he shall be compelled to make
any further ~~answers~~ or other answer to said Bill and that
he may be dismissed with his costs

By W Lawrence his sol

Union Com. Pleas

W. W. Woods

vs 3 writ of Sub

Samuel Benton
& John Hurley

Seized by Copy on
John Hurley, Samuel
Benton not in Union
County.

Fee, Service .35

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W. W. Stebbins Sheriff
Union County

The State of Ohio Union County
To the Sheriff of said County Greeting
We command you to Summon Samuel Benton and
Abner Hurley to appear before our Court of Common
Pleas in and for the County of said County at the Court House in
said County on the first day of next Term to answer
the matters and charges contained in a ~~petition~~ bill in
Chancery exhibited against them by W. W. Woods upon which
has been allowed an injunction staying further proceeding on a
Judgment obtained on the docket of Wm. H. Frank a
Justice of the Peace for said County on the 15th day of May
A. D. 1840 for the sum of \$76.05 & costs in favor of the said
Samuel Benton and against the said W. W. Woods, and that
they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand
Dollars and have you then this writ

Witness My hand & Seal Clerk of said
Court of Com. Pleas. at the Court House
in Marysville this 22nd day of May, 1841

James H. Gill Clerk

Union Common Pleas

W W Woods

vs } Sub in Chy
Samuel Benton &
John Hurley

March 24th

Served personally on Samuel
Benton, - John Hurley
not found -

Shiff's fees

1 copy	---	15
Serving	---	35
13 miles		<u>65</u>
		\$1.15

John Owen Shiff
By P. R. Colwell Dkt
Filed April 2. 1841
Clas H. Ewell

The State of Ohio Union County ss
to the Sheriff of ~~Union~~ Champaign County Ohio
We command you to summon Samuel Benton & John Henley
to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County
aforesaid at the Court House in Mansfield on the first day
of next Term to answer the matters and charges contained in a
bill in Chancery exhibited against them by W. W. Woods upon which
has been allowed an injunction staying further proceedings on
a Judgment obtained on the docket of the Hon. H. Frank Esq. a
Justice of the Peace for said County of Union on the 15th day of May
1840 for the sum of \$76.05 & costs in favor of the said Samuel
Benton against the said W. W. Woods and this they shall in no
wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars and have
you then & there this writ

Witness James H. Gill Clerk of said Court
at the Court House aforesaid this 22nd day
of May, 1841 James H. Gill Clerk

Union Com. Pleas

W. W. Woods

vs } Bond Jrij
Samuel Benton

& John Hurley

Filed Aug 22. 1861

Wm. H. Rice Clerk

Know all men by these presents that We W.W. Woods and
Alexander Stittings are held and firmly bound unto
Samuel Benton in the sum of one hundred and fifty
Dollars to the payment of which we jointly and severally
bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators sealed
with our seals and dated this 22nd day of May, 1841

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
above named W.W. Woods has obtained an allowance of an
Injunction in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of
Union and State of Ohio to stay all further proceedings
upon a judgment obtained on the docket of William H.
Frank a Justice of the peace in and for the County of Union
& State of Ohio on the 15th day of May A.D. 1840 for the sum of Seventy
Six Dollars and five cents & costs (said judgment was obtained
by said Samuel Benton against the said W.W. Woods)
until the matter thereof can be heard in equity, Now if the said
W.W. Woods shall pay all moneys and costs due or to become due
from him the said W.W. Woods in said judgment at Law
and all moneys and costs which shall be decreed against the
said W.W. Woods in case said injunction shall be dissolved
then this obligation shall be void, otherwise in full force &
written in Law

Approved by me
Chas H. Gill 1841

W.W. Woods seal
Alexander Stittings Seal

Gene Aug 22, 1840


Gen. H. Linnell

Recd Mansville Dec 29 1838

of Samuel Benton one note given by Kessel and Hall secured
by Samuel Bradford, calling for seventy two dollars and fifty
cents; and two and fifty cents received on the within note,
and this is to testify that J. W. Woods promise to return
the note or that amount of money.

W. W. Woods.

I certify that the above is a true copy of the original
receipt, now on file in my office. Given under my
hand and seal this 19th day of January A. D. 1841.

Wm H. Frank J.P. 

Wm H Frank is an acting J.P.
J. H. Eudell

I admit all the above allegations To be true and so for left

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0002

No. 41-CH-2

Union Common Pleas Court.

James W Evans

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Christian Good,

Defendant.

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Dismissed

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Union Com Pleas
James W. Evans.

• " Injunction Bond

Christian Gowl &
Wm. W. Steele.

Filed Febr 3^d 1841

Asst. H. Gill clerk

cost bill made

Recorded

Know all men by these presents that we James W. Evans
and Cyprian Lee are held and firmly bound
unto Christian Goul and W. W. State in the sum of four hundred
dollars to the payment of which we jointly and severally being
sureties our heirs Executors and administrators Seal with
our seals and dated this 3^d day of February, A. D. 1841

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
above named Jas. W. Evans has obtained an allowance of
an injunction in the Court of Common Pleas of the County
of Union and State of Ohio to stay all further proceedings
upon a judgment obtained in the same Court of Common
Pleas by the said Christian Goul against Stephen McSain
at the October Term thereof A. D. 1840 for the sum of two hundred
and eleven dollars damages and the sum of \$8.78 costs until
the matter thereof can be heard in equity. Now if the said
Jas. W. Evans shall pay all moneys and costs due or to become
due from the said Stephen McSain in said judgment at law
and all moneys and costs which shall be charged against the
said Jas. W. Evans in case said injunction shall be dissolved
then this obligation shall be void otherwise in full force and
virtue in law

Approved by me

Feb. 3. 1841 Jas W Evans

James W. Evans Seal

Cyprian Lee Seal

Union Loan. Plus
Sas. W. Evans

as 3 sub in City
Christian School &
W. W. State

Filed Feb. 3. 1861
Sas. H. E. Smith

Injunction allowed
& bail given
Sas. H. E. Smith

Feb 3^d 1861

I acknowledge service
on the within writ
R. W. Steele

The State of Ohio Union County S.S.
To the Clerks of said County Greeting
We command you to summon Christian Goul and W.M.
State to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and
for the County aforesaid at the Court House in said
County on the first day of next Term to answer the
Matters and Charges containell in a bill in Chancery
Exhibited against them by Jas. W. Evans and this
this shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one thou-
sand dollars and have you thus true this writ

Witness Jas. H. Gice Clerk of said Court
at the Court House in Maysville this
3^d day of February A.D. 1861

Jas. H. Gice Clerk

Copy of Littleton
McLain to Evans.

Friday March 8. 1861
Nat. H. Gill

Dear Sir

Yours
N. H. Gill

I have just received your letter of the 2nd inst. and
am glad to hear that you are well. I have
been feeling better and am now
able to go out and walk. I have
not yet received your letter of the 2nd inst.
and am sorry to hear that you are
ill. I hope you will soon be
able to go out and walk.

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and am sorry to hear that you are
ill. I hope you will soon be
able to go out and walk.

Know all men by these presents, that
Stephen McGain am held and firmly bound
unto James Evans in the penal sum of nine
hundred dollars, to the payment of which
I bind myself my heirs executors, and admin-
istrators jointly and firmly by these presents
sealed with my seal and dated this 3^d day
of May 1837.

The Condition of the above bond
is such that whereas the above bound Stephen
McGain hath sold unto the said Evans a lot of
land known by in lot No. 15 in the Town of Hamp-
-ville, for the sum of (\$469) four hundred and
sixty nine dollars, for which he has this day
executed his two several notes, one for 257 dol-
-lars payable the first day of November next &
the other for 212 dollars payable the first day
of May 1838. Now, if, upon the payment of
the said two notes, at the times specified, if
the said Stephen McGain doth make and con-
-vey the said property unto him the said Evans
by good warranty deed, then this bond to
be null and void, otherwise remain in full
force and virtue.

Attest,
W. Winget,

Stephen McGain

Copy of title bond,
Gould to McLain.

Filed March 8. 1861

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Know all men by these presents that I Christian
Gowl, am held and firmly bound unto Stephen McLain
In the sum of four hundred Dollars, lawful
Money, to the payment of which, well and truly
to be made, I bind myself ~~to~~ my heirs, executors,
and administrators firmly by these presents sealed
with my seal and dated this 9th day of January
A. D. 1838.

The Condition of the above bond is
such that whereas the above bound Christian
Gowl has sold unto Stephen McLain In Lot No. 15
in the Town of Marysville with all improvement
thereon, for which said Stephen McLain has heretofore
paid \$225, and has this day executed his note for the
further sum of Two Hundred dollars, payable to said
Christian Gowl One day after the date, Now, on
the full payment being made by said McLain to
said Christian Gowl. If said Christian Gowl does
well and truly convey said lot with the privileges &
appurtenances to said McLain, by a good and
sufficient general warranty deed, then the bond
shall be null and void. Else in full force & virtue
both in law and equity.

Attest
Silas C. Strong.

Christian Gowl 

Evansville Bond
S. M. Cain

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Filed July 8th 1840
Jas. H. Hill Clerk

Know all men by these presents that I
Stephen McLain am here and firmly
bound unto James Evans in the penal
sum of nine hundred dollars to the
payment of which I bind myself my
heirs executors and administrators
jointly and firmly by these presents
sealed with my seal and dated
this 3rd day of May 1837.

The condition of the above bond is
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one for 257 dollars payable the 1st
day of November next and the
other for 212 dollars payable the 1st
day of May 1838. Now if upon
the payment of the said two notes at
the times specified if the said McLain
doth make and convey the said ^{property}
unto him the said Evans by good ^{warranted} deed
then this bond to be null and void
otherwise remain in full force and
virtue -

Wth
C. Winch

Stephen McLain

Copy of notes of hand.

Evans to McLean.

Filed March 8. 1860

Gen. H. Gill Allen

Gen. H. Gill Allen

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On or before the first day of May 1838
I promise to pay Stephen McLean or order Two
hundred and Twelve dollars value recd. May 3rd 1837.
James W. Evans.

On or before the first day of November next
I promise to pay Stephen McLean or order the
sum of Two hundred & fifty seven dollars, value
recd. May 3rd 1837.
James W. Evans.

And you Order prayd that on the trial hearing of this Cause
he may be quieted in the title and possession of the said premises
upon the performance of such things as your Honor may require
at his costs; and that he may have such other and further
relief as equity and good conscience may require.

And you Order further prayd that an injunction
may be allowed to restrain the said Christian Gould from
all further proceedings upon the said judgment at law; and also
to restrain the said W. M. Steele from, in any wise, proceeding with
the said execution.

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

I, Lewis W. Evers, being duly sworn, do depose and say that all the
aforesaid matters and things which are stated in the foregoing
Bill, as from the information of others, a juror, do believe to be true;
and that all the aforesaid other matters and things therein set forth
are true in substance and in fact.

deposed to and subscribed before me, this 2^d day of February, 1841.

Henry Cunniff
Mayor of the Town
of Marietta

Associate Jd.

I allow an injunction as prayed for
in this Bill, to be continued until
the further order of the Court; and
order the plaintiff to give bond
and security to the defendant in
the sum of four hundred dollars,
Conditions according to law.

February
2^d 1841

John Capi

Filed Feb. 2^d 1841

Clas. H. Givell

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of Union, and State of Ohio, in Chancery sitting:

James W. Evans, of the County of Union and State of Ohio, represents that Christian Gowd of the County of Champaign and State of Ohio, (and whom your Orator prays may be made defendant to this Bill) on the 9th day of January 1838 was seized in fee simple of a certain lot of Land, known as Ln lot No. 15 in the Town of Marysville in the said County of Union; and the said Christian Gowd on the 9th day of January 1838 executed and delivered to Stephen McLain of the said County of Union his bond for a conveyance in fee of said premises; and the said Stephen McLain on the 3rd day of May 1837 executed and delivered to your Orator his bond for a conveyance in fee of the said premises, in consideration of two notes of hand given to the said Stephen McLain by your Orator, the one for \$257,00 payable November 1, 1838, and the other for \$212,00 payable May 1, 1838, (Copies of all of which aforesaid bonds and notes of hand are herewith filed and made part of this Bill) and the said Christian Gowd, at the October term for 1840 of the Court of Common Pleas for said County of Union obtained a judgment at law against the said Stephen McLain for the sum of two hundred and twenty one dollars; and the said Christian Gowd on the 1st day of February 1841 executed and delivered to the said Stephen McLain a conveyance in fee of the said premises; and W.W. Steele Sheriff of said County of Union, who held in his hands an execution issued against the said Stephen McLain under the said judgment obtained against him by the said Christian Gowd and which execution bears date November 17th 1840 (and which said Sheriff W.W. Steele, your ^{orator} prays may also be made defendant to this Bill) did on the 1st day of February 1841 proceed to levy said execution upon the said premises; and the said Stephen McLain, to whom your Orator had long previously paid the full amount of the aforesaid notes of hand, executed and delivered to your Orator a conveyance in fee of the said premises on the 1st day of February 1841. — And your Orator further represents that he is ready and willing to perform all things which your honors in your wisdom may require him to do, in order to quiet him in the possession and enjoyment of said premises.

Your Orator, therefore, prays that a writ of Subpoena may issue against the said Christian Gowd and W.W. Steele, and that they may be compelled to attend all and singular the premises; —

Minor Complaints
James W. Evans

By Answer
Christian Gowl &
Wm. W. Steele

Filed April 12, 1841

Wm. W. Luce clk

The Hon Judges of the Court Com Pleas of Union County
In Chancery Sitting
The Answer of Wm Steele, to Complainant James W
Evans Bill against Christian Gowl & this Respondent
This Respondent for Answer Comes & says, that the
matters & things Charged in said Bill against this
respondent, in substance are true that on the first day
of February 1841 this respondent had by virtue of his
office, an Execution in favor of said Gowl & against
Stephen McLain, which Execution was levied upon Lot
No 15 - by the order & direction of the said Gowl who
was plaintiff in said Execution, that said levy was made
about One O'clock P.M. of said day and this respondent
as Sheriff proceeded to advertise said lot, agreeable
to the requirements of the Statute in such cases made and
provided. And this ~~an~~ Respondent (who denies all fraud,
- but was governed with honest motives in the legal discharge
of his official duties) prays to be discharged with his reas-
onable Costs

Wm. Steele

sworn to and Subscribed this 13th day of April A.D. 1841
James Turner J.P.

Mrs Com Reas

To Gowl
ads } Answer
J W Evans

Filed August 5. 1861

Dr. H. J. Clark

4.25
2.69

6.94

The separate answer of C. Gowl to the bill of
Complaint exhibited against him by James H Evans
in Union County Court of Common Pleas

This Defendant now comes and for answer
to said bill or so much thereof as he is advised is material
for him to answer. Says that he admits the Charges
in said bill contained so far as the title and sale of said
lot is stated but charges that before Comfert bought of
Becker he will renew the lien of Defendant on said
property for the purchase money and this defendant
here charges that the subject matter of the Judgment
in favor of this defendant vs McClain was a part
of the purchase money due this Defendant from said
McClain for the said lot and that the Levy was made
on it said property before the same was deeded to Comfert
This Defendant further charges that he is informed and
believes that he this Deft. is without remedy ~~and~~ as to the
collection of his debt due to him for said lot unless he
can hold the lien upon the same in consequence of
the inability of the said McClain to pay the same
and having thus fully answered he prays to be dismissed
with his reasonable costs &c C Gowl

By W. Lawrence his Sol

State of Ohio Union County Personally appears
Christian Gowl who being duly sworn says that the
Matters and Things in the foregoing answer are true
in substance and in fact as he verily believes
Christian Gowl

June 12. 1841.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this
12 day of June 1841.

W. H. F. Smith J. P.

Union Loan Pleas

Sgt. W. Evans
as } sub. in Chy
Christian Gould &
W. W. State

personally served on
Christian Gould by copy
Feb. 15th 1861

John Owen Sheriff Cal.
per. writ — .35 —
copy — — 15 —
12 miles — — 60 —
\$1.10

State not found
John Owen Sheriff
Filed March 24. 1861
Sgt. H. G. Lusk

The State of Ohio Union County ss
to the Sheriff of Champaign County Greeting

We command you to summon Christian Gould and W. H. State to
appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County
aforesaid at the Court House in said County on the first day
of next Term to answer the matters and charges contained in
a bill in Chancery exhibited against them by Jas. W. Evans
and that they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one thou-
sand dollars and have you there there this writ

Witness Jas. H. Gill Clerk of said Court
at the Court House in said County this
3^d day of February 1861

Jas. H. Gill Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0003

No. 41-CH-3

Union Common Pleas Court.

Johnson Edward
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Alford Heacock et al
Defendant.

NOV

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Decree for plaintiff

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Union Com. Pleas }
April Term 1841 }

Edward P. Johnston }
vs. }

Alfred Meacock }

Bill in Chancery.

Filed April 7. 1841

Chas. C. Geisler

cost bill made

Recorded

To the Judges of the Court of Com. Pleas
for the County of Union in Chancery.

Your orator Edward P. Johnston of the said
County respectfully represents, that sometime in the
month of April 1839 your orator sold to Alfred
Theacock now of Harrison County a tract of land
situate in the said County of Union, hereinafter
more particularly described, and in pursuance of
such sale your orator and the said Theacock entered
into a written contract for the sale of the said land
dated the 11th day of April 1839 and signed & created by
both of the said parties and now herewith shown to
the Court; by which written agreement your orator
sold the said land to the said Theacock for the sum
of \$4.00 per acre of which purchase money the
said Theacock was to pay your orator the sum of
\$300 down, and the residue when your orator
should execute to the said Theacock a deed with
relinquishment of dower; but to pay two thirds of
the purchase money within ~~thirty~~ ^{thirty} upon the exe-
-cution of your orator's own deed (the said \$300. to
be included in the said two thirds) and the residue
or remaining one third to be paid upon tender of
the relinquishment of dower. The said land was to
be surveyed by your orator, and accordingly ^{afterwards} in
the said month of April, 1839 your orator procured
the said land to be surveyed and was found to con-
tain 295. acres and the land is thus described

situate in Mill Creek Township in said County, beginning at a stake in Mill Creek road corner
to land belonged to Miles Skinner, thence with said road S. 35° E. 8 poles & 6 fms. to a stake said Skinner
corner, thence with Skinner's line S 18° E. 80 poles to a beech & Sugar trees, corner of said
Skinner, thence N 81° 35' E. 144 1/2 poles to two ironwood & Sugar trees all down, thence N. 72°
132 poles to a stake in the Columbus road, thence with said road N 59° W. 44 poles to a stake
thence with an angle of said road N. 81° W. 44 poles crossing Mill Creek road to the center of
the Columbus road.

and your orator thereupon executed his own deed to the said Theacock conveying to him in fee the said land and received from the said Theacock the two thirds of the purchase money including the said \$300 amounting to the sum of \$786.67 leaving the sum of \$393.33 to be paid upon the execution of the relinquishment of dower.

And your orator afterwards to wit on the first day of October 1839 offered to execute to the said Theacock in due form a relinquishment of dower upon the payment of the residue of the said purchase money, which the said Theacock absolutely refused to pay.

And your orator further represent that the said Theacock has not the said land and conveyed the same in fee to Edward Morris of the said County of Union who is now in the use & occupancy of the said land who also refuses to pay the said residue of the said purchase money upon the ~~very~~ delivery of the said relinquishment of dower in due form executed by the wife of your orator.

Your orator therefore pray that the said Alfred
Theacock and Edward Morris be made defen-
dants hereto and that they answer all and singular
the premises, and that they or either of them be
decreed to pay to your orator the said residue of
the said purchase money and interest thereon, and
in default thereof that the same be a lien on
the said land, and the said land subjected to the payment
thereof by sale &c.

And that your orator have such other & further
relief in the premises as shall be agreeable to
equity & good conscience.

And your orator will ever pray &c.

J. W. Powell Compt. Sol.

Union Com. Pleas

Edward P. Alhuston

vs 3

Alfred Heacock and

Edward Norris

Filed April 7. 1861

Chas. W. Lee Clerk

Union County,
Maryland,
- Court of Com. Pleas

Ann S. Johnson

Union County Com. Pleas April Term 1841.

Edward P. Johnston

vs.

Alfred Theacock &

Edward Norris

} Bill in Chancery.

} Here subpoena for Edward
Norris to Sheriff of Union County and for Alfred
Theacock to Sheriff Harrison County.

April 1st 1841.

J. W. Powell Compt. Sal.

Edward P. Johnston &
Ann S. Johnston his wife

Deed } 20

Alfred Hancock

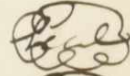
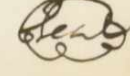
Filed Nov. 3. 1861

James H. Gillett

Know all persons by these presents that Edward P. Johnston & Ann S. Johnston (by J. W. Powell their attorney in fact whose name & attorney is found records in the Recorder's office in Union County Vol. 7. Page 216, and in Vol. 8. Page 23.) for & in consideration of the sum of four hundred dollars to them paid by Alfred Theacock do sell, relinquish, release and forever quit claim all right and title to him the said Alfred of, in and to a certain lot or tract of land situate in Union County, Ohio. Containing about 295 acres situate in Mill Creek Township in the said County particularly described in a deed executed by Edward P. Johnston to the said Alfred Theacock on or about the 23^d day of April 1839. to the said Alfred Theacock his heirs & assigns forever.

Witness the hands & seals of the said Edward P. Johnston and Ann S. Johnston his wife this 7th day of April 1841.

Signed, read and delivered
in the presence of
Wm. C. Crawford
ellars & Carver

Edward P. Johnston 
Ann S. Johnston 
By J. W. Powell their attorney.

Union County, O. On this 3^d day of November 1841. personally after the above named Thomas W. Powell as the attorney for Edward P. Johnston & Ann S. his wife the grantors in the foregoing deed and duly acknowledged the same to be their voluntary act and deed duly executed for the purposes therein expressed.

Before me William B. Meier
Justice of the Peace

Edward T. Schuster

Alfred Hancock

Damages \$421.00

costs 12.71 1/2

with - .40

Filed Apr 26. 1842

Jas. A. Gill Clerk

Recd this date February 9th 1842 and on the 18th of Dec & make the amt of the within in Bank Paper Alcock's fees

two wit - .35

Prize - 1.00

Penalties - \$8.86

Bookkeeping - \$10.21

\$1031

Wm. Russell Sheriff of H.C.R.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

Harris
TO THE SHERIFF OF ~~S~~ COUNTY, GREETING:

WHEREAS, at a Court of Common Pleas of said County, begun and held at the Court House in Marysville
on the *third* day of *November* A. D., 184*1* *Edward P. Schuster*

recovered against *Alfred Heacock* By *Deceit*

as well the sum of *Four hundred and Twenty one* dollars
and *00* cents, for *00* damages, as the sum of \$*12.21 1/2*

for *his* costs and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest. You are there-
fore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, and for want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said
Alfred Heacock

you cause to be made the damages and cost aforesaid with interest thereon from the *third* day of
November A. D., 184*0* . until paid. Also, the sum of \$*0.40* the costs of increase
on said judgement, and the accruing costs. And that you have those moneys before said court, at the Court House
aforesaid, on the first day of our next term, to render unto the said *Edward P. Schuster*

Hereof fail not, at your peril, and have then there this writ.

WITNESS JAMES H. GILL, Clerk of said Court, at the Court House
aforesaid, this *27th* day of *January*
A. D., 184*2*

Attest: *James H. Gill* CLERK.

thence with said road N 58° W three poles to the line of a lot
formerly owned by Alven Randall thence with said Randalls line
south Eighty one degrees west ninety six poles to an ash an Elm
said Randalls corner thence with another of his lines north eighteen
degrees west ninety one poles to a beech said Randalls corner
and also corner to a lot bargained to Olive Kent thence with
her line south Eighty degrees west fifty poles to a hickory corner
to a lot of William McLawley thence with his line south
Eighteen degrees west ninety one and one third poles to a stake
corner to said McLawley thence with his line passing his
corner south Eighty degrees west one hundred and fifty one poles
to a hickory in the original line of said survey thence with said
line south thirty one degrees east ninety one poles to a hickory corner
to a lot bargained to John J Kelly thence with his line passing
his corner north Eighty one degrees east one hundred and fifty six
poles to a stake corner to said Skinner thence with his line
north thirty degrees west seventeen poles to a stake corner to said
Skinner thence with his line south seventy eight degrees east forty
one poles to a beech and ash another of said Skinner corners thence
with his line south sixty two degrees east ten poles to the
Beginning containing two hundred and ninety five acres
more or less

Union Com. Pleas

Edw. P. Schustow

is submitted by

Edw. P. Schustow

Alfonse Heacock

Filed Nov. 3. 1861

Jas H. Gillett

August 12th & D 1861 I send this and the
within named by leaving at his house a certified
copy of this writ

Montgomery Swift

Monty fees

rental 35

Chicago 1 00

copy

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Harrison* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Alfred Beacock* _____

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House in said county, *on the first day of the next term of the said Court.*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill* _____

in Chancery exhibited against *him Edward Norris* _____ by

Edward P. Johnston _____ and this *you* shall

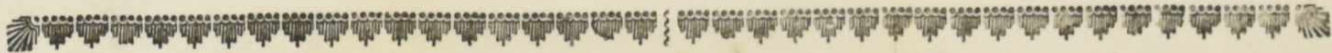
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in

Marysville, this *24th* day of *June* A. D.

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James H. Gill Clerk



Union Com Pleas

Edward P. Schustow

vs } Sub in Chy

Alfred Hancock

Edward Norris

Served by leaving a
Certified Copy at the
residence of Edward
Norris. April 12. 1841

Wm Stebbins

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Filed April 13. 1841

Wm H. Guille

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Alfred Heacock and Edward
Norris*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said county, *on the first day of next Term*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*
in Chancery exhibited against *them* _____ by

Edward P. Schuster _____ and this *they* shall
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in
Marysville, this *Eighth* day of *April* A. D.
1841 .

James H. Gill Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0004

No. 41-CH-4

UNION COMMON PLEAS COURT.

Sanford W. Spain et al
Plaintiff

against

Daniel W. Spain et al
Defendant.

Oct 3^d 1844. were
for partition.

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Union Com Pleas
Samuel W Spain et al
vs
Daniel W Spain et al

Petition for partition

Filed April 13. 1841
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John Cassil. Clerk

Isaac Subpoena To W. Sheriff of Union County
Union Co
Return made by

To the Honorable the Court of Common Pleas when in
Chancery sitting Your Petitioners Milly Spain and
Paschal Spain her husband, Sanford W Spain and
Dolly Spain of the County of Union would represent
that some time in the year 1831 Daniel Spain of sd
County died ~~leaving~~ ^{holding by bond since conveyed to the heirs} ~~leaving~~ the following described
lands to wit Beginning on ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~east~~ ^{east} bank at ~~the~~ ^{the}
Sugar ~~tree~~ and hickory thence South $37^{\circ} E$ 18 poles $\frac{6}{10}$ to a
Sugar tree thence N. $52^{\circ} E$ 202 poles to 2 dogwood and ~~maple~~
thence N. $37^{\circ} W$ 132 $\frac{6}{10}$ poles to 4 Sugar trees & White oak
thence South $53^{\circ} W$ 218 poles to Barbys Creek at 2 elms
& oaks and ~~hickory~~ ^{hackberry} & Walnut thence down with the meanders
of the creek 140 poles to the Beginning containing 169 acres
and parts of Surveys No 368 & 3749 & No 2833

That the said Daniel died leaving Agnes Spain his widow
to whom during her life the said lands were devised, that
she died in the year 1839. That by the will and laws
your petitioners together with Daniel W. Clemmons
and Levi E. Spain Minors heirs of Daniel Spain dead
are entitled to partition share and share alike that is
Milly Spain formerly Milly Spain and daughter of
Daniel Spain dead with Paschal Spain her husband one
share Sanford W. and Dolly Spain each one share &
to each of the minor heirs aforesaid one share

The prayer of your petitioners therefore is that it do
Daniel W. Clemmons & Levi E. Spain may be
made defendants to this application and that par-
tition may be made ^{giving} to each of your ^{petitioners} one sixth part of
said land according to quality and quantity as provided
by statute and your petitioners pray of the and further
relief in the premises and as in duty bound will ever
pray &c

By J. C. Lawrence their Sol

Wm Com' Plea

S. W. Spain

Daniel W. Spain et al

Writ of Partition

Filed Oct 3^d 1844

John Cassil C/R

We the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio, to Partition and assign to Levi E Spain Sanford M. Spain Emelia wife of Paschal Spain Daniel M. Spain & Clemens Spain. each one Fifth part of 169 acres of land surveys Nos 3681. 3749. & 2833. - after being sworn by Wm M. Steele Sheriff of Union County Ohio upon view of the premises, we do assign & sett off the above parties entitled thereto, in the following Manner, viz. To Clemens Spain 38 acres. Commencing at the N E corner of said 169 acres, thence S. 37 E. 66³/₁₀ poles, from thence & from the Beginning so as to include Thirty Eight acres, to Levi E Spain from a Stake 66³/₁₀ poles ~~from~~ the corner of Clemens Spains in the Back line of said 169 acres, thence S 37 E. 66³/₁₀ poles to the S. E. corner of said Tract, from thence & from the Beginning, with Clemens South line so as to include 38 acres, To Paschal Emelia wife of Paschal Spain, 28¹/₂ acres, Commencing at a Stake the South West corner of Levi E Spains land, thence S 52 W. to the S. W. corner of 169 acres on Darby Creek. from thence & from the beginning so as to include 28¹/₂ acres, To Washington Spain 29¹/₂ acres, bounded South by Paschal Spains land East by the line of Levi E. & Clemens Spain, by on the North by Sanford Spain & on the West by Darby creek, To Sanford M. Spain 33¹/₂ acres, Beginning at the upper corner on the Creek, being the N.W. corner of said 169 acres ~~from thence a N line to~~ ~~Spain land,~~ & with the meanders of the Creek from the Beginning to Washington Spains land thence with his N. line to Clemens Spain, thence with his N. line to the N line of said 169 a. tract - thence with said N line to the Beginning, all of which is Respectfully Submitted
Graham & Volger of John E. & O. M. Gray

Union Com Pleas
Samuel W Spain et al
vs
Daniel W Spain et al
Writ of Detention

I have Executed the Com mandts of the within
writ by the Oaths of the Commissioners named
therein, Oct 3^d 1844 whose report is herewith returned
Wm W. Stark Sheriff

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The State of Ohio Union County ss
To the Sheriff of said County Greeting
We command you that without delay, by the
oaths of Abraham Holy crop, E. W. Crary
and John Epps you cause partition of the lands
following real estate, to wit; Beginning on
Darby's creek East Bank at a Buckeye sugar
tree and hickory thence South $37^{\circ} E$ 18 poles $\frac{7}{16}$ to
a sugar tree thence $N 52^{\circ} E$ 202 poles to 2 dogwoods
and Maple thence $N 37^{\circ} W$ 132 $\frac{7}{16}$ poles to 4 sugar trees
& White oak thence South $53^{\circ} W$, 218 poles to Darby's creek
at 2 elms 2 oaks and haeberry & Walnut thence
down with the meanders of the creek 140 poles
to the beginning containing 169 acres and parts
of surveys No 3681 & 3749 & No 2833, to be made
~~among~~ among the following persons and in the
following proportions to wit to Levi E Spain
one equal fifth part, to Sanford W. Spain
one equal fifth part, to ^{Emelia} Pascal Spain
one equal fifth part, to David W. Spain one
equal fifth part & to Clement Spain one equal
fifth part. And that your proceedings in the
premises, you distinctly certify, under your hand,
to our Court of Common Pleas within and for the
said County of Union together with this writ
We trust John Cassil Clark of our
said Court this 2nd day of October
A D 1844
John Cassil Clark

Wm. C. ...

S. W. Spain et al

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S. W. Spain et al

Answer

^{by} Filed Oct 5th 1864

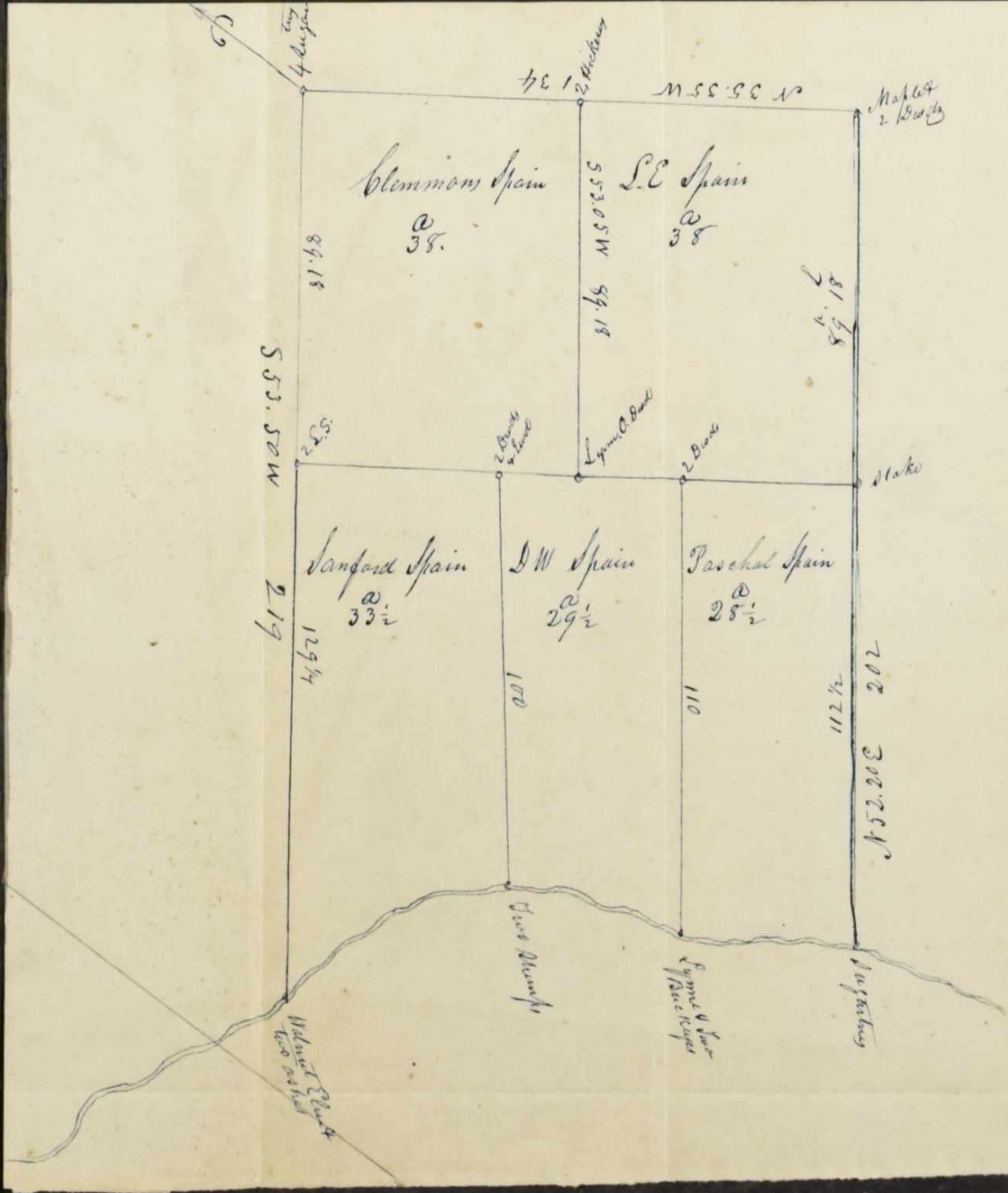
John L. ...

The Joint answer of Daniel W Spain, Cleo-
mons Spain and Levi Spain Mine to the petition
filed vs against them by Sanford W Spain et als
for partition

These Defendants now come and con-
sent to the prayer of the petitioners and submit
the case to the court

By P B Cole

The Guardian
at law



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L. Bland

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Sargard Spain

D.W. Spain

Paschal Spain

@ 33 1/2

@ 29 1/2

@ 28 1/2

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N 52.20 E 202

Clear Run

Line of fence
by Paschal Spain

Corner

Water Creek
two sides

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Union Com. Pleas

Saunders vs Spain et al

vs 3 sub in ch

Daniel W. Spaw et al

Served by leaving a certified copy at the residence of each of the Defendants
Apr 14. 1841

W. M. Steele Shff

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Filed April 15. 1841

James A. Hill
Clk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Janie W. Spain & Leora W. Spain*
Spain & Levi E. Spain

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house
in said county, *on the first day of next Term*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *petition*
in Chancery exhibited against *them by Melly & Paschal Spain her husband*
Samuel W. Spain & Lolly Spain and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

thirtieth day of *April*

A. D. 184*9*.

James H. Gill Clerk

A true copy of Original writ

Sheriff Union County O.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0005

No. 41-CH-5

Union Common Pleas Court

Cadwallader Wallace
Plaintiff,

against

John Williams et al
Defendant.

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John Williams &
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Petition in
Chancery -

Filed April 14, 1861

Sat. M. E. 6th

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Mason & Forbes Secy

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court
of Common Pleas, in and for the County of
Union in the State of Ohio when in Ordinary
Sitting

Your Petitioner Cadwallader Wall
ace a Citizen of this State humbly craveth
aiding sheweth unto your Honors that he is
now and for many years past he has been
a deputy Surveyor duly appointed as such
within & for the District known as the Virgin-
ia Military Reservation lying between
the Scioto and Little Miami Rivers in
this State, and that as such Deputy Surveyor
or he caused an Entry No 3473 of four
hundred acres of land to be made for and
in the name of one John Williams in virtue
of a Military land warrant No 1036 in
that part of the District aforesaid which now
lies within the said County of Union and
afterwards to wit on or about the 15th day
of August 1831 he caused said Entry to be
surveyed and a plan of said Survey No
3473 to be duly returned to the office of
the Principal Surveyor for said District
which tract of four hundred acres of land
so returned and surveyed as aforesaid
is bounded and described as follows
namely Beginning at a stake North
West corner to Edward Shuffield's
Survey No 9901 & 10780 thence S 78 W 40
poles to a stake North East corner to
Robert C. Bruce's Survey No 11043 thence
S 12 E 160 poles to a stake South East cor-
ner to said Survey, thence S 78 W 200

poles to a stake South West corner to said Survey, thence $S 12^{\circ} E$ 240 poles to a stake in the Greenville Treaty line, thence $N 78^{\circ} E$ 240 ^{poles} to a stake South West corner to Stubblefield's said Survey, thence $N 12^{\circ} W$ 400 poles to the beginning as will more fully appear by a ~~copy~~ copy of the plan of said Survey marked (A) and to which for greater certainty herein your Petitioner refers and prays that the same may be taken as part of this his petition. And your Petitioner further states besides making or causing to be made the Entry and Survey aforesaid, he has fully paid all the ~~expenses~~ expenses ^{incident to executing said Survey} ~~and~~ office fees that have accrued or accrued on account of said Entry and Survey for which services and payments he has hitherto received no compensation or reimbursement whatever but for which he claims and believes he is entitled to receive according to the well established custom & usage in such cases one ^{fourth} ~~third~~ part of the said tract of land as the Locator's share.

Your Petitioner does not know in what state or place the said John William resides, nor does he know whether he is living or dead, and if deceased who are his heirs or other legal representatives or where they reside.

Your Petitioner therefore prays that the said John Williams may if living be made defendant or if deceased that his unknown heirs or other legal representatives may be made defendants to this his petition, and

that notice of the pendency & prayer therey may be
given to him or them by publication, and he or they
required to answer the same, according to the
statute in such case made and provided.
And your Petitioner further prays that the title
to one ~~house~~ ^{fourth} or some other just and equitable
part of said tract of land may by the decree
of your Honor be vested in him, and that the
same may be apportioned and set off to him
by metes and bounds to be held in severalty,
or that your Petitioner may have such other
& further relief in the premises as may be
consistent with equity & good conscience

Mason & Forbes Sol
for Petitioner...

State of Ohio Union County
in open court. J. L. Forbes personally appeared
in open court as J. L. Forbes who on oath says
that he has been informed & believes that the statements
in said Bill as to the widow of said John
Williams if living, & if deceased who are his heirs,
& the place of their residence are true as he verily
believes
J. L. Forbes

Done to & subscribed in open
Court this 14 April 1841

Edw. H. Smith

John Williams

Nr 2473

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Filed Apl. 14, 1861

Geo W. Sullivan

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N^o 11 243 - 400 acres

Surveyed for John Williams
400 acres of land in a military com-
-mission N^o 1035 in the county of the District
of Columbia, beginning at a stake North west
corner to Edward Stubbfields survey
N^o 5901 & 10780 thence S 78 N 40 poles to
a stake North east corner to Robert C
Byrnes survey N^o 11043; thence S 12 E 160
poles to a stake South west corner to said
survey; thence S 78 N 200 poles to a
stake South west corner to said survey;
thence S 12 E 244 poles to a stake in
the Germantown District line; thence N 78 E
244 poles to a stake South west corner to
Stubbfields said survey; thence N 72 N
400 poles to the beginning

Co. Wallace
John Williams
et al

Amended Bill
Filed Nov. 3. 1841
James H. Giddings

Recorded

Mason & Furber

That of this Union County
Shirley Abbott
cannot be open to any objection & that
only that the statement in this amended
Bill as to who are the true owners
or their legal representatives of which
are the proprietors & when they arrived
living and true as he is informed & believes
Mason & Furber
this 3. Nov. 1841 James H. Giddings

To a State officer Walker, Vermont
in the 13th Feb. also in this town
agitation arising between them & them in
the 14. March 1841 by being of the
town answers the Registrar gave
as follows that is to say

Your petition stating
that the heirs of one Abraham Park
paternal de or his other legal heirs
entertain charges or claims, have a
petition to have some other legal
representative to the land described
in the original case, the answer
returning of which is unknown to you
petition, nor any other petition.
know who are the heirs of said
Abraham Park, or as to other
legal representatives, claims or claims,
whether being in my, or of writing
when they were your petition

may, that the said unknown heirs,
representations of said Abraham Park,
attach are may be made objections
to the case of complaint & that
notice of the proceedings may be
given them by publication & they be
required to answer the same according
to the rules in such case made
& provided

Wm. & Fisher
at the Court

Wallace

vs

Williams et al

Deposition of
Mr Bonner

Filed Oct. 16th 1819

John Caspell Clerk

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Cadwallader Wallace

vs
John Williams, his unknown
heirs and the unknown heirs
of Abraham Kirkpatrick
deceased.

Union Common
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Matthew Bonner, of lawful age
now a resident of the County of Clark, Ohio
deponent and saith in answer to questions
propounded by the Counsel for petitioners
That he was a Locator of Virginia Military Land
warranty - Commencing the business about the year
1818 and continuing to do more or less at the busi-
ness up to within a few years - Part of the time
he has acted as a Deputy Surveyor under Allen
Latham Esq. Principal Surveyor. This Deponent
thinks that the usual charge by the Locators
for locating surveying and paying all the ex-
pense, during this time was one fourth part
of the land - Before that time (1818) I have
understood from old Locators, such as Genl:
Lytle, Mr. Sullivan and others, that the loco-
tor frequently got one third part.

Cadwallader Wallace the petitioner
did make the location and survey in
the name of John Williams N. 3473 for
400 acres and paid all the expenses,
and further deponent saith not.

Sworn & subscribed Matthew Bonner
before me a Justice of the Peace in Clark County
the 14th October 1843

Octo. 14th 1843

E. Wayne. J. P.

Mason & Torbent

Springfield

Filed Aug. 30. 1862

Las W. Hatch

CADWALLADER Wallace vs. John Williams,
 his unknown heirs or other legal representatives, and the unknown heirs or other legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased.—*Bill in Chancery and amended Bill.* By order of the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, and State of Ohio, at their November Term, 1841, John Williams, if living and if deceased, his heirs or other legal representatives, and the heirs or the legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased, all of whose names, except that of John Williams, and places of residence are unknown, are hereby notified that Cadwallader Wallace, of Ross county, Ohio, did, on the 14th April, 1841, file in the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, Ohio, a Bill in Chancery, against the said John Williams, his unknown heirs or other legal representatives. and did, on the 3d day of November, 1841, file in said Court an amended Bill, against the unknown heirs or other legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased. The Bills state that complainant, as Deputy Surveyor of the Virginia Military District in Ohio, caused an Entry No. 3473, of 400 acres, to be made for and in the name of John Williams, by virtue of a Military warrant No. 1036, in Union county, in said District; that on or about the 15th August, 1831, he caused the said Entry to be surveyed, and a plat thereof returned to the office of the principal Surveyor of said District, which tract of 400 acres, so surveyed, is bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stake north-west corner to Edward Stubblefield's survey No. 9901 and No. 10780; thence south 78° west 40 poles to a stake north-east corner to Robert C. Bruce's survey No. 11043; thence south 12° east 160 poles to a stake south-east corner to said survey; thence south 78° west 200 poles to a stake south-west corner to said survey; thence south 12° east 240 poles to a stake in the Greenville Treaty line; thence north 78° east 240 poles to a stake south-west corner to Stubblefield's said survey; thence north 12° west 400 poles to the beginning; that complainant has paid all expenses incident to the making of said Entry and executing said survey, for which he has received no compensation, but for which he claims one-fourth part as the Locator's share; that complainant does not know whether said Williams is living or not, and if living, his place of residence, and if deceased, who are his heirs, their place of residence; that the heirs or other legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased, whose names and places of residence are unknown, have or pretend to have some interest to said tract of land, legal or equitable, the nature of which is unknown to complainant. Prayer, that defendants be made parties by publication, answer the Bill, and that one-fourth part of said tract of land be decreed to complainant, and set off by metes and bounds to be held in severalty and for general relief. And the said defendants are notified that unless they appear and plead, answer or demur, within sixty days after the August Term, 1842, of said Court, complainant will apply to said Court to take the matters of the Bill as confessed, and to decree thereon accordingly.

MASON & TORBERT, Solicitors

July 19, 1842. .6w.

for Complainant.

State of Ohio, Franklin county, ss.

Charles Scott, being duly sworn, deposeseth and saith, that the notice, of which a true copy is hereunto annexed, was published in the Ohio State Journal, a newspaper in general circulation in the county of Union
6 consecutive weeks from
and after the 19th day of July 1842

Chas. Scott

bed before me, this

1842
Wm. Wood JP

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CADWALLADER Wallace vs. John Williams
his unknown heirs or other legal representatives, and the unknown heirs or other legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased.—*Bill in Chancery and amended Bill.* By order of the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, and State of Ohio, at their November Term, 1841, John Williams, if living and if deceased, his heirs or other legal representatives, and the heirs or the legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased, all of whose names, except that of John Williams, and places of residence are unknown, are hereby notified that Cadwallader Wallace, of Ross county, Ohio, did, on the 14th April, 1841, file in the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, Ohio, a Bill in Chancery, against the said John Williams, his unknown heirs or other legal representatives. and did, on the 3d day of November, 1841, file in said Court an amended Bill, against the unknown heirs or other legal representatives of Abraham Kirkpatrick, deceased. The Bills state that complainant, as Deputy Surveyor of the Virginia Military District in Ohio, caused an Entry No. 3473, of 400 acres, to be made for and in the name of John Williams, by virtue of a Military warrant No. 1036, in Union county, in said District; that on or about the 15th August, 1831, he caused the said Entry to be surveyed, and a plat thereof returned to the office of the principal Surveyor of said District, which tract of 400 acres, so surveyed, is bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stake north-west corner to Edward Stubblefield's survey No. 9901 and No. 10780; thence south 78° west 40 poles to a stake north-east corner to Robert C. Bruce's survey No. 11043; thence south 12° east 160 poles to a stake south-east corner to said survey; thence south 78° west 200 poles to a stake south-west corner to said survey; thence south 12° east 240 poles to a stake in the Greenville Treaty line, at

State of Ohio, Franklin county, ss.

Charles Scott, being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that the notice, of which a true copy is hereunto annexed, was published in the *Ohio State Journal*, a newspaper in general circulation in the county of Union 6 consecutive weeks from and after the 19th day of July 1842

Chas. Scott

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this
29th day of Aug. 1842
Geo. Wood JP

Printer's fee—\$ 87⁵⁰ }
This affidavit--\$ 2⁵⁰ }

Mason & Torbent

Springfield

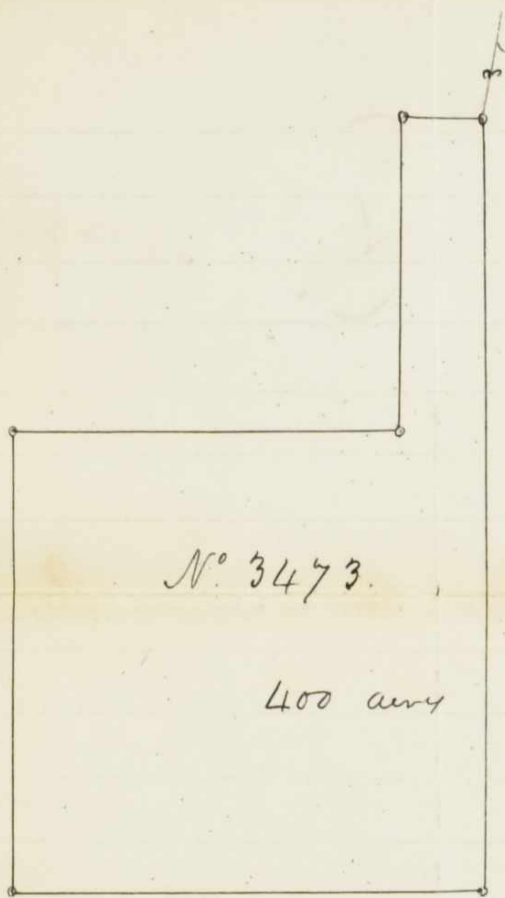
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Surveyed for John Williams, 400
 acres of land, on a Military Warrant
 N° 1036, on the waters of Bush Creek,
 Beginning at a stake, Northwest corner
 to Edward Stubblefield's Survey N° 9901
 & 10780. Thence S 78 W 40 poles to a stake,
 Northeast corner to Robert C. Bruce's Survey
 N° 11043. Thence S 12 E 160 poles to a stake,
 Southeast corner to said Survey, Thence
 S 78 W 200 poles to a stake, Southwest
 corner to said Survey, Thence S 12 E 240
 poles to a stake in the Greenville Treaty
 line, Thence N 78 E 240 poles to a stake
 Southwest corner to Stubblefield's said Survey, Thence N 12 W
 400 poles to the beginning -

Peter Jones } to C
 John Lee }
 Charles Porter, Wm.

Cadwallader Wallace, D. S.
 August 15th 1831.
 August 20th 1831.

Surveyor's Office for the Virginia Military
 District, within the State of Ohio.
 I, W. Marshall Anderson, Surveyor of said Military District,
 do certify, that the above Survey N° 3473 for 400 acres, is
 correctly transcribed from the records of this Office, and that
 the files of this Office show, that the Entry N° 3473, was made
 by Cadwallader Wallaw, and that the Survey of said
 Entry was returned to this Office by said Wallaw.

Given under my hand and seal of Office
 at Chillicothe, this 15th day of March, 1841,
 and the 65th year of the Independence of the United States,
 W. Marshall Anderson,

Jan. 50, 1841



Saved by the Author
of the water account
and messages when
Report is here with full
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Gen. Waller
by
John Williams
to the
Report

Filed April 16. 1843
John Casp. Clerk

Recorded

Union Court of Common Pleas Oct Term AD 1843
Cadwalader Wallace

In Chancery

vs
John Williams his heirs &
legal representatives & the heirs
and legal representatives of
Abraham Kirkpatrick

This cause came on to be heard
upon the original and supple-
-mental Bills of Complainant, the
exhibits and testimony, & was

submitted to the Court without argument and it appearing
to the Court that the defendants have been duly notified by
publication according to law of the pendency & prayer of said
Bills, and that they have failed to plead, answer, or demur
thereto & are in default therefor, it is ordered, adjudged,
and decreed by the Court, that the same be taken as con-
fessed - And the Court do further find from the testimony in
the cause that the Complainant made the Entry & Survey
No 3473, and paid all the Expenses incident thereto, as is
alleged in said original Bill, and that as Locator he is
justly entitled for his said services, and expenses by him paid
to one equal undivided fourth part of the lands in said Survey
No 3473, as described in said original Bill: In consideration
whereof the Court do further order adjudge, and decree
that as many of the defendants as have already arrived
at the age of Majority, do within three months from this date
and as many of the defendants as are now Minors, do within
three months after they shall have arrived at the age of Majori-
-ty respectively, convey to the Complainant by a good and
sufficient deed in fee simple with proper covenants, all their
right, title, interest claim and demand, both at law and
in Equity of in and to the one undivided equal fourth part
of the lands in said Survey No 3473 as described in said
original Bill; and it is further ordered, adjudged, and
decreed that the Sheriff of Union County, who is hereby
appointed Master Commissioner for that purpose, do proceed

by the oaths, of Levi Phelps - Mains Wapou and Cyprian
Lee three judicious and disinterested freeholders of said
County to set apart to Complainant by metes and bounds
one Equal fourth part of the lands in said Survey No 3473
to be held by said Complainants in severalty free and clear of
all claims of all and any of the defendants therein, and that
he make report of his proceedings herein to the next Term of
this Court to which this cause is continued

The State of Ohio, I John Capil Clerk of the Court of
Union County of the Common Pleas within and for the
County of Union and State of Ohio do hereby certify
that the foregoing entry is truly taken and copied
from the Journals of said Court

In testimony whereof I do here to subscribe
my name and affix the Seal of said Court
this sixteenth day of January AD 1844
John Capil Clerk

Union Com Pless

C. Wallace

vs

John Williams et al

order for Partition

Union Com Pleas

C. Wallace

vs

John Williams et al

order for Partition

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Union Court of Common Pleas
Cadwalader Wallaw

vs
John Williams his heirs & Legal Representatives
& the heirs and Legal Representatives of Abraham
Rirkpatrick.

In pursuance of an Order from the Court
of Common Pleas for the County of Union
In the above case. I proceeded on the 11th day
of April 1844 I proceeded to ascertain the
Boundaries of Survey No. 3473 in doing which
I found it necessary to re-run the adjoining
Survey on the east to wit, Survey No. 9901 &
10780 in the name of Edward Stubblefield
The Boundaries of said Stubblefield having been
ascertained I then commenced the running of
Survey No. 3473 Beginning at two Black Ashes
northwesterly corner to Edward Stubblefield's
Survey No. 9901 & 10780 thence running by the
present point of the needle S 79.30' W 40 paces
& marked a Sugar tree & two Beeches as the north
easterly corner to Robert C Bruce Survey No. 11043
thence by the present point of the needle N 10.30' E
160 paces to a stake thence S 79.30' W 200 paces to a
stake thence S 10.30' E 240 & marked an Elm & Black
ash in the Greenville Treaty line thence with said
line by the present point of the needle 240 paces
to a Hickory red Oak & Beech southwesterly corner
to said Stubblefield's said Survey thence with his
line by the present point of the needle N 10.30' W
400 paces to the Beginning, containing four hundred
acres. I Chain corners duly sworn

Levi Phelps Surveyor

William Patrick Cbr
Cyrus Phelps
Benah Miller Mkr

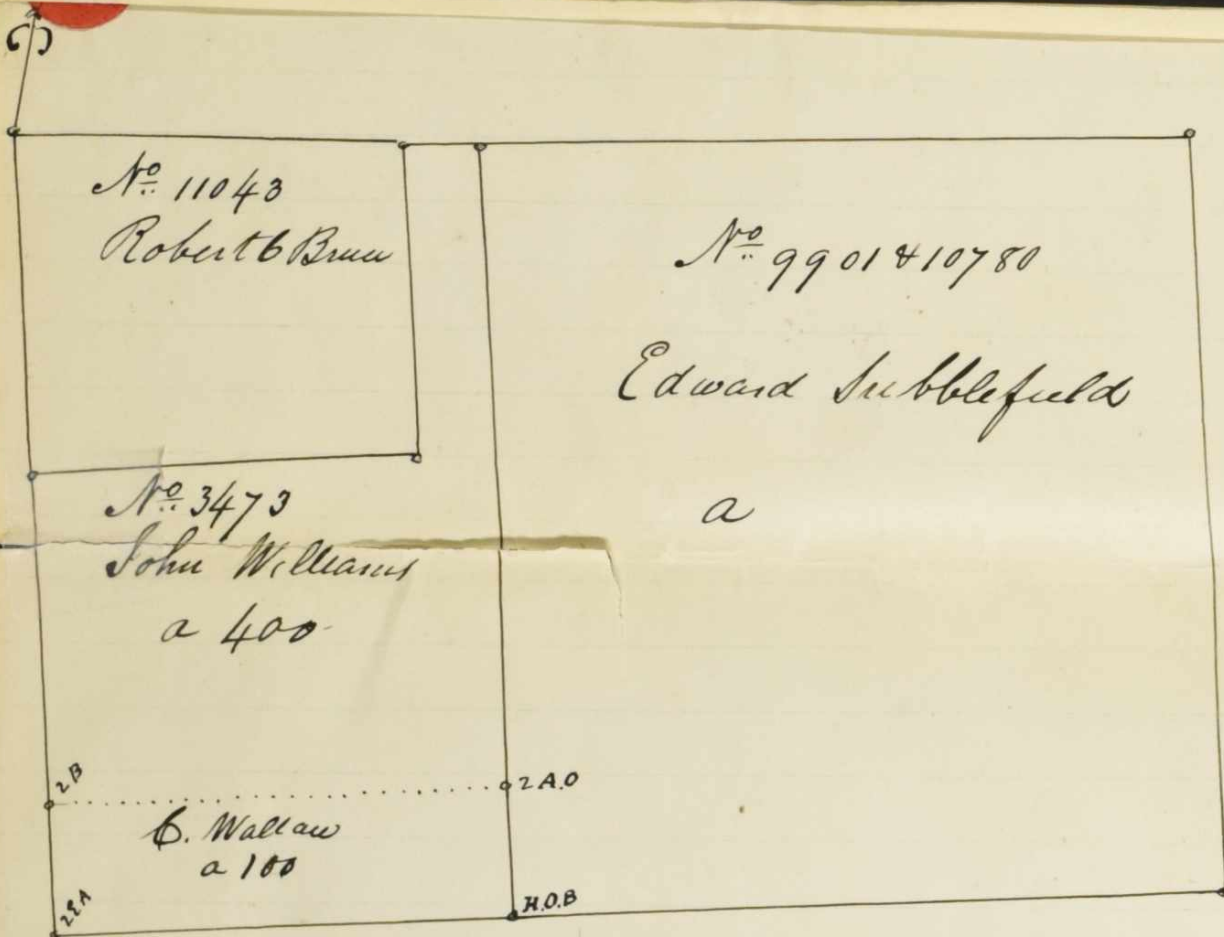
Cadwalader Wallaw

vs
John Williams & others

In compliance with the order from the Court of
Common Pleas for the County of Union we
the subscribers, ^{after being duly sworn} proceeded on the 12th day of
April 1844 to lay off & set apart to complain-
ant one equal fourth part of Survey No. 3473
containing one hundred acres. Beginning at two
Elms & a Black ash in the Greenville Treaty line
& south westerly corner to said Survey No. 3473
thence with the line of said Survey as by the present
point of the needle N 10.30' W 66 2/3 paces & marked two
Beeches for a corner thence N 79.30' E 240 paces & marked
two Black ashes & a Bur Oak saplings in the line of
Edward Stubblefield's Survey No. 9901 & 10780 thence
with his line by the present point of the needle
S 10.30' E 66 2/3 paces to a Hickory Red Oak & Beech south
westerly corner to said Stubblefield in the Greenville
Treaty line thence with said line S 79.30' W by the pre-
sent point. 240 paces to the Beginning
as will more fully appear by the adjoining plat

Cyprian Lee
Levi Phelps
Mains Watson

Commissioners



Fees

Cyprian Lee Comr 2 days	\$ 2.00
Levi Phelps do do "	2.00
L. Main Mason do ..	2.00
Levi Phelps Surveyor & Travel 4 days	\$ 8.00
William Patuck Ckr 2 days	1.50
C Phelps do ..	1.50
B Miller Mkr ..	1.50

I have executed the writ of partition and orders hereto attached by the oaths of the within named commissioners whose report is herewith returned and what I pray may be considered and held as a part of the very return done this 16 day of April A.D. 1844
 Sheriff's fee \$1.

Wm W Steele
 Master Com^m in Chy

Cadwallader Wallaw } In Chancery
John^y Williams & Co }

On motion
to the Court by Mason & Tubers solicitors
for the complainant leave is given to
file an amended Bill which is
done accordingly & the cause con-
tinued

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0006

No. 41-CH-6

Union Common Pleas Court.

Zebidee Baker

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Thomas Herd et al

Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1842

Dismissed,

Recorded &
Indexed,

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intended - and that the said Thomas Howard
may be allowed to carry the above said
to John Astor and in case the said Thomas
Howard has shall have practice with the said
law that the said Defendant be allowed to
pay into your court the said sum of two
hundred dollars on the full value of said law
and that your court have such other and
further relief in the premises as equity and good
conscience may require and your judgment
will ever say &c

Jas B. Toxson
Attorney for complainant

Union Cause Pleas

John Beaker

vs

Thomas Howard et al

Amended Bill in chancery

Filed Nov. 4. 1841

James H. Hill Clerk

Recorded, Book 4,
page 75.

Crawford solicitor
for complainant

Union Court of common Pleas

Mo April Term 1841

To the honorable the Judges of the court of common Pleas within and for the County of Union and State of Ohio in Chancery sitting -

your orator Zebulon Baker of the said County of Union and State of Ohio. Represents that on the 1st day of August A.D. 1840 your orator entered into an article of agreement with Thomas Housa and Lashua Ludy of the County and State aforesaid (and whom your orator prays may be made defendants to this Bill) which article is herewith filed and ^{made} a part of this Bill and Marked B. and has shown to the court, that by said article your orator became bound to convey as cause to be conveyed to said ~~said~~ Thomas Housa and Lashua Ludy in fee simple a certain tract of land containing about twenty acres - a description of which land is herewith filed and made a part of this Bill and Marked A. of which land your orator had only the equitable title at the time of entering into said article not having received the Deed of James W. Elroy and Casander his Wife of whom he had previously purchased said land and who by article were bound to make a Deed for said ^{land} to your orator upon certain payments specified in said article being made by your orator - which said payments were duly made by your orator to the said James and Casander W. Elroy - and that your orator caused the said James W. Elroy and Casander his wife to make and deliver said Deed to said Defendants which Deed was accordingly made to Thomas Housa ^{one} of the said Deeds which Deed bears date the 10th day of August A.D. 1840 and recorded in the Records office of said County in Book N^o 7 - and page 650 reference being thereunto had for greater certainty, and here shown to

the court which land in said Deed is described as follows, to wit, situate between the waters of Little Miami and Scioto Rivers in the county of Union and State of Ohio being part of a Military Survey No 12400, 12403, 12393, 12413, originally for 1823 acres in the Name of Amos Rogers and others Patented to James Galloway Jr on the tenth day of July 1831 on the waters of Mill creek bounded and described as follows, to wit, being part of a lot sold to ^{the} said James McElroy by James Galloway Jr, beginning at a large White oak large Red oak and small sugar tree south corner of said lot thence with the East line North 38° degrees West 52 poles to stake thence south 52° degrees West 61 ⁷/₁₀ poles to a stake thence south 38° East 52 poles to a stake in the south line of said lot thence with said line North 52° East 61 ⁷/₁₀ poles to the beginning containing 20 acres. More or less -

And your orator further represents and says that he has received no consideration or compensation whatever for said land but that said article was entered into between your orator and said ^{Thomas Howard and} Joshua Sudy upon a certain wage or bet at hazard upon a certain contingency as will more fully appear by reference to said article herewith filed as aforesaid to wit, that if Martin VanBuren is re-elected President of the United States the said Thomas Howard and Joshua Sudy bind themselves their heirs and assigns to pay unto your orator two hundred dollars for said land but in case Martin VanBuren was not re-elected President of the United States then they said Thomas Howard and Joshua Sudy were to pay nothing to your orator for said land

which said contract so made and entered
into between your orator and the said Thomas
Hura and Joshua Ledy is totally void and
of no effect in law and equity and contrary
to the statute in such case made and pro-
-vided and the said Deed so made and al-
-ligned by said James McElroy and Casander
his wife to the Thomas Hura and the said defen-
-dents is entirely void being so made upon a the
aforesaid contingency Bet ^{and a wage} and so as aforesaid
and without any consideration - and as they
said Martin Van Buren Esq was not relected
President of the United States so as aforesaid your
orator has never received any consideration or
compensation for said land all of which doth
more fully appear by said article herewith fil-
-ed as aforesaid

Your orator therefore prays that the
writ of subpoena may issue against the said
Thomas Hura and Joshua Ledy and that they
be compelled to answer upon their corporal
oaths severally all and singular the premises and
particularly what consideration ^{if any} they paid
for said ^{land} and if they paid any consideration
whether it in money or property or both and
who they paid it to and whether said Deed
was not made by said James McElroy and Cas-
-ander his wife to said Thomas Hura in con-
-sideration of said Bet & Cas and wage so
made and entered into in the said Article of
agreement so entered into and herewith filed as
aforesaid, and that they be compelled to an-
-swer all and singular the premises as fully and
completely as if they were hereto specifically

J. Baker
Article

Filed Nov 4. 1840
James H. Hill. C. H.

(OB)

August the 10th 1840

(B)

This Indenture made and concluded by and between
Zehede Baker of the one part and Thomas Herd
and Joshua Judy of the other part witnesseth that
the said party of the first part hath this Day
sold to the said party of the second part twenty
Acres of Land and has had it Deed this day
to the party of the second part. Wether party of the
second part bind our selves our heirs and assigns
~~to~~ unto the party of the first part ^{to pay} if Martin
Vanburen is Relected president of the United
States ~~two~~ hundred Dollars if not nothing
in testimony whereof we have hereunto set our
names this Day above written

at
test

Jerry McGraw

Zehede Baker Seal
Thomas Herd Seal
Joshua Judy Seal

Union Com Pleas

Zebida Baker
w/ Sub in ch

Thomas H. W. &

Joshua Studt

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Jas W. Gillette



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Thomas Herod & Joshua*

Stady
to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said county, *forthwith*

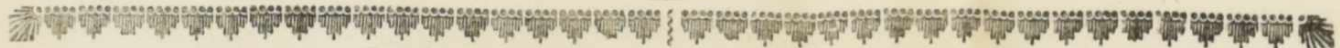
to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*,
in Chancery exhibited against *them*

Zebulon Ballew by
and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in
Marysville, this *14th* day of *April* A. D.
1847.

James H. Gill



Wm. Con. Reas

Thos. Herd

Adm. Gen

G. Baker

Filed August 5. 1861

Jacob & Eric C. M.

Thos Herd
ad
Gebedee Baker

In Chancery Union Cou Mass
Sumner

And the said Thos Herd comes and
demurs to the said Bill of the said Gebedee Baker
and for cause of Sumner shows that the said Court
By his said Bill has not made such a case as entit-
tles him to any relief against this defendant
wherefore and for other good causes this Bill dem-
urs to said Bill and prays the Judgment of this Court
whether he shall be compelled to make any further
or other answer thereto and that he may be dismissed
with his costs By Wm Lawrence his Sol

General Baker
vs
Thos. Hoyle et al

Settlement

Filed Nov. 8, 1842,
John Carril,
Clerk. pro tunc

Union Court of Common Pleas
Nov. 12th 1841

Zelude Baker

vs
Thomas Howard & A

In sheweth

The above case is

by order of the parties upon the following
conditions to wit: The said Thomas Howard
one of the Defendants in the above case, agree
to execute the said Zelude Baker's planty
at & for the sum of one hundred and
twenty dollars upon such conditions as a good
report in an instrument of condition entered
into between the said parties and each to
pay one half of the costs and suit as con-
tained

October 29th 1842

Attest

C. W. Bishop

Notes executed and delivered at the same
time as above

Zelude Baker

Thomas Howard

Wm. Com. Rec.

Thomas H. ...
vs } ...
Debedee Baker

Filed Apr 25. 1844
As H. Gill Clerk

Thomas Herd }
S. Baskin } In Chancery Comoros
and the said Thomas Herd Comes and
demurs to the said bill of the said bill of the said Sebedea and for
cause of demurrer shows that the said Compt by his said bill has not
made such a case as entitles him to any relief against the said
defendant wherefore and for the good causes this he
demurs to said bill and Prays the Judgment of the Court
whether he shall be compelled to answer further to said
bill and that he may be dismissed with his costs
By Wm. Lawrence his Sol

Widow Com Pleas

Thomas Herd)
ad & answer
Zebedee Baker
Filed July 23. 1842
James H. Gill Clerk

last bill made

(Dismissed)

The separate answer of Thomas Ford one of the Defendants to the Bill of Sebeall Baker filed against him and another

This defendant now comes and for answer to said bill or so much thereof as he is advised is material for him to answer says that at the earnest request urging and daring of Compt this defendant entered into the agreement filed by Compt in this case that the consideration for said agreement was the land specified in the said Bill which was estimated by the parties at 100. \$ as its true value.

This defendant denies ~~that~~ all knowledge of Compt ever having any agreement in writing for possession ~~for~~ of said land prior to the execution of the deed but believes he had none whatever. But be that as it may this defendant positively denies all recollection of Compt ever requesting this Deft to resign said contract in person but expressly charges that ^{on} or about the first of April 1841 said Baker employed said M. Throy to come to and compromise the matter with this Defendant which he did soon after and long before the commencement of this suit. That by the compromise made with this defendant he realized no advantage nor received one cent worth in consideration of said ~~land~~ land he had to himself of the land but arranged the whole matter as follows as near as this defendant now recollects the whole contract as made and complained of was resigned a new contract made where by this Deft purchased ten acres of said land for which he paid at the time of the compromise one roan horse valued at fifty dollars, one note of hand ~~made~~ on A. Darran for six dollars $\frac{46}{100}$ and agreed to pay the balance of the Sum of 75. \$ in good trade at

trade price which was esteemed as good as fifty
dollars in cash down for the two acres, the most of
which has been paid in wheat and the balance
never demanded but ready on demand. This agree-
ment was made with this defendant by Compts agent
and Brothers ulow, after he had agreed to receive of
McIlroy a deed for ~~fifteen~~^{twenty} acres of other land and
~~a house in view of the treaty annex.~~ There is no
fraud charged in the bill and none to deny, and
this defendant denies all desire or intention of
impuring said Baker but hopes that the arrange-
ment will be sustained by the court and having
thus fully answered he prays to be dismissed
with his costs in this behalf most unjustly
taxed against him and as in duty bound he
will ever pray &c. By Tom C. Lawrence his Sol

State of Ohio Union County Personally appeared
in ~~the court~~ before me Thomas Herd who
being duly sworn according to Law says that the matters
and things set forth in the foregoing answers so far as stated
of his own knowledge are true in substance and in fact
and so far as stated from information of others
he believes to be true Thomas Herd
Sworn to and subscribed this 20th day of July 1842
James Homer. J. P.

Union Common Pleas

Zebedeo Baker

vs

Thomas Hera

Casts	\$5,86
Increase	136
Writ	41

Rec^d this writ Febr. 29. 1844

Made March 23. 1844 \$5.13

W. W. Steele Sheriff

Sew	35	✓
Mile	6.0	
Round	10	
	<u>\$1.05</u>	

Filed April 17. 1844

John Basil Clerk

Febr	1.50
Call	1.00
Order	2.63
	<u>5.13</u>

1.00	cash
2.63	order
1.50	febr
<u>5.13</u>	

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY, GREETING:

WHEREAS, at a Court of Common Pleas of said County, begun and held at the Court House in Marrysville on the 9th day of Nov. A. D., 1842 Zebedee Baker

recovered against Thomas Herd

~~as well the sum of~~

~~—dollars~~

~~and~~

~~cents, for~~

~~damages, as~~ the sum of \$ 5,86

for his costs and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore commanded ~~as we have heretofore commanded you~~ that of the goods and chattles, and for want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said Thomas Herd

you cause to be made the damages and costs aforesaid with interest thereon from the 9th day of November A. D., 1842, until paid. Also, the sum of \$ 1,36 the costs of increase on said judgement, and the accruing costs. And that you have those moneys before said court, at the Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next term, to render unto the said Zebedee Baker

Hereof fail not, at your peril, and have then there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court, at the Court-House

aforesaid, this 29th day of February

A. D., 1844.

Attest:

John Cassil

CLERK.

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 737 1/2

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Yebedee Baker

vs

Thomas Ward

Costs	\$	5.86
misc		2.82
Writ		.41

Cr. March 23^d 1944 — \$ 5.13
 P. basis in hauling .75
 \$ 5.88
~~1.50~~
7.38

Filed April 15th 1946
 John Casel, clerk

This writ satisfied by receipt in full
 from Clerk of Court
 J. M. Robinson Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY, GREETING.

WHEREAS, at the Court of Common Pleas of the county aforesaid, begun and held at the Court-House in the town of Marysville, on the *eighth* day of *November* A. D. 1842.

Zebedee Baker
recovered against *Thomas Hera*

~~_____~~ dollars
cents for debt, ~~as the sum of~~
dollars and cents for damages ~~and~~ the sum of
\$ 5,86 for cost and charges in that behalf
expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore commanded, that of the goods, and chattels,
~~and for the~~ ~~of the said~~ *of the said Thomas*
Hera

you cause to be made the debt, damages and costs aforesaid, with interest thereon from the *eighth*
day of *November* A. D. 1842, until paid: also the sum of
\$ 2,82 the costs of increase on said judgment, and accruing costs; and that you
have these moneys before said Court at the Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next Term, to
render unto the ~~said~~ *persons entitled thereto.*

Hereof fail not at your peril; and have you then there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court, at the
court-house aforesaid, this *tenth* day
of *March* A. D. 1846.

John Cassil Clerk

ex. Doc No. 2 page 82

Thomas Hera
vs
Elizabeth Baker

Carts - \$586

writ - 41

Rec'd this writ. Sept 22
1843.

Made Oct 11. 1843 $\frac{1.370}{1.05}$
W. N. Stul 14
Sew 35
Mile 60
Pound. 10

1.05

Filed October 13th 1843
John Capital Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY, GREETING:

WHEREAS, at a Court of Common Pleas of said County, begun and held at the Court House in Marysville on the *8th* day of *Nov.* A. D., 184*2* *Thos. Bera*

recovered against *Yebedee Baker*

~~as well the sum of~~ dollars

~~and~~ cents, for ~~damages,~~ as the sum of \$ *5,86*

for *his* costs and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore commanded that of the goods and chattles, and for want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said *Yebedee Baker*

you cause to be made the damages and costs aforesaid with interest thereon from the *8th* day of *Nov.* A. D., 184*2*, until paid. Also, the sum of \$ *41* the costs of increase on said judgement, and the accruing costs. And that you have those moneys before said court, at the Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next term, to render unto the said *Thos. Bera*

Hereof fail not, at your peril, and have then there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court, at the Court-House

aforesaid, this *22* day of *Sept*

A. D., 184*3*.

Attest:

John Cassil CLERK.

Ex. Docket No 2 page 82

Thomas Herd
vs

Zebedee Baker

Casts	\$ 5,86
Increase	1 46
Writ	41

Ex. Ct. 11-1843 \$ 500

Filed April 13. 1846
John Cassil Mc

This Account satisfied by receipt from W. W. Steel

dated Nov 24th 1843

Yours W. Robinson Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY, GREETING.

WHEREAS, at the Court of Common Pleas of the county aforesaid, begun and held at the Court-House in the town of Marysville, on the *eighth* day of *November* A. D. 1842.

Thomas Hera
recovered against *Zebedee Baker*

~~as well as the sum of~~ _____ ~~dollars and~~
~~cents for~~ _____ ~~debt, as the sum of~~

~~dollars and~~ _____ ~~cents, for~~ _____ ~~damages as also the sum of~~
\$ 5,86 for *his* _____ cost and charges in that behalf
expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore commanded, that of the goods, and chattels,
~~and for the sum of the sum of the said~~ *Zebedee Baker*

you cause to be made the debt, damages and costs aforesaid, with interest thereon from the *eighth*
day of *November* A. D. 1842, until paid: also the sum of
\$ 1,46 the costs of increase on said judgment, and accruing costs; and that you
have these moneys before said Court at the Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next Term, to
render unto the ~~said~~ *persons entitled thereto*

Hereof fail not at your peril; and have you then there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court, at the
court-house aforesaid, this *tenth* day
of *March* A. D. 1846.

John Cassil Clerk

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Zebedee Baker

vs

Thomas Herd

Costs \$ 5.86

Writ .41

Rec^d this writ Sept. 23^d

1843 no money made

Oct 19. 1843

W. W. Steel Sheriff

Sew, 35

Mil. 60

.95

Filed Oct 19 1843

John Basil Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY, GREETING:

WHEREAS, at a Court of Common Pleas of said County, begun and held at the Court House in Marysville on the *8th* day of *Nov.* A. D., 1842 *Zebulon*
Baker

recovered against

Thomas Herd

~~as well the sum of~~

dollars

and ~~_____~~ cents, for

damages, ~~as~~ the sum of \$ *586*

for *his* costs and charges ~~in that behalf~~ expended, as of record is manifest: You are therefore commanded that of the goods and chattles, and for want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said *Thomas Herd*

you cause to be made the damages and costs aforesaid with interest thereon from the *8th* day of *November* A. D., 1842, until paid. Also, the sum of \$ *41* the costs of increase on said judgement, and the accruing costs. And that you have those moneys before said court, at the Court-House aforesaid, on the first day of our next term, to render unto the said *Zebulon*
Baker

Hereof fail not, at your peril, and have then there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court, at the Court-House

aforesaid, this *22^d* day of *Sept*

A. D., 1843.

Attest:

John Cassil Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0007

No. 41-CH-7

Union Common Pleas Court.

Ward & Coes

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Jm W Woods

Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1841

Dismissed

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I allow an injunction
as prayed for in this
Bill, to be continued
until the further
order of the Court,
and order the plaintiff
to give bond and security
to the defendant in
the sum of \$200.00
conditions according
to law.

Thos G Strong

Filed May 8. 1841

James W. Sewell

Recorded

Ward & Pop
vs
John Cheney
W. W. Woods.

Mr to session

in Mr. Cheney's
bill of exchange
notes - bal.
not bill made

To the Court of Common Pleas for the County
of Union, and State of Ohio, in Chancery sitting:

James S. Ward and William Rop late partners under
the name and firm of Ward and Rop represent that
W. W. Woods of Union County Ohio, (and whom your
orators pray may be made defendant to this Bill) on the
22nd day of October 1839 bargained and sold to your
Orators the entire stock of goods which he, the said
W. W. Woods kept at that time in the town of Pleasant Valley
in the County of Madison & State aforesaid; and the said W.
W. Woods afterwards refused to deliver the whole stock of
goods aforesaid to your Orators, but took them from, and
delivered to one Wm B. Beardlee, goods of the value of
one hundred and eight dollars; And your Orators gave
to the said W. W. Woods their promissory notes for the value
of the entire stock of goods aforesaid, and have since
paid the amount thereof, excepting a sum left in amount
than one hundred dollars, for which last mentioned
sum the said W. W. Woods has sued your orators, and ob-
tained a judgment at law, before James Turner, a jus-
tice of the peace of Paris Township in the County aforesaid;
and the said James Turner has issued an execution
upon the said judgment, which is now in the hands
of Am Hurby a Constable of the Township aforesaid
(and whom your Orators pray may be made, also,
defendant to this Bill) and your Orators have applied
to the said W. W. Woods and requested him to deduct
from the said notes the amount of goods delivered by
him, as aforesaid, to said Beardlee, but he has refused
to do so; and your orators cannot substantiate the
agreement by virtue of which the said W. W. Woods is bound
to make said deduction, unless the same be estab-
lished upon the oath of the said W. W. Woods.

Your Orators, therefore, are wholly without
remedy at law, and they therefore pray that a writ
of Subpoena may issue against the said W. W.

Wood and John Hurley, and that they may be compelled to answer all and singular of the premises.

And your Orator further prays that on the final hearing of this Cause the said judgment at law may be set aside, and that the said W. W. Woods may be decreed to pay to your Orator such part of the One hundred and eight dollars aforesaid as may be found to be Over and above the amount of the judgment aforesaid, together with such damages as your Orator may have sustained by reason of the premises; and that your Orator may have such other and further relief as equity and good Conscience may require.

And your Orator further prays that an injunction may be allowed to restrain the said W. W. Woods from all further proceeding upon the said judgment at law, and to restrain the said John Hurley from in any wise proceeding with the said execution.

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

We, James S. Ward and William Ross being duly sworn depose and say that the several matters and things which are stated in the foregoing Bill, as from the information of Others we believe to be true, and that all the several other matters and things therein set forth are true in substance and in fact.

James S. Ward
Wm Ross

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of April A. D. 1841

Wm H. Bank S. P.

Ward & Rep

vs 3 Bonds

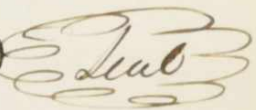
W. W. Woodso


Ans. Newby

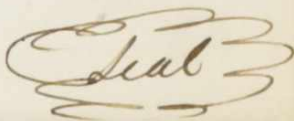
Filed May 8. 1841

James H. Suttle

Know all men by these presents that we James L. Ward ~~and~~ William Ross
and Wm H. Frank are held and firmly bound unto W. W. Woods
in the sum of Two hundred dollars to the payment of which we jointly and
severally bind our selves our heirs executors and administrators
sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of May A. D. 1841
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
above named James L. Ward and William Ross have obtained
an allowance of an injunction in the Court of Common Pleas
of the County of Union and State of Ohio to stay all further proceed-
ings upon a Judgment obtained before James Turner Esq. a
Justice of the peace in and for Pauls Township in Union County
for a sum less than one hundred dollars until the matter thereof
can be heard in Chancery, Now if the said James L. Ward
and William Ross shall pay all moneys due or to be come due
from them the said James L. Ward and William Ross
in said Judgment at law and all moneys and costs which
shall be decreed against them in case said Injunction
shall be dissolved then this obligation shall be void
otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law

James L. Ward 

Wm Ross 

Wm H. Frank 

Smith & Ross

W. W. Woods

agent

Field No 5

1841

Dr. H. G. Wood

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We have dismissed the Bill
filed against M. W. Woods in the Court
of Common Pleas on a judgment
rendered against us by James
Turner. Some tax cost went for
about twenty five dollars and
pay all cost over for the judgment
stand against us onocket two
Nov 2nd 1841

I agree to pay the same by Christmas
as above

Wm. T. Ross
D. W. Ross

Winn Com. Pleas

Ward & Rofs

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W. H. Woods &

Ans. Kearley

Served by delivering Cer-
tified Copies to each of
the Defts. April 9th 1841
77 1/2 Steele St. S. C.

Service	—	55
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Filed May 12. 1841

James W. Gillett

Injunction allowed &
bail given

W. H. Gillett

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Sauie* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *W W Woods and John Heasley*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house in said county, *on the 18th day of August next*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*

in Chancery exhibited against *them* by

*James L. Wood and William Ross late partners under name
& firm of Wood and Ross*

and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

Eighth day of *May*

A. D. 1840.

James H. Gill Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0008

No. 41-CH-8

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Union Common Pleas Court.

James Gallaway
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Samuel Gallaway
Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1842

Partition

DECREE FOR PLAINTIFF

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James R. Galloway } Petition
vs }
Samuel Galloway et al. } Partition

Filed July 2nd 1841

James H. Gault

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the
County of Union, Ohio.

Your petitioner, James R. Galloway, of the County
of Union, Ohio, represents that he has a legal title
to and is seized in fee of one undivided eighth part
of the following ^{real} estate, situated in the County
of Union, Ohio, on the waters of Treacher's Creek,
and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning
at three hickories and a forked white oak in the
line of Robert Meaus' Survey No 5301; Thence N. 45° W.
94 poles to two hickories and a burr-oak; Thence N.
43° 30' E. 189 poles to a stake in a prairie; Thence
S. 56° 35' E. to a stake; Thence S. 52° W. 192 poles to the
beginning, containing One hundred and twenty nine
acres more or less. The same being part of Original
Virginia Military Survey No. 7492, in the name of
William Robinson, heretofore conveyed by the said
William Robinson to David Witter, and conveyed
by the said David Witter to the legal heirs of Samuel
Galloway late of the aforesaid County, deceased.

And your petitioner further represents that Samuel
Galloway, David Wright ^{conjointly} and Amanda ^{is in right of said Amanda,} his wife, of
the County of Franklin, Ohio, Sabra Galloway,
Elijah Galloway, Joshua Galloway, of the County
of Warren, Ohio, Joseph Galloway, ^{of Union County Ohio,} Hiram Galloway,
Ira Galloway, & Elizabeth Galloway, ^{the three}
last named representing John Galloway deceased,
are coparceners with your petitioner in the said
premises; — That Aksey Galloway of the County
of Warren, Ohio, as widow of Samuel Galloway, lately
deceased, is entitled to dower in the same premises
and that Matilda, now wife of Robert Wilson of this
County Ohio, formerly widow of John Galloway, lately
deceased, as such is entitled to dower in the one undi-
-vided eighth part of ~~the~~ same premises, subject to
the aforesaid dower right of the aforesaid Aksey Galloway.
— That said Samuel Galloway, Amanda wife of said David
Wright (formerly Amanda Galloway,) Sabra Galloway,
Elijah Galloway, Joshua Galloway, & Joseph Gallow-
-ay (all of whom ^{together with said David Wright,} your petitioner prays may be made defen-
-dants to this petition) are heirs of said Samuel Galloway deceased,
and are each entitled to, & have legal right to one undivided
eighth part of said premises; subject to said dower right of said
Aksey Galloway; — That the said Hiram Galloway, Ira
Galloway, & Elizabeth Galloway, (whom your petitioner prays
may also be made defendants to this petition) are heirs of
John Galloway deceased, who was one of the heirs of the said
Samuel Galloway deceased, and are entitled and have legal
right, each, to one undivided third part of one undivided
eighth part of said premises, subject to the said dower right
of the said Aksey Galloway, and the dower right of the
said Matilda wife of said Robert Wilson, (formerly Matilda
Galloway wife and afterwards widow of said John Galloway deceased)
And your petitioner prays that said Aksey Galloway, Matilda
wife of said Robert Wilson, & said Robert Wilson may also be made
defendants to this petition; and that a guardian ad
litem may be appointed by the Court for said Joseph Galloway
who is a minor. — And your petitioner also prays
that partition may be made of said land, and
that the dower of the said Aksey Galloway, and
the dower of the said Matilda wife of the said
Robert Wilson therein may be assigned; or, if the same
cannot be done without manifest injury, that then
such other proceedings may be had in the premises
as are authorized by law.

By Otway Cury
his attorney.

Minor Com pleas

Pat R Galloway

is $\frac{3}{4}$ wit of Partition

Sam'l Galloway et al

I have assented this
Writ by the orders of the
within named Commis-
sioners whose report is here
with, returned. Nov 5. 1841

W W Steel Sheriff

Law 1.00

Mile .05

Comms 3.00

4.05

Inquest 1.00

5.05

The State of Ohio Union County

To the Sheriff of said County Greeting
We Command you, that without delay, by the oaths of
Mr B Arwin Cassman See & James Piddle you Cause
to be set off & assigned to James R Galloway one
equal Eighth part of the following described real
estate, to wit part of Survey No 7492, Beginning at 3 hick-
ories and a forked white oak, on the line of Robert Means
Survey No 5301. Thence N 45° W 94 poles to 2 hickories &
a burr oak thence N 43° 30' E. 189. poles to a stake in a
prairie, thence S 56° 35' E. to a stake thence S 52° W 192
poles to the beginning, Containing one hundred & twenty
nine acres & that your proceedings in the premises
you distinctly certify, under your hand to our Court of
Common Pleas. within and for the said County of Union
together with this writ. Witness James F. Gill Clerk
of said Court at the Court House
in Mansfield on the 11th day of Novem-
ber A D 1841. James F. Gill. Clerk

Galloway vs. Galloway et al. } Part.

An issue of Quondiam ad litem.

Filed Nov. 4. 1861
James H. Gill Clerk

The Answer of Joseph Galloway, infants defend-
-ant to the petition of James R. Galloway petition-
by Andrew Keys his guardian ad litem.

And the said Joseph Galloway by Andrew
Keys his guardian ad litem now comes and for
~~answers~~ answers to the said petition of the said
~~James R.~~ James R. Galloway, says that further than is
shown by the said petition he has no knowledge
of the matters and things therein set forth.

Joseph Galloway

By ~~Andrew~~ Andrew Keys
his guardian ad litem.

1st Installment — \$ 370.17
Deduct Cost 40.75
329.42

Divide into 8. Shows each 41.17

338
41
379

Shuff	14.25
Commons	6.00
Aduty	4.00
Clerk	6.50
Atty	10.00
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	40.75

4075
1420
2655

3 Shares should pay - \$ 15.27
 5 Shares should pay - \$ 25.48

Total amt to be paid 40.75
 " 2.00

 38.75

Galloway, }
 vs } Part.
Galloway et. als. }

Affidavit
of ~~M~~ B. Irwin.
Filed Nov. 6. 1864
James H. Little

James R. Galloway

vs.

Samuel Galloway et. als.

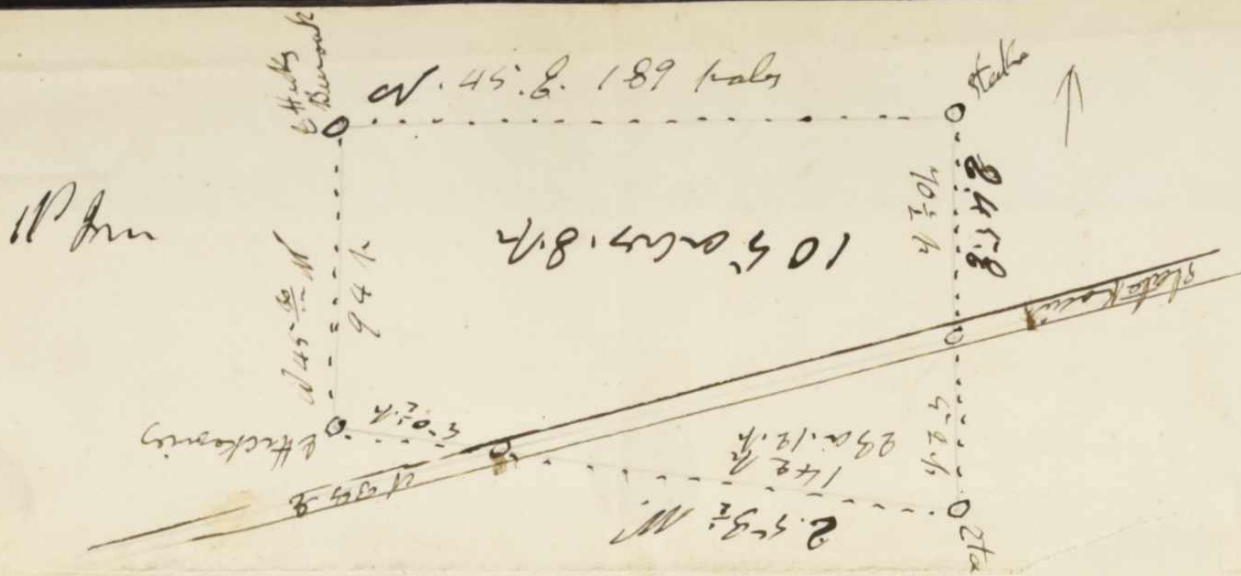
Union Common Pleas:

In partition

William B. Irwin being duly sworn deposes and says that the heirs of Samuel Galloway Dec. by themselves & those unto whom they claim have been in possession of the premises described in the petition of the petitioner in this case, for more than twenty one years last past. William B. Irwin

Sworn to and subscribed before me - This 4th day
of November A. D. 1841.

Justice



We also draw to an order from the Court of Common
 Pleas for the County of Union Ohio in which the undersigned
 were appointed commissioners to make partition of survey
 No 7492 for the heirs of Samuel Gallows after being sworn as
 the Law directs did make actual survey of the same and find
 there to be one hundred and twenty eight and one eighth acres
 and the same is not susceptible of an equitable partition
 we therefore appraisd sd land at thirteen dollars per acre and
 we set of to the widow as her dower all the that part of sd land
 lying East of the State Road making 23 acres & 12 poles and like
 wise a piece 38 poles wide on the South West line making 19
 acres and we appraisd sd dower to be worth one hundred dollars
 all of which is perfectly submitted again representation
 of which may be seen on the above plat
 August 20th 1842

William B. Inman surveyor
 James C. Miller
 Benjamin Hopkins } Commissioners

Fees in the above case

Benjamin Hopkins	\$ 1.00.
James C. Miller	1.00
William B. Inman	1.00
	<u>3.00</u>

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Union Common Pleas
James R. Galloway

Joint of part.

Samuel Galloway
et al

Filed Sept 2^d 1842
vs H. E. Clark

I have executed this writ
by the oaths of the within
named Commissioners
whose Report is herewith
returned Sept 2^d 1842

W. W. Steele Sheriff

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1.05

Inquest

The State of Ohio Union County ss
To the Sheriff of said County Greeting
We command you that without delay ~~you~~ by the oaths
of Wm B. Swain James C. Miller and Benjamin Hop-
kins you cause Aksey Gallows widow to be endowed
of one equal three part of the following Real Estate to wit
bounded and described as follows to wit. Beginning at 3 hickories
and a few white oaks. with line of Rebut Means Survey
No 5301 thence N. 45° W. 94 poles to 2 hickories and
a Bur oak thence N. 43° 30" E. 189 poles to a Stake in
a prairie thence S. 56° 35" E. 100 poles thence S. 52° W.
192 poles to the beginning containing 129. acres more or less
being part of ~~Survey~~ No Original Virginia Military Survey
No 7492 in the name of Wm Robinson and that
by the like oaths of Wm B. Swain James C. Miller and
Benjamin Hopkins one full equal eighth part of
said lands and tenements be set off and assigned to
the petitioner ~~James~~ Gallows in severalty, and that
you Report your proceedings in the premises to this
Court forthwith and have you then shown this writ
Witness James H. Gill Clerk of ~~the~~
Court of Common Pleas of Union County
this 31. day of August A.D. 1862
James H. Gill Clerk

Union Common Pleas.

James R. Galloway
v.
Samuel Galloway et al.

Order for Sale.

Rec^d Sept. 19. 1842

Agreeable to the Statute
I advertised the same for
Sale Oct 24. 1842. --
According to the Statute, in such
Cases made and provided, and
on the 24th I proceeded to offer
the same by Public Out cry.

Agreeable to the within order
I sold the same to James
R. Galloway, he being the highest
& best bidder at \$^{in pence} 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ the amt.
he bid being the $\frac{2}{3}$ of the appraised
Value thereof.

W. W. Steele Sheriff

Prindage \$11.10
Adoty- 4.25
\$15.35

Filed Oct 25 1842
John Coffey Clerk
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sale Oct 24. \$1110.50

"James R. Galloway }
vs. } In Partition.
Samuel Galloway and others. }

On motion to the Court by Mr. Curry, Counsel for the petitioner, and upon producing the assignment of Dower, and appraisement herein made by Wm. B. Brown, James C. Miller and Benjamin Hopkins, under a former order of this Court, It is ordered that the Sheriff of this County proceed according to law to sell said real Estate in the petition described, subject to said dower estate of the said Akroy Galloway, widow, and upon the following terms, to wit: One third cash in hand - one third in six months - and the residue in one year, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by

And it is further ordered, that he make return of his proceedings to the next Term of this Court, and the cause is Continued."

I, John Cassil, Clerk pro tem of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Union, and State of Ohio, do Certify that the above is a correct copy of the Journal Entry of the above proceedings, August Term, A. D. 1842. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at Mansville, this 19th day of September A. D. 1842.

John Cassil,
Clerk pro tem.

Union Cow Pleas

James R Galloway

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Saml. Galloway et al

Commissioners et al

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In obedience to the Command of a writ
of partition from the Court of Common Pleas for the
County of Union State of Ohio at the November term
of sd Court ¹⁸⁴¹ in which the under signed were appointed
commissioners to make partition of a lot of land of
one hundred and twenty nine acres part of Military survey
No 7492 in the Virginia district would be specifically
re port that after being duly sworn by the sheriff of sd
County as the law directs we proceeded to view sd
land named in sd writ and after carefully exam in
ing the same are decided by of opinion that sd lot
of land is not susceptible of a fair and equal
able division as sd writ commands and we there
fore appraise sd land to be worth fifteen dollars
per acre Justice money where of we have here unto
set our hands this 5th day of November 1841

William B. Brown
James Riddle
Cyprian Lee } Commissioners

Received in 5th Nov 1841	4	
Samuel Gallorey	3	for partition Dr 25
us	2	William B. Brown money \$ 1.00
Joseph Gallorey, et al	2	James Riddle " 1.00
		C. Lee " " 1.00

James Galloway
vs.
Ann^d Galloway et. al.

Order for partition

James R. Galloway } petition for partition.

vs.

Samuel Galloway } This day came the petitioners,
by his attorney ~~of the court~~, and produced proof of
publication of notice, proof of title to the premises,
and proof of kinship of the petitioners; and thereupon this
cause came on to be heard, upon the bill, and answers
of the ~~defendants~~ guardian ad litem, exhibits and testimony
and on motion of petitioners' Counsel it is ordered that
by the oaths of William B. Irwin, James C. Miller
and Benjamin Hopkins, three disinterested freehold-
ers of ~~the~~ one full equal third part of the lands in said
petition described, be assigned and set off to the said
Atkey Galloway, as her dower estate; and that by the
like oaths of the same William B. Irwin, James C. Mil-
ler, and Benjamin Hopkins, ~~partition be made of said~~
~~lands, subject to said dower estate in the following pro-~~
~~portions, to wit~~ One full equal eighth part of the
lands in said petition described be set off and assigned
to the petitioners in severalty; and that a writ in
the nature of a writ of partition issue to the Sheriff
of Union County commanding him to cause said dower
to be assigned, and said partition to be made accord-
-ly.

James R. Galloway

vs
Saml Galloway & al

} Pet. for Part.

This day came the Petitioner
by his attorney and produced
proof of publication of notice, and thereupon
this cause came on to be heard upon the bill
answer of the defendant ad litem Exhibits and
testimony and on motion of Petitioner counsel
it is ordered that by the oaths of William
B. Davis Esq. and James Riddle their
disinterested Freeholders one full equal eighth
part of the following Real Estate to wit. Beginning
at the hickories and a forked white oak
on the line of Robert Means Survey No 5301 thence
N. 45° W. 94 poles to 2 hickories and a burr
oak. thence N. 43° 30' W. E. 189 poles to a stake in
a Prairie thence S. 56° 35' W. E. to a stake thence S.
52° W. 192 poles to the beginning containing one hundred
and twenty nine acres and being part of Virginia
Military Survey No 7492 in the name of William
Robinson the same in the petition described be set
off and assigned to the Petitioner in severalty and
that a writ in the nature of a writ of partition issue
the Sheriff of this County commanding him to cause
said partition to be made according

The above is a true copy of the decree
rendered in the above case this
day given under my hand and
seal of the County this 4th day of
Nov. A.D. 1841 James H. Hill Clerk

Galloway
vs.
Galloway et al. } Part.

Notice of Publication

Filed Nov. 3. 1841

James W. Gillill

Union Common Pleas.

James R. Galloway, }
vs } IN PARTITION.
Sam'l Galloway et al. }

SAMUEL Galloway, David Wright and Amanda his wife, Sabra Galloway, Elijah Galloway, Joshua Galloway, Joseph Galloway, Hiram Galloway, Ira Galloway Elizabeth Galloway, Robert Wilson and Matilda his wife, and Acksey Galloway will take notice that a petition was filed against them on the 2d day of July A. D. 1841, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio, by James R. Galloway, and is now pending, where in the said James R. Galloway demands partition of the following real estate to wit: a certain tract of land situate on the waters of Treacles Creek in the County of Union Ohio, bounded as follows; Beginning at three Hickories and a forked white oak on the line of Robert Mains survey No. 5301; Thence N. 45 Deg. W. 94 poles to two hickories and a burroak; Thence N. 43 Deg. 30 sec. E. 189 poles to a stake in a prairie; Thence S. 56 Deg. 35 sec. E. to a stake; Thence S. 52 W. 192 poles to the beginning. Containing one hundred and twenty nine acres; and being part of Virginia Military survey No. 7492 in the name of William Robinson; Conveyed, heretofore, by the said Robinson to David Witter, and conveyed by the said Witter to the legal heirs of Samuel Galloway, deceased;— and that at the next term of said Court application will be made by the said James R. Galloway for an order that partition may be made of said premises.

OTWAY CURRY,
Attorney for petitioner.

July 2, 1841.

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Robert M^cBratney being duly sworn says, that a copy of the above notice was published on the 2^d day of July A. D. 1841 in a newspaper called the Union Star, and that said newspaper was then in general circulation in the County of Union, Ohio.

Robert M^cBratney

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3^d day of November
A. D. 1841

Wm H. Frank J. P.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0009

No. 41-CH-9

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Union Common Pleas Court.

Payton B. Smith

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Henry Lawrence,

Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1842

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Payton B Smith
vs. Bill in Ar

Henry Amisard.

W B Cipelet &
Joshua Good.

Filed August 9. 1861

Samuel G. Clark

asks for dectw
report in -

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Will be comd

has a letter of subpoena may find

You actor therefore may find that said debts be compelled
secretly to answer all & irregular the matters & things
contained in this bill under their Corporal oath: as
though only so though the same were but by the office
investigation: and on final hearing of this bill
you actor may find that the said Cipelet or the said
Cipelet. On both of them is it may seem equitables
to this ~~compte~~ ^{compte} may be decreed to pay said Amisard
the amount due & unpaid of the purchase money
to go the with the costs & the profits of you actor
As describing all & unpaid: with twenty dollars
& parcel said Judgt & notes or in default thereof
that an account be taken of the value of the use
& occupancy of said mill since 9th Cipelet took
possession of the Purchase money already paid
to Amisard and the balance thereof & if there be any
due to the assignees of the 9th Bond that said Amisard be
deemed to refund the same. That said Cipelet be
compelled together with the said Judgt & notes and
you actor return to his execution rights & privileges
and such others for the relief as equity and good
conscience may require: and you actor so in
duely bound with sure may & C

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Comd

To the Honble. the court of common Pleas in ^{and} for the County of
of Union in Chancery sitting

Humly complaining your
Orator Peyton B Smith of said County. sheweth unto your
Honors. That on or about the 13th day of October AD 1836
^{at the County aforesaid}
your Orator purchased by Little bond of Henry Amrine
of said County (whom your Orator prays may be made
defendant to this Bill) the following property to-wit—

The Mill known by the name of Amrine Mill with
all the land belonging to said Mill and with all the
improvements water privileges & appurtenances thereunto
belonging lying on Mill Creek in the Township of
Paris Union County Ohio... That in consideration of

said contract your Orator executed his ^{five} several notes
of hand bearing date the said 13th day of October 1836
for the sums & due at the dates following. one for 200^{ff}
due eight months after date. One for 250^{ff} due June
13th 1838. One for 250. due June 13th 1839. ^{with interest} One for 250
due June 13th 1840. & One for 250 due June 13th 1841.

^{are payable to said Henry Amrine}
That the note for 200^{ff} due 8 months after date was paid
and canceled by your petitioner and a small amount
paid upon the note calling for 250. due in 1838.

Your Orator further represents that on the 8th of Nov. AD 1837. ^{at the County aforesaid} your
Orator assigned all his right title & interest in & to said
title Bond to one O. Blissel then of said County of Union but of
now of Marion Co. in Ohio (whom your Orator prays may also
be made defendant to this Bill). upon this express condition
and no other. That the said O. Blissel should well &
truly pay or cause to be paid for several notes of hand
given by your Orator ^{to} Henry Amrine calling in all for
one thousand dollars. (meaning the last four notes above described)

Your Orator further shews that upon said assignment the said
Blissel or those holding under him immediately took possession
of said Mill & its appurtenances & have enjoyed the rents

profits and emoluments thereof until the said last-mentioned
date became due on the 13th day of June A.D. 1841. Which rents &
profits are of great value to wit six hundred dollars.
Now Orator further represents: that some time in the year
1838 (the time when and the conditions thereof being un-
known to your orator) the said O.B. Cipel (as your orator
has been informed) assigned said Mills bond to one
Joshua Crow (whom ^{the name of the party but none of date or a down entry} your orator prays may also
be made defendant of this bill) as collateral security
for a debt due from one William Phelps. to S^r
Crow & who under the conditions of said assignment
or otherwise has permitted those holding possession
under the permission or authority aforesaid to remain
in uninterrupted possession of said mill & appurtenances.
Now orator further charges that although he assigned
said bond to said Cipel upon this express condition
and no other. That he should well & truly pay &
pay last four described notes of hand according
to the effect & tenor thereof. And although said Cipel was
enjoying the rents & profits ^{thereof} of said Mill. Yet
neither the said Cipel, nor ^{or the said Phelps} the said Crow nor
any other person for them or either of them have paid
or caused to be paid. any part thereof. But on
the contrary the said notes calling for 250^{ts} due June
13th 1838 & 250 June 13th 1839 being due & unpaid
the said Amos instituted suit against your
orator on the law side of this Court & recovered judgment
at the Oct Term 1839. against your orator for the
sum of \$437.32 the balance due on said notes & costs
of suit. ^{plus \$10.10} Caused execution to be issued & levied
upon your orator's property. & sold what little
^{property} your orator possessed. at such sacrifice that
the costs still remain but partially satisfied

You orator further Charges that the amount of the other two notes remains wholly unpaid. & accumulating interest.

You Orator further Charges that said... Lipel & S^d Gore have both removed from this County. and so far as you orator knows or believes are making no effort to pay said notes. & said Indgt as they are in good conscience bound to do. but on the contrary wholly neglect & refuse to do so.

You orator further emphatically declares that. The execution of said Judgment. together with the executions issued thereon watching for years for a grab. at you orator property is a grievance which under the circumstances he can no longer bear. it having ~~already engendered~~ already engendered a hatred towards ~~you~~ an honorable officer of this Court. sacrificed his property. disturbed his quiet & other wrongs

You orator has made repeated applications to said Gore. & to said Lipel. to pay said Indgt & notes & release you orator but they are deaf to his complaints.

You orator has made application to said Amrine. and here only. he seems to find a desire for fair dealing

You orator represents. that said Amrine. is willing, ^{as} as this Court may decree. to receive his purchase money & execute a deed according to his Bond. But rather than this Bargain. should remain in this unsettled condition. that an account be taken. of the ^{value of the} ~~rest of~~ profits of said Mill since Lipel took possession and of the ^{purchase} money paid. ~~to~~ to said Amrine. and if he has ^{more} more than the ^{profits of the mill} rents ^{of said Little Bump} are worth. to refund the difference to the ^{of said Little Bump} ~~of~~ Canal. The whole matter

Union Com. Pleas

P. B. Smith

118 Zabin City

Henry Amine

O. B. Kille &

Joshua Gore

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on the Amine

O. B. Kille & J. Gore not
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W. W. Stebbins Sheriff

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Filed August 10. 1841

James A. Hill Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF

Said

COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Henry Annine O. B. Cissel and
Joshua Goro*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said county, *on the 18th day of August (Instant)*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*

in Chancery exhibited against *them* _____ by
P. B. Smith and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in
Marysville, this *ninth* day of *August* A. D.
184*0*.

James H. Gill Clerk

Accrued they don't on the 12th day of August A.D. 1841. And served on the writtyn name C. B. Bissel by hand -ing him a true and certifiar copy of the same on the 16th day of August A.D. 1841. The other defendants not found within my bailiwick
John Gaussee

Union Com. Pleas
O. W. Smith
as Sub. in Chy.
Henry Amine
O. W. Kistler &
Joshua Ford

red. Aug. 14/41

Exp. & fees
Mileage 2.00
Livery .35
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Copy — .10
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Filed Aug. 17 1841
James W. Lee Clerk

Union Com. Pleas 11th 1841.
I hereby acknowledge service of the within writ
returning appearance to answer to said writ
at the next term of the Court of common Pleas
at the County of Union &c.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Mariou* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Henry Annine O. B. Gillet and
Joshua Gore*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house
in said county, *on the 18th day of August (instant)*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*

in Chancery exhibited against *them* by
P. B. Smitte and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

ninte day of *August* A. D. 184*0*.

James H. Gill Clerk

Union Town. Pleas

P. B. Smith

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Henry Amrine

O. P. Cissel &

Joshua Gore

Filed Aug. 17. 1841

James Ho. Gice lly

Served this on Joshua
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at his dwelling house
on the 16th day of Sept
1841 and not as
to W. Amrine & O
P Cissel for want
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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Clark* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Henry Amrine O. B. Cattel and Joshua Goro*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House in said county, *on the 18th day of August (Instant)*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill* in Chancery exhibited against *them* by *P. B. Smith* and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in Marysville, this *ninte* day of *August* A. D. 184*1*.

James H. Gill Clerk



worth, to refund the difference to the assignee of said title bonds, and
cancel the whole matter.

Your orator therefore prays that a writ of Subpoena may issue,
that said defendants be compelled severally to answer all and sin-
-gular the matters and things contained in this Bill, under their
-corporal oath, as specifically as though the same were put by
specific interrogatories. And on final hearing of this bill, your
-orator prays that the said Bipel or the said Gore, or both of
-them, as it may seem equitable to this Court, may be decreed
-to pay said Arwine the amount still due and unpaid of
-the purchase money, together with the costs, and the value
-of the property of your orator so identified as aforesaid,
-worth twenty dollars, and cancel said judgment and notes -
-or in default thereof, that an account be taken of the value of the
-use and occupancy of said mill since said Bipel took possession,
-and the purchase money already paid to Arwine, and the balance
-struck; and if there be any due to the assignee of the said bonds,
-that said Arwine be decreed to refund the same - that said Con-
--trad be cancelled, together with said judgment and notes, and your
-orator restored to his ancient rights and privileges; and such other
-and further relief as equity and good conscience may require -
-and your orator, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

A. Hall, sol. for Compt.

Peyton B. Smith
 vs.
 Henry Arwine,
 D. B. Bipel,
 Joshua Gore, &
 William Thrust

Bill in Chancery.

Amended Bill

Filed Nov. 3, 1861

As to see bill

Cost bill made

A. Hall,
Sol. for Compt.

To the Honorable the Court of Common Pleas in and
for the County of Union, in Chancery sitting -
Humbly complaining, your orator,
Payton B. Smith, of said County, sheweth unto your
Honors that on or about the 13th day of October, A.D. 1836,
at the County aforesaid, your orator purchased, by title
bond, of Henry Anwine of said County (whom your
orator prays may be made defendant to this bill) the
following property, to wit: The mill known by the name
of Anwine's mill, with all the land belonging to said
mill, and with all the improvements, water privileges and
appurtenances thereunto belonging, lying on Mill Creek
in the township of Paris, Union County, Ohio - That in
consideration of said contract, your orator executed his
five several notes of hand, bearing date the said 13th day
of October, 1836, for the sums and due at the dates following,
to wit: One for \$200, due eight months after date - one for
\$250, due June 13th, 1838 - one for \$250, due June 13th, 1839,
with interest - one for \$250, due June 13th, 1840, and one
for \$250, due June 13th, 1841; all payable to said Henry Anwine;
That the Note for \$200, due 8 months after date, was paid and
Cancelled by your petitioner, and a small amount paid
upon the note calling for \$250, due in 1838.

Your orator further represents, that on the 8th of No-
-vember, A.D. 1837, at the County aforesaid, your orator assigned
all his right, title and interest in the said title Bond to one
O. Blipfel, then of said County of Union, but now of
Marion County, in Ohio (whom your orator prays may also
be made defendant to this Bill) upon this express condi-
-tion, and no other, that the said O. Blipfel should well
and truly pay, or cause to be paid, four several notes of
hand given by your orator to Henry Anwine, calling,
in all, for one thousand dollars (meaning the last four
notes above described.) Your orator further shews that,

upon said assignment, the said Lipel, or those holding under him, immediately took possession of said mill and its appurtenances, and have enjoyed the rents, profits and emoluments thereof, until the said last mentioned Note became due, to wit, on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1841, which rents and profits are of great value, to wit, six hundred dollars. Your orator further represents, that some time in the year 1838 (the time when ~~the said Lipel~~ being unknown to your orator) the said D. B. Lipel, as your orator has been informed, assigned said Title Bond to one ~~William Sharp~~, ~~the of the county of Union, but now of Clark County, Ohio,~~ or ~~James Territory~~ now a resident of Fort Wayne, State of Indiana, (whom your orator prays may also be made defendant to this bill) conditioned also for the true payment of the amount due thereon; and said Sharp afterwards assigned said Bond to one Joshua Gore, then of this County, but now of the County of Clark, in this State, upon the express condition, and no other, that he should well and truly pay the amount due and unpaid upon your petitioner's said notes, as collateral security for a debt due from said Sharp to said Gore, who, under the conditions of said assignment or otherwise, has permitted those holding possession under the permission or authority of said Lipel, to remain in uninterrupted possession of said mill and appurtenances. Your orator further charges that, although he assigned said Bond to said Lipel upon this express condition, and no other, that he should well and truly pay said last four described notes of hand, according to the effect and tenor thereof. And although said Lipel was enjoying the rents and profits of said mill, yet neither the said Lipel or the said Sharp, nor the said Gore, nor any other person for them or either of them, have paid, or caused to be paid, any part thereof. But on the contrary, the said Notes, calling for \$250, due June 13, 1838, and \$250, due June 13, 1839, being due and unpaid, the said

Anwine instituted suit against your orator on the law side of this Court, and recovered judgment at the October Term, 1839, against your orator for the sum of \$437.32, the balance due on said notes, and costs of suit, taxed at \$10.00, caused execution to be issued and levied upon your orator's property, and sold what little property your orator possessed, at such sacrifice that the costs still remain but partially satisfied.

Your orator further charges that the amount of the other two notes remains wholly unpaid, and accumulating interest.

Your orator further charges that said Bissel and said Gore have both removed from this County; and so far as your orator knows, or believes, are making no effort to pay said notes or said judgment, as they are in good conscience bound to do; but, on the contrary, wholly neglect or refuse so to do.

Your orator further emphatically declares that the existence of said judgment, together with the executions issued thereon, watching for years for a grab at your orator's property, is a grievance which, under the circumstances, he can no longer bear, it having already engendered a hatred towards an honorable officer of this Court, sacrificed his property, disturbed his quiet, and other wrongs to your orator done.

Your orator has made repeated applications to said Gore and to said Bissel, to pay said judgment and notes, and relieve your orator, but they are deaf to his complaints.

Your orator has made application to said Anwine, and him only he seems to find desirous for fair dealing.

Your orator represents, that said Anwine, is willing and anxious, as this Court may decree, to receive his purchase money, and execute a deed according to his Bonds. But rather than this business should remain in this unsettled condition, that an account be taken of the value of the rents and profits of said mill, since Bissel took possession, and of the purchase money paid to said Anwine - and if he has received more than the rents and profits of said mill are

P B Smith

vs. $\frac{1}{2}$

Henry Amrine
et al.

Proof of Publication

Filed Apr 25th 1842

J. S. Gill Clerk

Peyton B Smith
vs
Henry Amrine,
O B Cissel,
Joshua Gore, &
William Tharp. } IN UNION COMMON
PLEAS—In Chance-
ry to Nov Term 1841.

THE said William Tharp is hereby notified that on the 3d day of November 1841, the said Peyton B. Smith filed his amended bill in said court against the said Henry Amrine, O B Cissel, Joshua Gore & William Tharp, setting forth in substance that on or about the 13th of October 1836, complainant purchased by title bond of defendant Amrine the mill property known as Amrine's mill, with the appurtenances, lying and being in Paris township, Union Co Ohio—that in consideration of said contract complainant executed and delivered to said Amrine his five several notes of hand of that date, amounting to one thousand dollars; that complainant paid said Amrine something over \$200, and on the 8th of November 1837, assigned all his right, title and interest in said bond to said O B Cissel, conditioned that said Cissel should pay complainant's said notes to said Amrine as they severally became due; that said Cissel or those holding under him, had uninterrupted possession of said mill and privileges until the note last due given by complainant to said Amrine became due, to wit: June 13th, 1841.— That said Cissel subsequently assigned said bond to said Tharp, and said Tharp afterwards assigned the same to said Gore; both of said assignments being conditioned for the faithful payment of complainant's said notes. That said notes have not been paid, or any part thereof; that said Amrine has commenced suit, obtained judgment against complainant upon the law side of said court upon two of said notes; caused execution to be issued thereon, and sold complainant's property at Sheriff's sale—that said Amrine is willing to receive his purchase money from the present assignee of said bond and execute a deed according to his bond, or in default thereof that an account be taken of the value of the use and occupancy of said mill while in the possession of the assignees of said bond, and also of the amount paid by complainant; and if the purchase money paid amounts to more than the value of the rents of said mill, to refund the difference to the assignee of said bond, and cancel the judgment and notes against complainant. The prayer of said petition is, that said Gore, or the assignee of said bond, pay said Amrine his said purchase money and receive the deed; or in default thereof that an account be taken accordingly, and that on final hearing, that by decree of said court said contract be cancelled, and said Amrine be decreed to receipt said judgment and deliver to complainant his said notes. The defendant Tharp will appear, plead, answer or demur to said bill, on, or before the first day of the next term of said court, or the same will be taken pro confesso.

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A. HALL,
Sol. for Comp't.

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.:
April 25, A. D. 1842.

Personally appeared before me, James Turner, a Justice of the Peace in and for Paris Township, Union County and State of Ohio, James E. Wilson, Printer of the "Union Gazette," a newspaper printed and published in said County of Union, and of general circulation therein, who, being duly sworn by me this day, deposes and says that the Notice in Chancery, Peyton B. Smith vs. Henry Amrine et al. of which the annexed is a copy, was published for six consecutive weeks in said Gazette, commencing on the 7th day of January, 1842.

A. R. Swain
Cross J. 12th J. C.

Union Common Pleas.

Payton B. Smith

vs.

Henry Amrine et al.

Masters fees ^{fees}	\$10.00
Witness (Dowley)	0.50
" (Amrine)	0.50
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Filed Nov. 7, 1842.

John Cassil, Clerk
pt.

Peyton B. Smith

vs.

Henry Amrine,
O. B. Cissel,
Joshua Gore, &
William Sharp.

The Report of James E. Wilson, Special Master in Chancery, to whom this cause stands referred, for the purpose of stating an account between the parties, pursuant to the interlocutory decree rendered at August Term, Common Pleas, A. D. 1842.

It appears, from the testimony of John Dorley and Nesley Amrine, who were duly sworn the truth to say, as well as from the answer of Henry Amrine (a defendant) that the statements in petitioner's bill and amended bill, on file, are substantially true.

From said testimony, as well as from other sources, the following facts also appear, viz.:

1. That at the time of the purchase of said mill and appurtenances (referred to in the bill) by the petitioner, the same was very much dilapidated and out of repair.
2. In the latter part of the year 1837, said mill and appurtenances were assigned by petitioner to one O. B. Cissel - that at the time Cissel took possession, the rents and profits, use and occupancy, &c. might be valued at from \$150 to \$200, per annum.
3. That said Cissel, and those holding under him, ~~retained~~ ^{had} possession, in all, for the space of about 2 years and 30 or 40 days, amounting to about \$370.00
4. That petitioner paid \$200 purchase money, and about \$170 subsequently.

Taking the property, then, to have been worth a yearly rent of \$175, the whole amount since Cissel took possession, would be about \$370.00

Moneys paid by petitioner, as above, (on his notes,)	370.00
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Leaving no balance whatever, between the payments made by petitioner, and the rents, &c. of the mill since Cissel took possession.

Respectfully submitted.

James E. Wilson, Sp. Mas. Com.

Peyton B. Smith

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Henry Amrine
et al.

Filed Aug. 6. 1842.

James H. Hill et al.

The separate answer of Henry Amrine to a bill exhibited against him and others by Peyton B Smith in Union County Court of Common Pleas.

And the said Amrine for answer to said bill or so much as he deems aduisable says.. That he sold said Mill property to said Smith by Little Bond and received said Smiths notes. as is charged in Complots, said bill That he brot suit upon two of said notes & received judgment against said Smith upon the law side of this Court. Caused execution to issue which was seized upon one Cow the property of said Smith & subsequently sold by the Sheriff. as charged in Complots bill.. Respondant believes that the other matters and things set forth in Complainant bill are true Respondant further states. That he has been ready and anxious. to execute a good & sufficient deed for said Cow or any other person having the legal interest in said Little Bond upon payment of the purchase money. But Respondant has so far found it imposible to. force payment.. And from the fact that Respondant has no hopes of obtaining his said purchase money and that said Mills ~~are~~ fast passing into a state of delapidation & decay for the want of proper attention and repair Respondant is willing that an account be taken as prayed for in Complainants bill - a fair & Equitable settlement of the matter had. & said Contract Judgment & Notes canceled. as this Court may direct.

Henry Amrine
in proper

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0010

No. 41-CH-10

Union Common Pleas Court.

Elizabeth Partunore ^{et al}
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Jacob Partunore
Defendant.

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1844

Decree for part,

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Mrs. Cor. Flax

Sarah Parthemon
et als

ad
Jacob Parthemon

Answer and
appearance

Filed Aug 17 1841

James H. Guillet

Mr B. Irwin
Horace Anders
John Gost-

1844 Partitions

East Side road
Cove

Recorded

1841

Jacob Parthmore
vs
Catherine Smidley et al

Union Co Pleas
Petition for partition

And the undersigned tenants in common
of the premises hereby plead to his said Petition
and appearance without process, and consent
to the granting of the prayer of the petition.

Elizabeth Parthmore
Ray G Morse
Sarah Morse
Frederick Parthmore
Permilla Parthmore
Ethrod J Morse
Rebecca Morse
Nancy Parthmore
John Morrow
Mary Morrow
Catherine Smidley

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Jacob Parthemore
vs
Sarah Parthemore
et als

Petition for prob

Filed Aug. 17. 1841

James W. Rice Clerk

Recorded

All as in the & found by the Petitioner will con-
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By the Deponent do for
Petitioner

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4.12 1/4

To the Honble the Court of Common Pleas
Union County Ohio in Chancery sitting

Your Petitioner Jacob Parthmore a
resident of said County Respectfully represents to
your honors that John Parthmore late of this
County deceased died seized in fee of the following
described premises being and lying in the said
County and described as follows on Darbys creek
being Survey 5602. Beginning at 3 Elms westerly corner
To Warren Cash's Survey No 3196 thence N. 60° W 160
poles To two Elms and Black oak thence N 30° E 100 poles
To a stake and 3 elms thence S. 60° E 160 poles To 3 elms
westerly corner to Balzer's Survey No 4982 thence
South 30° West 100 poles to the beginning
containing one hundred acres



containing one hundred acres that the said ~~land~~
~~land~~ ^{land} ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~owned~~ ^{owned} by ~~eight~~ ^{one} ~~children~~ ^{eight} ~~and heirs who~~
~~are equally entitled to share and share alike to~~
by ~~with~~ your Petitioner ^{one} ~~Frederick Parthmore~~
Elizabeth Parthmore ^{two} ~~Nancy Parthmore~~ ^{shares} Catherine
Smedley ^{one} ~~married to~~ ^{share} ~~James Smedley~~ Polly wife
of John Morrow ^{and} ~~one~~ ^{share} ~~of~~ ^{one} ~~Ray~~ ^{share} ~~Mass~~ ^{of} ~~and~~ ^{whose}
Sarah wife of Alfred J. Mass all of this County
except the said ~~land~~ ^{land} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~heirs~~ ^{heirs} ~~who~~ ^{who} ~~has~~ ^{has} ~~an~~ ^{an} ~~interest~~
~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} and whom your Petitioner prays may be made
defendant to this application the prayer of your Petitioner
therefore is that partition of the premises may be made
by order of this Court that your Petitioner may
enjoy and possess in part of said lands in severalty

Union Common Pleas.

Jacob Parthemore

^{vs.}
Elisabeth Parthemore et al.

Order to sell.

Rec^d this Order Oct 4th
1842 agreeable to the
statute, I advertised
the same for sale Nov 5.
1842. Stayed by Injuncta
Oct 31. 1842

W W Steele Sheriff

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Advtg. 4.00

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Filed Nov. 2, 1842.

John Carril, Clerk
pro tempore

Recorded

Sale Nov 5

"Jacob Parthemore } Union Com. Pleas - Aug. Term, 1842.
Elizabeth Parthemore } Petition for Partition.
and others. }

On motion to the Court by Mr. Lawrence, Counsel for the petitioner, and upon producing the proceedings of the Sheriff, and the Report and proceedings of the Commissioners herein before appointed, and the same being examined, it is ordered that said proceedings and report be and the same are hereby approved and confirmed - and thereupon neither of the parties electing to take said Estate at the valuation thereof as returned by said Commissioners, on motion of the petitioner, ordered that said Estate be sold at public auction by the Sheriff of said County of Union, according to the Statute in such case made and provided."

I, John Cassil, Clerk pro tem. of the Court of Common Pleas for Union County, in the State of Ohio, do certify that the above is a correct copy from the proceedings had in said case at the August Term of said Court, A. D. 1842.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at Marysville, this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. 1842.
John Cassil,
Clerk pro tem.

Union Com. pleas.

Jacob Parthmore

is ~~of~~

Elizabeth Parthmore
and others—

Report of Comonip—

Filed Nov 6. 1841

Jas Hittell

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We the Commissioners appointed in this cause to set off and apportion to Jacob Parthemer in severally one full equal Eighth part of the following described real estate to wit ~~Survey~~ ~~part~~ of Survey N^o 5602 — Beginning at three Elms Northeastly Corner to Warrin Cashe Survey N^o 3196. thence N 60 W 160 poles to 2 Elms and a blk ~~Oak~~ Oak thence N 30 E 100 poles to a stake and three Elms thence S 60 E 160 poles to 3 Elms Westly corner to Balzer Kings Survey N^o 4982 thence S 30 W 100 poles to the beginning containing one hundred acres. And having been duly sworn, upon actual view of the premises, one of opinion the sd Estate is not susceptible of a fair & equitable partition we therefore appraise sd land to be worth ten dollars in our protestimony where of we have here unto set our names this 5th day of November 1841

William B. Green
John Yost } Commissioners
James Conchew }

Jacob Parthemer
1841

Elizabeth Parthemer ex'at'ly, Due to commissioners on partition

To William B. Green	\$ 1.00
John Yost	.. 1.00
James Conchew	.. 1.00

Union Law. Pleas

Jacob Parthemore

vs

Elizabeth Parthemore
& others

Writ of Partition

I have executed this
writ by the oath of the
within named Commissioners
whose report is herewith re-
turned Nov 6th 1841

W. Steele Sheriff

Sew — 1.00

Commissioners 3.00

Writ — .05

4.05

Filed Nov 6. 1841

Pat A. Goble

The State of Ohio Union County
To the Sheriff of said County Greeting
We command you that without delay by the oath
of William B. Davis Henry Andrews and John West
you cause one full equal eighth part of the following
lands and tenements to wit Part of Survey No. 5602
beginning at three Elms northwest corner to Warren
Cashes Survey No. 3126 thence N. 60° W. 160 poles to two
Elms and a black oak thence N. 30° E. 100 poles to a
Slake and three Elms thence S. 60° E. 160 poles to 3
Elms westly corner to Balger Kings Survey No. 4982
thence S. 30° W. 100 poles to the beginning contain-
ing one hundred acres to be set off and as-
signed to Jacob Parthemore in sovereignty and
that your proceedings in the premises you distinctly
certify under your hand to our Court of Com-
mon Pleas within and for the County of Union
forthwith together with this writ

Witness James W. Gill Clerk of said
at the Court house this 4th day of
November A.D. 1841

James W. Gill Clerk

And having thus fully answered this said petition she
prays that an order of partition may be granted, that the
one fourth of said land, being the interest of this said therein,
may be set off to her in severalty,

P. D. Coale, Atty for sept.

Tale of Ohio Monroe County ss

Elizabeth Parshiner being duly sworn, says, that
all the matters & things set forth in this answer, as from
information of others she believes to be true, & all the
other matters & things therein contained, are true in substance
& stance & in fact Elizabeth Parshiner
sworn to & duly sworn before me James Sumner J. P.
June 26th 1843

Recorded

Monroe Court, Pleas
Jacob Parshiner
vs
Elizabeth Parshiner
Answer

Filed June 26, 1843
John Cassie
Atty

Jacob Parthimor
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Elizabeth Parthimor et al

Union Com. Pleas,
in Partition

The separate answer of Elizabeth Parthimor one of the depts to a petition for partition filed against her & others by Jacob Parthimor,

The said Elizabeth, now comes & for answer to said petition says she admits that John Parthimor, dec'd dec'd seized in fee simple of the land described in said petition as therein set forth, and that he left eight children & heirs as therein set forth. And that said heirs were originally entitled to equal shares in said land. But at the time said petition was filed - this Dept. says at that time, ~~and still~~ she was, & still is, the owner of two eighths of said land (being two shares) instead of one eighth as charged in said petition, she having inherited one eighth thereof from her father, the said John Parthimor dec'd, & ~~and~~ purchased from her Brother Frederick Parthimor, his share, being one ^{undivided} eighth part of said land, as evidenced by a deed from said Frederick Parthimor & wife, to this Dept., bearing date August 13th 1841 which deed is herewith filed marked 64 & made a part of this answer.

This defendant further says in answer to said petition that at this time one half of said land is owned by John Marrison and Polly his wife, two of the depts to this petition - the said Polly having inherited one eighth part thereof from her father the said John Parthimor dec'd. And the said John Marrison (her husband) having bought out the other shares, being those of Ray J. Mord & wife, Alford C. Morse & wife & Nancy Parthimor, others of the heirs of said John Parthimor, dec'd. As evidenced by a deed from the last mentioned heirs to the said John Marrison, bearing date August 1st 1842, & recorded in the recorder's office of said County of Union Book 8 page 521.

Refuge of Peat
-moss

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For and in consideration of the sum of
~~two~~ hundred dollars in hand paid
by John Morrow the undersigned here
at law of John Partheman see truly
sell and release to said John ~~Partheman~~
Morrow all our right title and inter-
est in the personal estate of the said
John Partheman and all and singular
the good chattels rights credits monies
and effects of which the said John
Partheman died seized and we do
truly authorize the said John Mor-
row to receive & receipt for any &
all things which may be in the hands
of the administrators of said estate
or elsewhere as our decision or
interest in said Personalty

given under our hands this
26th day of June 1843.

James Luener
William

Rag. J. Morse
Sarah Morse
Alfred V. Morse
Rebecca Morse
Nancy Partheman

Recorded

I have Executed this
writ by the oaths of the
within named Commis-
sioners, whose Report
is herewith Ret^d July 8.

1843 M^r State Treas^r

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1.05

Filed July 8. 1843.

John Caswell CLK

Jacob Parthunoe

vs

Elizabeth Parthunoe

et als

Partition

Commissioners

We the ~~petitioners~~ appointed

by the court in this case to make partition in obedience to the above writ after having been duly sworn proceeded to make said partition on a actual view of the premises and upon further view of the premises are of opinion that said lands cannot be divided without manifest injury to the same and there upon we do estimate the value of ~~the~~ ~~same~~ at one thousand dollars all of which is respectfully submitted

Given under our hands this 8th day of June 1843

John Weaver
Cypryan Lee
J. M. Johnson

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C. Lee	\$1.00
J. Weaver	1.00
J. Johnson	1.00
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	3.00

State of Ohio Union County ss

To the sheriff of said County greeting
We command you, that without delay, by the
oaths of Cyprian Lee, John Johnson, John Weaver
you cause one full eighth part of the following
lands and tenements to wit Part of survey
No. 5602 beginning at three elms northwesterly
corner to Warren Cash survey No 3196 thence
N. 60 W. 160 poles to two elms and a black
ash thence N. 30. E 100 poles to a stake and
three elms thence S. 60 E. 160 poles to 3 Elms
westerly corner to Balzer Kings survey No
4992 thence S. 30 W. 100 poles to the beginning con-
taining one hundred acres to be set off and
assigned to Jacob Parthenon one fourth part
to Elisabeth Parthenon ~~and~~ one half to John
Moran and one eighth part to Catharine
Armedy and that you proceeding in
the premises you distinctly certify under
your hand to our Court of common Pleas
forthwith together with this writ

Witness John Cassil Clerk of
said Court at the Court house
this 8th day of July A.D. 1843

John Cassil Clerk

Union Common Pleas

Jacob Parthmore
vs
his Partition
Elisabeth Parthmore

Order to Sell

Offered the property for sale
on the 16. day of April 1844
having previously advertised
the same according to law

No sale for want of bid
-diss-

N W Stubbs Sheriff

Per	35
mile	5
adv	25
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	65
Pr. fee	3.00
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	3.65

Filed April 16. 1844

John Capil Clerk

The State of Ohio } I John Caspit Clerk of the Court of
Union County ss } Common Pleas within and for the
County of Union and State of Ohio. Do hereby
certify that the following entry is truly taken and
copied from the Journal of said Court

Thursday Oct 19th 1843

Jacob Parthemore

vs

In Partition

Elizabeth Parthemore

In this case neither of the

parties electing to take the
said premises at the appraisement it is ordered
that the Sheriff proceed to sell the said Premises
according to the Statute in such case made and
provided. And it is further ordered that the parties
pay the costs of this application in proportion to their
interest within thirty days from the rising of this Court
And that in default thereof execution issue therefor
as in Cases at Law

In testimony whereof I do hereto subscribe
my name and affix the seal of said
Court this 11th day of November A.D. 1843
John Caspit, Clerk

Agreeable to the commands of this writ, or order - I advertised the Lands, described in Petition for Partition according to the Statute in such cases made and provided, to be sold at the Court House door on the 4th day of June 1844 And at the time and place advertised I offered the same by Public outcry - and sold the land viz 100 acres Survey No 5602, to Jacob Parthmore for the sum of \$666.66.6. As being the highest and best bidder therefor and that amount being two thirds of the appraised value thereof all of which is Respectfully submitted

W. W. Steele Sheriff

Union Com Pleas

Jacob Parthmore

vs

Elizabeth Parthmore et al.

Order to Sell

Service -	35
Mile	.05
Advtg -	25
Poundage	6.66
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	\$7.31
Dr. fee	3.00
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Filed July 2nd 1844
John Coffey

Jacob Parthemore } Union Com Pleas October Term 1843

vs

} In Partition

Elizabeth Parthemore }
and others } } In this case neither of the parties elect
} } sing to take the said premises at the
} } appraisement. It is ordered that the Sheriff

proceed to sell the said premises according to the Statute in
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the parties pay the costs of this application in proportion to
their interest within thirty days from the rising of this
court, and that in default thereof Execution issue
therefor as in cases at Law

Jacob Parthemore } April 16, 1844

vs

} Chancery

Elizabeth Parthemore et al } } Continued under former order

The State of Ohio }
Union County ss } } I John Basil Clerk of the Court of Com
} } mon Pleas within and for the County of
} } Union and State of Ohio do hereby certify
that the foregoing entries are truly taken and Copied
from the Journals of said Court

In testimony whereof I have hereto subscribed
my name and affixed the seal of said Court
this 2nd day of May A.D. 1844

John Basil Clerk

To W. M. State Sheriff of said
County

WITNESSETH THAT THE ABOVE SAID PARTIES HAVE VOLUNTARILY AND LEGALLY MADE THE ABOVE SAID DEED

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE AT THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO, THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 18__

Notary Public for the State of Ohio
My Commission Expires _____

Frederick Parthunor
To & Deed
Elizabeth Parthunor

Parthunor

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.
I, _____ Notary Public for the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the above and foregoing as the same appears from the records of my office.
A. D. 18__
[Seal]

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

THAT WE *Fredrick Parthmore* and *Pernilla* wife of said *Fredrick Parthmore* of the county of *Union* Ohio, in consideration of the sum of *one hundred and thirty* dollars in hand paid by

Elizabeth Parthmore of said County State have bargained and sold, and do hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said

Elizabeth Parthmore her ~~his~~ heirs and assigns, forever, the following premises, situate in the county of *Union* and in the State of *Ohio* and bounded and described as follows: *Being the one undivided Eighth part of the following*

Real Estate Bounded and described as follows to wit Being Survey No 5602 Surveyed for John Patterson & patented to James Gallaway Beginning at 3 Elms westerly corner to Nancy Leakes Survey No 3196 running N. 60 W. 160 poles to 2 Elms and a Black oak thence N. 30 E. 100 poles to a stake and 3 Elms thence S. 60 E. 160 poles to 3 Elms westerly corner to Balsa Kings Survey No 4982 thence S. 30 W. 100 poles 100 poles to the Beginning containing one hundred acres more or less

To have and to hold said premises, with the appurtenances unto the said *Elizabeth Parthmore* her heirs and assigns, forever. And the said *Fredrick Parthmore* & *Pernilla* his wife for themselves and heirs do hereby covenant with said *Elizabeth Parthmore* her heirs and assigns, that they are lawfully seized of the premises aforesaid; that the premises are free and clear from all encumbrances whatsoever; and that they will forever warrant and defend the same with the appurtenances, unto the said *Elizabeth Parthmore* her heirs and assigns, against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever,

In testimony whereof, the said *Fredrick Parthmore* & *Pernilla* have hereunto set their hands and seals, this *thirteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty one*

Fredrick Parthmore [SEAL.]
Pernilla Parthmore [SEAL.]

EXECUTED IN PRESENCE OF
John Cassil
Robert Paris

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

Before me, *John Cassil an associate Judge* in and for said county, personally appeared the above named *Fredrick Parthmore* and *Pernilla* his wife, and acknowledged the signing and sealing of the above conveyance to be their voluntary act and deed; and the said *Pernilla* being at the same time examined by me separate and apart from her said husband, and the contents of said instrument made known to her by me, she then declared that she did voluntarily sign, seal and acknowledge the same, and that she is still satisfied therewith; this *thirteenth* day of *August* A. D. 18 *41*

John Cassil [SEAL.]

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0011

No. 41-CH-11

Union Common Pleas Court.

Allen C. Hartman et al
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Nathaniel E. Cornell,
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1845

DECREE FOR PLAINTF

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Allen C. Martin recd

v

Nathaniel B. Cornwall recd

Filed Aug. 17. 1841

James H. Gilchrist

Bill in Chancery

Cost bill made

Recorded

To the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of
Union County and State of Ohio in Chancery sitting,
Your orators Allan C. McArthur of Pickaway,
County in said State of Ohio, Effie M. A. Coons of Ham-
len County in said State, William M. Anderson and
Eliza A. Anderson his wife, Cary A. Trimble and
Mary Trimble his wife of Ross County in said State
John Walke and Frances Walke his wife and John
A. Kercheval of Pickaway County aforesaid, & Duncan
McArthur, Smith McArthur, Nancy McArthur
and William H. H. McArthur infants under the
age of twenty one years by William McDonold their
next friend, the four last named defendants of the Court,
of Clark in said State, would respectfully represent
that on or about the 23rd day of June A. D. 1838, Dan-
can McArthur late of said County of Ross, departed
this life intestate, and left as his heirs ^{his children} your orators
^{by intestate} Allan C. McArthur, Effie M. A. Coons, Eliza A. Anderson,
Mary Trimble, his grand children your orators Frances
Walke and John A. Kercheval, and his son James M. D.
McArthur, who on the day of July 1840, departed
this life leaving as his heirs his children your orators
Duncan McArthur, Smith McArthur, Nancy McAr-
thur and William H. H. McArthur. That a certain
Daniel Bedinger then deceased late of the State of
Virginia, being entitled to a Military warrant
known as No 2211, for his services as a lieutenant
in the ^{War of 1812} continental war, ^{on about the 9th day of October 1806} employed said Duncan
McArthur to locate 1666^{1/2} acres part of said war-
rant on account and unappropriated lands in the
District set apart for the satisfaction of said warrants
between the State and Little Miami in the said
State of Ohio, and for the service of said Duncan
McArthur as locator the said Daniel Bedinger agreed
to allow said Duncan McArthur the one fourth
part of the lands so located for said Daniel Bedin-
ger by virtue of said warrant. Which said agreement
well known fully and at large appears by reference
to a letter from said Daniel Bedinger to said

Duncan McArthur dated "Shepherdstown October 9. 1806"
which said letter is herewith filed marked A & prayed
to be taken as a part of this bill. That in pursu-
ance of and in compliance with this agreement
between the said Duncan McArthur and said
Daniel Bedinger, the said Duncan McArthur
made three several entries of ~~the~~ said invention,
one entry No 842 of 666 frames in the name of
said Daniel Bedinger which said entry was
enjoyed by said Duncan McArthur on the
22nd day of Nov. 1808, and the plat and certificate
delivered to said Daniel Bedinger who obtained
a patent therefor ~~before~~ in his own name bearing
date the 2nd day of April 1811; the second entry No
546 ^{of 750} made ~~in~~ the name of Thomas W. Huntington
and enjoyed by said Duncan McArthur on the
20th day of April 1808 and patented to the said
Daniel Bedinger on the 2nd day of April 1811,
and the third entry No 6156 in the name of said
W. Huntington, and enjoyed by said Duncan McAr-
thur on the 10th day of April 1809 and patented to
said Daniel Bedinger on the 2nd day of April
1811. ~~And~~ Certified copies of the ^{plat} entries, ^{enjoyed} & patents
will be read in the ~~presence~~ ^{presence} of the ~~alms~~ ^{alms} court
of necessity and will be prayed to be taken as a
part of this bill.

Your Orator further represent that some
time in the Spring of the year 1818 said Daniel
Bedinger departed this life, having first made
and published his last will and testament bear-
ing date the 10th day of March 1818, by which said
he devised all his lands in the said State of Ohio
to his son Edwin G. Bedinger & his heirs; ^{which}
said last will and testament of said Daniel Be-
dinger was ~~after~~ ^{was} the death of said Daniel
Bedinger admitted to record in Jefferson County in
the State of Virginia. ^{and also in the county of Glenn in this State} A certified copy of said last
will and testament marked A ~~is~~ herewith
filed ~~and~~ ^{and} prayed to be taken as a part of this bill.

By your craters further represent that said ~~Edwin G.~~
~~Bedinger~~ at the ~~time~~ of the death of said Daniel
Bedinger did not in his life time comply with the
contract with said Duncan McArthur also refers
to, and that said Edwin G. Bedinger the deceased of
said Daniel Bedinger at the ~~time~~ of the death
of said testator was an infant of very tender years
and did not reach his majority until about the
year 1834. That at or about that time said Edwin
G. Bedinger acknowledged the said contract of his
testator Daniel Bedinger and agreed, ^{with said Duncan McArthur} that the four
fourth part of ~~the~~ the above lands should be assigned
and set off, as the locator shows of said Duncan
McArthur in the following manner: ^{one fourth part}
of said entry and survey No 842, ^{of 1666 1/2} to be taken off in
the following ~~manner~~, of said tract by certain miles
and bounds, all of which will fully appear by
reference to ^{an exhibit hereof} a survey of said tract referred
executed at the time of the partition between
the heirs of said Edwin G. Bedinger deceased

and for his share of the 1000 acres entered and surveyed
as above described, that said Duncan McArthur
should receive the whole of entry and survey No
6156 of 250 acres being the one fourth part of said
1000 acres. That before any conveyance was made
of said lands the said to the said Duncan McArthur,
the said Edwin G. Bedinger departed this life on
or about the day of ^{1835 and 1836,} (the precise
date not known to your craters) departed this life in
testate, leaving as his heirs, his brother Daniel Bedinger
Henry Bedinger, ^{the wife of Nathl. E. G. Moore} his sister Susan ^{Commonwealth,} Virginia
Lucas, ~~the wife of~~ See the wife of William Lucas
Elizabeth Washington, the wife of John J. A. Washington,
^{the wife of Edmond J. Lee} ~~the wife of~~ the children of his deceased sister
Margaret A. Hater, to wit Thomas M. Hater and

Margaret Ann Foster and the children of her
deceased sister Mary Bryan to wit, John L. Bryan
and Sarah R. Bryan. That since the death of said
Edwin G. Pedinger the said Virginia Lucas the
wife of said William Lucas has departed this life
intestate leaving as her heir her children William
Lucas, Daniel B. Lucas, Benjamin Sarah Ellen
Lucas and Virginia Lucas all of whom are in-
fants; also that said Elizabeth Washington
has also since the death of said Edwin G. Pedinger
departed this life intestate leaving as her heirs
her children Lawrence B. Washington, Daniel B.
Washington, Sally E. Washington, Benjamin F. Wash-
ington, Georgianna A. Washington, Thimata Wash-
ington, Mary Elizabeth Washington, George Wash-
ington, Mildred B. Washington, Susan E. Washington
and ~~Henrietta~~ Henrietta B. Washington, the
three first of whom are adults and the others infants.
That said Margaret Ann Foster has recently inter-
married with ^{ocally} J. L. Mason and said Sarah
R. Bryan has recently intermarried with ^{ocally} William
Long. That said ~~Daniel~~ Daniel Pedinger has also de-
parted this life leaving first ~~will and testament~~
since the death of said Edwin G. Pedinger, having first
made and published his last will and testament
whereby he devised all of his estate real and perso-
nal to his widow Catherine Pedinger.

Your orator further represents that since the
death of said Edwin G. Pedinger the above persons
as his heirs have made partition of ~~of~~ all the lands
to which he was entitled under the will of his fa-
ther Daniel Pedinger deceased in this State in the
Court of Common Pleas of Madison County, and that
in said partition they excluded the alien tract of
16673 acre part and parcel of said entry and sur-
vey No 842, and the whole of entry and survey No
6456 of 250 acre also ~~described~~ described, and that the said
^{adult} heirs of Edwin G. Pedinger admit the right and title
of your orator as heirs of said Duncan McArthur
deceased to a conveyance of said tracts, but allege that

the infancy of certain of the abovesaid persons
prevented a conveyance of said tracts of land.

¶ Your Orator further represents that the
said 1167 acres part and parcel of entry, and ser-
vey N^o 842 above described, and ~~said entry and ser-~~
~~vey N^o 5646 of 750 acres~~ in situate in the County
of Logan in this State, and that the other two
are situate in the said County of Marion, and that
your orator here only at present an equitable
title in said lands and that they are entitled to
the legal title, and being reminded at law and
reliable only in equity, they pray that
Nathaniel E. Conwell and Susan Conwell his wife
of the State of Connecticut, Henry Bedinger, Edmund
J. Lee Jr and Kennell Lee, ^{Trustees} Thomas M. Foster,
J. L. Mason and Margaret Ann ~~Foster~~ Ma-
son, his wife, John L. Bygon, William Long,
and Sarah R. Long his wife, William Lucas, Dan-
iel B. Lucas, Sarah Ellen Lucas, Virginia Lucas,
Lawrence B. Washington, Daniel B. Washington,
Sally E. Washington, Benjamin H. Washington, Geo-
anna A. Washington, Susanna Washington, Mary
Elizabeth Washington, George Washington, Mildred
B. Washington, Susan E. Washington, Kennell B.
Washington and Catharine Bedinger all of the
State of Virginia, may be parties defendant to this
cause and that they answer the same. Upon the
hearing of this bill may it please the Court to decree
the said defendants to make execent and deliver
to your orator, a deed of conveyance in fee simple for
said two tracts of land above described, by which your
orator will be invested with all the right title and
estate of said defendants in and to the same for
the the failure of said defendants to make such
deed that a decree ~~making~~ the full force and effect of
a conveyance be rendered, and also grant such further
general relief as to equity belongs. They pray, proceeding
to make said defendants parties to this bill, and as in
duty bound they will ever pray &c.

By Some of the Defendants

Mr Arthur et al

vs

Cornwall et al

answering of Guardian
ad litem —

Recd

Filed April 17. 1844
John Basil Clerk

The joint answer of ~~Thomas M. Foster~~
~~Margaret Ann Foster, John S. Bryan Sarah R~~
~~Bryan, William Lucas, Daniel B. Lucas, Sarah~~
Ellen Lucas, Virginia Lucas, Benjamin F. Wash-
ington, Georgiana A. Washington, Thornton Washing-
-ton, May E. Washington, George Washington, Mildred
B. Washington, Susan E. Washington and Henrietta
B. Washington - Infant defendants to the Bill
of Allen C. McArthur et al, Complainant, by
Samuel Brush their guardian ad litem
and the said infant defendants by Sam-
-uel Brush their guardian ad litem now
come and for answer to the said Bill of the
said Allen C. McArthur say that they
are entirely ignorant of the matters char-
-ged in the said Bill, and that they
are infants of tender years, and ask for
the protection of the Court -

W^m Lucas
Dan^d B. Lucas
Sarah E. Lucas
Virginia Lucas
Benj^t F. Washington
Georgiana A. Washington
Thornton Washington
May E. Washington
George Washington
Mildred B. Washington
Susan E. Washington
and Henrietta Washington
By S. Brush Guardian
ad litem -

Allen C. McArthur
+ others

vs. } Quota

Nathaniel B. Cornsack

+ others —

Filed Apr 26. 1842

Geo W. Simble

NOTICE.—Nathaniel E. Cornwal, and Susan Cornwal, his wife, Henry Bedinger, Edmund J. Lee, jr., and Henrietta Lee, his wife, Thomas M. Foster, J. L. Morrison, and Margaret Ann Morrison, his wife, John L. Bryan, Willia a Long, and Sarah R. Long, his wife, William Lucas, Daniel B. Lucas, Sarah Ellen Lucas, Virginia Lucas, Lawrence B. Washington, Daniel B. Washington, Sally E. Washington, Benjamin F. Washington, Georgiana A. Washington, Thornton Washington, Mary Elizabeth Washington, George Washington, Mildred B. Washington, Susan E. Washington, Henrietta B. Washington, and Catharine Bedinger, are hereby notified that on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1841, Allan C. McArthur, Effie McA. Coons, William M. Anderson, and Eliza A. Anderson, his wife, Cary A. Trimble, and Mary Trimble, his wife, John Walke, and Frances Walke, his wife, John A. Kercheval, Duncan McArthur, Smith McArthur, Nancy McArthur, and William H. McArthur, the four last named complainants being infants, and suing, by William McDonald, their next friend and guardian, filed their Bill in Chancery in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union, and State of Ohio, the object and prayer of which said Bill is to obtain a decree of said Court for the conveyance by said defendants to complainants of two tracts of land, to wit— One tract of 166 2-3 acres; being part and parcel of entry and survey Number 842, and lying in Logan county, in said State of Ohio; and also, the whole of entry and survey No. 6156 of 250 acres, lying in said Union county—which said tracts were, by agreement between Duncan McArthur and Edwin G. Bedinger, both since deceased, to be conveyed to said Duncan McArthur, in full of his claim to one-fourth of entry No. 842, in the name of Daniel Bedinger, one-fourth of entry No. 5646, in the name of Thomas Worthington, and one-fourth of entry No. 6156, in the name of said Worthington, all of which three entries were made and surveyed by said Duncan McArthur, and patented to said Daniel Bedinger, under an agreement between them, the said McArthur and Bedinger, that said McArthur, for his said services as locator and surveyor of said lands, should have one-fourth of the same. The said complainants being and representing the heirs of said Duncan McArthur.

And said defendants are further notified, that unless they appear and plead, answer or demur to said Bill, within sixty days after the next Term of said Court of Common Pleas of said Union county, the said complainants, at the Term of said Court next after the expiration of said sixty days, will ask that said Bill be taken as confessed, and that a decree be entered accordingly. By JOHN W. ANDREWS,
Dated November 13, 1841. *their Solicitor.*

State of Ohio, Franklin county, ss.

Charles Scott, being duly sworn, deposeseth and saith, that the notice, of which a true copy is hereunto annexed, was published in the Ohio State Journal, a newspaper in general circulation in the county of Union, six consecutive weeks from and after the 13th day of November 1841.

Chas. Scott

scribed before me, this

April 1842 John Wood JP

Printer's fee—\$ — 7.00
This affidavit--\$ 25

NOTICE.—Nathaniel E. Cornwal, and Susan Cornwal, his wife, Henry Bedinger, Edmund J. Lee, jr., and Henrietta Lee, his wife, Thomas M. Foster, J. L. Morrison, and Margaret Ann Morrison, his wife, John L. Bryan, Willia a Long, and Sarah R. Long, his wife, William Lucas, Daniel B. Lucas, Sarah Ellen Lucas, Virginia Lucas, Lawrence B. Washington, Daniel B. Washington, Sally E. Washington, Benjamin F. Washington, Georgiana A. Washington, Thornton Washington, Mary Elizabeth Washington, George Washington, Mildred B. Washington, Susan E. Washington, Henrietta B. Washington, and Catharine Bedinger, are hereby notified that on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1841, Allan C. McArthur, Effie McA. Coons, William M. Anderson, and Eliza A. Anderson, his wife, Cary A. Trimble, and Mary Trimble, his wife, John Walke, and Frances Walke, his wife, John A. Kercheval, Duncan McArthur, Smith McArthur, Nancy McArthur, and William H. McArthur, the four last named complainants being infants, and suing, by William McDonald, their next friend and guardian, filed their Bill in Chancery in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union, and State of Ohio, the object and prayer of which said Bill is to obtain a decree of said Court for the conveyance by said defendants to complainants of two tracts of land, to wit— One tract of 166 2-3 acres; being part and parcel of entry and survey Number 842, and lying in Logan county, in said State of Ohio; and also, the whole of entry and survey No. 6156 of 250 acres, lying in said Union county—which said tracts were, by agreement between Duncan McArthur and Edwin G. Bedinger, both since deceased, to be conveyed to said Duncan McArthur, in full of his claim to one-fourth of entry No. 842, in the name of Daniel Bedinger, one-fourth of entry No. 5646, in the name of Thomas Worthington, and one-fourth of entry No. 6156, in the name of said Worthington, all of which three entries were made and surveyed by said Duncan McArthur, and patented to said Daniel Bedinger, under an agreement between them, the said McArthur and Bedinger, that said McArthur, for his said services as locator and surveyor of said lands, should have one-fourth of the same. The said complainants being and representing the

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Chas. Scott

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

23^d day of April 1842 John Wood JP

Printer's fee—\$ — 7.00
This affidavit--\$ 25

Nath. E. Conwell

to Ann to
Bill in charge

Allen C. Matthews
for

Filed May 27th 1845
John Caspell clerk

Rec^d

The joint answer of Nathaniel E. Cannon and Susan Cannon his wife, Edmund Lee and Henrietta Lee his wife, Henry Bedinger, Catharine Bedinger, Thomas M. Fuller, John L. Bryan, Joseph H. Munson and Margaret Ann Munson his wife, William S. Long and Sarah R. Long his wife to a bill in chancery exhibited against them and their ~~heirs~~ ^{heirs} ~~and~~ ^{and} their ~~and~~ ^{and} their in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County and State of Ohio.

These respondents in answer to said petition state, that they are informed and believe that said Duncan McArthur as stated in said bill in his life time agreed with said Daniel Bedinger to locate certain lands in the Virginia Military District on the terms stated in the letter of said Daniel Bedinger dated October 9. 1806 and referred to as a part of said bill. That respondents admit that said Duncan McArthur pursuant to said agreement entered and surveyed the following lands to wit; entry and survey No 842 for 666 $\frac{2}{3}$ acres entered and surveyed in the name of Daniel Bedinger and patented to him; and entries and surveys No 5646 for 750 acres and No 6156 for 250 acres both entered and surveyed in the name of Thomas Watlington and patented to said Daniel Bedinger. That respondents are informed that said tracts of land ~~are~~ were located by virtue of the warrant or warrants mentioned in the said letter of said Daniel Bedinger - That some time during the years 1838 the heirs of Edwin G. Bedinger (of whom respondents are a part) made a division of their portion of the real estate of said Edwin G. Bedinger devised to him by his father said Daniel Bedinger - and upon the partition of said lands - among the heirs the said entry and survey No 842 for 666 $\frac{2}{3}$ acres was found in a survey to contain 768 acres of land - of which amount 576 acres was divided among the heirs leaving 192 acres (being one fourth part of said tract of 768 acres) as the portion of

said Duncan McArthur - which said respondents believe had been set off to him by said John G Bedinger - That the said entry and survey No 6156 for 250 acres being one fourth of the 1000 acres - was also reserved on said partition as the portion of said Duncan McArthur - That said Daniel Bedinger during his life and his representatives since has paid the taxes on said entry and survey No 6156 for 250 acres from the year 1826 to 1836 the principal of the taxes paid amounting to \$70.55 cents 7 mills and the interest to \$79.31 cents amounting in the whole to the sum of \$149.86 cents 7 mills which last sum has been paid to the attorney of respondents and the executor of said Daniel Bedinger. That respondents admit the allegations of said bill and consent that a decree be rendered for the conveyance of the above described lands ~~and~~ at the proper rate of said Complainants. That respondents have been always ready to comply with the contract of said Daniel Bedinger, but have been prevented by the ~~disobedience~~ ~~disobedience~~ of a part of their co-defendants - Respondents having fully answered every plea to be set up for them.

By Henry Maffei their
Attorney.

McArthur's heirs

vs Lopez

Bedinger's heirs

Miner County

Filed May 27th 1845
John Capel, Clerk

Recorded

1807. December 14th

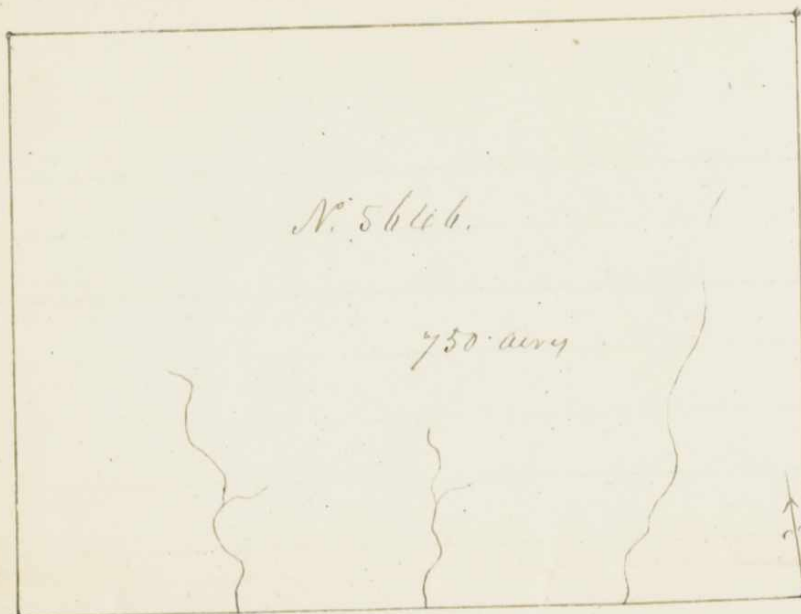
N. 5646 - Thomas Worthington, spec. enters 1000 acres of land on part
of a Military Warrant N. 2211. on the waters of Boker's Creek,
beginning at the Northeastly corner of Flanny Frazer's Survey
250 acres withdrawn
entered in 147. 2.6. N. 3691. running with his line N 83 W 400 poles. thence off at
right angles N 7 E for quantity -

1808. December 25th

N. 6156 - Thomas Worthington, spec. enters 250 acres of land on part
of a Military Warrant N. 2211. on the waters of Boker's Creek,
beginning at the Southeastly corner of Flanny Frazer's Survey
3.6. N. 3690. running S 7 W to the Northeastly corner of Thomas Bow-
yer's Survey N. 829. thence off at right angles N 83 W for
quantity -

1809. June 8th

N. 842 - Daniel Bedinger enters 66 2/3 acres of land on part of a
Military Warrant N. 2211. on Mill Creek, beginning
at the North west corner of John McDonald's Survey N. 5089.
30.6. in the line of Survey N. 3325. running with said line,
N 10 W to the Southwest corner of Charles Humphrey's Survey
N. 3472. thence with Humphrey's line and course thereof N 80 E,
and from the beginning with McDonald's line East until a
line N 10 W will include the quantity -

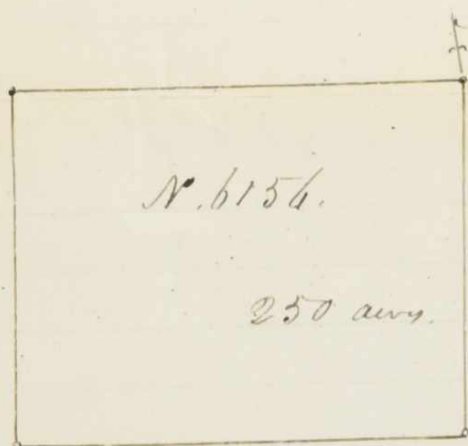


Surveyed for Thomas
Worthington, open 750 acres of
land on part of a Military Warrant
N. 2211. on the waters of Boker's
Creek, beginning at a Red
Oak and White Oak, Northeastly
corner to Flavery Frazer's Survey
N. 3691. running with his line
N 83 W 400 poles, ending several

small branches to two sugar trees, Northwest corner to said Frazer's
Survey, in the corner line of said Frazer's Survey N. 3690. Thence N 7 E
300 poles to two Hickories and a Spruce, Thence S 83 E 400 poles to a Spruce,
Beech and an Ash, Thence S 7 W 300 poles to the beginning -

David Sharp }
Samuel Sharp } C.C.
James Monroe, M.

Duncan W. Arthur, D.S.
April 20th 1808.
May 12th 1809.

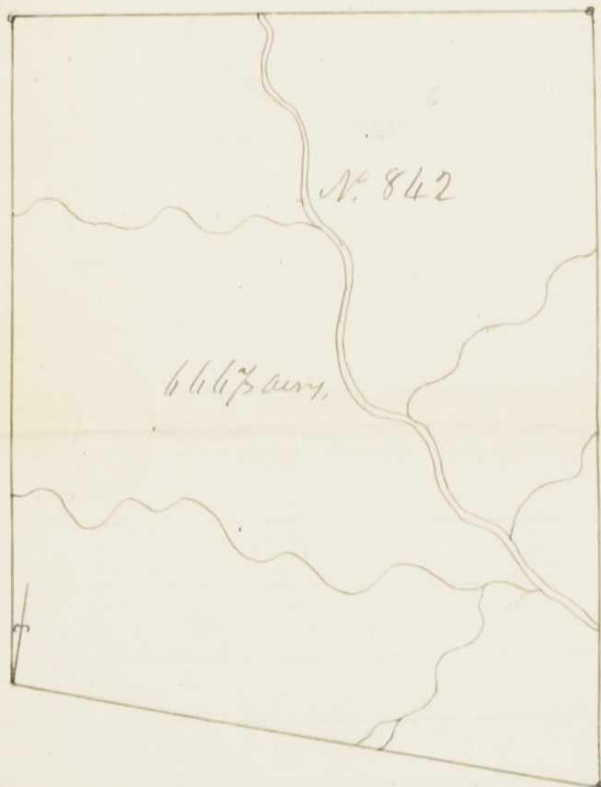


Surveyed for Thomas Worthington, open
250 acres of land, on part of a Military Warrant
N. 2211. on the waters of Boker's Creek,
beginning at two Beeches, Southeastly
corner to Flavery Frazer's Survey N. 3690,
running S 7 W 180 poles to two Beeches, a sugar
tree and Iron wood, Northeastly corner to

Thomas Boyer's Survey N. 829. Thence with his line N 83 W 230
poles to two Beeches and a Red Oak. Thence N 7 E 180 poles to two
Beeches and an Ash in the line of said Frazer's Survey. Thence with
said line S 83 E 230 poles to the beginning -

David Sharp }
William Henry } C.C.
Joseph Haynes, M.

Duncan W. Arthur, D.S.
April 10th 1809.
May 12th 1809.



Surveyed for Daniel Bedinger,
666 2/3 acrs. of land, on part of a Military
Warrant N. 2211. on Mill Creek,
beginning at two Beeches and a Sugar
tree, Northwest corner to John W.
Donalds survey N. 5089, in the
line of survey N. 3325, running with
said line N10W 340 poles, crossing
a branch at 92 and one at 238
poles to a Beech, Ash and White Oak,
Southwest corner to Charles Hamp-
hays survey N. 3472, thence with the
lower line of said Humphreys survey

and course thence N 80 E 300 poles, crossing the Creek at 125 poles
to a Sugar tree and two large Ashes, thence S10 E 395 poles, crossing
several small branches and Mill Creek, to three Hickories on the
North side of a branch, in the line of said W. Donalds survey,
thence with said line West 304 poles, crossing a branch at 110 and
one at 124 poles to the beginning -

Duncan W. Arthur D.S.

November 22. 1808.

December 12. 1809.

Surveyors Office for the Virginia Military
District, within the State of Ohio,

I, W. Marshall Anderson, Surveyor of said Military District,
do certify, that the foregoing Entries and Surveys, to wit;
N. 5446, N. 6156 and N. 842, are correctly transcribed from
the records of this Office -

Given under my hand and Seal of Office
at Chillicothe, this 2. day of February
1843. and the 17. year of the Independence
of the United States,

W. Marshall Anderson,



Fus \$ 1.75

Filed May 27th 1945
John Copie, Clerk

Rec

The answer of Lawrence B. Washington
Daniel B. Washington and Sally E. Washington
to a Bill in chancery filed against them and
others in the Court of Common Pleas of Union
County and State of Ohio by Allan C. McAr-
thur and other heirs of Duncan McArthur
deceased.

Then respondents saving and reserving to
themselves all manner of exception to the
many errors contained in said bill in answer
thereto or to so much thereof as is material
to answer unto, they answer & say, that
they admit that said Duncan McArthur
made the entries and surveys set forth in
said Bill for their ancestor Daniel Bedin-
ger and on the terms stated in the letter of
said Daniel Bedinger. That they willing
that such deed should be rendered as is just
and equitable and upon to and rely on the
answer of their Co defendants Henry Besin-
ger & others as containing more fully the matter
relied on in answer to said bill

By H. Maffei their
Attorneys.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0012

No. 41-CH-12

Union Common Pleas Court.

Silas G Strong
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Woremas, Lydau & Beyer
Defendant.

OCT TERM, 1845

Dismissed

Judgment VS Plaintiff

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W. C. Strong
vs.
Thomas D. Doremus, et al.

In
Chancery

Filed August 23^d 1841

James H. Gill Clerk

last bill entered
No. record to be made

I allow an injunction
as prayed for in this Bill
to be continued until the
further order of Court,
and order the plaintiff
to give bond and security
to the Defendant in the
sum of Twenty five
Hundred Dollars, con-
ditioned according to
law.

John Cassel

Associate Jdg. Court

Common Pleas Union
County Ohio

August 20th 1841

Decided at
Oct. Term 1845

Of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the
County of Union, and State of Ohio, in Chancery sitting;

Silas C. Strong, of the County of Union, Ohio, represents,
that your Orator, on the 6th day of April 1841 executed a judg-
= ment note for the sum of nineteen hundred and seventy
four dollars and eighty two cents, payable in sixty days,
to the order of Doremus Suydam and Nixon, and
delivered the same to Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R.
Suydam, and John M. Nixon, of the City of New York,
partners under the name and firm of Doremus, Suydam and
Nixon, (and whom your Orator may be made defen-
= dants to this Bill,) and your Orator on the said 6th day of
April 1841 transferred to the ^{said} Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R.
Suydam and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid two several
promissory notes executed to your Orator by W. W. Woods
on the 7th day of December 1840, the one for the sum of
five hundred dollars, payable one day after date in funds
at par in the City of New York or its equivalent - the
other for the sum of five hundred and thirty six dollars
and thirty five cents, payable sixty days after date in
funds at par in the City of New York or its equivalent,
copies of which notes so executed as aforesaid by the said
W. W. Woods are herewith filed and made part of this
Bill; - said notes so executed as aforesaid by the said
W. W. Woods were transferred as aforesaid by your Orator to
the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Suydam and John M.
Nixon, partners as aforesaid, as collateral security upon said
judgment note so executed as aforesaid by your Orator to
the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Suydam, and John M.
Nixon, partners as aforesaid; and your Orator on the said
6th day of April 1841 took a receipt of that date from the
said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Suydam and John M.
Nixon, partners as aforesaid, for said notes so executed as afo-
= said by the said W. W. Woods, which said receipt contains
an agreement on the part of the said Thomas W. Doremus,
Cornelius R. Suydam, and John M. Nixon, partners as
aforesaid, that said notes so executed as aforesaid by
the said W. W. Woods were received by the said Thomas W.
Doremus, Cornelius R. Suydam, and John M. Nixon, partners
as aforesaid, as collateral security upon said judgment
note so executed as aforesaid by your Orator to the said
Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Suydam and John M.
Nixon, partners as aforesaid, and that if said notes so execu-
= ted as aforesaid by the said W. W. Woods should now be col-
lected in the City of New York, that then the same should
be returned to your Orator some time in July next thereafter;
a copy of which said receipt containing said agreement
is herewith filed and made part of this Bill; - and
your Orator further represents that the said Thomas W. Dor-
= emus, Cornelius R. Suydam and John M. Nixon, partners
as aforesaid, afterwards transferred said judgment note so
executed to them as aforesaid on the 6th day of April 1841 by your
Orator, to Charles Anthony of Clark County Ohio,

(And wh on you Orator prays may also be made dependent to this Bill;) and the said Charles Anthony, at the June Term of the Court of Common Pleas ^{in and for the County of Clark,} Ohio, took a judgment at law upon the said judgment note so executed as aforesaid by you Orator to the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Seydman, and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid, which judgment was for the sum of Twenty one hundred and thirty five Dollars and fifty five Cents damages, and seven Dollars and forty two Cents Costs, and was taken as aforesaid by the said Charles Anthony as assignee of the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Seydman, and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid; — and you Orator further represents that execution upon said judgment at law was issued against your Orator by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Clark aforesaid, and delivered to William W. Steele Sheriff of the County of Union Ohio, (and whom you Orator prays may also be made defendant to this Bill,) and said William W. Steele Sheriff as aforesaid, levied said execution, on the 28th day of June 1841 upon the entire stock of Merchandise belonging to you Orator, in the said County of Union, amounting to more than Two Thousand Dollars, at Cost prices; — And you Orator further represents that said notes so executed as aforesaid by the said W. W. Woods were not returned to you Orator by the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Seydman, and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid, according to their aforesaid agreement, but they have appropriated the same to their own use and have not accounted to you Orator for the same in any way whatever; and you Orator further represents that he is informed and believes that the said Charles Anthony did, in fact, receive said judgment note, so executed by you Orator on the 6th day of April 1841 as aforesaid, not as a bona fide assignee for a valid consideration, but as the Trustee of the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Seydman, and John M. Nixon partners as aforesaid, and that at the time of taking the said judgment at law as aforesaid against you Orator the said Charles Anthony was in fact only trustee as aforesaid.

You Orator further represents that he is without adequate remedy at law; and ^{for that reason} prays that the writ of Subpoena ^{with process} may issue against the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Seydman and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid, and also against the said Charles Anthony and the said William W. Steele, Sheriff as aforesaid, ^{and that they may be given in execution of the Court's order} and that they may be compelled to do all and singular the premises; — and you Orator further prays that on the final hearing of this Cause, and if the said Thomas W. Doremus, Cornelius R. Seydman,

and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid, have transferred said judgment note (so executed by your Orator on the 6th day of April 1841,) bona fide, and for a valid consideration, to the said Charles Anthony, that, then, there may be decreed to ~~assign~~ to your Orator the said note so executed as aforesaid by the said W. W. Woods, or the amount thereof, and to assign to your Orator any judgment or judgments obtained or to be obtained upon the same; Or that if said Charles Anthony is collecting said judgment note (so executed by your Orator on the 6th day of April 1841,) as trustee as aforesaid, the amount of the notes ~~so executed~~ executed by the said W. W. Woods, as aforesaid, may be set off and deducted from the amount of the said judgment at law so rendered as aforesaid against your Orator, in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Clark aforesaid; — and that your Orator may have such other and further relief in the premises as equity and good conscience may require.

And your Orator further prays that an injunction may be allowed to restrain the said Thomas B. Doremus, Cornelius R. Sneyden and John M. Nixon, partners as aforesaid, and the said Charles Anthony, from collecting ~~any part of~~ said judgment at law against your Orator; ~~and that your Orator may have such other and further relief in the premises as equity and good conscience may require.~~

And also to restrain said William W. Steele, Sheriff as aforesaid, from in anywise proceeding with said execution to collect ~~any part of~~ said judgment at law against your Orator. ~~and that your Orator may have such other and further relief in the premises as equity and good conscience may require.~~

Osway Derry
Sol. for Complainant

The State of Ohio, Union County ss.

I, Silas C. Strong, being duly sworn, depose and say that all the several matters and things which are stated in the foregoing Bill as from the information of me I believe to be true; and that all the several other matters and things therein set forth are true in substance and in fact.

Silas C. Strong

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of August
A. D. 1841.

Wm. Frank J. P.

Silas C. Strong vs. Thomas B. Downey et al. In Chan. Cts.

Copy of receipt & agreement, filed & read part of Bill.

Filed Aug 28th 1811

James H. Gillett

(Copy)

\$500 - On day after date I promise to pay
Silas C. Strong or order five hundred dollars,
in funds at par value in the City of New York,
or its equivalent, for value received.

Mayville Dec. 7th 1840 - (Signed) W. W. Woods

(Copy)

\$596,35 - Sixty days after date I promise to pay
Silas C. Strong or order the full sum of
five hundred ~~and~~ ^{and} sixty six dollars, and thirty five
cents, in funds at par in the City of New York
or its equivalent. Mayville Dec. 7th 1840.

(Signed) W. W. Woods

(Copy)

Received Mayville Ohio, 6th April 1841 from Mr.
Silas C. Strong two notes of which the above are
true copies, as collateral security on a judgment
note dated 6th of April 1841 for nineteen hundred
~~and seventy four~~ ⁸²/₁₀₀ Dollars at sixty days, pay-
able to the order of Doremus Surdam and Nixon;
said notes if not collected in New York are
to be returned by mail to said Silas C. Strong
sometime in July next.

(Signed) Doremus Surdam & Nixon
per Ad. Jones.

Lilas G. Strong }
W. W. Woods } Son
Thomas W. Doan, et al } Chauncy

Copy of notes of board given
by W. W. Woods, filed
& made part of Bill.

Liled Aug. 26th 1841

James W. Hill
Clerk

Copy of notes
given by Woods
to Strong

(Copy)

\$500 - One day after date I promise
to pay Silas G. Strong or order five hundred
dollars in funds at par in the City of
New York, or its equivalent; for value
received.

Maysville December 7th 1840 - W. W. Woods

(Copy)

\$596, 35 - Sixty days after date I promise
to pay Silas G. Strong or order the full
sum of five hundred ninety six dollars,
and thirty five cents in funds at par
in the City of New York or its equivalent

Maysville Dec. 7th 1840

W. W. Woods.

Union Conv. Pleas

Silas G. Strong

or J. J. Bond

Jeremiah A. Lee

Filed August 24. 1841

James W. Hill & Co

Know all men by these presents that we Silas G. Strong James
W. Evans Robert L. Brown A. Pollock

are held and firmly Bound unto Thomas C. Dorcas Cornelius
R. Lydow and John M. Nixon. Charles Anthony and William
W. Stebbins in the sum of Twenty five hundred dollars for the payment
of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs executors
and Administrators sealed with our seals and dated this 24
day of August A.D. 1841

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
above named Silas G. Strong has obtained an allowance of an
Injunction in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union
and State of Ohio to stay all further proceedings upon a Judgment
obtained in the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of
Clark & State of Ohio by the said Charles Anthony as assignee of the
said Thomas C. Dorcas Cornelius R. Lydow and John M.
Nixon partners in trade, at the sum and of said Court A.D. 1841
for the sum of Twenty one hundred and thirty five dollars and fifty
five cents damages and three dollars and fifty two cents costs
until the matter thereof can be heard in equity - Now if the said
Silas G. Strong shall pay all moneys and costs due or to become
due from him the said Silas G. Strong in said Judgment at law, and
all moneys and costs which shall be decreed against the said
Silas G. Strong in case said injunction shall be dissolved, then this
obligation shall be void; otherwise in full force and virtue in law

Approved Aug 24. 1841

James W. Hill Clerk

Silas G. Strong Seal
James W. Evans Seal
Robert L. Brown Seal
A. Pollock Seal

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0013

No. 41-CH-13

Union Common Pleas Court.

Boan W John

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Nancy E John et al

Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1847

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Boan John
of 3 Guardians

Nancy Ellen

Rachael Ann

John

Petition to Sell
Land

ⁱⁿ Filed Oct 20. 1861

James H. Gill Clerk

Last bill made

Recorded

Hall for Petition

To the Honble. the Court of Common Pleas in and
for the County of Union in Chancery sitting

Your orator Doan W. John. late of
Greene County Ohio now of Carroll County State
of Indiana respectfully represents unto your Honor
that on the day of AD. he was regularly
appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Greene
County Ohio Guardian of Nancy Ellen John &
and Rachael Ann John. that he subsequently
removed with his said wards to the County of Carroll
Indiana and on the 10 day of August 1841
was regularly appointed the Guardian of said Ward
by the Probate Court of said Carroll County in
the State of Indiana. Your Petitioner further
states that the said Nancy Ellen & Rachael
Anna are seized by an estate of inheritance in
the simple of a certain tract of Land being and
being in the County of Union in the State of
Ohio. on the west side of Mulle creek being a
part of a five hundred acre tract Patented
to Nathan Samme Beginning at four sugar trees
Northly corner to Robert Means Survey thence running
North $52^{\circ} E$ 182 poles to a Red oak ash & sugar tree in
the line of Edward Douses Survey thence with his line
N $10^{\circ} W$ 206 poles & 5 links to a Stake thence $S 80^{\circ}$
W. 206 poles to a Stake. on the west Boundary line
of D^s Survey thence $S 10^{\circ} E$ 136 poles 5 links to 3
Sugar trees & Red oak N^{ly} corner to Norris Survey
thence with his line $S 38^{\circ} E$ 150 poles to the beginning
containing 350 Acres being part of Survey No.

Your petitioner further represents that said land has
or a part thereof been sold for the taxes due
& unpaid thereon.

Your petition further represents. That in order
to redeem said land from sd Tax incumbrance
and to provide for the reasonable support and
Education of his said Heirs. it becomes
necessary that said land should be sold
and the proceeds so invested that it can be
gradually appropriated to the support of Edu-
cation of the said Heirs.

Your petition therefore prays. That by order of this
Court ^{Your petition may be authorized to sell} said land ~~may be sold~~ & ~~your petition authorize~~
& to convey the same to the purchaser as this
Court may direct - & such other & further relief
as to this Court may seem meet

I shall Atty. for
Petitioner.

Rowin M. John

J. Tetter

Guardianship

Nancy Ellery

Rachel Ann John

Aug 10. 1821

L. D. O.

State of Indiana Carroll Probate Court
Carroll County August Term 1841

July 10. 1841

Now at this term personally appeared in
Open Court Nancy Ellen John and
Rachel Ann John, children and heirs
heirs of Bowen W. John, - and freely and
voluntarily chose they father Bowen
W. John, as their Guardian - It is
therefore ordered by the Court now here
that the said Bowen W. John, he and
he is hereby appointed Guardian of
the said Nancy Ellen, and the said
Rachel Ann John - And the said
Guardian now files in Open Court his
bond as such Guardian, which is appro-
ved by the Court, and the said
Bowen W. John, is now sworn in Open
Court to the faithful performance of
his duties and trusts as such Guardian.

State of Indiana
Carroll County I James A Stewart
Clerk of the Carroll Probate Court
do certify that the foregoing is a
true and correct copy of the appoint-
ment of Bowen W. John as Guardian
of Nancy Ellen, and Rachel Ann John
of the same appears of record.

In Testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and
affixed the Seal of the
Carroll Probate Court
at Delphi, this 10th day
of August. 1841

James A Stewart Clerk

The State of Ohio Court of Common Pleas
Franklin County ¹⁵ August term 1826.

Be it known that, at said term of said
Court Bowen W. John, was appointed Guardian
of Richard Ann John, & Nancy Ellen John, his
infant children, he having complied with the requi-
sitions of the State in such case made and provided
and the Order of said Court.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
my name and seal of office at Franklin
the 15th day of Sept. 1826 Thomas H. Brown

Bowen W. John
Guardian &c

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Rachel Ann
V. Nancy Ellen
John

appearance

Bowers W. John Guardian of
Nancy Ellen & Rachael Ann John

vs

The said Nancy Ellen John &
Rachael Ann John.

Petition to sell Land
in Union County Ohio
Court of Common Pleas
In Nov. Term A.D. 1841

The undersigned Nancy Ellen John &
Rachael Ann John hereby acknowledge service of
notice of the pendency of said petition, and enter their
appearance and waive all further notice by that
behalf

Rachael Ann John ^{her mark}
Nancy Ellen John ^{her mark}

Attest
James Reeves
Powell John

Union Com. Pleas.

Boam John, Jr.
vs.
Murray C. John et al

I have Executed this
Order by the Oaths of
the within named
whose appraisment
is here with returned
Nov. 10. 1842

W. W. Steele Sheriff

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Inquest 1.00

1.40
Apprn 1.50
2.90

Filed Nov 10. 1842
John Capil Clerk

Boan John Guardian &c } Minor Com Pleas

Stacey Ellen John et al } Petition to Sell Land

We the ~~Subs.~~ Appraisors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas Union County, in this case, to appraise the lands, hereafter described, After being duly summoned and sworn by the Sheriff and having ~~been~~ viewed the premises described viz: ^{Part of} Survey No 5416, Beginning at 4 Sugar trees northerly corner to Robt Means Survey, thence running North 52° E. 128. poles to a red oak ash and Sugar tree in the line of Edward Lowers Survey, thence with his line N 10° W. 208 poles & 5 links to a Stake thence S 80 W. 206. poles to a stake on the west boundary line of said Survey, thence S. 10 E. 156. poles 5 links to 3 Sugar trees & red oak N. W. Corner to Norris Survey thence with his line S 38 E 150. poles to the beginning containing 350. acres

We do appraise the lands and appurtenances at Four - - - dollars per acre given under our hands and seals, this tenth day of November A.D. 1842.

J. B. Johnson

N. Chipman

P. B. Smith

Seals
Seals
Seals

For 500 acres each \$1,500

Personally appeared before the subscriber, the above named appraisors, and made oath agreeable to the Statute in such cases made and provided, given under my hand this tenth day of November A.D. 1842
W. W. Steele Sheriff

On motion of Mr. Hall, Counsel for the petitioner, the order of sale of the premises in the petition described made at a former term of this Court, in a case wherein Boan John, Guardian, is petitioner, and Nancy Ellen John and Rachel Ann John, respondents, is vacated; and it is ordered by the Court that the Sheriff proceed according to law, and, by the oaths of D. B. Smith, Norman Chipman and Samuel B. Johnson, to appraise said land upon actual view, and make ~~return~~ return of their proceedings to this Court forthwith.

I do certify that the above is a true copy of the order of the Court made in this case at November Term, A. D. 1842.

John Cassil, Clerk per tunc

Bowen John
Quadrant

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Nancy Ellen and
Richard Burr

Answered 3

Bowen W. John. Guardian
of Nancy Ellen & Rachael
Ann John.

vs.
Nancy Ellen John &
Rachael Ann John

Petition to sell
real estate

In Union Common
Place to wth. Jan
1841

And now comes Othoay Curry Guardian
ad litem for the said defendants and says
that he cannot give any the matters
and things set forth in Complainant bill
and that he knows no reason why said
real estate should not be sold as prayed
for in said bill.

B. Othoay Curry
then Guardian ad litem

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Case No. 1841-CH-0014

Chancery Case

1841-CH-0014

located with

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Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0015

No. 41-CH-15

Union Common Pleas Court

Effie M. A. Coors
Plaintiff,

against

Wm M Donald Adair
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1842

Decree for Plaintiff

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Union Carnum Phos

"

William Mc Donald

Adm of Duncan et al's then

Deed

in } Petition to

} Carver

Eff of Mc Donald et al's

then of said estate

Filed Nov. 3. 1864

Jos H Gilman

Recorded

Carnum atty

To the honorable the judges of the Court of Common Pleas in the
County of Union Your Petitioner William Ellis Donald a pe-
-tents unto your honors that he is the Administrator of Duncan
Ellis Arthur late of Nosp County in this State & that said Duncan
Ellis Arthur in his life time Tenant on the 26th day of December 1833
- entered into an Article of agreement with one Jacob Croshaw
- land for the sale & conveyance of one hundred & twenty acres of
Land situate in Union County described as follows Tenant all that part
of entry number 5462 in the name of John Scarborough which is West of
the Land sold to General Lockwood & Abraham Johnson by said Ellis Arthur
& East of Survey N^o 5488 in the name of Samuel Bayley & also East of
Survey N^o 5444 in the name of David Duncan an estate creek supposed
to contain one hundred & twenty acres more or less ^{Land} said Croshaw for
Two dollars per acre said Ellis Arthur bound himself his heirs to make
to said Croshaw a general assignment due for said Land so soon as the
same should be paid for according to the Terms agreed upon & mentioned
in said Article of agreement hereunto set forth & made part of this
Petition and your Petitioner further represents that said Duncan
Ellis Arthur departed this life without having made such convey-
-ance leaving the following heirs & legal representatives Tenant
Effected Coors called Ellis Arthur Wm Ellis Anderson & Elizabeth
Wife Mary Elizabeth & Mary his Wife John Wash & Francis his Wife
John at Kershville Duncan Ellis Arthur Smith Ellis Arthur Nancy
Ellis Wm H H Ellis Arthur the last five of whom are minors all
of whom your Petitioner prays may be made dependents to this
Petition. That said Jacob Croshaw has fully complied with his

agreement above mentioned & your Petitioner as administrator of
said Decan etc & that Decan is anxious to complete said
oral contract above mentioned wherefore your Petitioner prays
your Honor to enable him by an order of this honorable Court to
make a deed for said land above described as such all mentioned
for & on the part & behalf of the heirs of said Decan etc & that
Decan in pursuance of the Statute in such case made & pro-
vided & your Petitioner will be

Carving atty for Petitioner

Uman Carrman & Co

Effuel A Coant others
ad^r of presence
of names of
Depts -

William D. Donald a Dir
of Deaneau & Arthur & Co

Filed. Apl. 26. 1862
Jas H. Gille

To carry to John Johnson
Union Co

Urban Commencement 1841

Effie M^{rs} Coan & Lemuel M^r Arthur
William M^r Anderson & Elizabeth his wife Mary
A Trumble & Mary his wife John Walk &
Francis his wife John & Reshwall Duneau
M^r Arthur Smith M^r Arthur & Nancy M^{rs} Arthur
& William H. M^r Arthur

also

William M^r Donald Administrator
of Duneau M^r Arthur Duneau

} Petition to Canby
} Land to Johnson
} Johnson in Union
} County -

And the said Defendants in their
proper Returns appear & waive the issue & service of Process
& admit the truth of the allegations in the petition contained
& consent to the grant of the prayer of said petition

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0016

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Union Common Pleas
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Wm. M. Donaldson
of Duncan & Arthur D.D.

~~and~~ Petition to
Sequestration
of the estate of
James M. Donaldson
heirs of said estate

Filed Nov 3. 1841

James M. Donaldson

Recorded

Carroll atty

To the honorable the judges of the Court of Common Pleas within &
for the County of Union now sitting your Petitioner William
McDanae represents unto your honors that he is the administrator
of Duncan McArthur late of Wap County in this State & that the
said Duncan McArthur in his lifetime sold to one John Johnson
Two hundred & seventy two acres of Land lying in Surveys number
3258 & 3259 lying in Union County & bounded & described as
designated by a Survey hereunto exhibited & made a part of
this Petition and that said Duncan McArthur having bequeathed
his heirs & to convey said 272 acres of Land to the said John
Johnson so soon as payment should be made for the same
that said Johnson has completed the payments for said Land
& that said Duncan McArthur has departed this life without
having conveyed said Land that said Duncan McArthur
died leaving the following heirs & legal representatives
Samuel Coffey esq or Coon Allen esq Arthur William esq Anderson
& Elizabeth his wife Leahy et Tremble & Mary his wife John Walk
& Francis his wife John et Kerscheall Duncan McArthur
Smith McArthur Nancy McArthur & William H. McArthur
the last five of whom are minors all of whom your Petitioner
prays may be made dependents to this petition that your
Petitioner is desirous of completing said Sale Contract
so made by the said Duncan McArthur as of and in said
wherefore your Petitioner prays your honors to enable him by
an order of this honorable Court to make a deed for said
Land above described as such administrator for & on the
part & behalf of the heirs of said Duncan McArthur
deceased in pursuance of the Statute in such case made
& provided & your Petitioner will so

Carver for Petitioner

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0017

No. 41-CH-17

Union Common Pleas Court.

Andrew J. Keys *admt.*
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Mary Rumer *et al.*
Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1842

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Mr Com Bea

A. Keys:

vs

Mary Pungon et al

Petition to Sell
Land

Filed Nov. 3. 1841

James H. Giddell

Guardia

To the Honorable the Court of Com Pleas
in Session.

The undersigned Administrator with the
will annexed of of May Wheeler late of this
County Decd would respectfully represent that he
has progressed with the Administration of said Estate
with all due despatch. and finds due the said estate
the sum of 533. \$ $\frac{55}{100}$. and that there is due to others
from said the sum of 637. \$ $\frac{44}{100}$ that the said Mrs
Wheeler died possessed of an equity to in Lot No. 21
in the Town of ~~Milford~~ Milford this
County for a more particular description reference
is here made to the recorded plat of said Town
That there are now but two heirs and representatives
of the said May Wheeler in esse. Mary Pungon
daughter of said May Wheeler. and wife of
Isaac Pungon both of the County of Union. who
herewith appear and file their answer and consent
to this bill and ~~James Lewis~~ James Lewis grand son
of the said May Wheeler deceased a minor and
resident of this County whom your petition pray
may be made defendants to this bill the prayer
of your petition therefore is that your petition may
be authorized by an order of this Court to sell the
equity of said Lot A. enable your petition to complete
the payments of the debts and legacies of said Estate and
as in duty bound he will ever pray &c

Andrew Keys

By To Lawrence his
Sol

Clerk will issue a subpoena for James Lewis
same returnable for it with

To Lawrence Sol

Clerk Com Pleas Union Co

for pt

Mark referred to

(Andrew Key B)

vs

Mary Runyon)

Petition to sell land

Filed Nov 12th 1842
Jesse Cypre Clerk

Best bill
made

Recorded, Book 4,
page 110.)

B A true and accurate inventory of the Real estate of which Mary Whaler Deed seized and possessed late of Union township & County of Union State of Ohio as presented to the undersigned David Burnham Matthew Gooding & Jacob Fairfield appraisers appointed by Andrew Meyer Administrator of said estate of Mary Whaler deceased with the will annexed To wit a part of in lot No 21st in the town of Milford containing 30 square rods 5 rods in front and 6 rods back the improvements are a dwelling house and stable and We appraise the same at three hundred and fifty Dollars (\$350.)

and We do further Certify that said lot is all the real estate belonging to the estate of said Mary Whaler Dece^d of which we have any knowledge given under our hands this 5th day of November A D 1842

Matthew Gooding (appraisers)
David Burnham
Jacob Fairfield

State of Ohio Union County Is
Before me Elias Popliff a justice of the peace in and for said County personally came David Burnham Matthew Gooding & Jacob Fairfield appraisers of the real estate of Mary Whaler late of Union township in said County Dece^d and were sworn well and truly to appraise all the Real estate of said deceased of which they have any knowledge
Given under my hand this 5th day of Nov. 1842

Elias Popliff J.P.

Fees of appraisers \$150

Union County Common Pleas

Andrew Keys Administrator

with the will annexed of
the Estate of Mary Wheeler Dec;

vs

Mary Runyon etals heirs

} Petition to sell land

} This cause

} came on to be

} heard upon

The bill answers of Depts and thereupon on
motion of Mr Lawrence counsel for the petiti-
-oner it is ordered that said Andrew Keys proceed
according to law to sell said Real Estate in said pe-
tition described upon the following terms (to wit)
one third cash in hand one third in one year
and one third in eighteen months to be secured
to the satisfaction of said Administrator with
interest from day of sale and it is further
ordered that the said Administrator make
return of his proceedings in the premises
to the next term of this court to which
time this cause is continued

I certify the above order
to be taken from and
correctly copied from the
records of this court
given under my hand
and official seal this 6th
day of sept A. D. 1942
John Cassie Clerk Pro term

In pursuance of the within I proceeded to and advertised
for sale at public vendue in five public places
in Union County on the 7th day of Nov^r. A^d 1842
five weeks previous to said 7th of Nov^r. And issued
an order to Matthew Gooding David Burnham
& Jacob Fairfield freeholders of said County to
a copy of which is herunto annexed marked
A to proceed to appraise the within named real
estate and return to me a schedule of the same
who proceeded to appraise the same and returned a
schedule which is herunto annexed marked
B offered said real estate for sale on the 7th of
Nov^r. and sold the same to Warren
Rose he being the highest bidder for (\$245)
Two hundred and forty five Dollars took his
Notes one of \$14.50 payable sixteen months
after date one of \$10.00 payable twelve months
after both with inter interest and \$1.00 Cash
down Given Under my hand this 7th day
of Nov^r. 1842 Andrew Meyer, Adm^r

Filed Dec 12 1842
John Cooper Clerk

Mark referred to

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Filed Nov 12th 1842
John Capel Clerk

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To David Burnham Jacob Fairfield and
Matthew Gooding Messrs

You are hereby required to proceed forth with
and appraise under oath the real estate of which
Mary Wheeler lately died seized and possessed
in the County of Union State of Ohio and return
to me the amount of said appraisement together
with a schedule of the same Given under my hand
this 23rd day of Sept 1844

A

Andrew Keyes, Administrator
of said Mary Wheelers
Estate

Mary Kinnon

To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County &
State of Ohio Jr. This is to inform you that we as heirs
of Mary Wheeler Late of Union County Deceased
do hereby acknowledge notice of petition of the sale of
the real estate of said Mary Wheeler & do hereby
give our assent to the sale of ^{the} same Given under our
hands and seals this first day of March 1841

Isaac Runyan
Mary Runyan

I Love

To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County
This is to Certify that I acknowledge Notice
of Petition and hereby give my assent to the sale
of the real estate of Mary Wheeler Deceased Late
of Union County April 3rd AD 1841

Lewis Lane

Minor Coin Pass

J Lewis Lane

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Andrew Reyes

Andrew by

Guardian

Filed Aug. 31. 1862

Las Vegas Club

The Separate answer of J. Swiss Lane
To a bill of complaint Exhibited against
himself and others by Andrew Hayes Adminis-
trator with the will annexed of Mary Wheeler Deed

This left by Philander B. Cole his
Guardian ad litem answering to said bill says
that he cannot gainsay the allegations of said
bill but submits his case to the court and
prays for the to be dismissed with his costs
and as is duty bound he will ever pray
He

By ~~_____~~

W. B. Cole Guardian ad litem

Mon Com Pleas

vs

~~J. S. Lane~~

~~vs~~

~~A. H. G. C. C.~~

Answer

Filed Aug. 31. 1862

Jas. H. G. C. C.

The separate answer of J Lewis Lane
by his guardian ad litem

To the bill of Complaint exhibited against
him and others by Andrew Pyles administrator
of Mary Wheeler with the will annexed

This defendant now comes and for
answer to said bill or so much thereof as he
is advised is material for him to answer. in ans-
wering says that he cannot gainsay but admits
the truth of the allegation in Count said petition
contained and consents to the sale thereof as
prayed for by said bill and hopes his interest
may be protected by the court and costs unnecessary
if prevented and ~~he~~ will con- way, &c

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his guardian ad litem

Union Com. Plans

Andrew Stiles

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W W Steele Sheriff

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Union* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *James Lewis Law*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house
in said county, *further*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*
in Chancery exhibited against *himself and others* by
Andrew Steyer and this *he* shall
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

third day of *November* A. D. 1841.

James H. Gill

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0018

No. 41-CH-18

Union Common Pleas Court

George Hegenderfer ^{et al}
Plaintiff,
against

Andrew Krautline ^{et al}
Defendant.

APR TERM. 1844

Decree for Plaintiff

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George Houdoffert
Wife Godlieb Hoff
sach & wife
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Andrew Kautter
John Peter Kautter
Mary Barbara Kautter
& ^{Margaret} ~~Monica~~ ~~Barbara~~ Kautter

Patrons for
Patrons

Filed Nov. 3. 1841

James H. Ewell

last bill made

Recorded

James H. Ewell

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for
the County of Union and State of Ohio

Your petitioners George Rappacher & Margarett ~~Rappacher~~
his wife (formerly Margarett Krautlein) and
Godlieb Rappacher & Catherine his wife (formerly
Catherine Krautlein) ... represent unto your
Honors. that they have a legal right to
and are seized in fee simple of two
~~undivided~~ ^{equal} sixth parts of the following real estate
(land) situate in Union County Ohio Part
of Survey No. 2256. Entered in the name of Edward
Dorwin Bond as follows Beginning at 2 oaks
& 2 Elms in the original West line of said Survey
N. W. Corner of George Adam Ells Survey of 180
acres Thence with the line of said Ells Survey
North $77^{\circ}15' E$ 293 poles to an oak and Elm
Thence $N 9^{\circ}45' West$ 68 poles to two ashes Thence
South $77^{\circ}15' West$ 293 poles to four Sugar hoes &
West original line of said Survey No 2256
Thence with said line South $9^{\circ}45'$ East 68 poles
to the beginning And your Petitioners further state
that Andrew Krautlein John Peter Krautlein
Mary Barbary Krautlein & Margarett ^{Margarett} Krautlein ~~and~~
(infant heirs of John Peter Krautlein) are Coparceners
with your petitioners in the said premises
You petitioners therefore pray that partition of said
lands may be made and that one undivided
sixth part ^{of said real estate} may be set off to each of your petitioners
and that if such partition cannot be made
without manifest injury that such other pro-
-ceedings may be had as are authorized by
law

A. Hale Sol
for Petitioners

The Clerk of Union County, will
issue Subpoena to Sheriff of Franklin
Co. & Sheriff of Union County.

A Hall Sol
for Colclough

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Edward Brandtline

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Andrew Krautlin John Peter Krautlin Mary Barbara Krautlin and Mary Margaret Krautlin* to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *20th* ~~with~~ day of ~~next ensuing,~~ to answer a *Petition* in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *George Wazendaffer Margaret Wazendaffer Gottlieb Ruppigter Katharine Ruppigter* and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at the court house, this *19th* day of *Oct.*

A. D, 1843

John Cassil Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Review term. Elias

George Heyndoffe et al
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Andrew Haa et al

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on In^d Peter & Mary
Barbary Krautlin
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Andrew Krautlin and
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Filed Feb. 28. 1842

Wm E. Clark .

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Andrus Krautman John Peter Krautman*
Mary Barclay Krautman and Margaret Margaret Krautman

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house
in said county, *on the first day of next Term of said Court*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Petition*
in Chancery exhibited against *him by George Hegendoffer Margaret Hegendoffer*
Godlieb Ruffright & Catharine Ruffright and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

3rd day of *December* A. D. 1841.

James H. Gill Clerk

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George Bondege
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Andrew Krouther
et al

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Filed Oct 19 1843

John Capil Clerk

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George Heguedoff et al

vs
Andrew Krautter et al

In Partition
in Union Court
Common Pleas

Andrew Krautter appears waives
all further delay in the premises asks
that an order of partition be now
entered in due form and in ac-
cordance with the prayer of the petition
Oct 14 1843

Andrew Krautter

George Heguedoff et al

vs
Andrew Krautter et al

In Union Common
Pleas in Partition

Philip Snider
Guardian - and Guardian ad litem for
Andrew Krautter John Peter Krautter
Mary Barbary Krautter & Mary Margaret
Krautter now appears and says that
the prayer of said petition should be granted
and asks that partition of said premises
be partitioned accordingly
Oct 19 1843 Philip Snider

George Hegendoffer & Margant Hegendoff
Sodlieb Rapprecht & Catharina Rapprecht.
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Andrew Krautteno, John Peter Krauttein

Mary Barbara Krauttein, & Mary Margout.
Krauttein,

In Chy
Petition to Sell
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The Clerk will issue
Subpoenas to the Sheriff of Franklin Co. & to the Sheriff
of Union Co

To J. H. Cull Ck
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A. Hall Solr.
per Petitioner

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Joseph Gibson	Commissioners	2 days	\$2.00
Jacob Parthemore	do	2 do	2.00
John Weaver	do	2 do	2.00
James M. Wilkinson	Surveyor	2 do	4.00
John Beaver	Chain carrier	2 do	1.50
Jacob Parthemore	do	2 do	1.50
Joseph Gibson	Marshal	2 do	1.50

George Alexander et al
vs

Andrew Krautline et al

Commissioner's
Report

Filed Oct 30 1843

John Cassie Clerk

Recorded

The State of Ohio
Union County vs Court of Common Pleas October Term 1843

George Hegenderfer et al

vs

Andrew Krautline et al

In Partition

Ordered that the contin-

uance of this case heretofore

~~Entered~~ be opened, and the same being submitted on the Bill and answers, in consideration it is ordered that by the oaths of Joseph Gibson, Jacob Parthemore & John Weaver an equal sixth part of the lands and tenements in said petition described be set off to George Hegenderfer & Margaret Hegenderfer his wife and one equal sixth part to Godlieb Rupright & Catherine Rupright and to Andrew Krautline an equal sixth part & to John Peter Krautline one equal sixth part & to Mary Barbara Krautline one equal sixth part & to Mary Margaret Krautline one equal sixth part and it is further ordered that a writ of partition issue to the Sheriff of Union County to cause said partition to be made accordingly

I John Cassil Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of Union and State of Ohio do hereby certify that the foregoing is truly taken and copied from the Journal of the proceedings of said Court

In testimony whereof I do here to
subscribe my name and affix the seal
of said Court this 20th day of October
A.D. 1843

John Cassil Clerk

Union born Pleas
George Hegunder et al
vs { In Partition
Andrew Krautline et al

I have Executed the writ by the
oaths of the writ named Commissioners whose
Report is hereunto filed

~~In obedience to the writ
I did administer the oath prescribed
by Law to the within named
and also to James M. Williamson and
Quincy~~

Sept 23rd 1843

Service \$1.00

Mileage \$1.10

A. C. Ramsey

Sheriff

George Hegenderfer et. als. } Union Common Pleas
vs } In Partition
Andrew Krauttine et als. }

In obedience to an order

hereto annexed. We the Commissioners for that purpose named in said order (having first been duly sworn) proceeded to make partition of said lands, in manner following, to wit: To Mary Barbara Krauttine Lot No. 1. containing twenty two acres. Beginning at two ashes and two Elms. original South West corner of said lands running thence $N 9^{\circ} 45' W$ 68 poles to four sugar trees. Thence $N 77^{\circ} 15' E$ 51 poles and 19 links to a wild cherry & two sugars Thence $S 9^{\circ} 45' E$ 68 poles to an ash. Hickory & Dogwood Thence $S 77^{\circ} 15' W$ 51 poles & 19 links to the beginning.

To Mary Margaret Krauttine Lot No. 2 containing fifteen acres 140 poles. Beginning at an ash. H. and Dogwood S.E. corner to Lot No. 1. thence running $N 9^{\circ} 45' W$ 31 poles to a stake. Thence $N 77^{\circ} 15' E$ 82 poles to a white ash and wild cherry. Thence $S 9^{\circ} 45' E$ 31 poles to two ashes. Thence $S 77^{\circ} 15' W$ 82 poles to the beginning.

To John Peter Krauttine Lot No. 3, containing 18 acres 151 poles Beginning at a wild cherry & 2 sugars Thence $N 77^{\circ} 15' E$ 82 poles to a stake in the line of B Bishops Land thence $S 9^{\circ} 45' E$ 37 poles to a Hickory. sugar & ash thence $S 77^{\circ} 15' W$ 82 poles to a stake. N.W. corner to Lot No. 2 thence $N 9^{\circ} 45' W$ 37 poles to the beginning.

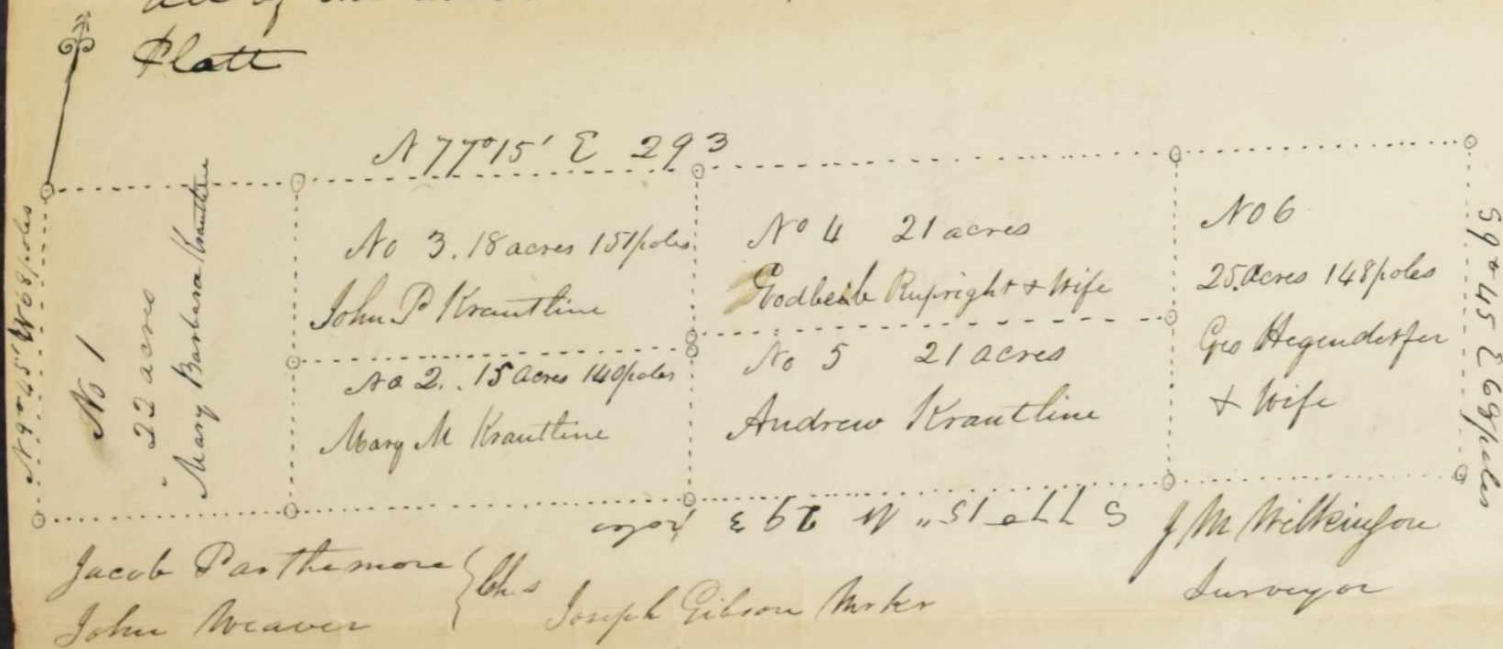
To Godlike Reupright & Wife Lot No. 4. containing twenty one acres. Beginning at a Hickory, sugar, and ash Thence $N 9^{\circ} 45' W$ 34 poles to a stake in the line of B Bishops Land and N.E. corner to Lot No. 3, Thence $N 77^{\circ} 15' E$ 99 poles to a stake in the centre of the John Weaver Road. thence with said road $S 9^{\circ} 45' E$ 34 poles to a stake ~~in~~ said Road thence $S 77^{\circ} 15' W$ 99 poles to the beginning.

To Andrew Krauttine Lot No. 5. containing twenty one acres

Beginning at a stake in the centre of the John Weaver road thence running S 77° 15' W. 99 poles to 2 ashes S.E. corner to Lot No. 2. thence N 9° 45' W 34 poles to a Hickory. Sugar & ash S.W. corner to Lot No. 4 thence N 77° 15' E 99 poles to a stake in the J Weaver road S.E. corner to Lot No. 4 thence S 9° 45' E 34 poles to the beginning.

To George Hegenderfer and wife Lot No. 6 containing twenty five acres and 148 poles. Beginning at a stake in the centre of the John Weaver Road. S.E. Corner to Lot No. 5, thence with said Road N 9° 45' W 68 poles to a stake in said Road N.E. corner to Lot No. 4 thence N 77° 15' E 61 poles to 2 ashes an original corner to said 125 acres thence S 9° 45' E 68 poles to an ash. Oak & Elm another original corner of said Land thence S 77° 15' W 61 poles to the beginning.

All of the above lots are exhibited on the following Plat



We the Subscribers Commissioners named in the Order hereunto annexed after being duly sworn ~~James of~~ Wilkinson Surveyor and the Chain carriers also being duly sworn proceeded on the 21st day of October 1843 to survey and set off to the several persons named in said order, the lands described in the Petition for Partition, as described in the foregoing plat and field notes Given under ^{our hands} this 30th day of October A.D. 1843

John Weaver
Joseph Gibson Commissioners
Jacob Parthemore

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0019

(12)

No. 41-CH-19

Union Common Pleas Court.

Cyprian Lee et al
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Cynthia A. Winger
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1845

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C. Sec. & Mr. B. Erwin
Administrators of
Calvin Winget's esd

vs
Cynthia Winget et al

Pl. to select and

Filed Nov. 4. 1841

James H. Hill et al

last bill made

Recorded,

To the Honble the Judges of the Court of
Common Pleas in and for the County of Marion
Ohio when in Session

Your Petitioners Wm B. Irwin &
Cyprian Lee Administrators of Calvin Winget
late of this County and Respectfully represent that
they have proceeded with the Administration of said
Estate with all possible despatch that so far they
find it difficult to collect by suit enough to pay over
to the widow her allowance for her own and childrens
support for one year. That they have Recd for payment
against said Estate 1746.36 all Just and due as your
petitioners believe, that the whole amt of available assets
arising from the sale of the personal property and Claims
due said Estate when fully collected so far as has come
to the knowledge of your petitioners subject to pay the
expenses of Administration and debts due from said Estate
is 285.05. whereby the fact is shewn that without
the sale of Real Estate the debts due from said Estate cannot
be paid your petitioners further shew and charge that
the said Winget died seized in fee of in Lot No 40 in the
Town of Marysville this County which with its privileges
and appurtenances is encumbered by the dower of the widow
cannot exceed 900\$. in value.

which places the Estate as to liabilities

1746.36

Assets 285.05

real Estate 900.

which places the estate insolvent the prayer therefore
of your petitioners ~~is~~ is that ~~the~~ Cynthia Winget
the Widow and entitled to dower in said premises James
Winget, David Winget, William Winget Ann Winget
Cyprian L Winget and Calvin Winget. minors and
Heirs of said Deceased may be made defendants

To this Bill and that they be compelled to answer all
and sund singular the matters and things here in charged
and that on final hearing your ~~and~~ Honors may
adjudge ^{or do} and decree a sale of said Lot. that the proceeds
thereof may be applied to the payment of the debts in
proportion as authorized by statute and your petition
as in duty bound will ever pray &c

By W^m C Lawrence this
Lot

Clerk will issue Subpoenas directed to the
Sheriff of this County. for the several &c
By W^m C Lawrence

Union Court Pleas

See Irwin

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Hon. of C. Winget

Sub. in Chy.

Served by certified copy
on all the parties named
except J^r Winget who
acknowledges service

March 28. 1842

W^m State Shiff

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Filed March 29. 1842

James W. Hall

J. C. Hall

I acknowledge service
within Feb. 10. 1842

J. Winget

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Cynthia Winget (widow) James Winget David Winget William Winget Ann Winget Cyprian Stangert and Calvin Stangert* to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House in said county, *on the first day of next Term*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill in chancery* in Chancery exhibited against *them Cyprian Leo & William Stangert* by *Admrs of Calvin Stangert Decd* and this they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in Marysville, this *twentieth* day of *February* A. D. 1842.

James H. Gill Clerk

Minor Com. Recs

James Wright et al
vs
Lee & Irwin

Filed August 30, 1842
Sas. H. Gill Clerk

R.

The ~~by~~ Joint answers of James
Winget, David, William Elizabeth Anne
Cyprian and Calvin infant defendants to the
bill of complaint exhibited against them by
Cyprian Lee and W^m B Irwin administrators of
Calvin Winget deceased.

These defendants by Augustus Hall their Guardian
ad litem now come and answering say that they
know nothing about the matters and things con-
tained but submit this case to the court and hope
your Honorable Body will protect their interest
and as in duty bound

A. Hall

Guardian ad litem

Union Com. Pleas

Minget's Estate.

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I have Executed this
writ by the oaths of
the within named
before a report is here with a return
Commissioners Nov 10th
1842 W W Steele Sheriff

Filed Nov 10. 1842
John Capil Clerk

R.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ~~Cynthia Curry~~
~~Cynthia Curry~~ ~~and~~ ~~Otis Lee Curry~~
 Administrators of the estate of ~~Cynthia Curry~~ ~~decd.~~
 We Command you, that without delay, by the oaths of Norman
 Chipman, ~~David Buchanan~~ ~~and~~ ~~Robert~~ ~~Wolford~~, three judicious,
 disinterested men of the vicinity, who are not of kin to either of the
 parties interested, you cause to be set off and assigned to
 Cynthia Midget, of said County, widow of Calvin Midget, late of said
 County, deceased, one full equal third part of the following Real
 Estate, situate in Marysville in said County, to wit: In lot No. 40,
 in pursuance of an order lately made in our said Court of Common
 Pleas within and for the said County of Union in a certain petition
 for ^{sale & assignment of} ~~Dower~~ wherein the said ^{Cynthia Curry & Otis Lee Curry are} ~~Cynthia Midget et al~~ ~~petitioners~~, and
~~Robert~~ ~~Wolford~~ ~~respondents~~ - and that you proceedings
 in the premises, you distinctly certify under your hand to our
 said Court, forthwith, and have you then there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of said Court,
 this 9th day of November, A.D. 1842.
 John Cassil, Clerk, ~~per~~

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In obedience to the within order we having been
 just duly sworn in open Court upon actual view
 of the premises do find that dower by metes and bounds
 in the premises can not be assigned and do especially
 endow the said Widow with the sum of twenty dollars of
 Rents and profits yearly and every year at the expira-
 tion thereof to be paid during her natural life and
 we do further estimate the just value of said premises
 subject to the dower aforesaid at nine hundred dollars
 Dated this 10th day of Robert L Broome
 Novem 1842 N Chipman
Edum Wolford

b. Lee vs
O. Cumy adm^r

vs

C. Wright

Return under Order
of Sale.

Filed July 5th 1843

John Cassil clk

Recorded

Cyprian Lee & Otway Cunn
Adm^{rs} of C. Wright dec^d

v.s.
Cynthia Wright et al.

In pursuance of an order made in this case at November term A. D. 1842 we gave notice by advertisement inserted four weeks successively prior to the 1st day of July 1843 in the Union Journal a news paper published in the County of Union that on the said 1st day of July 1843 we would offer for sale the real ^{estate} in the petition in this case described and on the 1st day of July 1843 at the door of Court house in the town of Marysville in said County we proceeded in accordance with said order and said advertisement to offer said real estate for sale but found no bidders

Cyprian Lee
Otway Cunn

Adm^{rs} of
Calvin Wingett dec^d

Cyprian Lee &
Olway Gunn
Adm. of 10 Wings' Div. }

Return under order
of Sale.

Filed April 18, 1843.

John Cassel, Clerk.

Recorded.

Cyprian Lee & Otway Cunniff
Adm^{rs} of C. Winget dec.
vs
Cynthia Winget, et al.

In pursuance of an order
made in this cause at
November Term A. D. 1842
we gave notice by advertisement
inserted four weeks successively
prior to the 25th day of March 1843
in the Union Gazette, a newspaper
published in the County of Union,
that on the said 25th day of March
1843 we would offer for sale the real
estate in the petition in this case des-
cribed. And on the said 25th day of
March 1843, at the door of the Court
house in the Town of Mansville,
in said County, we proceeded, in accor-
dance with said order, and said advertise-
ment, to offer said real estate for sale, but
found no bidders.

April 17th 1843

Cyprian Lee } Adm^{rs} of
Otway Cunniff } C. Winget, dec.

Filed April 16th 1864
John Capie
Clerk

Recorded

Cyprian Lee & Otway Curry
Admrs of C Winget decd
Vs
Synthe Winget et al

In pursuance of an order made in this case at November term A D 1842 we gave notice by advertisement inserted four weeks successively prior to the 23^d day of March 1844 in Union Gazette a newspaper published in the County of Union that on said 23^d day of March 1844 we would offer for sale the real estate in the petition in this case described and on the 23^d day of March 1844 at the door of the Court house in the town of Maryville in said County we proceeded in accordance with said order and advertisement to offer said real estate for sale but found no bidders

April 12th 1844

Cyprian Lee } Admrs of
Otway Curry } C Winget decd

Union Com Pleas
Lee & Curry. admrs

vs

Cynthia Winget et al
Order of Appraiment

Filed October 3^d 1844
John Cassil Clerk

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The State of Ohio }
Union County ss } I John Cassil Clerk of
the Court of Common Pleas
within and for the County of Union and State of
Ohio do hereby certify that the following entry
is truly taken and copied from the Journals
of said Court at the October Term thereof
A D 1844

Lee & Curry

vs

Cynthia A Ringet et al

} Petition to sell lands

In this case it appearing
that the administrators have twice offered the
premises in the petition described (in Lot No 40
in the Town of Marysville) do order that the appraisement
heretofore made be set aside and that the said prem-
ises be reappraised by the oaths of Levi Phelps
John Johnson and James Turner and that
they make return forthwith to this Court subject
to the widow's dower Estate in the premises of
twenty dollars per an num

Witness my hand and the
seal of said Court this 2^d
day of October A D 1844

John Cassil Clerk

We the subscribers being duly sworn have proceeded to view and
appraise the premises set forth in the above order and
respectfully report that we have appraised the premises as
aforesaid subject to the widows dower to six hundred
dollars.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of October 1844

Levi Phelps
James Turner
John Johnson

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Union Common Pleas

Cole & Barry admrs

vs

Cynthia King et als

Order to sell



Subscribe my name and affix the seal of said Court this
30th day of January A.D. 1844

John Baptist Clerk

Court of Common Pleas, Union County Ohio
November Term A D 1842

Cyprian Lee & Otway Curry
Admins of E Winger
vs
Cynthia Winger et al

On motion to the Court by
Messrs Lawrence counsel for petitioners
and upon producing the assignment
of Dower and appraisment herein
made by Adam Wolford, Robson L. Broome, and Norman Chipman
under a former order of this Court, it is ordered that the said
administrators proceed according to Law to sell the real estate
in said petition described subject to the dower estate of the said
Cynthia Winger and upon the following terms to wit one third
cash in hand and one third in one year from the sale and the
balance in two years to be secured to the satisfaction of the ad-
ministrators and it is further ordered that they make return of
their proceedings to the next term of this Court

Lee & Irwin Admins, Tuesday April 18, 1843 1st day
vs
Cynthia Winger } Chancery Continued under former order

Lee & Irwin Admins } Wednesday July 5th 1843 1st day
vs } Chancery
Cynthia Winger et al } Continued under former order

Lee & Irwin Admins } Wednesday October 18 1843, 1st day
vs } Chancery Continued under former
Cynthia Winger et al } order

The State of Ohio } I John Capital Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas
Union County ss } within and for the County of Union and State
of Ohio do hereby certify that the foregoing entries
are truly taken and copied from the Journals of said Court
In testimony whereof I do hereto subscribe my

Administrators' Sale.

PURSUANT to an order to us directed by the Court of Common Pleas for the county of Union, State of Ohio, made at their November term, 1842, we will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in Marysville in said county, on Saturday the 12th day of April, 1845, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. m. and 4 o'clock, P. m., the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of Calvin Winget, late of said county, deceased, to wit: In Lot No. (40) forty, situate in said town of Marysville. Said Lot will be sold subject to the right of dower of Cynthia Winget, widow. TERMS:—One-third cash in hand; one-third in one year, from day of sale; and the balance in two years from the sale—the deferred payments to be secured according to law.

CYPRIAN LEE,
OTWAY CURRY,

Administrators of the estate of Calvin Winget, deceased.
March 15, 1845. no45-5w

State of Ohio
Union Co 15 } P. B. Cole one of the
Publishers of The Argus a ^{weekly} news paper
printed and in general circulation in the
said County. Being first duly sworn
says that the notice here to attached
of the sale of the within property, was
published in said paper for four consecutive
weeks previous to the 12th day of April
1845
P. B. Cole
Sworn to & subscribed before me.

James R. Smith associate Judge

Handwritten numbers and scribbles:
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Cyprian Lee & Orway Curry
Administrators of Calvin Winget dec'd

vs
Cynthia Winget et al

In pursuance of an order made in this case at November term 1842 we gave notice by advertisement inserted four weeks successively prior to the 12th day of April 1845 in the Argus a news paper published in Union County of ~~Ohio~~ that on the 12th day of April 1845 we would offer for sale the real estate in the petition in this case described and on the 12th day of April 1845 at the door of the Court house in the town of Marysville in said County we proceeded in accordance with said order and said advertisement to offer said real estate for sale, and ^{subject to the order of the said Cynthia Winget as hereinbefore assigned,} John Capell being the highest bidder and accordingly it was struck off to said John Capell for five hundred twenty six dollars and twenty five cents

April 12th 1845

Cyprian Lee Administrator
Orway Curry of Calvin Winget dec'd

Lee & Curry

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Wingett et al

Filed Oct. 18th - 1877

John Capie

Clerk

Rec^d.

Cyprian Lee & Otway Curry }
Adm^{rs} of C Winget dec^d }
Vs
Cynthia Winget et al }

In pursuance of an
order made in this case at November term A D 1842
we gave notice by advertisement inserted four
weeks successively prior to the 14th day of Oct^r 1843
in the Union Journal a news paper published in
the county of Union that on said 14th day of Oct^r
1843 we would offer for sale the real estate in the
petition in this case described and on the 14th day
of Oct^r 1843 at the door of the Court house in the
town of Marysville in said County we proceeded
in accordance with said order and advertisement
to offer said real estate for sale but found no
bidders

Oct 14th 1843

Cyprian Lee
Otway Curry

Adm^{rs} of
C Winget dec^d

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0020

No. 41-CH-20

Union Common Pleas Court.

Stephens Miller Plaintiff,
AGAINST
Stephens M. Lavin, Defendant.

APR TERM. 1842

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Stephen L. Miller

to Kill in

Chancery

Stephen W. Lyon

Filed Nov. 4. 1861

James W. Bell att

cert. bill made

Recorded

Carrivins Salos

To the honorable the judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of
Uman when in Chancery sitting humbly complaining sheweth
unto your honors your orator Stephen L. Miller that heretofore said
on the day of - 18- he became the security of one Stephen
McLean of Clayville in this County to the firm of Stout Jugsby & Co^o
of the City of New York on a note for \$ - That afterwards said
the Term of this Court the said Stout Jugsby & Company
recovered a judgment against the said Stephen McLean on said
note for the sum of Two hundred & Thirteen Dollars & eighty three Cents
Damages & seven dollars & Twelve & one half Cents Costs of suit
as by the records of this honorable Court to which your orator
prays a reference will more fully appear - and your orator further
sheweth that on the 25th day of August A.D. 1838 an Execution
issued on said judgment in favour of Stout Jugsby & Co^o against
the said Stephen McLean directed to the Sheriff of Uman County
which was laid in conjunction with one in favour of another
J. Gilbert for \$46.25 Cents Damages & \$7.50 Costs of suit on
the following Real Estate said four acres of Land lying on
the South east side of the Town of Clayville bounded south &
north by the Lands of Silas G. Strang appraised at \$40.00 per
acre & returned by said Sheriff to the October Term of this Court
A.D. 1838 not sold for want of bidders all of which will
more fully appear by a reference to the Records of this honor-
-able Court and your orator further sheweth that said Execution
in favour of Stout Jugsby & Company against the said Stephen
McLean was also laid in conjunction with one in favour of
Sherman French against the said Stephen McLean for \$224.07
Damages & \$8.25 Cents Costs of suit on the following real estate
belonging to the said Stephen McLean said Tenants put
on the South side of Juliet St^o 64 in the Town of Clayville
& returned by said Sheriff not sold for want of bidders
as by the Records of this Court to which your orator prays
a reference will more fully appear - and your orator further
represents that afterwards said on the day of 1839 the said
Stout Jugsby & Company issued a second process and so said

said judgment against said Stephen Ell' Lion against your orator
to make him a party to said judgment as the receipt of said
Stephen Ell' Lion & at the said Term of this Court 1859 a judgment
was rendered against your orator on said *decrees* in favor
of said Stuart Jugs by Sherman for the full amount of said
judgment & costs against the said Stephen Ell' Lion together with
costs of suit on said *decrees* as by the *recitals* of this Court
will more fully appear. And your orator further represents
that since the rendition of said judgment against him on the
decrees above mentioned he has fully paid & satisfied
the full amount of said judgment interest & all costs of suit
amounting to the sum of \$295.00. And your
orator further represents that said Stephen Ell' Lion is wholly &
entirely insolvent & has no property of any description to pay or
satisfy the demand of your orator against ^{him} for the money so
paid by your orator for said Stephen Ell' Lion to the said Stuart
Jugs by Sherman as aforesaid. Your orator therefore
prays that said Stephen Ell' Lion may be made *defendant* to
this Bill & compelled to answer the same and that on the final
making ^{of this} your honors would order a judgment & Decree that said
said acres of Land above mentioned & also the Twenty two
per cent on the south side of Plot 28th 64 in the Town of Ellsworth
when sold by Virtue of the Executions & Liens so made as
above mentioned be ratably divided between your orator
the said Stuart Jugs by Sherman & the said Sherman Finch Plaintiff
in Execution as above mentioned. And that your honors
would grant unto your orator such other & further relief in
the premises as shall be agreeable to Equity & good conscience
& as to your honors shall seem meet. ~~Your orator will be~~
Cecilia Soler for Plaintiff,

Ursin Carman Dhs

Stephen L Miller

Subpoena
in Chancery

Stephen C. Lean

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Union* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Stephen McLean*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said county, *forthwith*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*

in Chancery exhibited against *him* by

Stephen LeWitter and this *he* shall
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in

Marysville, this *4th* day of *November* A. D.

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James H. Gill

Stephen L. Miller
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Stephen L. Miller

Stephen L. Miller

vs

Stephens & Co

In Chancery

This cause coming on to be heard on the bill & exhibits of the said respondent in the bill & the Defendant having failed to plead answer or answer the same is taken as confessed. And the Court being fully advised in the premises do find the equity of the case with the Complainant. The Court do therefore order all judge & decree that out of the proceeds of the sale of said four acres of Land mentioned in Complainant's bill & also out of the proceeds of the sale of Twenty two feet off the South side of Gulch No 64 mentioned & described in said bill the Sheriff of this County pay to the said Stephen L. Miller the Complainant the proportion that Two hundred & ninety five dollars the amount paid by said Stephen L. Miller to the said Paul J. Goldsby & Company as mentioned in Complainant's bill will bear to the judgment of One hundred & forty two dollars & Twenty five Cents in favor of Elliott & Co of Gilbert & to the sum of Two hundred & Twenty four Dollars & seven Cents the amount of the judgment in favor of Sherman Finch as mentioned in Complainant's bill so soon as the same may be sold by virtue of execution upon said judgments in favor of said Elliott & Co of Gilbert & Sherman Finch as mentioned in Complainant's bill after deducting therefrom the costs of this suit to be taxed

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0021

No. 41-CH-21

Union Common Pleas Court.

John Cassele *Guar*
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

George Woodie
Defendant.

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To the Honorable the Judges of the Supreme Court
When in Session

Your Petitioner John Cassel guardian of Mary Moodie an Idiot of said County of Union respectfully represents to your Honors that the personal property property and means and rents arising from the real Estate of said Idiot are and have been wholly insufficient to supply of the wants and necessities of said Idiot as is made appear by the appended Statement. That there is no other means within your petitioner's knowledge except by the Sale of the real Estate of the said Idiot. ^{of twenty five acres} consisting in part of Survey 7734 being known and designated upon the records of the County of Union in the recorder's office as Lot No (1) one of the subdivision of the lands of Roger Moodie Deceased, her father, among his several Heirs and Legal Representatives in Book 8. 325. 36. page for the support of said Idiot. That her part of said lands is in part incumbered by the Dower assigned Clarissa Moodie, wife of said Roger Deceased. John Moodie, George Moodie Henry Moodie, Elizabeth Lenkins & John her husband and Elias Moodie all of this County, and Wm Moodie who has gone to some part of Indiana who are her next of kin and Heirs apparent. All of whom your petitioner pray may be made defendants to this bill and that that they may be compelled to answer all and singular the matters and things contained therein and that on final hearing your Honors would order the Sale of said land on such terms and in such manner as may best conduce to the comfort and interest of said Idiot and Justice to her creditors and as in duty bound your petitioner will ever pray and so forth

By J. C. Lawrence his Sol

Union Com Recd

John Cassil
Gardner

v
Moody

Proof of Publication

Filed Aug. 31. 1842

Las. W. G. in Club

State of Ohio

Union County, ss

Personally appeared
John Cassil publisher of
Union Gazette a weekly

newspaper published for said County who being
duly sworn and of general cir-
culation therein who being duly

sworn says that the appended
notice was regularly published
in said paper for more than
six consecutive weeks prior
to the commencement of
this term
John Cassil

John Cassil, guardian of
Mary Moodie, an idiot,
vs.
John Moodie et al. heirs
of Roger Moodie, de-
ceased.

Petition to sell
land for main-
tenance of s'd
ward.

Those interested will take notice that
petitioner has filed his petition in the
Court of Common Pleas in and for the
county of Union, praying an order of sale
of the lands of said Mary, charging the
same to be necessary for her support and
maintenance; which petition will have to
be answered within sixty days from the
rising of next term of said court, or the
same will be taken for confessed, and a
decree rendered accordingly.

JOHN CASSIL, Guardian,
By Wm C. LAWRENCE, his Solicitor.
J. H. GILL, Clerk.
June 15, 1842.

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Sworn to and subscribed
in open court this 31st day
of August AD 1842
Jas. H. Gill Clerk

Union Common Pleas.

John Cassil, Guardian.

Order of Sale.

Received this order
November 16th 1842
Advertized for sale
Feb 25 1843 offered for
sale agreeable to adver
tishment but not
sold for want of
bidders. Printer, fee \$3.25
John Cassil
Guardian

Being advised that a sale could
be effected if the land was again
offered & again advertized
and offered it for sale on
the 15th day of April
A. D. 1843 but not sold
for want of bidder
Printer fee \$3.25
John Cassil, Guardian

The Court having continued this case under the
former order, & advertized and offered the within
described land for sale on the 25th Day of June
A. D. 1843 according to law but not sold for
want of bidders Printer fee \$3.25
John Cassil Guardian

John Cassil, Guardian
of Mary Moodie

vs.

Clarissa Moodie et al.

On motion to the court by Mr. Lawrence, counsel for the petitioner, and upon producing the appraisement heretofore made upon an order of this court, it is ordered that the said guardian proceed according to law, to sell the following real estate, to wit: consisting of $2\frac{1}{4}$ acres, in part of survey 7734, being known and designated upon the records of the county of Union in the Recorder's office, as Lot No. One of the subdivision of the lands of Roger Moodie, dec. her father, among his several heirs and legal representatives, in Book 8, pages 325 & 326 for the support of said widow, upon the following terms - $\frac{1}{2}$ cash in hand - $\frac{1}{3}$ in one year from the day of sale - and $\frac{1}{3}$ and balance in 2 years from sale, with the deferred payments secured according to law; and it is further ordered that he make return of his proceedings to the next term of this Court.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of
the Court of Common Pleas for
Union County, this 16th day
of November, A.D. 1842.

John Cassil, Clerk

Att of A. Gardin
in case of
John Cassil
Garden &c

Filed Nov 9th 1854
John Cassil
&c

State of Ohio
Union County

Personally appeared Alonso
Gastick in open court who being duly sworn
according to Law says that he is personally
acquainted with Mary Moddie Idiotic ward
of John Cassel and her Circumstances as far as
means in the Hands of the said Guardian for
her Support and necessary Maintenance and
that he has no doubt but that the Sale of her
real estate in devised from her Father is necessary
for her comfort and Support
and for the said not

Alonso Gastick

Sworn to and Subscribed in open court
Nov 9. 1843

J. M. Capie Clerk

John Cassil, Guardian, &c.
of Mary Moodie.

Order of Appraisement.

Filed Nov. 11, 1842.
John Cassil, Clerk.

On motion to the Court, by Mr. Lawrence, counsel for the petitioner, it is ordered, that William Winget, David Gill and James Reed, being first duly sworn, do, upon actual view of the premises, make a just valuation of the following real estate, to wit: 25 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres, in part of Survey No. 7734, being known and designated upon the records of the County of Union in the Recorder's office, as Lot No. One (1) of the subdivision of the lands of Roger Moodie, deceased, her father, among his several heirs and legal representatives, in Book 8, pages 325 & 326 for the support of said idiot Mary Moodie, + subject to the widow's (Clarissa Moodie's) right of Dower - and that they ~~petition~~ return such valuation to the Court of Common Pleas for Union County, forthwith - and that the petitioner proceed thence to sell said premises subject to such Dower according to law, at the door of the Court House, on 30 days' notice thereof.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of said Court,
this Eleventh day of November, 1842.
John Cassil, Clerk.

To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County, -

~~We~~ In obedience to the within order, we, having been first duly sworn in open court, upon actual view of the premises, do estimate the just valuation of said premises at seven dollars per acre, making in all, the sum of one hundred and seventy six dollars and seventy five cents, subject to the dower incumbrance.

Given under our hands this
11th day of November, 1842.

James Reed }
David Gill }
Wm Winget }
} Appraisers.

Union Common Pleas
John Cassil, Guardian

Order of Sale

Filed July 3^d 1844
John Cassil Clerk

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In pursuance of an order made in this cause at term
:the term 1842, sold to John Cassil at public sale
:auction on the first day of June 1844 between the
:hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. the great
:estate in said petition ^{returned to the same estate of the said Cassil, trustee as above} described, for the sum of \$11,758 3/2
:having given notice of said time and place of sale, by adver-
:tising the same for four weeks successively prior to said day
:of date. in the Union Gazette ^{successor of the Union Gazette} and in the Argus and Union
:Gazette, ^{successor of the Union Gazette} a newspaper printed in the County of

Union

James M. Williamson, ~~Successor~~
~~of~~ ~~James M. Williamson~~ Guardian of
Mary Hoskie

The State of Ohio } I John Capil Clerk of the Court of Common
Union County ss } Pleas within and for the County of Union
and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that
the following entry is truly taken and copied from the Journal
of said Court.

Friday. Nov. 11. 1842.

John Capil Guardian
of Mary Moodie

vs

Clarissa Moodie et als

On Motion to the Court by Wm. Lawrence
Counsel for the petitioner and upon producing
the appraisement heretofore made upon an
order of this Court it is ordered that the

said Guardian proceed according to Law to sell the said
real estate in the said petition described upon the following
terms, to wit; one third cash in hand and one third in one
year from the day of sale and one third and the balance
in two years from sale with the deferred payments secured
according to Law, and it is further that he make return
of his proceedings to the next term of this Court,

And afterwards, to wit; on the 22nd day of April, AD 1843

Continued under former order

And afterwards, to wit; on the 5th day of July AD 1843

Continued under a former order

And afterwards, to wit; on the 18th day of October AD 1843

Continued under former order

And afterwards, to wit; on the 16th day of April AD 1844

Continued under former order

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed
my name and affixed the seal of said
Court this 20th day of April AD 1844.

John Capil Clerk

J M Wilkinson guardian
of Mary Moodie

vs

George Moodie et al,

Proof of debt

Filed Oct 9th 1844
John Cassel Clerk

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union and State of Ohio, made at their November Term, A. D. 1842 and directed to the Guardian of Mary Moodie; I will offer for sale, at public outcry, at the door of the Court House in Marysville, in said County of Union on Saturday the 1st day of June A. D. 1844 between the legal hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. the following described premises as the property of Mary Moodie, an Idiot, to wit: part of survey No. 7734, known and designated upon the records of said County of Union in the Recorder's Office, as Lot No. 1, (one) on the subdivision of the lands of Roger Moodie, deceased, among his several heirs and legal representatives, in Book No. 8 (eight), pages 325 and 326, said land is part encumbered by the assignment of Dower to Clarissa, relict of said Roger Moodie.

TERMS OF SALE—One third cash in hand, one third in one year from sale; and the remaining third in two years from sale; the deferred payments to be secured according to law.

JAMES M. WILKINSON,

Guardian of said Mary Moodie.

April 20, 1844—no. 1241.

P. B. Cole being duly sworn deposes and says that the notice here to attached was published in the Union Gazette, and the Argus and Union County advertiser, (its successor), newspapers published and in general circulation in the County of Union for thirty days previous to the sale of the land described in said notice

P. B. Cole publishes
of the Argus

and subscribed

This 2^d day of October A. D. 1844

John Cassin Clerk

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union and State of Ohio, made at their November Term, A. D. 1842 and directed to the Guardian of Mary Moodie; I will offer for sale, at public outcry, at the door of the Court House in Marysville, in said County of Union on Saturday the 1st day of June A. D. 1844 between the legal hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. the following described premises as the property of Mary Moodie, an Idiot, to wit: part of survey No. 7734, known and designated upon the records of said County of Union in the Recorder's Office, as Lot No. 1, (one) on the subdivision of the lands of Roger Moodie, deceased, among his several heirs and legal representatives, in Book No. 8 (eight,) pages 325 and 326, said land is part encumbered by the assignment of Dower to Clarissa, relict of said Roger Moodie.

TERMS OF SALE—One third cash in hand, one third in

14th volume with the subscription price, (\$2 each,) in advance, we will give a complete copy of Anderson's Library Companies or from work—1001

P. B. Cole being duly sworn deposes and says that the notice here to attached was published in the Union Gazette, and the Argus and Union County advertiser, (its successor), newspapers published and in general circulation in the County of Union for thirty days previous to the sale of the land described in said notice

P. B. Cole publishes
of the Argus

Sworn to and subscribed
this 5th day of October A. D. 1844
John Cassin Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1841-CH-0022

No. 41-CH-22

Union Common Pleas Court.

Jacob T Crapsy

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

David Duncan's Heirs

Defendant.

AUG TERM, 1847

Judgment VS Plaintiff

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Jacob T. Croswery

vs

The Heirs of David Cun-
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Bill in Chancery

Filed Nov. 13. 1841

Jas. H. Gill Clerk

last bill made

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M.B. & J.A. Conine Sols

To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Common Pleas
in and for the County of Union and State of Ohio in
Chancery sitting.

Your Orator Jacob T Crassey of the City of Cincinnati
in the State aforesaid respectfully represents that David Duncan
being the assignee of a military ^{warrant} authorizing lands to be
entered in the Virginia Military District Northwest of the
Ohio River and being also the owner in equity of an undivided moiety of said warrant
~~and the purchase in equity of an undivided moiety of said warrant~~
on or about the sixteenth day of September in the year seventeen
hundred and ninety-nine caused survey three thousand
four hundred and forty three of one thousand acres to
be made on part of a military warrant number two
hundred and fourteen on the waters of Bakes creek a
branch of the Scioto And the said David Duncan
on or about the same day also caused survey number
three thousand four hundred and forty four of one
thousand acres to be made on part of the military
warrant aforesaid on the waters of Mill Creek a branch
of the Scioto both of which surveys are in the County
of Union and State aforesaid And further that the said
David Duncan on or about the fourteenth day of Sep-
tember in the year last aforesaid caused survey number
four hundred and seventy-nine of one thousand acres
to be made on part of the warrant aforesaid on the waters
of Parby creek which last mentioned survey is in the County of Logan
And for greater certainty your Orator craves leave to refer to
said warrant and pray that a copy thereof marked "A"
may be taken when produced as a part of this bill.

These three surveys your Orator is informed were located
by one Lucas Sullivant as surveyor and that said Lucas
Sullivant was entitled to one third of said land for lo-
cating the same and that in consideration thereof one
third of the same has been adjudged and set off to Wil-
liam Sullivant, Michael Sullivant and Joseph
Sullivant heirs as is said of Lucas Sullivant deid - they the
said heirs of Lucas Sullivant having caused patents to be is-
sued for the said surveys to the heirs and legal representatives of

David Duncan deceased to which patents for greater certainty your orator craves leave to refer and pray that the same may be taken as a part of this bill. And the said heirs of Lucas Sullivan or those claiming under them, as your orator is also informed are now in the possession of the third part of said survey, the same having as your orator is also informed been set off to them by decree of the Court of Common Pleas in the county of Union and State aforesaid and to a copy of so much of said proceedings and decree as will show the boundaries of the part of said survey set off to the said heirs of the said Lucas Sullivan your orator craves leave to refer and pray that the same marked "B" may be taken as a part of this bill.

And your orator further represents that the said David Duncan on or about the sixteenth day of July in the year eighteen hundred and one caused survey number four thousand and forty-four to be made on part of a military warrant number three thousand one hundred and thirty-eight on ten ten acres in the county of Pike and State aforesaid. And your orator further represents that no patent has yet been issued for said last mentioned survey and that the same is still in the name of said David Duncan. And for greater certainty your orator craves leave to refer to said surveys and pray that copies of the same marked

"C" may be taken as a part of this bill. And that one half of the
income of the said survey was sold to John Davis as part of said David Duncan's
And your orator further represents that the said David Duncan, being indebted in the sum of about five thousand five hundred dollars to John Davis on a balance of the partnership accounts between him & said David Duncan and owing the said debt to the land aforesaid together with the interest of the said David Duncan in all other lands in the Virginia Military District with the consent and by the direction of said David Duncan aforesaid was sold and John Davis became the purchaser at Washington Gibson County Kentucky on or about the day of in the year
And soon afterwards

to wit on the _____ day of _____ in the year
eighteen hundred _____ or about that time
title papers were executed in due form of law conveying,
to the said John Davis all the interest of the said David
Duncan in all the lands so sold as aforesaid which
title papers are not in the possession of your Orator
but are as your Orator is informed and believes lost;
but if the same should be found on or before the
hearing of this cause your Orator prays that the same
may be taken as a part of this bill. And your Ora-
tor further represents that the said David Duncan after
the sale of the lands aforesaid to the said John Davis, wholly
abandoned said land and never afterwards exercised or at-
tempted to exercise any act of ownership over the
same, and further that after the said John Da-
vis had made the purchase aforesaid the said David
Duncan resided for many years in the county of
Adams and State of Ohio aforesaid and there on the

_____ day of _____ in the year eighteen
hundred and _____ or about that time de-
parted this life insolvent and further that the heirs
of the said David Duncan have not nor have any of
them since his death so far as your Orator is informed
exercised or attempted to exercise any act of ownership
over the ~~said~~ land sold to the said John Davis as
aforesaid nor have they or any of them so far as
your Orator is informed set up any claim thereto
your Orator expressly charges that if they or any
of them have set up any claim to any of the
land in this bill mentioned the same is un-
founded unjust and contrary to equity and good
conscience and further that since the loss of said
title papers the said heirs of David Duncan did
have neglected and refused to ~~refused~~ make any
other deed of conveyance to the said John Davis or
your Orator but as to most of said heirs your Or-
ator has had no opportunity to know whether they

admit or deny the claims of your Crator he being unacquainted with their precise place and residence and it having been impossible for him to have any communication with them.

And your Crator further represents that after the purchase aforesaid by the said John Davis his mind became unsettled in consequence of a domestic calamity or what he deemed such and he followed his family to a society of the town where they had gone in his absence and where he remained for a long course of years without that mental energy necessary to enable him fully to understand his affairs and enforce his rights. But his mind having become fully restored, he caused his claims to be investigated and on the seventeenth day of August in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight at Dayton in the State aforesaid conveyed to your Crator by deed duly executed for a good full and valuable consideration the surveys aforesaid and also all other tracts of land which the said John Davis had or in which he was interested in the Virginia Military district North West of the Ohio River and between the Scioto and Little Miami Rivers to which deed for greater certainty your Crator here to refer and prays that a copy of the same marked "D" may be taken as a part of this bill. Your Crator further represents that after receiving the deed aforesaid he entered upon said several tracts of land and has held peaceable possession of the same as against the heirs of said David Duncan is paying the taxes and making large valuable and lasting improvements thereon.

And your Crator further represents that the witnesses to prove the said indebtedness of the said David Duncan to the said John Davis the sale aforesaid of said land the purchase by said

John Davis and the conveyance to said Davis in pursuance of said purchase are void; and that unless the testimony of said witnesses be perpetuated in a reasonable time your orator will be in danger of losing their evidence and further that, ^{your orator} not being aware of the exact residence of any of the heirs of said David Duncan, is unable to give them notice of the time and place of taking depositions and your orator prays that the testimony of said witnesses may be perpetuated according to the statute in such case made and provided.

And your orator further represents that the heirs legal representations of said David Duncan are David Duncan, Margaret Nobley, Samuel B. Finley, David C. Finley, Elizabeth Ann Jarvis, Hannah Sarah Finley, David McLeale & Mariah Jane his wife, Zeldony Belts, John W. Belt, Margaret Belt, Joseph Belt, William Belt, Benjamin Bratton & Jane his wife, Edmund Dunlap & Matilda his wife, Abram Clark & Ruthy for Chelsey & Margaret his wife, Solomon Blain and Hannah his wife, George Campbell & Mary his wife, David Duncan, Samuel Duncan and Mary Duncan, William Smith & others whose names are unknown none of whom are residents of the State of Ohio.

Your orator therefore prays process against the said heirs legal representations of the said David Duncan; that an order of publication may be granted against them; that they may be made parties hereto; that they may on their oaths answer all and singular the premises; and that they may be compelled by decree of this Court to release and convey to your orator all their interest in the land in this bill mentioned and all their right title and claim of title to the same; that said conveyance to said Davis may be recognized & established; and that your orator may have such other and further relief in the premises as the nature of the case may require.

M B L J A Corwin
Solicitor for Complainant

Copy

of Affidavit

D. Duncan Lewis

Filed Aug. 30. 1862

Las. Vegas, N.M.

The State of Ohio
Union County

Personally appeared in open Court Charles

Carver in and of the attorney of Jacob C. Crapley Complainant
& made oath that he is informed & believes that David Duncan
& other heirs of David Duncan deceased who are made
defendants to a bill in Chancery now pending in Union
County are not residents of the State of Ohio -

Charles Carver

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court 30th Sept 1844

Jas H. Gilchrist

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0001

No. 42-CH-1

Union Common Pleas Court.

John Fry

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Daniel Dusky

Defendant.

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John Fry & Bill
vs. Daniel Dusky } in
 } Chancery

Filed March 31. 1862

Jas. H. Gilwell

for mortgage -

for decem

last bill made -

Recorded

To the Court of Common Pleas, within and for
the County of Union, and State of Ohio, in
Chancery sitting:

John Fry, of the County of Meigs, & State of Ohio,
represents that Daniel Jusky of the State of Virginia,
(and whom your Orator prays may be made defendant
to this bill,) being or pretending to be seized in fee simple
of a certain tract of Land situate in the County of
Union, and State of Ohio and described as follows:
viz: Two Hundred and Thirty six acres of land, being
a part of a tract of four hundred and six acres heretofore
sold by your Orator to said Daniel Jusky, being a part
of original Virginia Military Survey No. 3239 in the name of
Baxley & Merryman; ^{said tract of four hundred and six acres being} bounded west by land of David Davis;
north by ~~land of Daniel Jusky~~ ^{land of Daniel Jusky}
~~land of Daniel Jusky~~ East by Baxley & Merryman's
original survey no. 3238; and south by Burgess Ball's
original survey No. 6680. — And the said Daniel Jusky,
being in want of three hundred and ninety four dollars &
forty six cents, he did in or about the month of January A.
D. 1838 apply to your Orator to lend him the said sum of three
hundred and ninety four dollars and forty six cents, to be se-
cured by a mortgage upon the said premises; that your
Orator did loan to the said Daniel Jusky the said sum
of three hundred and ninety four dollars and forty six
cents, and thereupon the said Daniel Jusky to secure
the repayment of the same with lawful interest, by his
deed duly executed and dated on or about the 7th day
of January 1838, conveyed the same premises to your
Orator in fee simple under the following description, viz:
"Two Hundred and Thirty six acres, being a part of a tract of
land containing four hundred and six acres, situated
in the County of Union, in the State of Ohio, & for a more
particular description of said tract of land reference is
hereby made and had to the deed of said tract,
which deed was made by John Fry & his wife Phebe to Daniel Jusky
~~But said conveyance to said Daniel Jusky, was subject~~
by said Daniel Jusky, was subject nevertheless to a condition
of defeasance on the payment of the said sum of three hun-
= dred and ninety four dollars and forty six cents, with
lawful interest, on the 17th day of January 1839, as in
and by said deed of mortgage, a copy of which is
herewith filed & made part of this bill, will
more fully appear.

Your Orator further represents that neither the
said sum of three hundred and ninety four dollars ~~and~~ forty
six cents, nor any part thereof was paid to your Orator
at the time limited in that behalf: whereby the legal
estate in said premises became vested in your Orator, & deem-
= able nevertheless in equity on the payment of the principal
and interest due and to become due thereon: That
the said sum of three hundred and ninety four dollars and
forty six cents principal, and a large arrear of interest thereon
being due he applied to the said Daniel Jusky and requested him
to pay the same to your Orator, which he has hitherto wholly
neglected & refused to do: — That the said Daniel Jusky
is not a resident of the State of Ohio.

Your petitioner therefore prays that the writ
of subpoena may issue against the said Daniel Jusky;
that notice may be given in such manner as the Court may
deem proper; that he may be compelled to answer all and
singular the premises; that an account may be taken of what
is due to your Orator for his principal & interest upon said mortgage;
that said mortgage premises may be sold and the proceeds thereof
applied to the satisfaction of said principal and interest; and that your
Orator may have such other and further relief in the premises as
equity and good conscience may require.

Osway Curry
Sol. for Compl.

John Jay }
vs. }
Daniel Duskay }

Copy of Mortgage
Filed March 31. 1862
Jas F. Hill Clerk

Recorded

(Copy)

This indenture made this 7th day of January One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight, between Daniel Duster, of the County of Meigs & in the State of Ohio of the one part, and John Joy of the County of Mason and State of Virginia of the other part, witnesseth that the said Daniel Duster, for and in consideration of the sum of Three hundred and Ninety four Dollars and forty six cents, to him paid by the said John Joy, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained, and sold, and by these presents doth grant, bargain ~~and~~ sell, alien, & convey, & confirm unto the said John Joy, and to his heirs and assigns forever two hundred and thirty six acres, being a part of a tract of Land containing four hundred and six acres, situated in the County of Union in the State of Ohio, & for a more particular description of said tract of land reference is hereby made and had to the deed of said tract, which deed was made by John Joy & his wife Rebe to Daniel Duster, to have and to hold the said part of the said tract containing two hundred and thirty six acres aforesaid, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, unto him the said John Joy, and his heirs and assigns forever:

Provides always, and these presents are upon this express condition that if the said Daniel Duster, his heirs, executors, or administrators shall pay or cause to be paid to the said John Joy his certain Attorney or Attorneys, heirs, executors, administrators or assigns the sum of Three hundred and Ninety four Dollars and forty six cents, on or before the seventeenth day of January eighteen hundred and thirty nine, together with the interest thereon that may accrue, in manner specified in a certain note or obligation bearing date here with, executed by the said Daniel Duster to the said John Joy, that then, and from thenceforth these presents and every thing herein contained shall cease & be void, anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date first above written.

signed sealed & delivered
in presence of

P. Lallane } (Signed) Daniel Duster Seal
P. M. Petrel }

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Geo W Hill Clerk

John Fry

vs.

Daniel Dusky

Union Common Pleas:

In Chancery:

Notice by publication, and proof
thereof:

John Fry }
 vs. } IN CHANCERY.
 Daniel Dusky }

NOTICE is hereby given to the said Daniel Dusky, that on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1842, the said John Fry filed his bill in Chancery in the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union and State of Ohio, against the said Daniel Dusky, praying that certain land mortgaged by said Dusky to said Fry, on the 7th day of January, 1838, to secure the payment of a certain sum of money therein specified, may be subjected to the payment of the same—and the said Dusky is further notified that unless the said Dusky, within sixty days after the August term of said court, 1842, appear and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the said Fry, at the next term thereafter, will apply to said Court for a decree against him, according to the statute in such case made and provided.

OTWAY CURRY,
 May 11, 1842. Atty. for Petitioner.

I, John Cassil, publisher, of the Union Gazette, a newspaper in general circulation in the County of Union Ohio, being duly sworn, depose and say that the notice here to attached, in the case of John Fry vs. Daniel Dusky, was published six weeks, consecutively, from and after the 11th day of May 1842, in said Union Gazette.

Printers Fee \$3.50

John Cassil

Sworn to and subscribed before me William H. Frank a Justice of the Peace of Paris Township, Union County Ohio, this 29th day of August 1842.

Probate # 21

W. H. Frank J.P.

Union Comm. Decs.

John Fry
vs.
Danl. Dusky.

Order of App^t. & Sale.

Sale to be January 28. 1842

Fee - Sew .35
Mile .50
Inquest 1.00
Appraisal 15
Pound 9.04
Adalty -
Apprais 1.50

13.54

Filed Jan 28th 1843

John Capie
Clerk

Rec^d this order Nov 15th 1842, Appraised 236. acres of
land (more or less 203239.) by the oath of Amos Brown,
John Miller & Peter Little of three dollars for acre, &
offered the same by Public outcry at the door of the
Court House, having advertised the same previously,
& agreeable to the Statute in such cases made and
provided, and at such expense I struck off the same
to John M. Seignist, for two dollars for acre, he being the
highest and best bidder and that amount being the two thirds
of the appraisment, January, 28. 1843.

Wm. W. Steele Special Master
Comptroller in Chancery

John Fry

vs.

Daniel Dusky.

This cause came on to be heard upon the bill and exhibits, and was argued by counsel, on consideration whereof, it is ordered, that William W. Steele, hereby appointed Special Master Commissioner, proceed to cause the lands and tenements following, to be appraised, advertised and sold at public auction, as upon executions at law, to wit: 236 acres of land, being a part of a tract of 406 acres, heretofore sold by John Fry to Daniel Dusky, being a part of original Virginia Military Survey No. 3239, in the name of Bayley & Merryman - said tract of 406 acres being bounded west by land of Daniel Davis; north by land of Daniel Dusky; East by Bayley & Merryman's original Survey No. 3238; and South by Burgess Balls original survey No. 6680 - and that the money arising from such sale be bring into Court at the next term;

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Union County, this 15th day of November, A. D. 1842.

John Cassil, Clerk.

I have Executed this Order, by advertising the land to be sold on the 28th day of Jan Error

Miss Court Pleas

John Fay

m appearance

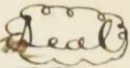
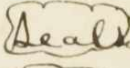
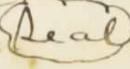
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Filed Jan 24th 1862

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Special Master Commissioner

The undersigned being called upon by W. W. Steele ~~Sherriff~~
(appointed in this case by the Court) of ~~Warren County Ohio~~ to appraise 236 acres of land
being a part of a tract of 406 acres heretofore sold
by John Hay to Daniel Lusk, being a part of Original
Virginia Military Survey No 3239. After being duly
sworn upon actual view we do appraise said
236 acres of land at Three - dollars &
- - - - - cents per acre, Given under our
hands and seals this 20th day of January AD 1843.

Smith Brown 
Charles Miller 
Peter Little 

Personally appeared before me on the 16th day of
Jan'y. 1843 Smith Brown and Charles Miller -
Whereupon Smith Brown made affirmation & Charles
Miller made Oath and On the 19th day of January
AD 1843. Peter Little made Oath, That they
would impartially appraise said lands as described
according to law and the best of their abilities
Given under my hand this 19th day January AD 1843
W. W. Steele Special
Master Commissioner in
Chancery - - -

John Fry
vs.
Sam^r. Justice

Proof of publication.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of an order to me directed, from the Court of Common Pleas, Union county Ohio, I will offer for sale at the door of the court house in Marysville, on the 28th day of January A D 1843, between the hours of 10 o'clock A M, and 4 o'clock P M, 236 acres of land, more or less, part of survey no. 3239, being a part of a tract of 406 acres, heretofore sold by John Fry to Daniel Dusky, being a part of said survey no 3239, in the name of Baxley & Merryman. Said tract of 406 acres is bounded west by land of Daniel Davis, north by land of Daniel Dusky, east by Baxley & Merryman, survey no 3238, and South by Burgess Ball's Original survey no 6680.

Terms, Cash in hand.
W. W. STEELE,
Special Master Commissioner in chancery
Dec. 26th 1842 n33-5t

State of Ohio, Union County ss.
I, John Caspil, being duly sworn, depose and say that the annexed advertisement for the sale of the Real Estate therein specified, was published for more than thirty days, preceding the day of sale of said Real Estate, in the Union Gazette, a newspaper published and in general circulation in the County of Union.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 22nd day of April A. D. 1843. John Caspil, Jk

Silas S. Strong
Associate Judge

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0002

No. 42-CH-2

Union Common Pleas Court.

James Guy, et al
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

David Chapman
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1845

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James Guy. Dr. Byglow
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David Chapman

Bill in Chaney

Filed April 14. 1842

Sat. H. Gill Club

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To the Honorable the Judges of the court of Common
Pleas for the County of Union in chancery sitting

Your Petitioners James Guy, David H. Bigelow, Lorenzo
Brach E. Le Smith & Nahum King ^{Represent} that David
Chapman of said county (whom your petitioners
may may be made defendand to this Bill) being
or pretending to be seized in fee simple of a cer-
tain tract of land situate in said County of
Union and described as follows (to wit) beginning
at a large Sassafras & two hickories on the ~~lower~~
side of Darby Creek - lower corner on the creek
to Lewis Sullivants Survey No. 3162 thence
with the lower line of said survey S. 32° W. one
hundred poles to a stake lower back corner to said
survey. thence with the back line of said survey
N. 68° W. 259. poles to a stake in said line - thence
N. 32° E. 336. (or 346) poles to a Honey Locust on
the bank of the creek. thence down the creek
with the meanders thereof to the beginning con-
taining 330 acres more or less being part of
survey No. 3162. in the name of Lewis Sullivant
And the said David Chapman or or about the 14th
day of July 1841. being in want of the sum
of three thousand dollars. did apply to your
petitioners to become his security as endorsers to a
Note of hand for the sum of three thousand
dollars to be discounted at the office of the Insur-
-ance Co. in the city of Columbus made payable
at the city of N.Y. four months after the date thereof
that your petitioners did then and there sign said
promissory note as security for the said David
Chapman and the same was discounted as

Aforesaid and your petitioners thereby became liable to pay the same when the same became due

Your petitioners further represent that on the 19th day of July 1841 aforesaid the said Chapman to secure your petitioners against the payment of said note so signed as security as aforesaid by your petitioners did convey the above described premises to your petitioners in fee simple but subject nevertheless to a condition of defeasance "on the payment of said note so that your petitioners should not have to pay the same" as in and by said Deed of Mortgage (a copy of which is herewith filed and made part of this bill) will fully appear.

Your petitioners further say that said note long since became due and the said Chapman although often requested has not paid said note or any part thereof but wholly neglects & refuses so to do & suit has been instituted against your petitioners & judgment obtained & the same satisfied by levy upon a sufficient quantity of your petitioners' ~~personal~~ personal property to satisfy the same. Whereby the legal estate in said premises became vested in your petitioners redeemable nevertheless in Equity on full payment of the amount of said note with the interests & costs made thereon by protest & exchange percentage - & costs of said suit against said Chapman & your petitioners

That the sum of three thousand dollars principal and a large amount of interest exchange percentage & costs being due aforesaid

your petitioners. applied to said Chapman to pay the
but has not done so. ~~as for~~ any part thereof

You petitioners therefore pray that a writ of Subpoena
may issue to the said David Chapman
that he may be compelled to answer all &
singular the matters and things contained
in this bill. That an account may be taken
of the amount of said judgment together with
the interests & costs thereon as aforesaid so
satisfied by your petitioners. That said mortgaged
^{premises} may be sold and the proceeds thereof applied
to the payment of your petitioners aforesaid
demand against him so paid as aforesaid
and that your petitioners may have such
other and further relief as equity and good
conscience may require.

A Hall sol
re Compts.

James Guy. Daniel R. Baylour
Sorenzo Beach E. C. Smith
& Nathaniel King
David Chapman

In Union Common
Pleas to April Term
1842
In Chancery.

The Clerk will give
Subpoena returnable next Term
To J. A. C. Clerk }
A. Hall sol
re Compts

Union Card. Pleas

Jas. Guy & others

v Zabinchy

David Chapman

Served by Certified Copy
April 20th 1842

W. H. Stubbs

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Filed Apr 19. 1842

Jas. H. Gill clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *David Chapman*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said county, *on the Twenty sixth day of April 1842 (Past)*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*

in Chancery exhibited against *him*

by *James Gay Daniel W. Bigelow Lorenzo Beech E. C. Smith & Nathan King* and this he shall
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in
Marysville, this *14th* day of *April* A. D.
1842.

James H. Gill Clerk

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- 4 filing Briefs
- 6 Do bill
- 25 Subpoena
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- 4 filing bill
- 4 Do Mortgage
- 90-9 continuances
- 20 Withdrawal & costs
- 47- cost & sat
- 100 Copy of Paper

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 Sub .25
 Cont, 10t. 1.00
 Satisfac .12²
 Cost bill .35
\$1.92

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Sheff

Sub 1.00
 Calling Case 1.28 8 times
 Steele \$2.28
 Rob 16 next Ten
 2.44
 Clerk 1.92

Total \$ 4.36

~~Jonathan D. Gibson~~
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STEWART & COMPANY

D. Chapman July 19th
To Mortgage 1841
for Guy & others

Filed & recorded Feb 3^d
1842 in vol. 8 page 59099
at 10. scribe M.
P. B. Smith

Filed April 14. 1842
for H. Gill Club

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

THAT ~~we~~ *I David Chapman* ~~his~~ ^{wife of said} ~~James Guy~~ ~~and others~~ ~~their~~ ~~heirs~~ ~~and~~ ~~assigns~~ ~~forever~~ ~~the~~ ~~following~~ ~~premises~~ ~~situate~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~county~~ ~~of~~ ~~Union~~ ~~and~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~State~~ ~~of~~ ~~Ohio~~ ~~in~~ ~~consideration~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~sum~~ ~~of~~ ~~three~~ ~~thousand~~ ~~dollars~~ ~~in~~ ~~hand~~ ~~paid~~ ~~by~~ ~~James~~ ~~Guy~~ ~~Daniel~~ ~~W~~ ~~Bigelow~~ ~~and~~ ~~Lorenzo~~ ~~Beach~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~county~~ ~~of~~ ~~Union~~ ~~and~~ ~~William~~ ~~King~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~county~~ ~~of~~ ~~Franklin~~ ~~all~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~State~~ ~~of~~ ~~Ohio~~ ~~have~~ ~~bargained~~ ~~and~~ ~~sold~~ ~~and~~ ~~do~~ ~~hereby~~ ~~grant~~ ~~bargain~~ ~~sell~~ ~~and~~ ~~convey~~ ~~unto~~ ~~the~~ ~~said~~ ~~James~~ ~~Guy~~ ~~and~~ ~~others~~ ~~their~~ ~~heirs~~ ~~and~~ ~~assigns~~ ~~forever~~ ~~the~~ ~~following~~ ~~premises~~ ~~situate~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~county~~ ~~of~~ ~~Union~~ ~~and~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~State~~ ~~of~~ ~~Ohio~~ ~~and~~ ~~bounded~~ ~~and~~ ~~described~~ ~~as~~ ~~follows~~ ~~to~~ ~~wit~~ ~~Beginning~~ ~~at~~ ~~a~~ ~~large~~ ~~Sarrapas~~ ~~and~~ ~~two~~ ~~Hickories~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~lower~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~Darby's~~ ~~creek~~ ~~Lower~~ ~~corner~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~creek~~ ~~to~~ ~~Suear~~ ~~Sullivan's~~ ~~Survey~~ ~~N~~ ~~31~~ ~~62~~ ~~thence~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~lower~~ ~~line~~ ~~of~~ ~~said~~ ~~Survey~~ ~~S~~ ~~32~~ ~~W~~ ~~100~~ ~~poles~~ ~~to~~ ~~a~~ ~~stake~~ ~~lower~~ ~~back~~ ~~corner~~ ~~to~~ ~~said~~ ~~Survey~~ ~~thence~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~back~~ ~~line~~ ~~of~~ ~~said~~ ~~Survey~~ ~~N~~ ~~68~~ ~~W~~ ~~259~~ ~~poles~~ ~~to~~ ~~a~~ ~~stake~~ ~~in~~ ~~said~~ ~~line~~ ~~thence~~ ~~N~~ ~~32~~ ~~E~~ ~~336~~ ~~poles~~ ~~to~~ ~~a~~ ~~Honey~~ ~~locust~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~bank~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~creek~~ ~~thence~~ ~~down~~ ~~the~~ ~~creek~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~meanders~~ ~~thence~~ ~~of~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~beginning~~ ~~containing~~ ~~three~~ ~~hundred~~ ~~and~~ ~~thirty~~ ~~acres~~ ~~be~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~more~~ ~~or~~ ~~less~~ ~~being~~ ~~a~~ ~~part~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~said~~ ~~Survey~~ ~~N~~ ~~31~~ ~~62~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~name~~ ~~of~~ ~~Suear~~ ~~Sullivan~~

To have and to hold said premises, with the appurtenances unto the said *James Guy and others their* heirs and assigns, forever. And the said *David Chapman himself* ~~his~~ ~~wife~~ ~~for~~ ~~themselves~~ ~~and~~ ~~heirs~~ ~~do~~ ~~hereby~~ ~~covenant~~ ~~with~~ ~~said~~ ~~James~~ ~~Guy~~ ~~and~~ ~~others~~ ~~their~~ ~~heirs~~ ~~and~~ ~~assigns~~ ~~that~~ ~~they~~ ~~are~~ ~~lawfully~~ ~~seized~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~premises~~ ~~aforsaid~~ ~~that~~ ~~the~~ ~~premises~~ ~~are~~ ~~free~~ ~~and~~ ~~clear~~ ~~from~~ ~~all~~ ~~encumbrances~~ ~~whatsoever~~ ~~and~~ ~~that~~ ~~they~~ ~~will~~ ~~forever~~ ~~warrant~~ ~~and~~ ~~defend~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~appurtenances~~ ~~unto~~ ~~the~~ ~~said~~ ~~James~~ ~~Guy~~ ~~and~~ ~~others~~ ~~their~~ ~~heirs~~ ~~and~~ ~~assigns~~ ~~against~~ ~~the~~ ~~lawful~~ ~~claims~~ ~~of~~ ~~all~~ ~~persons~~ ~~whatsoever~~

~~In~~ ~~testimony~~ ~~whereof~~ ~~the~~ ~~said~~ ~~David~~ ~~Chapman~~ ~~has~~ ~~hereunto~~ ~~set~~ ~~his~~ ~~hand~~ ~~and~~ ~~seal~~ ~~this~~ ~~19~~ ~~th~~ ~~day~~ ~~of~~ ~~July~~ ~~1841~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~year~~ ~~of~~ ~~our~~ ~~Lord~~ ~~one~~ ~~thousand~~ ~~eight~~ ~~hundred~~ ~~and~~ ~~forty~~ ~~one~~

The condition of the above is such that whereas the said James Guy Daniel W Bigelow [SEAL] Lorenzo Beach, E.C. Smith and William King have signed a note as security for the said [SEAL] David Chapman for the sum of three thousand dollars dated the 14th day of July 1841 discounted at the Insurance Company office in Columbus and paid in the City of New York four months after date. Now if the said David Chapman shall pay the said note so that the said James Guy and others do not have it to pay then the above indenture shall be void of none effect otherwise to be in full force and virtue in law.

In testimony whereof the said David Chapman has hereunto set his hand and seal this 19th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty one
David Chapman [SEAL]
Executed in presence of
Thomas M. Ewing
Nancy G. Ewing

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.
Before me, Thomas M. Ewing a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, personally appeared the above named David Chapman ~~his~~ and acknowledged the signing and sealing of the above conveyance to be his voluntary act and deed; ~~and~~ ~~said~~ being at the same time examined by me separate and apart from her said husband, and the contents of said instrument made known to her by me, she then declared that she did voluntarily sign, seal and acknowledge the same, and that she is still satisfied therewith; this nineteenth day of July A. D. 1841
Thomas M. Ewing J.P. [SEAL]

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0003

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0004

No. 42 CH-4

Union Common Pleas Court

John Weaver

against

Plaintiff,

Magdalena Burns ^{et al}

Defendant.

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John Weaver

vs }

Magdalena Brown
at al

Bill in

Chancery

Filed Apr. 23. 1842

James H. Gill Clerk

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To the Honourable the Judges of the Court of
Chancery of our County when in Chancery sitting
John Weaver a resident of of said County
respectfully represents that some few years since
one John Burns late of this County but now dead
and your Petitioner purchased jointly seven hundred
and 15 acres of land lying in said County and took
a deed for the same that your Petitioner paid for
and entered into possession of two hundred and sixty acres
there and the said Burns the residue there of
That your Petitioner was to have his land laid
off on the north side of said 715 acres a full descri-
ption of which 715 acres is as follows to wit Beginning
at a maple Sugar tree North West corner to lands
held by John B Bishop of the same Survey thence with
with the original line N. $9^{\circ} 45' W$ 242 poles to a white
oak 3 sugars original North West corner to
said Survey No. 2256 thence with the north line
N $78^{\circ} 20' E$ 478 poles to 2 ashes & Elm North East
corner to said Survey thence with the East line
S $12^{\circ} 15' E$ 232 poles to 2 Iron woods & Sugar trees
thence with Morris & Bishop's line S $77^{\circ} 15' W$
488 $\frac{1}{2}$ poles to the beginning Your Petitioner further
shows that in the life time of John Burns it
was agreed between him and your Petitioner that
a division line should be run setting off to your
Petitioner his share on the north beginning at the
two Sugar trees in the west line of said Survey 56 $\frac{3}{4}$
poles South of the North West corner of said Survey thence
N $78^{\circ} 20' E$ 185 poles to a stake thence S $9^{\circ} 45' E$ 60
poles to 2 Sugar trees thence N $78^{\circ} 20' E$ 293 $\frac{3}{4}$ poles
to the East line of said Survey and deed drawn but
not executed accordingly kept on said Survey it was

found that by running from the 2 Sugar trees
185 $\frac{3}{4}$ poles to a stake, that then running South
far enough to include with parallel lines 260 acres
that it would interfere with the improvements
of the said John Burns and that it was consequently
agreed that the line from the two Sugar trees should
be run only 131 $\frac{3}{4}$ poles thence South $9^{\circ} 45' E$ so far as
to include in a line to the east line of said Survey
parallel with the North line thereof. That your
petitioner after thereafter requested said Burns to
release and offered to release each to the other but
he was not ready or never did and died leaving
Magdalena his widow, Eliza Burns and Mary
Snyder formerly Mary Burns wife of Philip Snyder
and Lydia Weaver formerly Burns and wife of
your petitioner, of age and Lewis aged 20 years
Adam 18. Emmanuel 15 Catherine 14 Alexandra
11. Philip 8 & Maria 6. Minors and all of
the County of Union his Heirs and legal Representa-
tives at Law all of whom ^{except Lydia} your petitioner prays to be
made defendants to this his bill. And your Peti-
tioner further shows that he has requested and offered
to release mutually, but they neglect and refuse
your Petitioner further with his said Lydia requests
and prays that on final hearing of this case
your Honors would order and decree to your Peti-
tioner so much of said Land as is his to him ~~and~~
in severalty and that you would further order
partition of the part of said Land ^{which} ~~is~~ belongs to
the widows & Heirs of said ^{Burns} in such manner as
to enable your Petitioner or Lydia to possess the
one tenth part of the same in severalty contiguous
to the above described 260 acres Subject to the

Lower of the said Magdalena and that on
final hearing you would grant your
petition such other and further relief in
the premises as equity and good conscience
may require and as in duty bound he
will ever pray &c

By Wm. Lawson
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Union Com. Pleas

John Weaver

vs Jacob Welch

Magdalena Demerets

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Defendants apt 25 1810

H. M. Stut. Sheriff

Filed April 26. 1810

So! F. Gill Clerk

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Magdalena Borns Eliza Borns Mary
Snider Phillip Snider Lewis Borns Adam Borns Emmanual Borns
Catherine Borns Alex. Borns Phillip Borns Maria Borns*
to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court House
in said county, *on the 26th Inst*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*
in Chancery exhibited against *them* by
John Weaver and this *they* shall
in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court house in

Marysville, this *23rd* day of *April* A. D.

1842

James H. Gill Clerk

Philip Snider et al

vs

John Weaver et al

Filed Aug 11. 1842

Jas H. Gill Clerk

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The Joint answer of the undersigned Heirs
of John Borns deceased Defendants to the Bill
of Complaint of John Weaver and Lydia his
wife against themselves and others

These Defendants now come and answer saying
that they cannot deny any of the allegations in
the said Bill of Complaint of Complainant contained
but admit the same to be true and are willing
and request the Court to grant the prayer of said
Petition and they further request that partition in the
said premises be made in such manner as to
assign to each of us in severally our several
Shares as charged in said bill and as in duty
bound we will ever Pray &c

Philip Snyder
Lewis Borns
Elizabeth Borns
Magdalena Borns
Mary Borns

Levid that we have plenty of first rate girls in
Londy brava ~~that is almost~~ ~~perhaps~~ the big
girls but they seem to be rather opposed to tip, and
ty, and come out fairest for the Loca band
I have nothing more particular to write at present
but give my love to all enquiring friends

Yours truly
Adam Brown

Filed July 8 1843
John Capric Clerk

The question you ask me concerning the division
of the land I am heartily agreed to and would
have given my consent long ago if I had received
your letters, I therefore consent now by saying that
I wish the Court to grant a division to John Weaver
and also to have my fathers real estate divided among
all heirs and also to lay of my part which I am
entitled to

Adam Borrows

Witness Philip E. Weaver

Filed July 27th 1843
John Capin
Clerk

Adam Bouns Emmanuel Bouns
Catherine Bouns Alexander Bouns
Philip Bouns Maria Bouns
Infants by their Guardian
Ad litem A Hall

McChancey

vs

John Weave

and the said depts now
come and for answer to
said bill say that they have
no knowledge of the facts

in the said petition charged but have no doubt that
they are substantially true and charged and sub-
mit this case to the court and pray to be dismissed
with their costs

A. Hall

Guardian Ad litem for
Infants

Union Com Pass

John Weaver

vs

Mag. Bowers

Mechanery

Proof of Publica

Filed April 15th, 1843.
Jamm Capil Clerk

John Weaver
vs
Magdalene Bourns widow of John Bourns late of Union County, Adam Bourns, Eliza Bourrs, Mary and Philip Snyder, Lewis Bourns & others Heirs and Legal Representatives of said Dec'd

In Union County Court of Common Pleas in Chancery.

NOTICE is hereby given to the said Adam Bourns and others interested that the said Complainant at the April term of said court filed his bill against the defendants charging among other things that he was entitled to a deed by purchase and payment to the said John Bourns Dec'd for two hundred and sixty acres of land lying in said county, and part of seven hundred and fifteen acres part of survey No. 2256, and that by right of his wife he is entitled to possession of one tenth part of the residue of said land, and concludes with a prayer for specific performance & partition. JOHN WEAVER.

By his Sol. Wm Lawrence.
Jan. 3, 1843. 35 Ct.

State of Ohio
Union County ss

Personally appeared John Cassie publisher of the Union Gazette a weekly newspaper published for the County of Union aforesaid and of the most general circulation therein. Who being duly sworn says that the appended notice has regularly appeared weekly in said paper for more than six consecutive weeks last past and further saith not

John Cassie

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of April A.D. 1843 James Turner J. C. C.

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 Baum
 Magdalena wid. Eliza Spinner
 Olden 18 } Philip Snyder & Mary wife
 Lewis 20 } Eusemann 15
 Catherine 14 } Alexande 11
 Philip 8. Maria 6.

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 $2.93\frac{3}{4}$



John Weaver
vs
M. Burns et al

Filed Oct 19th 1849
M. Burns et al

Cost bill made

Recorded

John Weaver

^{vs}
Magdalena Bourns
and others

Union, Common Pleas July Term 1843
In Chancery for specific performance
and partition

This case came on to be heard upon the Bill of Complainant and answers of Defendants and was argued by Counsel. and the court being fully advised in the premises do find that the equity of the case is with the Complainant and they order, adjudge and decree that the Defendant severally or jointly within sixty days from the rising of this Court execute and deliver to the plaintiff a good and sufficient deed or deeds of release conveying their interest in the following part of the premises described in the Bill the same being and lying north of the following line of Partition. Beginning at two sugar trees in the West line of said Survey fifty six and $\frac{3}{4}$ poles South of the North west corner of said Survey thence North $78^{\circ} 20'$ E So far as to include by a line run parallel with the North line of said Survey the number of two hundred and sixty acres clear of incumbrances by the Defendants done or suffered to be done and that the said John Weaver by like deed of release convey to the Defendants all his interest in the said premises lying south of the said partition line as above described except so far as Compt holds by right of his wife Lydia. and it is further ordered that in default of the execution of said Deeds aforesaid this decree shall operate as such deeds to enable the Complainant to hold in severalty the said two hundred and sixty acres so as aforesaid set off to him and the remaining Defendants to hold on the South side in like manner as tenants in common.

and it is further ordered by the Court that the expenses and costs of this case be paid by the said Complainant and the Heirs of said John Bourns one third part by Compt and two thirds by the heirs

And it is further Ordered that by the oaths of Levi Phelps John W Cherry and Cyprian Lee one equal third part of said premises lying south of the partition line above established be assigned and set off to the said Magdalena Bourns as her dower estate and that by the like oaths of the aforesaid Commissioners subject to the dower aforesaid partition be made of the said premises belonging to the estate and Heirs of said John Bourns in the following proportion to wit to Lydia Weaver one equal tenth part to Philip Snyder and Mary his wife one tenth part to Lewis Bourns one equal tenth part to Elizabeth Bourns one equal tenth part to Adam Bourns one equal tenth part to Emanuel Bourns to Catharine Bourns to Alexander to Philip and to Maria each one tenth part and it is further ordered that a writ of Partition issue to the Sheriff of this County Commanding him to Cause Dower to be assigned and said partition to be made accordingly and that he report his proceedings herein to the next term of this Court and this Case is Continued

The State of Ohio } I hereby certify that the foregoing is truly
Union County, ss. } taken and copied from the Journal of the
proceedings of the Court of Common Pleas
within and for the said County of Union.

In testimony whereof I do hereto subscribe my name
and affix the seal of said Court, this 22^d day of
September A. D. 1843

John Basil Clerk

I have Executed this writ by the oaths of the
Commissioners named, whose report is herewith filed
Oct 19. 1843.
W W Steele Sheriff

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John Weaver -

15- } In Partition

Magdalena Bourns

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Union Commas Pleas

John Weaver } In obedience to an order shew unto
Magdalena Burns } ^{NY In partition} annexed I proceeded to make partition
of the estate of John Burns dec^d in conjunction
with Cyran Lee & John Wherry. I proceeded to lay
off two hundred and sixty acres in said Burns land
to John Weaver in the following manner to wit. Beginning
-ing at two sugar trees in the west line of said Weavers lands
thence with said line N 9. W 56 $\frac{1}{4}$ poles to the north west
corner of the original tract being a sugar tree & oak thence
with the north orig^l line of said tract N 79. 30 E 478 poles
to an ash & Elm northeast original corner to said survey
thence with an other of the lines of said survey S 11 E 105
poles to a Bee oak thence S 79. 30 W 288 poles to a stake
in the County Road thence with said ^{2nd} N 23 W about 50 poles
to a stake in said Weavers Garden thence S 79. 30 W 169 poles to the
Beginning & denominated as Lot N^o 13 containing 260 acres

Also laid off the widows Dower in the following
Manner to wit. Beginning at a stake southwest corner
to John Weavers Lot N^o 13 on the County Road thence S 47 W
23 $\frac{1}{2}$ poles to an Ironwood & Dogwood thence S 9 E 32 poles
to a stake thence S 79. 30 W 110 poles & 15 links to two hickories thence
N 9 W 90 poles to a Bee oak in Weavers line thence with his
line N 79. 30 E 112 poles to the Road thence with said Road
to the Beginning containing sixty six acres denominated
Lot N^o 12 als a sugar Camp Lot Beginning at a Maple &
Dogwood southeast corner to Lot N^o 2 thence with the line
of Lot N^o 2 N 9 W 30 poles to a sugar tree & Hickey thence
N 79. 30 E 59 poles & 15 links to a Hickey & water Beech
thence S 9 E 30 poles to two hickories in Bishops line thence
with his line S 80 W 59 poles & 15 links to the Beginning con-
taining Eleven acres & twenty eight poles denominated as
Lot N^o 4

also laid off for Adam Burns Lot N^o 3 which is described as follows, to wit, Beginning at a sugar tree & Hickory northwest corner to Lot N^o 4 in the line of Lot N^o 2 thence with the line of the Lot N^o 2 passing the corner thereof N 9 W 62 poles to two Hickories south west corner to Lot N^o 12 thence with the line of Lot N^o 12 N 79.50 E 59 poles & 15 links to two ashes thence S 9 E 62 poles to a Hickory & water beech northeast corner to Lot N^o 4 thence with the line of Lot N^o 4 S 80 W 59 poles & 15 links to the Beginning containing twenty three acres & 15 poles

also laid off for Mary Snider Lot N^o 6 Beginning at a stake in the County Road in the south original line of said Burns Survey thence with said line S 80 W 62 poles to two hickories & sugar tree southeast corner to Lot N^o 5 thence with the line of Lot N^o 5 N 9 W with the line of said Lot N^o 5 passing the corner thereof 122 poles to an Ironwood & Logwood one of the corners of Lot N^o 12 thence with another of the lines of said Lot N^o 12 N 47 E 23 1/2 poles to a stake in the County Road & south west corner to Weavers Lot N^o 13 thence with the Road to the beginning containing thirty six acres and 13 poles

also laid off for Lewis Burns Lot N^o 8

Beginning at a stake in the County Road thence N 80 E 138 poles to an Oak and ash in the line of Lot N^o 10 thence with the line of Lot N^o 10 N 9 W 43 poles to a sugar tree and ash south east corner to Lot N^o 9 thence with the line of Lot N^o 9 S 80 W 153 poles to a stake in the County Road thence with said Road S 32 E to the Beginning containing thirty nine acres & 16 poles

also laid off for Elizabeth Burns Lot N^o 10

Beginning at three sugar trees in the south line of said Burns Survey south east corner to Lot N^o 7 thence with the line

of said Lot No. 7 passing the corner thereof the corner
of Lots 8 & 9 N 9 W 130 poles to a hickory elm & sugar
tree in the line of Lot No. 13 then with the line of
lot No. 13 N 79.30 E 62 poles to two ashes & a hickory
north west corner to Lot No. 11 then with the line of
Lot No. 11 S 9 E 130 poles to an ash & oak in the south
original line of said Burns Survey then with said line
S 80 W 62 poles to the Beginning containing fifty acres
Also laid off for Lydia Weaver Lot No. 1

Beginning at two sugar trees corner to John Weaver in
the west original line of said Burns Survey then with
said Weavers line N 79.30 E 57 poles to a Bur oak north
west corner to Lot No. 12 then with the line of Lot No. 12
passing the corner thereof S 9 E 99 poles to a hickory
northeast corner to lot No. 2 then with the line of Lot
No. 2 S 79.30 W 57 poles to an Ironwood and Elm north
west corner to said Lot No. 2 in the west original
line of said Burns Survey then with said line N 9 W
99 poles to the Beginning containing thirty five acres and
43 poles

Also laid off for Emanuel Burns Lot No. 2
Beginning at an Ironwood and Elm in the west original line
of said Burns Survey & south west corner to Lot No. 1
then with the line of Lot No. 1 N 79.30 E 57 poles to a
hickory in the line of Lot No. 3 then with the line of Lot
No. 3 passing the corner thereof & with the line of Lot No.
4 S 9 E 85 poles to a Maple & dogwood in the south
origin. line of said Burns Survey then with said line
S 80 W 57 poles to a Maple sugar tree & water Beech south west
original corner to said Burns Survey then with his line
N 9 W 85 poles to the Beginning containing thirty acres & 45 poles

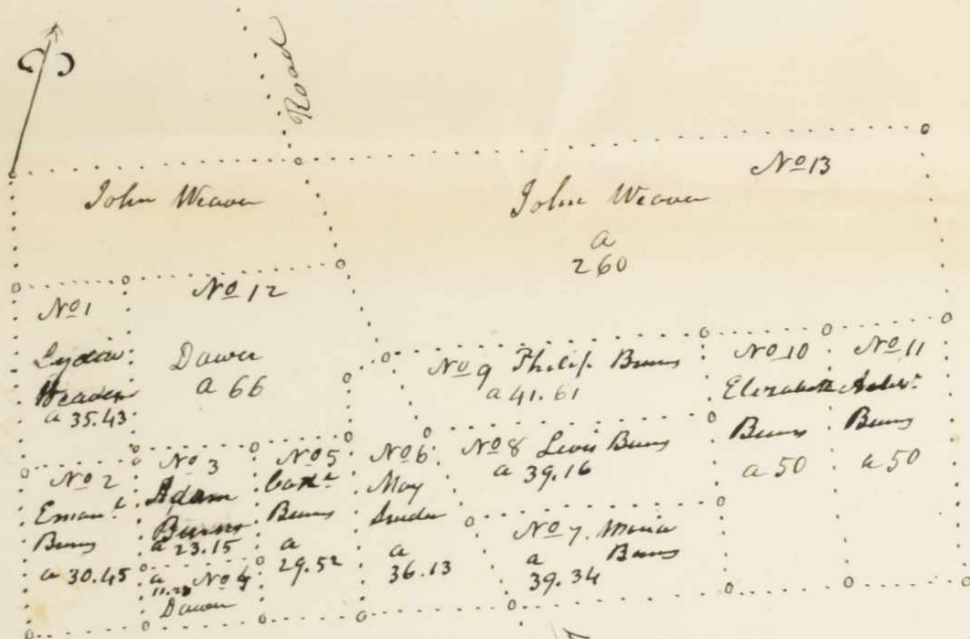
Also laid off for Catharine Burns Lot N^o 5
Beginning at two ashes north east corner of Lot N^o 3 in the
line of N^o 12 thence with the line of said Lot N^o 12 N 79.30 E
51 poles to a stake corner to Lot N^o 12 thence S 9 E 92
poles to two hickies & a sugartree in the south line of
said Burns land ^{thence} S 80 W 51 poles to two hickies south
east corner to Lot N^o 4 thence with the line of Lot N^o 4
passing the corner thereof and with the line of Lot N^o 3
N 9 W 92 poles to the Beginning containing twenty nine
acres & 52 poles

Also laid off for Alexander Burns Lot N^o 11
Beginning at two ashes & a hickie northeast corner to
Lot N^o 10 in the line of Lot N^o 13 thence with the line of
said Lot N^o 13 N 79.30 E 62 poles to a Bur Oak south
east corner to said Lot N^o 13 in the ~~east~~ original east line
of said Burns survey thence with said line S 11 E 130
poles to two Ironwoods & a dogwood south east original
corner to said Burns survey thence with his line S 80 W
62 poles to an ash & Oak south east corner to Lot
N^o 10 thence with the line of said Lot N^o 10 N 9 W 130
poles to the Beginning containing fifty acres

Also laid off for Philip Burns Lot N^o 9

Beginning at a stake in the County Road southwest
corner to Lot N^o 13 thence with the line of said Lot N^o 13
N 49.30 E 164 poles to a hickie Elm & sugartree north
west corner to Lot N^o 10 thence with the line of
Lot N^o 10 S 9 E 41 poles to a sugartree and ash
north east corner to Lot N^o 8 thence with the line of
said Lot N^o 8 S 80 W 153 poles to a stake in the
County Road thence with said Road to the Beginning
containing forty one acres & 61 poles

also laid off for Maria Burns Lot No. 7
 Beginning at a stake in the County road in the south
 line of said Burns land thence with the line of said
 Burns N 80 E 129 poles to three Sugar trees southwest
 corner to Lot No. 10 thence with the line of said Lot
 No. 10 N 9 W 47 poles to an Oak & Ash southeast
 corner to Lot No. 8 thence with the line of said Lot
 No. 8 S 80 W 138 poles to a stake in said Road thence
 with said Road to the Beginning containing
 thirty nine acres & thirty four poles
 All of the above lots are exhibited on the
 adjoining plat



George Haw
 John Middleton
 John Weaver

Levi Phelps Surveyor

We the subscribers Commissioners named in the Order hereunto
 annexed after being duly sworn the Chairman also being duly
 sworn, proceeded on the 12th day of October 1843 to survey
 and set off to the several persons named in said order the
 Lands of John Burns deceased as described in the foregoing
 plat & Field notes. Given under our hands this 19th day of

October in the year of our Lord 1843

Levi Phelps
J. M. Cherry
Cyprian Lee

Commissions

Fees

Levi Phelps Commissions	14 days	Not blems	\$ 4.00
Cyprian Lee do	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	do	3.50
John Cherry do	4.	do	4.00
George Ware Ch	3	do	2.25
Kate do	3	do	2.25
John Middleton do	$\frac{1}{2}$	do	37.5
J M Cherry do	1		
C Lee do	$\frac{1}{2}$		
Levi Phelps Surveyor	5 days		\$10.00

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0005

No. 42-CH-5

Union Common Pleas Court

Charles Wilson
Plaintiff,

against

Fanny Wilson
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1844

Verdict for Plaintiff

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To the Honorable the Court of Chancery
When in Chancery sitting

Your Petitioner Charles Wilson a resident
of said County of Union respectfully represents to
the Court that he is entitled to and owns two ~~tenths~~
or one fifth of the following described Land lying
in said County to wit Part of Survey No 5506. on Blues
Creek Beginning at 2 Beeches Ironwood and Sugar tree S. E. Corner
of John Gamble thence N 80 E 160 poles to 3 beeches thence
S 10 E 100 poles to 3 Elms thence S 80 W 160 poles
to two beeches and an Ironwood thence
North 10 West 100 poles to the beginning contain-
ing one hundred acres more or less
And your petitioner further shows
that the remaining four fifths are owned share
and share alike by Thomas W. Powell of Delaware
this State Susan Winchester formerly Susan Wilson
and Miles her husband and Fanny Wilson of La-
port County Indiana who are of age and Daniel
^{Wilson} aged 20 years George 16. In the 14 Belongence
9 years and Ralph 11. years all of this County
and minors your Petitioner therefore prays that
they may be made defendants to this his petition
Your petitioner further shows that Celinda
Kerrott and Aaron her husband have had and
are entitled to dower in the premises assigned
The Prayer of your Petitioner is that on the final
hearing of this case partition of said premises may
be ~~had~~ ^{ordered} and such other proceedings had as to en-
able your Petitioner to obtain his share in severalty
or the value thereof as the same is rather the
subject of contention than of Profit to the owners
as now controlled and he prays the and

Union Com Pleas

Charles Wilson

1/3 Sub is by

J. W. Powell et al

Served by Certified Copy
on David Wilson Geo Wilson
Luther Wilson Deliverance
Wilson + Ralph Wilson +
Miles Winchester Susan
Winchester + Fanny Wilson
not found - by copy
on Tho W Powell

Wm W Stubs Stuff

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Filed April 26. 1842

Jas. H. Gill Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Thomas W. Bond Susan Wincheste*
Miles Wincheste Fanny Wilson Samuel Wilson Geo Wilson
Luth Wilson Delia Wilson & Ralph Wilson

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house
in said county, *on the 26th day of April 1842* Court
to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Petitions*.

in Chancery exhibited against *them* by

Charles Wilson

and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

23^d day of *April*

A. D. 1842

James H. Gill Clerk

State of Ohio, Union County ss.

To the Sheriff of Said County greeting
We command you, that without delay by the calls
of Mrs Jane Cyprian & John Johnson, you cause
~~blanches~~, to be set off land assigned to Charles
Wilson one equal fifth part of the lands following
to wit: one hundred acres more or less. Part of survey No 5555
on Blues creek Beginning at 2 Beches Ironwood and Sugar tree
S.E. Corner of John Gamble thence N 80 E 160 poles to 3 beches thence
S 10 E 100 poles to 3 Elms thence S 80 W 160 poles to two beches and an
Ironwood thence North 10 W 101 pole to the Beginning and
that your proceedings in the premises you distinctly
Certify - under your hand, to our Court of Common
Pleas within and for said County of Union
together with this writ

Witness John Capil Clerk
Clerk of said Court at the
Court house aforesaid this 7th
day of July AD 1843
John Capil Clerk

In Compliance with the command of a writ
of partition served upon the under signed by the
sheriff of Union County Ohio commanding us
us to set off to Charles Wilson one fifth part
of a lot of one hundred acres part of survey No
5506 we would respectfully report that
after being duly sworn proceeded to view
said lot of land and are of opinion that said lot
is not susceptible of a fair and equitable divis
ion and we appraise said land worth six hundred
dollars with the ^{the} under and of the widows dowry
given under our hands ~~and~~ this
7th day of July 1843

William B. Green
Cyprian Lee
John Johnson

fees in the above case
John Johnston one day \$ 1.00
C Lee " " 1.00
William Brown " " 1.00
3.00

Wm Com Pleas
Charles Miller
vs ~~Wm Com Pleas~~
James Miller

I have Executed this
Writ by the Oaths of the
within named Commission
July 7. 1843.
W. W. Steele Sheriff

Sew 1.00
Writ - 05
1.05

Filed July 7, 1843
John Lippell Clerk

Recorded

Clerk	Gill	—	\$ 75	
"	Cassil		4.50	
Sheriff -	Steele		11.39	10 - 21.39
Printer -			9.00	
Commissioner	John Johnson		1.00	17.25
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Union Con Pleas

Charles Wilson
vs E. Perution
Harry Wilson

Proof of Pub

Filed April 15th 1853
John Capie
llk

State of Ohio Union County ss

Personally appeared John Cassil ~~owner~~ publisher of the
Union Gazette a weekly Newspaper published for the
said County of Union and of general circulation therein
who being duly sworn says that the aforesaid
notice has regularly appeared in said paper
for more than six consecutive weeks
last past and further saith not
J. M. Cassil

UNION COUNTY COURT OF COM-
MON PLEAS.

PETITION FOR PARTITION.

Charles Wilson,

vs.

Fanny Wilson, Susan Winchester, formerly Susan Wilson and Miles Winchester, and others, heirs and legal representatives of Emory Wilson, late of Union, deceased.

The said Susan and Miles Winchester being non-residents of the State of Ohio, are hereby notified that the petitioner has filed his bill in the court aforesaid, praying partition of the following described premises of which said Emory Wilson died seized. Beginning at two beeches an iron wood and sugar tree, S. E. corner of John Gamble's land; thence north 80 deg. East 160 poles to three beeches, thence South 10 deg. east 100 poles to 3 elms, thence South 80 deg. west 160 poles to 2 beeches and iron wood, thence North 10 west 100 poles to the beginning. Being part of survey no. 5506, Virginia Military Lands, lying on Blues creek in the said county of Union. All of which the said non-residents are respectfully requested to supervise so far as their interests are involved.

By WM. C. LAWRENCE, his Sol.

JOHN CASSIL, Clerk.

February 14, 1843.

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Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 18th day of April A.D.

1843

James L. Warner J.P.

Fanny Wilson et al
vs

Charles Wilson

Record

Daniel Wilson George Wilson
Luth Wilson Silvanus Wilson
and Ralph Wilson by their
Guardian Ad Litem A. Hall

and

Charles Wilson

Jm Chancery
partition

The Said Defendants
now come by their
Guardian Ad Litem

and for answer thereto say that they cannot deny
but must admit the matters and things as charged
in the petition of the Said Charles Wilson and
that they submit this case to the Court praying
to be discharged with their costs in this case
expended and as in duty bound they will
ever pray &c

By

A Hall
the Guardian ad
Litem

Wilson
Deed
Wilson

Correctly charged
July 27th 1842
O. C. Kennedy
Aukt

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Filed & Recorded
Dec-9th 1842 in Vol 8
Page 609
James Garner Recorder.

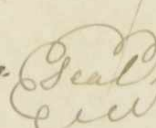
for 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents

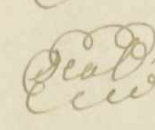
Know all men by these presents that we Joseph Willson and Sally Willson of Jay County Indiana for and in consideration of forty Dollars lawfull money of the united states to them in hand paid by Charles Willson of said Jay County the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged HAVE granted bargained and sold and by these do grant bargain and sell release and convey unto the said Charles Willson his heirs and assigns for ever all the following described tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Union and state of Ohio being the one undivided equal tenth part of the following tract of land late the property of Emery Willson dec^d late of Union County Ohio aforesaid bounded as follows to wit Beginning at two beeches an Ironwood and sugar tree S East corner to land heretofore conveyed to John Gamble thence N 80° E 160 poles to three beeches thence S 10° E 100 poles to three Elms thence S 80° W 150 poles to two beeches and an Ironwood thence N 10° W 100 poles to the place of beginning containing one hundred acres more or less To Have and to hold the aforesaid undivided one equal tenth part of the above described tract of land unto the said Charles Willson his heirs and assigns for ever And the said Joseph Willson and Sally Willson his wife do hereby covenant promise and agree to and with the said Charles Willson that they are lawfully seized of the said one equal undivided tenth part as heirs at law of the said Emery Willson^{dec^d} and have good right and lawfully authority to sell & convey the same in manner and form aforesaid and that the same is free and clear of & from all incumbrances and the said Joseph Willson & Sally Willson his wife do further promise and agree to and

with the said Charles Willson that unto him the
said Charles Willson and his heirs & assigns for
ever they the premises aforesaid they the said
Joseph Willson and Sally his wife and their
heirs will well and truly warrant and forever
defend against all manner of persons what
-soever

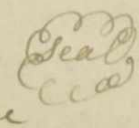
In Testimony whereof they the said Joseph
Willson and Sally Willson have hereunto set their
hands and seals this 11th day of may in the
year of our Lord eighteen hundred and
forty

signed sealed in
presence of us
Ellis Davis
Sarah Davis

Joseph Willson 

Sally Willson 

State of Indiana & Before me one of the justices
of the peace within and for
said County personally came
the above named Joseph Willson & Sally Willson
his wife and acknowledged the signing and
sealing the foregoing deed of conveyance to be
their voluntary act and deed for purpose
therein expressed And she the said Sally Willson
being by me examined seprate and apart from
her said husband declared that she done the
same of her own accord without compulsion
or coercion from him her said husband
Given under my hand and seal this 11th day
of may 1840

Ellis Davis 
a justice of the peace

Union Common Pleas

Charles Wilson

vs { In Partition

James Wilson et al

Order to sell Land

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Found ~~1.00~~ = 679

Printer - 3.50 = 8.10

\$14.89

Filed March 9th 1844

John Cassel Clerk

Recorded

Recd His writ Mar 1. 1844. I offered the property - described
in the petition. at the Door of the Court Room in the town
of Mansfield, Having previously advertised the same
agreeable to the Statute - Such sales made and
provided, and said property being so exposed was
sold, and struck off to David M. Bell (he being the
highest & best bidder) and four hundred dollars the sum
paid for the land by the said David Bell, being the true
value of the appraised value -
Done 4. 1844
M. M. Steele Sheriff

The State of Ohio Union County. ss.
Court of Common Pleas of
October Term A.D. 1843

Charles Wilson

vs

Fanny Wilson et al

Chancery.

Petition for Partition

Neither of the parties electing to
take said estate at the valuation
thereof as returned by the said Commissioners. On
Motion of the petitioner Ordered that said estate be
sold at public auction by the Sheriff of said County
of Union according to the statute in such case
made and provided.

I, John Casil, Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas, within and for the County of Union and
State of Ohio. do hereby certify that the foregoing
entry is truly taken and copied from the journals
of said Court.

In testimony whereof. I do here to subscribe
my name and affix the seal of said Court
this first day of November A.D. 1843

John Casil Clerk

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0006

No. 42-CH-6

Union Common Pleas Court.

Ralph Cherry admo
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Amanda Corner,
Defendant.

April 1843.

To Sell Land,
Decree for plff.

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Union Court

Ralph Cherry

vs

Amanda Cornes & Son

Petition to sell
land

Filed April 23. 1842

James F. Gill Clerk

Cost bill made

Recorded

To the Honorable the Court of Com Pleas in
and for the County of Union

Ralph Cherry Administrator of Samuel
B Comer Esq. late of this County,
that the Assets of said estate so far as have
come to the Knowledge of the Said Ralph
Amount in all to \$ 1,060.71

and the liabilities to \$ 28.66.48

That the said Samuel reported holding possession
of and an equitable interest in the following
Real property, as known and designated as the
old Reed farm containing 140 acres bounded on
the West by Thomas McDonald's land and S. Starling
on the North and Robert S Reed on the East &
Summer Payne on the South also 50 acres
contiguous to the above from off the lands of
S Starling aforesaid. Running from McDonald's
East line parallel to the North line of said 140 acres
to the West line of land belonging to the heirs of
Joseph Stewart Esq. so far back as to include
just thirty acres, which is held by title bond, on
which said Deceased paid in his life time 1000.00 \$.
and on which there remains some 1400 \$ as
appears by the agreement herewith filed yet to
be paid to one Wilson Reed, Vendor, and whom
said Ralph further shows that a sale of the whole
of said lands is necessary to enable him to com-
plete the administration on said Estate, that
the said Samuel died leaving Amanda Comer his
widow and relic and Samuel R. ^{an infant} his
only heir at Law both of whom you petition
prays may be made defendants to this his
application and that on final hearing you

Honour would order a sale of the said Equity upon
such terms as the case will allow in good con-
sue and your petition as is due to be bound
will ever pray &c

By Mr. Lawrence
his Sol

Ralph Cherry Agent

✓ } Dubuque
City

Amanda Combs

Samuel A. Combs

Reviewed by Certified
Copies April 25. 1842
W. W. Steel Staff

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Mile 80

Copies 20

1.25

Filed Apr 25. 1842

Sar. Fr. Gilchrist

Recorded

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Said* COUNTY, GREETING:

We command you that you summon *Amanda Combs & Samuel A. Combs*

to appear before our Court of Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid at the Court house in said county, *on the first day of next term (April 26, 1842)*

to answer the matters and charges contained in a *Bill*
in Chancery exhibited against *them* by *Ralph Cherry Admt of Samuel*
B Combs decd and this *they* shall

in no wise omit under the penalty of one thousand dollars, and have you then there this writ.

Witness James H. Gill, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville this

23^d day of *April*

A. D. 1842

James H. Gill Clerk

Report to the
Court of the sale of
S B Comer's land

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

By virtue of an order to me direct by the Court of Common pleas, of Union county Ohio, I shall offer at public sale at the door of the court house in Marysville, in the county aforesaid, on the 16th day of February AD 1843 between the hours of 10 o'clock A M and 4 o'clock P M the following described lands to wit; 170 acres known as the farm of Samuel B, Comer, late of Union county Deceased, being about one mile North of Milford in Union township on the road leading from Milford to Allen's settlement about 80 acres under good cultivation, containing two adjoining log cabins with other out houses, a well of water, and about four acres of bearing fruit trees, 20 acres more under fence and partly cleared used for pasture. Further particulars will be given on the day of sale, the terms are one third cash down, one third in one year, one third in two years from the day of sale, with interest and approved security.

RALPH CHERRY,

Administrator of the estate of S. B. Comer.

January 7, 1843.

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I proceeded according to the order of the court
to sell the real estate of J B. Comer and sold
on the 16th day of February 1843 to Willson Reed
for two thirds of the appraised value it being
fourteen hundred and seventy three dollars $33\frac{1}{3}$
being but the one bid, said Reed holding the real
title, and a lease of Eleven hundred and fifteen
dollars 71 cents on the property which was
deducted out of the above sum leaving a
balance of three hundred and fifty seven dollars
and fifty cents coming to the estate, for which
he gave his Note and security with intrust
from day of sale made payable two years from
the day of sale - April 19th 1843

Notice of the sale on the Sealph (Cherry) Adms-
back of this paper

Account

April 9th 1839 Then Received on the within
Banc from Hounseman and thirty six dollars
of Wilson Reed

Wilson Reed
Littleport to
S. B. Comer

May 1st 1839 Received on the within Board
sixty four dollars it being the balance
on the first ~~of~~ payment of Wilson Reed

September 1st 1839 Received on the within
from five hundred dollars it being the second
instalment of Wilson Reed

[Faint, mostly illegible handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT, concluded this 9th day of April A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine

between Wilson Reed of Union county, Ohio, of the first part, and Samuel B. Comer of Union county Ohio of the second part,

Witness, That the said party of the first part agrees, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, to sell to said party of the second part, the following lands, situate in the county of Union Ohio:

all the lands the said Wilson Reed now owns that was Deeded to the said Reed by his Father and afterwards by John P Reed one undivided half containing one hundred and forty acres it being the farm that George Fuller now lives on at fifteen Dollars per acre the afore said land Joins the lands of Thomas McDonald on the west and the land the said Reed lately bot from Line Sterlin on the north and R D Reeds land on the East and Sumner Payne on the South also thirty acres of the land adjoining the aforesaid land on the north it being lands bot from Sterlin by the said Reed the aforesaid thirty acres is to be taken of the South of the survey running from the lands of Thos McDonald on a parallel line with the north line of the aforesaid 140 acres to the road running from R D Reeds and north

The said party of the second part hereby agrees to pay the said Wilson Reed the sum of Twenty three hundred and ninety dollars, ~~cents~~

in four installments, with interest as follows:

- five hundred dollars on or before the first day of May 1837
- five hundred dollars on or before the first day of September 1837
- five hundred Dollars on or before the first day of Feb 1841
- and Eight hundred and ninety Dollars on or before the 19th day of Feb 1843 the last payment on interest after two years from this date

The said party of the second part, having also executed his several single bills to the said or order, for said several sums, payable as

aforsaid; and the said party of the second part agrees to pay all taxes and assessments that may hereafter be demandable on said land or their appurtenances. It is agreed that said several installments and single bills, above mentioned, with interest, shall be punctually paid, on or before the respective days when the same shall be due, as above mentioned; and if each and all are so paid, said Wilson Reed for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, hereby covenants to sell, and upon the punctual payment as last mentioned, of all of said several installments, with interest, to convey by general warranty deed, the above described premises, unto said party of the second part, his heirs and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said parties have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals, the day and year first above written.

Executed in presence of

David Bunker
Saml R. Snowing

Wilson Reed 


Filed Nov. 10, 1842

John Cabell, Jr.

Recorded

The separate answer of Wilson
Reed to the petition of Ralph Cherry & Mrs
of Samuel B. Cornes Esq to Sell ~~the~~ equity
to Land

This defendant admits ~~the~~ Sale
of the premises by him to petitioners intestate
as well as the general facts touching this
defendants therein contained and charges
that there is due him from said Estate about
the sum of 1140\$ evidenced by
decedent's notes of hand and further that he
is willing to abide the order of this Court
in the premises and having thus fully
answered prays to be dismissed with his
costs &c
Wilson Reed

Union Com Recs

A Comer
advs answer
Ralph Cherry

Filed August

30 1842

Gas H Lincoln

~~Recorded~~

Samuel

The separate answer of A Corner
infant defendant to the bill of Ralph Cherry
to sell lands

This defendant now comes
and in answering says that he knows nothing
of the matters and things contained therein but
willingly submits his case to the protection of
the court and as in duty bound he will
ever pray &c B

A. Hall

Guardian ad litem

Ralph Cherry, Admir.

Order of Sale.

Ralph Cherry, Admin^r

vs.

Amanda Leamer et al.

On motion to the Court by William C. Lawrence, counsel for petitioner, and upon producing the appraisement heretofore made by David Hill, William Kinget and James Reed, under the order of this Court, it is ordered that the said administrator proceed according to law to sell the real estate in said petition described bounded as follows, to wit: containing 140 acres, bounded on the west by Thomas M'Donald's land, and L. Sturling on the north, and Robert D. Reed on the East, and Sumner Payne on the south-also, 30 acres, contiguous to the above from off the lands of L. Sturling aforesaid, running from M'Donald's east line parallel to the north line of said 140 acres, to the west line of land belonging to the heirs of Joseph Stewart, dec. as far back as to include just 30 acres-upon the following terms, to wit: one third cash in hand, one third in one year from the sale, and the balance in two years from sale, with security for the payments according to law - and it is further ordered that he make return of his proceedings to the next term of this Court.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of the Court
of Common Pleas for Union County,
this 17th day of November, A. D. 1842,
John Cassil, Clerk.

Order of Ap. Returns

Filed Nov. 11, 1842.
John Carril, clerk

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Record

Ralph Cherry, Admin, &c. }

vs.

Amanda Comer et al. }

On motion to the Court by Mr. Lawrence, Counsel for the petitioners, it is ordered that William Midget, David Gill and James Reed, being first duly sworn, do, upon actual view of the premises, make a just valuation of the following Real Estate, to wit: bounded on the west by Thomas Donald's land and Luce Stirling's on the north, Robert D. Reed on the East, and Sumner Fague on the south - also 30 acres contiguous to the above, from off the lands of said Stirling, running from Donald's east line parallel to the N. line of said 140 acres, to the west line of land belonging to the heirs of Joseph Stewart, so far back as to include just 30 acres - and that they return such valuation to the Court of Common Pleas of Union County forthwith.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of said Court, this 11th day of November, A.D. 1842.

John Cassil, Clerk.

To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County -

In obedience to the within order, we, having been first duly sworn ^{in open court} upon actual view of the premises, do estimate the just value of said Real Estate at thirteen dollars per acre making, in all, \$2200.00

Given under our hands this day.
Nov. 11, 1842.

James Reed } Appraisers.
David Gill }
Howard Hing }
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Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0007

No. 42-CH-7

Union Common Pleas Court

Charles Ball

Plaintiff,

against

Ebenzer Ball et al

Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1842

Decree for Plaintiff

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Union Family Com.
Plan. () ()

Charles W. Ball

N 3 Petition
for
3 Petition.

Eleazer B. Ball,
Isabella G. Ball,
and others.

Filed Apr 27. 1842
Jas. H. Giddell

J. F. Walker's
Small B. Ball
Ransom Clemens

Cost bill made

J. L. Taylor
Att. for Debit.

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the
County of Union, and State of Ohio.

Your Petitioner Charles B. Ball of Loudon
County in the State of Virginia, represents, that
he has a legal title to, and is seized in fee simple
of one ~~undivided~~ ^{twelfth} part of the following real
estate, situate in the County of Union in the State
of Ohio, and described as follows, and being the same
land granted by Patent from the United States of
America to the Heirs and Legal Representatives
of the late Ed. Burpess Ball deceased, viz, a
certain tract of land containing six hundred
and forty-eight acres, situate between the Little
Miami and Scioto rivers, North West of the
river Ohio, as by Survey bearing date 16th day of
June 1834, and bounded and described as follows,
to wit, Survey No. 6680 of 648 acres of land
on part of a Military Warrant No. 4798, issued for
that quantity in favor of the Representatives of
said Burpess Ball dec^d. On the Water of Mill
and Boats' Creek, Beginning at an ash, red
oak and elm, Southwesterly corner to Pixley
and Merrymans Survey No. 3239, thence
South 83° East 400 poles to two sugar trees
and a hickory, Southeastly corner to their
Survey, thence S. 7° W. 259½ poles to a
beech and Sugar tree, in the line of Robert
Mearns Survey No. 4387, thence N. 83° West,
400 poles to a hickory and sugar tree in the
line of David Duncans Survey No. 3443,
thence N. 7° E. 259½ ^{poles} to the Beginning with
the appurtenances. The said Patent bearing
date 15th October 1840—

Your Petitioner further represents that Ebenezer
B. Ball of St. Clair County, in the State of Missouri,
Jacobella G. Ball of Loudon County in the State of Virginia

Mrs. Jonathan D. Gibson, wife of Jonathan Gibson,
of Culpeper County, in the State of Virginia, Frances
W. M. Searen, wife of James M. Searen, of
Fauquier County in the State of Virginia, Mildred
J. Thompson, of Fauquier County, in the State of
Virginia, and George W. Ball of minor of Fair-
fax County in the State of Virginia, are tenants
in common with your Petitioner in the Said Premises,
and are the heirs and legal representatives of said Burges Ball dec'd.
Your Petitioner further states, that he, and his brother
Everett B. Ball, and Isabella G. Ball, (being the
children and heirs of Dodder Charles B. Ball late
of London County, Virginia, deceased), are entitled
to one undivided fifteenth ^{part}, each, of said land, being the
one fifth part, to which their father was entitled:

That the said Mrs. Jonathan D. Gibson, who was
one of the daughters of the late Burges Ball dec'd. is enti-
tled to one equal undivided fifth part of said land:

That Frances W. M. Searen, wife of James M.
Searen, late Frances W. Ball, and another daugh-
ter of said Burges Ball, is entitled to one fifth
part of said land:

That said Mildred J. Thompson, another daugh-
ter of said Burges Ball dec'd. is entitled to an equal
undivided fifth part of said land: and

That George W. Ball, the minor aforesaid
is entitled to one equal undivided fifth part of
said land.

Your Petitioner therefore prays that
partition of said land may be made, or
if the same cannot be done without man-
ifest injury, that then and other proceedings
may be had in the premises as are author-
ized by Law.

By J. L. Taylor
his Atty.

Filia Aug. 30. 1812
Fad H. L. L. L. L.

Charles B. Ball

Ebenezer B. Ball et al

Partition Com: Pleas Union County
We the Commissioners appointed in this
Cause to assign to Charles B. Ball
Ebenezer B. Ball + Isabella B. Ball

one undivided fifteenth part of the following described real
Estate & to Mrs Jonathan D Gibson Francis W McLeaver Mildred
J. Thompson and George W Ball one undivided fifth of said
real estate to wit being the same land granted by Patent from
the United States, to the heirs & legal representatives of the late
Col Borge Ball deceased viz a certain tract containing
648 acres Survey No 6680. bounded as follows 648. acres of land
on part of a Military Warrant No 4798. issued for that quantity
in favor of said Ball beginning at an Ash, red oak and Elm
Southwesterly corner to Barley & Merryman Survey No 3239. thence
S 83 E. 400 poles to 2 sugar trees and a hickory Southeastly cor-
ner to their Survey, thence S. 7° W 259½ poles to a beech and sugar
tree in the line of Robert Means, Survey No 4387. thence N 83 W 400
poles to a hickory and sugar tree in the line of David Duncan
Survey No 3443. thence N 7 E. 259½ poles to the beginning And
having been duly sworn upon actual view of the premises
do assign to the said Mrs Jonathan D Gibson in severalty
lot No 1 containing 138 acres 107½ poles it being the one
fifth part of Borge Ball's Survey No 6680, beginning
at a red oak in the N.W. corner of said Survey
and S.W. corner of Barley and Merryman's Survey
No 3239. thence with Barley's and Merryman's line
S 83° 25' E. 171½ poles to sugar beech and Dogwood
in the line of Barley and Merryman thence S 7 W
129' 6 poles to a beech and sugar thence N 83° 25' W
171½ poles to a stake in the line of David Duncan's
Survey No 3443. then with said line N 7 E 129' 6
poles to the beginning —
And to Frances W McLeaver. lot No 2 containing
138 acres 107½ poles it being the one fifth part of
Borge Ball's Survey No 6680 beginning at a Sugar —

Beach and Dogwood in the line of Baxley and Merrymans Survey
No. 3239 and N.E. Corner to lot no 1 of the division of Burges Balls
survey running $S 83^{\circ} 25' E$ 171.2 poles to a Sugar Beach and Ironwood
in the line of Baxley and Merrymans Survey No. 3239 then $S 7^{\circ} W$
129.6 poles to a Beach and Ironwood then $N 83^{\circ} 25' W$ 171.2 poles
to a Sugar and Beach then $N 7^{\circ} E$ 129.6 poles to the beginning
And to Mildred J. Thompson lot No. 3 containing 138 acres
and 107.4 poles it being the one fifth part of Burges Balls Survey
No. 6680 beginning at a stake in the line of David Duncans
Survey No. 3443 the S.W. corner of lot No. 1 running $S 83^{\circ} 25' E$ 171.2
poles to a sugar and a Beach S.E. corner to lot No. 1 and S.W.
corner to lot No. 2 then $S 7^{\circ} W$ 129.6 poles to a Beach Ash and
Dogwood in the south line of Burges Balls Survey thence $N 83^{\circ} 25'$
 W 171.2 poles to a sugar and 2 firs in the line of David Duncans
Survey No. 3443 then with said Duncans line $N 7^{\circ} E$ 129.6
poles to the beginning

And George W. Ball lot No. 4 containing 138 acres and 107.4 poles
it being the one fifth part of Burges Balls Survey No. 6680 beginning
at a Beech and Ironwood in the S line of said Survey then $N 83^{\circ} 25'$
 W 171.2 poles to a Beach Ash and Dogwood in the south line of said
Survey then $N 7^{\circ} E$ 129.6 poles to a sugar and Beach the N.E. corner
to lot No. 3 and S.E. corner to lot No. 1 then $S 83^{\circ} 25' E$ 171.2 poles to
Beach and Ironwood S.E. corner to lot No. 2 then $S 7^{\circ} W$ to the beginning

And to Charles B. Ball lot No. 5 containing 46 acres and
33 rods it being one fiftieth part of Burges Balls Survey
No. 6680 beginning at 2 sugars and a Hickory the N.E. corner
to said survey and S.E. corner to Baxley and Merrymans Survey
No. 3239 running $S 7^{\circ} W$ 86.4 poles to a stake in the line of Robert
Alans Survey No. 4387 then $N 83^{\circ} 25' W$ 85.6 poles to a Hickory
in the line of lot No. 2 then $N 7^{\circ} E$ 86.4 poles to a sugar Iron-
wood and Beach in the line of Baxley and Merrymans
Survey No. 3239 then with said line $S 83^{\circ} 25' E$ to the beg-
inning

Union Common Pleas.

Charles B. Ball

v.s.

Ebenezer B. Ball et al.

Writ of Partition.

I have executed this writ by the Oaths of the within named Comraispiners, whose report is here with returned

W. W. Steele Sheriff of Union County

See 1.00

Mile. .90

Inquest. 1.00

~~Apprais. 3.00~~

2.90

Filed Nov. 8, 1842.

John Cassil, Clerk
h.t.

(Recorded.)

And to Eleazer B. Ball lot N^o 6 containing 4 acres
and 35 poles it being one fifteenth of Burgess Ball's Survey N^o 6680
beginning at a Beach and Dogwood in the East line of said Sur-
vey running N 83° 25' W 85.6 poles to 2 ashes and a Beach in the
East line of lot N^o 4 then N 7° E 86.4 poles to a Hickory S W corner
to lot N^o 3 then S 83° 25' E 85.6 poles to a stake in the line
of Robert Means Survey N^o 4384 then S 7° W 86.4 poles to
the beginning

And to Isabella, B. Ball, lot N^o 7 containing 4 acres
and 35 poles it being one fifteenth part of Burgess Ball's
Survey N^o 6680 beginning at a Beach and Dogwood in
the east line of said Survey running S 7° W 86.4 poles to two
Beaches in the line of Robert Means Survey N^o 4384
then N 83° 25' W 85.6 poles to two Beaches and Ironwood
the S.E. corner to lot N^o 4 then N 7° E 86.4 poles to two
white ashes and a Beach the S W corner to lot N^o 6
then S 83° 25' E 85.6 poles to the beginning —

November 5th 1842

Smith Brown
Ransom Clements } Commissioners
A. F. Wilkins

Ransom Clements	three days services as Commissioner	\$ 5.25
Smith Brown	do as Commissioner and marker at 1.75 per day	3.00
A. F. Wilkins	do as Commissioner & Surveyor at 2.00 per day	6.00
Jas. W. Brooks	three days services as chain carriers at .75 cents per day	2.25
Robert Brooks	do do do	2.25

State of Ohio Minor County

Personally appeared the above Commissioners, before me, and
made oath agreeable to the Statute in such cases made and pro-
vided, given under my hand on the 11th day of Nov: A.D. 1842
W. W. Steele Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

To the Sheriff of said county - Greeting:

We command you, that without delay, by the oaths of A. F. Kilkins, Smith Brown, Ransom Clements, you cause to be set off and assigned to Charles B. Ball, Ebenezer B. Ball, and Isabella G. Ball, each, one undivided fifteenth part of the following described real estate; ~~and~~ and to Mrs. Jonathan D. Gibson, Frances W. M'Learn, Mildred S. Thompson, and George W. Ball, one undivided fifth part of said real estate, to wit: Being the same land granted by patent from the United States of America to the heirs and legal representatives of the late Col. Burgess Ball, deceased, viz.: a certain tract of land containing six hundred and forty eight acres, situate between the Little Miami and Scioto rivers north west of the river Ohio, as by survey bearing date 16th day of June, 1834, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Survey No. 6680 of 648 acres of land on part of a military warrant No. 4798, issued for that quantity in favor of the representatives of said Burgess Ball, dec'd. on the waters of Mill and Boker's creek, beginning at an ash, red oak and elm, south-westerly corner to Baxley and Merryman's survey No. 3239; thence south 83° East 400 poles to two sugar trees and a hickory, southeasterly corner, to their survey; thence south 7° West $257\frac{1}{2}$ poles to a beech and sugar tree in the line of Robert Means' survey No. 4387; thence North 83° west 400 poles to a hickory and sugar tree in the line of David Demaris survey No. 3443; thence north 7° E. $257\frac{1}{2}$ poles to the beginning, with the appurtenances - and that you proceedings in the premises you distinctly certify, under your hand, to our Court of Common Pleas within and for the said county of Union, together with this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk pro tem. of said
Court, this 27th day of October, A. D. 1842.
John Cassil, Clerk pro tem.

advertised the same in the Oregon a paper
of General Circulation in said County of Union
to be offered for sale on the 2^d day of May
of 1845 - May 2^d of 1845 ordered the above
described lands for sale at the door of the court
house - not such for want of bidders
From the Robinsons & Herif's

Co. Doc. No. 2 pay 136

Charles B. Ball

v
 C. B. Ball et al

C. B. Ball bail \$3844
 Wait \$ 41
 25

Fees
 Service — \$0 55
 Mileage — 75
 Inquest — 100
 advertising 25
 Copy of a prement 15
 \$2,50

approvers fees 1-50

E Clement as

Plat — 25

\$4-25

printers fee - 0-71

Filed May 28, 1845

John Cassil CLK

Received this writ April 18th 1845
 Levied on 46 acres & 35 rods of land lot 265 as numbered
 by the Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles
 B. Ball v. S. E. B. Ball et al. and set off and assigned
 to Charles B. Ball - part of survey of 1846, 80
 and upon the bid of David Luffman, the David Luffman
 and James Turner it was estimated worth the
 Three Dollars per acre - April 25th 1845

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING

WHEREAS, in a certain action in *Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Ebenezer B. Ball et al* was defendant, the costs of said *Charles B. Ball* were taxed at *Three* dollars *84 1/2* cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Charles B. Ball* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8th* day of *November* A. D. 18*42* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the said county of Union on the first day of the next term of said Court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS, JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House in Marysville, this *18th* day of *April* A. D. 18*45*

John Cassil CLERK.

advertised the same in the registers a notice of
General Circulation in said evening of Union - to
be offered for sale on the 27th day of May 1845
May 27th 1845 - offered the above described
lands for sale at the door of the Court Tho
se not sold for want of bidders
From the Robinsons & Sherbills

Ex. Dec. No. 2 page 137

Charles B. Ball

vs

Ebenezer B. Ball, et al

C. B. Ball's last	\$ 3,84 1/2
Writ	41
	\$ 4,25 1/2
Fees	
Service —	\$ 0-85
Mileage —	75
Inquest —	1-00
Advertising —	25
Copy of apprs	15
	\$ 2,50
appraisors fees	1-50
E. Clement as	
Plat —	25
	\$ 4-25
printers fee	0 74
Filed May 27, 1845.	
John Cassil CLK	

Received this writ April 18th 1845
Served on 46 acres & 85 rods of land sit to be as numbered by
the Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles
B. Ball vs E. B. Ball et al - and set off and
assigned to Ebenezer B. Ball. part of \$10000
66, 80 - and upon the writ of Quia Emptor the Court
Lockwood & James Turner - it was estimated worth
Three Dollars per acre - April 25th 1845 - #

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION, GREETING:

WHEREAS, in a certain action *in Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Ebenezer B. Ball, et al* was defendant; the costs of the said *Ebenezer B. Ball* were taxed at *three* dollars *84*/₁₀₀ cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattles, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Ebenezer B. Ball* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8th* day of *November* A. D. 18*42* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for said county of Union, on the first day of the next term of said court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House

in Marysville, this *18th* day of *April* A. D. 18*42*

John Cassil CLERK.

admitted the same in the steps & paper of
general circulation in said County of Union to
be offered for sale on the 27th inst of May 1845
May 27th 1845 - ordered the above described
lands for sale at the town of the Court House
not sold for want of bidders -
Jesse M. Robinson Sheriff

Ex. Doc. No 2 page 138

Charles B. Ball
vs
E. B. Ball, et al

1. B. Ball cast \$38411
Writ $\frac{41}{54,2511}$
fees
Service ——— \$0-35
Mileage ——— 75
Inquest ——— 1-00
Advertising ——— 25
Copy of a pm ——— 15
\$250
appraisors fees - 1-50
E. Clement as
Pilot ——— 25
\$425
Printers fees 1-71

Filed May 28, 1845
John Cassilck

Received this writ April 18th 1845
Lend on 46 acres & 5 rods of land lot 66 7 as numbered by
the Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles
B. Ball vs E. B. Ball et al - and set off and
assigned to Isabella G. Ball part of survey
No 6680 - and upon the oath of David Lamborn
David Lockwood & James Farmer. it was estim-
ated worth three dollars per acre
April 25th of 1845

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING

WHEREAS, in a certain action in *Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Ebenezer B. Ball et al* was defendant, the costs of ~~said~~ *Isabella G. Ball* were taxed at *three* dollars *84 1/2* cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Isabella G. Ball* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *5th* day of *November* A. D. 1842 until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the said county of Union on the first day of the next term of said Court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS, JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House
in Marysville, this *18th* day of *April* A. D. 184 *5*

CLERK.

& advertised the same in the papers & paper
 of General Circulation in said County of Henrico
 to be offered for sale on the 27th day of May 1845
 May 27th 1845 - offered the above described land
 as for sale at the door of the Court House
 Mr T sold for want of bidders -
 True, W. R. Robinson Sheriff

Ex. Docket No 2 page 134

Charles B. Ball

vs

E. B. Ball et al

Wm. S. D. Gilson's cost \$11,534

Writ ⁴¹
\$11,944

Fees	
Service —	\$0 35
Mileage —	0 75
Inquest —	1 00
Advertising —	25
Copy of app —	15
	<u>\$2,50</u>

appraisors fees 1-50

Clement as

Pilot — 25

\$4-25

Printers fee - 0-71

Filed May 28 1845

John Cassill CLK

Received this writ April 18th 1845
 Return 188 acres & 107 ¹/₄ rods of land Lot No 1 - as Mem
 bered by the Commissioners in the case of Charles
 B. Ball vs E. B. Ball et al - and set off &
~~part~~ assigned to Mrs Jonathan D. Gilson
 part of survey of 66.80. and upon the part David
 Lamforth David Eckwood & James Turner
 it was estimated worth of three dollars per
 acre April 25th at 1845.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION, GREETING:

WHEREAS, in a certain action *in Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Ebenezer B. Ball et al* was defendant, the costs of the said *Mr Jonathan D. Gibson* were taxed at *eleven* dollars *53 1/2* cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattles, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Mr Jonathan D. Gibson* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8th* day of *November* A. D. 18*42* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for said county of Union, on the first day of the next term of said court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House
in Marysville, this *18th* day of *April* A. D. 184*5*

John Cassil
CLERK.

Advertised the same in the organs & papers of
 General Circulation in said County of union to
 be offered for sale on the 29th day of May 1845
 May 27th 1845 - offered the above described
 lands for sale at the order of the Court House
 Not sold for want of bidders -
 Done Mc Robinson Sheriff

Ex. Doc No. 2 page 140

Charles B. Ball
 vs
 C. B. Ball, et al

M. F. Thompson cast \$11,531/-
 Wit $\frac{41}{}$
 \$11,741/-

Fees
 Service — \$0-35
 Mileage — 0-75
 Inquest — 1-00
 Advertising — 25
 Copy of apprehment 1-5

$\$2,50$
 appraisors fees - 1-50

Clement as

Pilot — 25
 $\$4,25$

Printers fee - 0-71

Filed May 27. 1845
 John Cassil CLK

Received this writ April 18th 1845
 Leonard 138 acres @ 107 1/2 rods of land lot 20603 as purcha
 ed by the Commissioners in partition in the case of
 Charles B. Ball vs C. B. Ball et als. and set off
 and assigned to Melred J. Thompson. part of Survey
 7 to 6680 - and upon the oath of David Dunforth
 David Lockwood & James Turner. it was estima
 ted worth Three Dollars per acre - April 25th
 A D 1845

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION, GREETING:

WHEREAS, in a certain action *in Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Cheney B. Ball, et al* was defendant; the costs of the ~~said~~ *Mildred T. Thompson* were taxed at *eleven* dollars *53 1/2* cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattles, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Mildred T. Thompson* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8* day of *November* A. D. 18*92* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for said county of Union, on the first day of the next term of said court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House
in Marysville, this *15th* day of *April* A. D. 184*5*
John Cassil CLERK.

advertising the same in the papers & when it be
near circulation in said county of Union - to be offered
for sale on the 27th day of May of 1845 -
May 27th 1845 - where the above described land
was sold at the order of the Court & where
the T. Ball has been the purchaser -
From the Receiver's Office

v.2. Doc No 2 page 141

Charles B. Ball
vs
C. B. Ball, et al

J. W. McLean
Costs — — \$11,53 1/2
Writ — — — — — 41
\$11,94 1/2
Fees
Service — — — — — 54
Mileage — — — — — 75
Inquest — — — — — 1.00
Advertising — — — — — 25
Copy of appo. — — — — — 15
\$2,50
appraisers fees \$ 1,50

E. Clement as
Plat — — — — — 25
\$4-25
Printer fee v. 71
Filed May 28. 1845
John Cassil etc

Received this writ April 18th 1845
Served on 188 acres & 10 2/3 rods of land later so 2 as numbered by
the Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles B.
Ball vs E. B. Ball et al - and set off and assigned to
Frances W. McLean as part of Survey of 6680
and upon the part of David Langford, David Sack
wood & James Turner it was estimated worth \$8,000
per acre - April 24th 1845 -

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING

WHEREAS, in a certain action *in Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Ebenzer B. Ball* was defendant, the costs of said *Frances W. McLearen* were taxed at *eleven dollars 53 1/2* cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Frances W. McLearen* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8th* day of *November* A. D. 18 *42* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the said county of Union on the first day of the next term of said Court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS, JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House

in Marysville, this *15th* day of *April* A. D. 184 *5*

John Cassil CLERK.

advertised the same in the registers & papers of
 General circulation in said County of Monroe to
 be offered for sale on the 27th day of April 1845
 May 29th 1835 offered the the above described
 land for sale at the order of the Court house
 not sold for want of bidders
 J. W. Robinson Sheriff

Ex. Dec. No 2 page 142

Charles B. Ball

v
E. B. Ball et al

George W. Ball

Cost \$11,53 1/2

Writ 47
\$11,74 1/2

Fees
Service ————— \$0 55

Mileage ————— 75

Inquest ————— 1-00

Advertising ————— 25

Copy of papers ————— 15

Appraisors fees ————— 1-50

E. Clement as

Pilot ————— 25

\$4,25

Printers fee 0-71

Filed May 28. 1845

John Cassil

CLK

Received this writ April 18th 1845
 Levied on 138 acres of Land Lot 634 - as numbered
 by the Commissioners in partition in the case of Char-
 les B. Ball vs E. B. Ball et al - and set off and
 assigned to George W. Ball per copy survey of 60.80
 and upon the writ of David Dambeth David Lachar
 of James Turner it was estimated worth \$3.00
 per acre April 25th et. 1845

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING

WHEREAS, in a certain action in *Partition* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Charles B. Ball* was plaintiff, and *Charles B. Ball, et al* was defendant, the costs of said *George W. Ball* were taxed at *eleven* dollars *53 1/2* cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *George W. Ball* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8th* day of *November* A. D. 18*42* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the said county of Union on the first day of the next term of said Court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS, JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House in Marysville, this *15th* day of *April* A. D. 184*5*

John Cassil CLERK.

Charles B Ball

C B Ball No 1

Charles B Ball's cost \$3.84

Sub from Nov 8. 1842

Increase cost 5.37

with on same 1.52

with .41

To Spr. J. 1850

Filed May 28. 1850
J. A. Kinnead Jr clerk

Recorded

Cassie

Received this writ February 25th 1850. Advertised the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune a Newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County for 30 days previous to the day of sale. in pursuance of said notice I offered said real estate for sale by public Auction at the door of the Court House in Marysville on the 27th day of May A.D. 1850 between the legal hours of ten O'clock A.M. and four O'clock P.M. not sold for want of bidders.

Fees = mileage 5

Service 35

Advertising 25

Pr-fee

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Philip Fisher Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of Charles B. Ball —
cont. 46 acres & 35 rods of land. Lot no 5 as numbered
by the Commissioners in Partition in the case of
Charles B. Ball vs E. B. Ball et al. and set off acres
assigned to Charles B. Ball - part of survey
no 6680.

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified
to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy John Cassie & others.

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for _____ damages, together with
\$ 3.84 for their costs, with interest thereon from the 8th day of November
A.D. 1842 until paid, which late in our said Court the said John Cassie & others

recovered against the said Charles B. Ball

as of record is manifest. Also, \$ 5.37 & interest to this date \$1.52 increase of costs, and the accruing costs.

~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then~~
~~you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as~~
~~the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold~~
~~as aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment.~~ And that you have the same before the said Court at the
Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said John Cassie et al

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.
James Knitkado
Witness, JOHN CASSELL, Clerk of said Court at the Court
House in Marysville, this 25th day of February
A.D. 1850
James Knitkado Clerk.

Charles B Ball

vs

C B Ball et al

M D Thompson costs	\$11.53 =
Sub from Nov. 8. 1842	
Increase costs	5.37
Sub on same	1.52
with	1.41

In Spr L. 1850

Filed May 28. 1850
I Knicker for CK

Recorded

Cassil

Received this writ February 25th 1850. advertised the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune a newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County for 30 days previous to the day of sale, in pursuance of said notice I offered said real estate for sale by public auction at the door of the Court House in Marysville on the 27th day of May A.D. 1850 between the hours of ten o'clock A.M. and four o'clock P.M. Not sold for want of bidders.

Fees = mileage 5

Service 35

advertising 25

Pr fee

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Philip Snider Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting!

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of *M. D. Thompson*

to wit: 138 acres & 107 ⁴/₁₀ rods of land lot No 3. as numbered by the Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles B Ball vs E B Ball et al. and set off and assigned to Mildred J Thompson part of Survey No 6680

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy *John Cassie & others*

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for damages, together with
\$11.53 ¹/₂ — for ~~these~~ costs, with interest thereon from the 8th day of November
A.D. 184 2 until paid, which late in our said Court the said *John Cassie & others*

recovered against the said *Mildred J. Thompson* —
as of record is manifest. Also, \$ 5.37 ^{interest on same to this date \$152 -} increase of costs, and the accruing costs.
~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold as aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment.~~ And that you have the same before the said Court at the Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said *John Cassie & as*

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.

James Krikade
Witness, ~~JOHN CASSELL~~, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville, this 25th day of February
A.D. 1850 *James Krikade* Clerk

Charles B Ball

C B Ball et al

Mrs J. D. Gibbons costs \$11.53 =
Lit from Nov 8. 1842

Increase costs	5.37
Lit on sum	1.51/2
with	1.41

To Spr. J. 1850

Filed May 28. 1850
J. Kim Roden jr clerk

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Cassie

Received this writ February 25th 1850. Advertised the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune a Newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County for 30 days previous to the day of sale. in pursuance of said notice I offered said real estate for sale by public ~~sale~~ Auction at the door of the Court House in Marysville on the 27th day of May A.D. 1850 between the legal hours of ten O'clock. A.M. and four O'clock P.M. not sold for want of bidders.

Fees = Mileage 5

Service 35

advertising 25, Pay fee 72 1/2

Philip Snider Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of Mrs. J. D. Gibson *to wit*,
138 acres & 7/8 rods of land lot No 1 as numbered by the
Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles B. Ball as
B. B. Ball & as. and set off ~~land~~ assigned to Mrs Jonathan
D. Gibson. part of Survey No 6680 —

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified
to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy John Cassie & others

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for damages, together with
\$11.53 1/2 — for *their* costs, with interest thereon from the 8th day of November
A.D. 1842 until paid, which late in our said Court the said John Cassie & others —

recovered against the said Mrs. J. D. Gibson —

as of record is manifest. Also, \$ 5.37 — *& interest on same to this date \$ 1.52*
increase of costs, and the accruing costs.

~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then
you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as
the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold
as aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment.~~ And that you have the same before the said Court at the
Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said John Cassie & others

Hereof, fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.

James Kirkcaldie
Witness, JOHN CASSIE, Clerk of said Court at the Court
House in Marysville, this 25th day of February
A.D. 1850

James Kirkcaldie Clerk

Charles B Ball
vs
E B Ball et al

E B Balls. Costs \$384-
Sub from Nov 8. 1842
Increase costs 5.40
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Writ .41

To Spu T. 1850

Filed May 28. 1850
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Cassie

Received this writ February 25th 1850. advertised the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune a newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County for 30 days previous to the day of sale. in pursuance of said notice on the 27th day of May A.D. 1850 between the legal hours of ten o'clock A.M. and four o'clock P.M. I offered the said real estate for sale by public auction at the door of the Court House in Marysville. Not sold for want of bidders.

Fees = mileage 5

Service 35

Advertising 25

Pro fee 71

Philip Sneider Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting!

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of *Ebenezer B Ball* to wit
46 acres & 35 rods of land lot no 6. as no. by the Commissioners
in partition in the case of *Charles B Ball vs E B Ball* was
and set off and assigned to *Ebenezer B Ball* part of
Survey no 6680. —

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified
to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy *John Cassil & others*

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for _____ damages, together with
\$ 3.84¹/₂ — for *their* costs, with interest thereon from the *8th* day of *November*
A.D. 1842 until paid, which late in our said Court the said *John Cassil & others*

recovered against the said *Ebenezer B. Ball* —

as of record is manifest. Also, \$ 5.40 ^{4 interest on same @ this date \$1.52} increase of costs, and the accruing costs.

~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then
you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as
the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold
as aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment. And that you have the same before the said Court at the
Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said *John Cassil & others*~~

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.

James Kirk Kader
Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court at the Court
House in Marysville, this 25th day of *February*

A.D. 1850 *James Kirk Kader*

Clerk.

Charles B Ball

vs

C B Ball No

Isabel B Ball Cost \$3.84
Ent from Nov 8. 1842Increase cost 5.37
Ent on same 1.52
net 41

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Cassie

Received this writ February 25th 1850. I duly advertised the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune a newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County for at least 30 days previous to the day of sale, in pursuance of said notice I offered said within described real estate for sale by public Auction at the door of the Court House in the Town of Marysville in said County on the 27th day of May A.D. 1850 between the hours of ten O'clock, A.M. and four O'clock, P.M. it being the time and place I advertised the same to be sold, and then and there sold to Jeremiah M. Danforth the said real estate for two dollars per acre he being the highest and best bidder therefor and that being two thirds the appraised value thereof

Fees = mileage 5

Service 35

advertising 25

Pr fee 72

Poundage \$1.84

Philip A. Under Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting!

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of *Isabel B Ball, Court.*
46 acres + 35 rods of land lot no 7, as numbered by the
Commissioners in partition in the case of Ch. B B all
vs B B Ball et al and set off and assigned to Isabel B.
Ball. party survey no 6680. —

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified
to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy *John Cassie & others*

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for damages, together with
\$3.84 — for *their* costs, with interest thereon from the *8th* day of *November*
A.D. 184*2* until paid, which late in our said Court the said *John Cassie et al*

recovered against the said *Isabel B. Ball* —

interest on same to this date \$1.52
as of record is manifest. Also, \$ *5.37* — increase of costs, and the accruing costs.

~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then
you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as
the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold
aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment.~~ And that you have the same before the said Court at the
Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said *John Cassie et al*

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.

James Kirkadee
Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of said Court at the Court

House in Marysville, this *25th* day of *February*

A.D. 18*50*. *James Kirkadee* Clerk.

Charles B Ball

C B Ball et al

Fr. W. Seaver. cost \$11.53
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 Increase costs 5.27
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Fees = Mileage 5

Service 35

advertising 25

Pr fees 71

Philip Swider Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting!

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of *Francis W. Learer to-wit*,
138 acres 107⁴/₁₀₀ rods of land lot no 2. as numbered by
the Commissioners in the case of Charles B. Ball vs
E. B. Ball et al and set off and assigned to Francis
W. Learer part of Survey no 6680 —

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified
to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy *John Cassie & others*

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for damages, together with
\$ 11.53- for *these* costs, with interest thereon from the *8th* day of *November*
A.D. 1842 until paid, which late in our said Court the said *John Cassie & others*

recovered against the said *Francis W. Learer —*

+ interest on same to this date \$ 1.49
as of record is manifest. Also, ~~\$ 4.27~~ *5.27* — increase of costs, and the accruing costs.

~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then
you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as
the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold
aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment.~~ And that you have the same before the said Court at the

Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said *John Cassie & others*

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.

James Kim Kade
Witness, ~~JOHN CASSIE~~, Clerk of said Court at the Court
House in Marysville, this *23th* day of *February*

A.D. 1850

James Kim Kade Clerk.

Charles B Ball

E B Ball et al

Geo W Ball Costs \$11.53-

Sub from no 81442

Increase cast 5.37

Sub on same 1.52

with 41.

7th J. 1850

Filed May 28, 1850
I Kin Rader Clerk

Recorded

Cassie

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Philip Swicker Sheriff

THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting!

WE command you to expose to sale those Lands and Tenements of George W. Ball, town, 138 acres & 107 ⁴/₁₀ rods of land lot no 4, as numbered by the Commissioners in partition in the case of Charles B Ball vs D B Ball et al and set off and assigned to George W Ball part of survey no 6680

which according to our commands you have taken into your hands, and which remain unsold as you have certified to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of our said County, to satisfy John Cassie & others

the sum of _____ dollars
and _____ cents for _____ for damages, together with
\$ 11.53 — for their costs, with interest thereon from the 8th day of November
A.D. 1842 until paid, which late in our said Court the said John Cassie et al

recovered against the said George W Ball _____
as of record is manifest. Also, \$ 5.37 — interest to this date \$ 1.52 is
increase of costs, and the accruing costs.
~~And if in your opinion the property in your hands not sold will be insufficient to satisfy the judgment aforesaid, then you are hereby commanded that you levy the same upon the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, or either, as the law shall permit, being the property of the judgment debtor, which together with the property on hand not sold as aforesaid will be sufficient to satisfy said judgment.~~ And that you have the same before the said Court at the Court House in Marysville, on the first day of their next Term, to render unto said John Cassie et al

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.
Witness, ~~JOHN CASSELL~~ James Kunkade, Clerk of said Court at the Court House in Marysville, this 23rd day of February
A.D. 1850
James Kunkade Jr Clerk.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0008

Chancery Case

1842-CH-0008

located with

Supreme Court Case

1842-SC-0020

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1842-CH-0009

No. 42-CH-9

Union Common Pleas Court.

Richard Douglas
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

The unknown heirs of
Defendant.

Thomas Buyer, et al.

NOV TERM, 1842

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Union Common Pleas

Richard Douglas
vs } In Chancery.
The unknown heirs of
Thomas Bouyer-Deud, et al.

The Petition

Filed April 28. 1862

James H. Gill Clerk

Cost Bill made

Recorded, Book 4, p. ~~77~~^{88.}

To the Honorable the judges of the Court
of Common Pleas in and for Union County
and State of Ohio in Chancery sitting. —

The petition of Richard Douglas of
the County of Ross and State aforesaid,
respectfully sheweth unto Your Honors; That
on or about the fifth day of December A 1807
entry number 229 of 1000 acres of land was
made upon the books of the principal surveyor
of the Virginia military district of lands
within the State of Ohio in the name of
Thomas Bowyer, and on or about the 20th day
of April 1808, a legal survey of said entry was
made for the said Thomas Bowyer, and on
or about the 28th day of June A 1809, the
said survey was duly recorded upon the books
of said principal surveyor; which said entry
fully appropriated the lands by its said number
and the said survey defined and ascertained
the metes and bounds thereof, and it thence
stood as a good valid recorded survey. Your
petitioner refers to said entry and survey for
certainty as a part of this petition, and therewith
files a copy thereof as an exhibit in this cause —
said survey of land lies in said County of Union
and within the jurisdiction of this Court. —

Your petitioner further states that said entry
and survey of land was duly entered for taxation
upon the proper books of this County by its said
number and quantity, and thereupon became
delinquent for the taxes and penalties of 1835
and the taxes of 1836, and was duly advertised and
proceeded in, in all things agreeable to law, and

and on the 26th day of December A 1836 being the time mentioned, and at the proper place therein named was the whole of said entry and survey was sold by the Treasurer of said County to one Manly S Butler for the sum of twenty eight dollars six cents and five mills being the taxes interest and penalties aforesaid, he the said Butler then and there offering and bidding to pay the same for the whole of said entry and survey, and no one offering to pay the same for a less quantity thereof, said Butler became the purchaser of the whole of said survey, and thereupon a certificate of said purchase and sale was then and there executed and delivered to the said Manly S Butler by Levi Phelps the then Auditor of said County agreeable to the Statute in such case made and provided - That afterwards to wit, on the 14th day of March A 1837, the said Butler for a valuable consideration to him paid therefor by your petitioner sold assigned and transferred to your petitioner all his right title and claim in and to said certificate and the land therein mentioned, and then and there delivered to your petitioner the said certificate so assigned; and your petitioner thereupon exercised the proprietary ownership of said survey of land, and has paid the taxes thereon - That on or about the 27th day of April A 1842, Oliver C Kenady the present Auditor of said County in consideration of the premises and payment of the purchase money by said Butler, and the assignment aforesaid in his official capacity as said County Auditor

executed and delivered to your petitioner a Deed
in due form of law for the whole of said
survey of land, and your petitioner thereupon
surrendered and delivered up said certificate
to said Auditor; which said Deed your petitioner
exhibits as a part of this petition. — Your
petitioner further states to your Honors, that
at the time of the sale of said survey of land
for taxes the same had not been carried into
grant, but stood upon the entry and recorded
survey as aforesaid, whereby the said Butler and
your petitioner acquired an inchoate legal or
perfect equitable title to said survey in virtue
of said purchase, but not a full and complete
legal title thereto. — That he has been informed
and believes that the said Thomas Bowyer died
some time in the year 1810 or since, but of the
positive certainty of his death or the time thereof
your petitioner cannot speak as of his own
knowledge, and if dead he does not know the
names of his heirs or legal representatives. —
That on the 28th day of February A.D. 1842, a
patent issued to and in the name of the said
Thomas Bowyer for said survey number 829 of
1000 acres of land, whereby the ^{complete} legal title thereto
became vested in the said Thomas Bowyer if
living, and if dead became vested in his heirs
and legal representatives, and inured to their
use and benefit by and in virtue of the Statute
law of Congress in such case made and provided.
which said patent your petitioner exhibits as a
part hereof. — To obtain which patent your petitioner
paid from his own pocket a large amount of

office fees and charges, to wit, the sum of 85 dollars and seventyfive cents, as by the receipt therefor will fully appear - By means of which said several premises your petitioner insists that he is well entitled to a conveyance of the legal title to said survey number 329 of 1000 acres of land, and he cannot obtain the same without the aid of the chancery powers of this honorable Court - In tender consideration whereof your petitioner prays your Honors that the said Thomas Bowyer if living or his unknown heirs and legal representatives (if dead) be made parties defendants to this petition, and duly answer the same - And upon a final hearing that your Honors will decree to your petitioner a full and perfect legal title to said survey of land in such manner and form as to your Honors may seem meet and just - Or if it should be that a title could not be absolutely decreed by your honors by reason of any act or hindrance whatever, that then and in such case would decree to your petitioner all proper charges and disbursements upon said land or on account thereof and that the same be sold for the satisfaction thereof in such manner as to your Honors may seem meet and agreeable to the Statute in such case made and provided - and finally that your Honors will extend to your petitioner all, and all other, full, general, and complete relief in the premises -

A. Douglas.

State of Ohio - Union County ss -
Court of Common Pleas - April Term - 1842 -

Richard Douglas maketh oath and saith that he is the complainant in the foregoing petition - that he is informed and believes that the said Thomas Boyer named in said petition is dead - that it is necessary to make the heirs of said Boyer Defendants to said petition, and that he does not know the names or residence of such heirs, or any, or either of them, but he verily believes that if the said Thomas ~~Boyer~~ Boyer be living that he does not reside in the State of Ohio, and that if he be dead none of his heirs reside in this State.

Seen to and subscribed in
open Court April 28. 1842

R. Douglas.

Jas. H. Gill Clerk

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Filed Aug 30. 1872
Jas. W. McClellan

STATE OF OHIO, Union county, ss.—Court of Common Pleas, April term, A. D. 1842. Richard Douglass, complainant, vs. The unknown heirs of Thomas Bowyer, dec'd, et al., defendants. *In Chancery.* This day came the complainant and filed his petition, the object and prayer whereof is to obtain title to survey No. 829, of 1000 acres of land lying in this county, to which petition is affixed his affidavit, that he is informed and believes the said Thomas Bowyer is dead, and that he does not know the names or residence of his heirs, or any or either of them; but he verily believes that if the said Thomas Bowyer be living, he does not reside in the state of Ohio, and that if he be dead none of his heirs reside in this State. It is therefore ordered by the Court, that unless the said Thomas Bowyer, if living, or his heirs if he be dead, appear and plead, answer or demur to the said petition and the matters thereof, within sixty days from and after the next term of this Court, which commences on the 30th day of August next, the same will be taken as confessed against them, and decreed accordingly. And it is further ordered that the publication of a copy of this order in the Ohio State Journal, a newspaper published in Columbus and of general circulation in this county, for six consecutive weeks previous to the 15th day of July next, shall be good and sufficient notice to the defendants of the pendency of this suit. This dated April 28th, A. D. 1842.

The above is a correct copy of Journal entry in this case.
May 2, 1842.—6w84 JAMES H. GILL, Clerk.

State of Ohio, Franklin county, ss.

Charles Scott, being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that the notice, of which a true copy is hereunto annexed, was published in the *Ohio State Journal*, a newspaper in general circulation in the county of Union six _____ consecutive weeks from and after the 2nd/₁₁ day of May 1842
Char. Scott

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

29th/₁₁ day of Aug. 1842
Sho^{ld} Wood J^r

Printer's fee—\$ 37 5/8
This affidavit--\$ 25

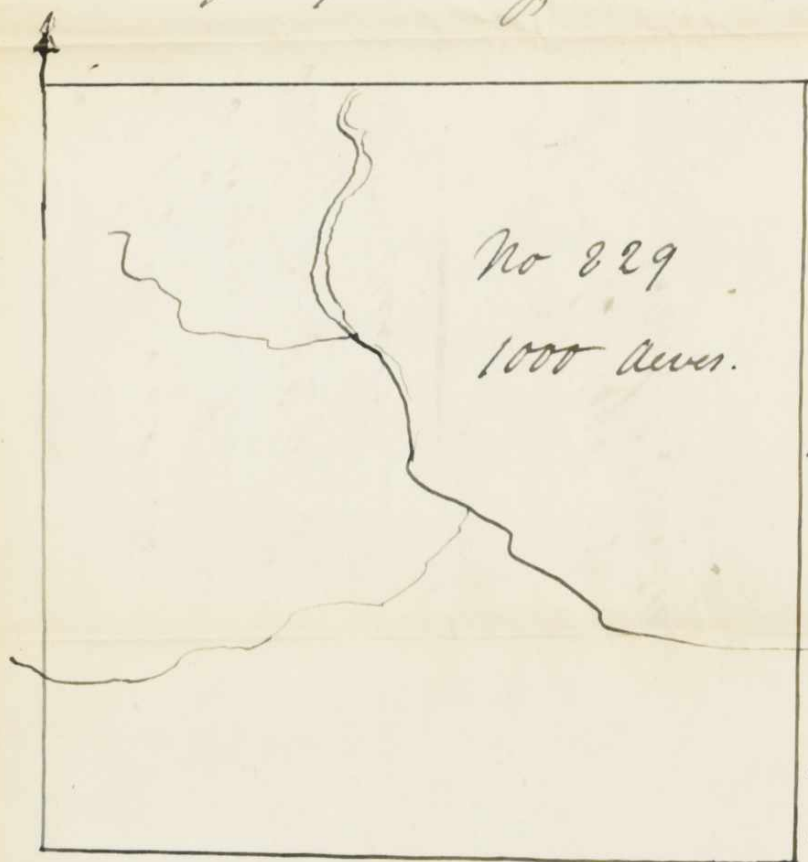
Copy of Thomas
Bowyer entry and
survey no 829 of
1000 acres —

Filed Nov 19th 1842
John Caspell
pro. tr.

Filed with petition

1807. December 5th

No 829 - Thomas Bowyer enters 1000 acres of land on part of a military warrant No 659, between Bokes and Mill Creeks. Beginning S 83 E 400 poles from the southeasterly corner of James Bevericks entry No 5373, running S 83 E 400 poles, thence off at right angles S 7 W for quantity -



Survey for Thomas Bowyer 1000 acres of land on part of a military warrant No 659 between Mill Creek and Bokes Creek - Beginning at two beches and a sugar tree, S 83 E 400 poles from the south east corner of Robert Means survey No 5387 in the line of Mark Vandewalls survey No 644, running with Vandewalls line and down thence of

S 83 E 400 poles crossing a branch to two beches a sugar tree and iron wood, thence S 7 W 400 poles crossing a branch at 260 poles to a dog wood ash and iron wood, thence N 83 W, 400 poles to a beehory ash and sugar tree, thence N 7 E 400 poles, crossing a branch at 110, and one at 360 poles to the beginning -

David Sharp }
William Henig } & C

Duncan McArthur D S
April 20th 1808

Joseph Hagner - Mbr

June 28 - 1809

Richard Douglass

vs

Thos Bowyer's heirs

Deer for cargo \$ 8,99 1/2

Writ	41
Interest on cargo	72
Shuffell C	58
	\$ 10,70 1/2

Filed May 27th 1844
John Capil Clerk

Money made May 20th 1844

Suma 35
Purley 5
Penny 18
1844

The Clerk of the Court
J. Capil

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~Union~~ ^{Sci} GREETING:

WHEREAS, in a certain action *in chancery* lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Union, wherein *Richard Douglas* was plaintiff, and *Thomas Sawyer's heirs* were defendant; the costs of the said *Richard Douglas* were taxed at *eight* dollars *ninety nine* $\frac{1}{2}$ cents: you are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattles, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Richard Douglas* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the *8th* day of *November* A. D. 18*42* until paid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, within and for said county of Union, on the first day of the next term of said court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court at the Court House

in Marysville, this *8th* day of *March* A. D. 18*47*

John Cassil

CLERK.