Platte Co. Circuit Court
Circuit Court
March TERM 1853

Box 24 File 69

State of Missouri

vs.

Bowlin, Elizabeth

Permitting Slave to Trade as a Free Person

STATE OF MISSOURI, } Sct.
COUNTY OF PLATTE.

The State of Missouri, to the Sheriff of Platte County; Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to ~~Summon~~ take Elizabeth Bowlin and her safely keep

So that she be and appear before the Judge of our Platte Circuit Court, in and for said County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in Platte City, on Monday the Seventh day of March next, then and there to answer unto The State of Missouri for permitting Slave to go at large and deal as a free person of which she stands Indicted by the Grand Jury of the County aforesaid

Wherein fail not, and have you then there this Writ.

Witness, WILLIAM C. REMINGTON, Clerk of said Circuit Court, with the SEAL thereof affixed at Platte City, on this Seventh day of January A. D. 1853.

Wm C Remington Clerk

The within served by taking the body of Elizabeth Bowlin in Platte County Mo. on the 19th of February 1853. who gave bond for her appearance at the next term of the Platte Circuit court to be held at Platte City on the 7th day of March 1853, which is herewith returned. L. Shepard Sheff

State
vs
Elizabeth Bowlin

7 March 1853

Sheriff's fee 1.37½

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Bowlin as principal ~~and~~ [redacted] ~~as security are~~ is held and firmly bound unto the State of Missouri in the sum of one hundred Dollars and — Cents, that is to say, the said Elizabeth Bowlin in the sum of one hundred Dollars ~~and the said [redacted] in the sum of~~ Dollars for the true and faithful payment of which ~~we~~ she bind ~~ourselves~~ herself, ~~our~~ her heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents signed, sealed and dated this the 19th day of February A. D. 1853.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the said Elizabeth Bowlin has been indicted by the Grand Jury of Platte county for permitting slave to trade as a free person

Now if the said Elizabeth Bowlin shall make his personal appearance before the Platte Circuit Court on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the Court House in the town of Platte City on the 7th day of March A. D. 1853 to answer to the indictment aforesaid and shall not depart the said court without leave, then this obligation to be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Attest

Elizabeth Bowlin

STATE OF MISSOURI, } SCT.
COUNTY OF PLATTE,

The State of Missouri,

To L. Shepard, B.E. Morton, Delany Bowlin, M. Benbenton, and E.B. Homer

You are hereby commanded to be and appear before the Judge of our Platte Circuit Court, at the Court house in Platte City, on the 16th day of March 1853, to give evidence between The State of Missouri Plaintiff and Elizabeth Bowlin Defendant on the part of the State

Fail not at your peril.

Witness, WILLIAM C. REMINGTON, Clerk of said Circuit Court, with the *Seal* thereof affixed, at Platte City, the 21st day of February 1853

Wm C Remington Clerk.

State
of
Ulster Sct.
Elizabeth Bouton
Summons
L. Shepard
B. P. Morton
Delany Bouton
M. Bouton
C. B. Horner
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Sheriff fee 2.10

Service as the Law directs on the within in the City of Kingston this 7th day of March A.D. 1853. Affidavit of Service
L. Shepard Sheriff
Bouton