Platte County Circuit Court
Justice of the Peace
No term given. March 1867 No. 241

Box 72 File 6

State of Missouri

vs

Jones, Dabney

Grand Larceny

- Accused of stealing horse, property of Joshua Fleeheart
- Case transferred from J.P. to Circuit Court

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State of Missouri

vs

Grand Larceny

Dabney Jones

The State of Missouri

To the Sheriff or any Constable of this or any other Officer authorized to execute Criminal Process

in Haste County of Clay Greeting

Whereas Lauren H. Worthington has this day given information upon oath to the undersigned justice of the peace of Clay County in the State of Missouri that he has great reason to believe and does believe that one Dabney Jones of Platte County in said State did at the county of Platte aforesaid on or about the 10th day of February A.D. 1867 feloniously steal take and carry away from some person to him unknown at present in Platte County Missouri, one certain horse three years old, roan color, a natural Pacer, of the value of one hundred dollars Affiant further states that the said Dabney Jones is now in Clay County Missouri.

These are therefore to command you to apprehend the said Dabney Jones and bring him before me or convey him to some justice of the peace or other Magistrate of Platte County in said State of Missouri & authorized to investigate complaints of this kind, to answer the premises and further to be dealt with according to law

Given under my hand this 3d day of March 1867

John C. Chrisman J.P.

Syved this Writ by arresting Dabney
Jones and bringing his body before
Charles Carpenter a Justice of the Peace
in Platte County Mo this March 6. 1862

N P Ogden Sheriff

Fees

Serg. Feb 1864

Clerk

Dabney Jones

Warrant

Platte Co Mo

The State of Missouri,

To Nathan P Ogden

Sheriff and ex officio Jailer of Platte County: Greeting. These are to command you forthwith to convey and deliver into the custody of the Keeper of the Jail of said County of Platte, the body of Dabney Jones of said County, taken and brought before me a Justice of the peace within and for the county aforesaid; upon the oath of Lawn Worthington upon a charge of Stealing and carrying away one Roan horse of the value of One hundred dollars, from one Joshua Flatfoot! and that you safely keep the said Dabney Jones in your Jail until he shall be discharged therefrom by due course of law

Given under my hand, this 6th day of March 1867

Charles Carpenter
Justice of the Peace

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State

vs

Dabney Jones

Commitment

Filed Nov 9th 1867.
F. M. Lufts
Clerk

State of Missouri }
County of Platte }

The State of Missouri

vs

Dabney Jones

before Charles Carpter a Justice of the Peace

Examination of Witness produced and
sworn in the above entitled cause
on the part of the State

Just Fleehart of lawful age being
produced and sworn on his oath says
I resive in Platte County about Five
and one half miles North West of Weston
about Three Weeks ago then was Stolen
from me at my residence a horse of
a roan color about Three Years old
a natural pacer (The horse is known by the name of Tom)
worth about one
hundred & fifty dollars the horse was
Taken in the night about 9 or 10
Oclock The Horse belonged to me
the next day after the horse was Stolen
I went in Search of him I found him
about Two Weeks after he was Stolen in
Clay County Missouri the day before
I found the horse I saw the prisoner Dabney
Jones I asked him about the horse
I Cannot Learn he had had the horse

in his Confession and to the Jurors
told me he had taken the horse to a
Lady To ride and the horse would be
back the next day if he was not To
come He started then To get the and
sent for the horse The day after I had
A Payne Sheriff of Platte County came down
with a warrant and arrested Jones
The Jurors acknowledgen To me That he
had Taken the horse out of my Stable
Did not told ant To the Jurors any
Inducements or Threaten him in any way
When he made the above Confession
He said that he Had Stolen the horse
To Keep from walking in the mud
Joshua his ✕ mark Fleehart

Subscribed & Sworn To before me
This 6th day of March 1869
Charles Carpenter J.P

The Jurors Jonathan Foster being duly Sworn on his
oath on Say I am acquainted
with the Prisoner Dabney Jones he came
To my house about Three Weeks ago
about Eleven oclock at Night We were
in bed and he woke me up and
Stolen That he wanted To Stay all Night
I asked him what he was doing out
So late at Night I asked him if he

was walking and he saysd no he was
ridein on Fleeharts horse and was
going out home To get some clothes
I asked him what horse of on Fleehorts
it was and he saysd it was his colt
Tom I did not see the horse but
recognized him by the name he left my
house before day the next morning

Mary X Foster
Mark

Subscribed & sworn to before me this
6th day of March 1867

Charles Carpenter J. P

Miss Laura Foster being duly sworn
makes oath and says I live with
my mother Martha Foster who was taken
is just Taken I was at home the
night that the Prisoner Sabney Jones
came To our house I heard him say
That he had our Fleehorts horse and
went and saw the horse and I recogn
ize the horse as belonging To on Fleehart
he saysd he had borrowed the horse
To go out home To get some clothes
he saysd that he had been on the Bord
and that they had run off of the
Track and he had lost all his
clothes

Laura X Foster
her
mark

Sworn & Subscribed to before me the 6th March 67
Charles Carpenter J P

The Prisoner being advised by the Jnatice declines To make any Statement

Charles Carpenter J. P.

The Jnatice then Given the bond at one thousand Dollars The Prisoner being unable To give the bond was then committed To Jail

this is to certify the foregoing is a true Copy of the Testimony & Proceedings in the Cases when the State of Missouri is Plaintiff and Aabney Jones Defendents ~~Testimony I have~~ Given under my hand this the 6th day of March 1867

Charles Carpenter Jnatice of the peace

In Platt Co, mo

State
vs
Aabney Jones

Evidence

Filed Aug. 1st 1867.
F. M. Leigh
Clerk

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State of Missouri
County of Platte

Before the undersigned
for said County came
Habner Jones and
and Severally acknowledge themselves to
owe the State of Missouri the Sum of
Two Hundred Dollars to be levied
of there goods and Chattles Lands
and tenements if default be made
in the Condition following is Viz
The Condition of this recognizance
is Such that if the above named
Habner Jones Shall personally
appear and be before the Circuit
Court on the first day of the next
term thereof next to be holden in
and for the County aforesaid
there and there to answer a Charge
of Horsestealing and abide the
Judgement of the Court and not
depart Without leave then this
recognizance Shall be void
otherwise to Remain in full force
and Virture in Law

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Habner Jones an

In } Bond
State of Missouri

Filed Nov 9th 1867.
F. M. Tufts
Clerk

State of Missouri,
FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

In the Circuit Court of the County of Platte in the State of Missouri, of November Term, A. D., 1867, Platte County, to-wit:

The Grand Jurors of the State of Missouri, for the body of the county of Platte, aforesaid, upon their oath present that Darby Jones late of the county of Platte, aforesaid, on the first day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty six, with force and arms, at the county of Platte, aforesaid, feloniously one horse of the value of one Hundred and fifty dollars of the goods and chattels of one Joshua Fleckheart then and there being found feloniously did then and there steal take and carry away with the intent to appropriate the same to his defendants own use contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State.

E H Sloan
Circuit Atty

2. Grand Larceny

State
vs
Dabney Jones

A True bill
Wm Gobbert
Foreman of the
Grand Jury
Witnesses
N P Ogden
Thomas Tipsombe
Joshua Heckart
John Binford

Filed in Open Court
Nov 13th 1864.
F. M. Tufts
clerk

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State of Missouri,

COUNTY OF PLATTE, } *ss.*

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

TO Saml Hays Nancy Hays Barrock H Jones

You are hereby Commanded, That, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, you be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, at the Court House, in the Town of Platte City, within and for said County of Platte, on Wednesday the 20th day of Nov, then and there to testify and the truth to speak, in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein State Plaintiff, and Dabney Jones Defendant, on the part of said Defendant; and this you shall in no wise omit. And the person or officer serving this Writ is commanded to have the same at the time and place aforesaid, certifying thereon his return.

Witness my hand and the seal of our said Court. Done at office in Platte City, in the County aforesaid, on this 15th day of Nov A. D. 1867.

F M Tufts *Clerk.*

By J Plattenburg Dc

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No. 2

PLATTE CIRCUIT COURT.

Nov Term, 1867

State

vs Subpoena.

Dabney Jones

~~Pl'tiffs.~~ }
Def'ts. } WITNESSES.

Day of Trial, ~~20~~ 20th

Samuel Hays

Nancy Hays

Barnett Jones

Served the within by reading the same to the within Nov 16/67

N P Gilleo

Fee 1.50 D.Sh.

State of Missouri, } ss.
COUNTY OF PLATTE.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI, TO:

Thomas Lipscomb

You are hereby Commanded, That, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, you be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, at the Court House, in the town of Platte City, within and for the said County of Platte, on ~~the~~ forthwith ~~day of~~, then and there to testify and the truth to speak in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein State of Missouri ex Plaintiff, and Dabney Jones ex Defendant, on the part of said plaintiff; and this you shall in nowise omit. And the person or officer serving this Writ is commanded to have the same at the time and place aforesaid, certifying thereon his return.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Circuit Court, at my office, in Platte City, Mo., this 21 day of November A. D. 1867.

F. M. Lafty, CLERK.

BY ....., D. C.

No. 2

PLATTE CIRCUIT COURT.

November Term, 1867

State of Missouri

vs

Subpœna

Dabney Jones

Pl'tiffs, } Witnesses.
~~Def'ts.~~ }

Day of Trial forthwith

Thomas Lipscomb

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Issued on the on the 20

1867

Ogden 75

Verdict -

We the Jury Acquit - Defendant

J. F. Peples (Foreman)