

No. 2769

Supreme Court of Illinois

Madox Maddux et al

vs.

Smith & Wm Rhodes.

Sept Term 1859 Moultree Cir court
William S. Smith

vs

Thomas A Maddux
& Frederick W Maddux

Asumpsit damages \$200.⁰⁰

Clerk please issue Summons in the
above cause ret as above & oblige
vc A B Lee for pliff

The State of Illinois Moultree County &c
The People of the State of Illinois to the Sheriff
of said county greeting. We command you
that you Summon Thomas A Maddux and
Frederick W Maddux if they shall be found
in your county personally to be and appear
before the circuit court of said county on
the first day of the next term thereof to be
holden at the Court house in Sullivan
Ills on the third Monday in the month of
September 1859 to answer William S Smith
of a plea of trespass on the case on promises
to his damage two hundred dollars
And have you then and there this writ and
make return thereon in what manner you
execute the same. Witness Arnold Thomason
Clerk of our circuit court at Sullivan
this 16th day of August in the year

of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and fifty nine

~~Clerk of the~~ Justice Arnold Thomason
~~or~~ ~~Clerk~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Circuit~~ ~~Court~~
Moultrie Co, Ill.

Aug 16th 1859 Served by reading to
Thomas A Maddux & Frederick W Maddux

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by W Menefee Depty

Of the September term A D 1859 of the
Moultrie county circuit court.

State of Illinois ss.

Moultrie County }
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William S Smith the plaintiff in this
Suit by A B Lee his Attorney complains
of Thomas A Maddux and Frederick W
Maddux the defendants in this Suit
who have been summoned to answer
said plaintiff of a plea of trespass
on the case upon promises.

For that whereas the said defendants
heretofore to wit on the tenth day of
November A D 1858 to wit at the county
aforesaid made their certain promissory
note in writing the said Thomas A Maddux
signing by his initials Thos A Maddux
& the said Frederick W Maddux by
his initials F. W Maddux, bearing
date a certain day and year therein

mentioned to wit the day and year
aforesaid and thereby then and there
promised to pay on or before the first
day of December then next ensuing to the
order of Said Plaintiff the sum of two
hundred and five dollars and seventy five
cents for value received and then and
there delivered the said promissory note to
the said Plaintiff by means whereof the
said defendants then and there became
liable to pay to the said Plaintiff the said
sum of money in the said promissory note
specified according to the tenor and effect
of said promissory note and being so liable
they the said defendants afterwards to wit
on the day and year aforesaid to wit
at the County aforesaid undertook and
then and there faithfully promised the
said Plaintiff to pay him the said sum
of money in the said promissory note
specified according to the tenor and effect
of said promissory note, yet the said
defendants not regarding their said promise
have not paid the said sum of money in
said promissory note specified to the said
Plaintiff nor to any other person to his order
nor any part thereof though often requested
so to do, but so to do have hitherto
wholly neglected and refused and still
do neglect and refuse to the damage of

Said Plaintiff of the Sum of two hundred dollars and therefore he brings his Suit vs.

A. B. Lee Attorney
for Plaintiff

Nov the 10 1858

On or before the 1 of Dec next for value received we or either of us promise to pay to the order of William E Smith two hundred & five dollars ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ for value received. Tho: A Maddux

December 17 received on the within note fifty dollars. F W Maddux
Received on the within note thirty five dollars by F W Maddux
February 17. 1859.

William E Smith }
 } An Assumpst
Thomas A Maddux }
Frederick W Maddux }

And now on this day comes the said Plaintiff by A. B. Lee his Attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the said Defendants herein were duly summoned in this cause more than ten days before the first day of this Term and they being three times solemnly called came not but made default, Whereupon it is considered by the court that said Plaintiff hath suffered damages by the non performance ^{reason for} by the said Defendants of their promise and undertaking to and with the said Plaintiff in Plaintiff's Declaration mentioned, and it further appearing that this suit is brought upon a written instrument for the payment of money only and resting in computation only it is ordered by the

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Court - that the Clerk assess the damages in this cause which is done and he reports the same in writing at two hundred and fifteen dollars and eighty three cents, which is approved by the Court, Whereupon it is further considered and ordered by the Court, that the said Plaintiff have and recover of and from the said Defendants the sum of One Hundred and ~~Sixty~~ ^{and fifty} dollars and ~~eighty three~~ ^{and fifty} cents for his damages on account of the non performance of by the said Defendants of their promise and undertaking in said Declarations mentioned together with his costs in this behalf expended, and that he have Execution therefor &c Whereupon said Defendants prayed an appeal to the Supreme Court, which is granted upon their filing their appeal Bond, within thirty days, with good and sufficient security in the sum of one hundred and twenty ^{and fifty cents} seven dollars to be approved by the Clerk of this Court

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas A Maddux & F W Maddux W^{ms} W Maddux of the County of Moultrie & State of Illinois are held & firmly bound unto William S Smith also of the Same County and State of Illinois in the penal sum of two hundred & seventy dollars

$\$ \frac{32}{100}$ dollars Current money of the United States for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents witness our hands and seals this 15th day of October A D 1859. The conditions of this above obligation is such that whereas the said William S Smith did on the 24th day of September A D 1859 in the circuit court in and for the Co & State aforesaid receive a judgment against the above bounden Thomas A Maddux & F. W. Maddux for the sum of one hundred & twenty seven dollars & $\frac{59}{100}$ dollars damages & costs seven dollars and 66 Sixty six cts costs from which said judgment the said Thos. A. Maddux and F. W. Maddux have prayed for and obtained an appeal to the Supreme court of said State, Now if the said Thomas A. Maddux & Frederick W. Maddux shall duly prosecute their said appeal with effect and shall moreover pay the amount of the judgment cost interests and damages rendered and to be rendered against him then in case said judgment shall be obtained in the Supreme court then the above obligation to be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

Taken and entered into

Thomas A. Maddux
F. W. Maddux
William W. Maddux

Seal
Seal
Seal

State of Illinois
Moultrie County 3^d J. Arnold Thomason
Clerk of the circuit court in and for said
county do hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true and perfect copy of the record
of the foregoing ~~case~~ ~~as~~ ~~appears~~ ~~of~~ ~~record~~
in my office. Witness my hand and the
Seal of said court at Sullivan this 30th
day of December A D 1859

Arnold Thomason Clerk

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Smith

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September Term Mountie County
Court 1859

William Rhodes administrator of Abram Southers

vs
Thomas A Madux John E Madux &
Alfred Thayer

Assumpsit, Damages \$100,00

The Clerk will please issue summonses in
the above cause, Retⁿ as above & oblige^d

A. B. Lee atty for plff

The State of Illinois Mountie County,
Act: The people of the State of Illinois,
to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting,
We command you that you summon
Thomas A Madux, John E Madux and
Alfred Thayer, if they shall be found
in your County, personally to be and ap-
pear before the Circuit Court of said County,
on the first day of the next term thereof,
to be holden at the Court House in Sullivan
Illinois, on the third Monday of the
month of September 1859, to answer
William Rhodes Administrator of
Abram Southers Deceased of a plea of
trespass on the case on promises to his
damage one hundred Dollars And have
you then and there this writ; and make

return thereon in what manner you execute
the same. Witness Arnold Thomason
Clerk of our Circuit Court,
Montgomeri County at Sullivan this first day of
Circuit Court September in the year of our Lord
1859 one thousand eight hundred and fifty
nine. Test: Arnold Thomason Clerk Circuit Court

Sept Term 1859 Served by reading to
J. H. Madux & J. E. Madux
Serving \$1.00
Mil 24 mis 1.20
R. 10 \$2.30
Joseph, Thomason, Shff.

of the September Term of the Montgomeri
County Circuit Court - A. O. 1859

State of Illinois }
Montgomeri County } ss

William Rhode, administrator
of all and singular the goods and Chas-
ters, Rights and credits, which were of Abram
Southern Now deceased the plaintiff in this
suit - by A. B. Lee, his attorney complains
of Thomas H. Madux John E. Madux and
Alfred Hager the defendants, in this suit
who have been summoned to answer said
plaintiff as administrator as aforesaid of a
plea of Trespass on the case upon promise
to say that whereas the said defendants
heretofore to wit, on the 8th day of July

A. D. 1858 To wit; at the County
aforesaid made their certain promissory
note in writing bearing date a certain
day and year ^{therein} mentioned To wit, the day
and year aforesaid and thereby then and there
promised to pay twelve months after the
date thereof to the said plaintiff as admin-
istrator as aforesaid the sum of Sixty
four dollars for value received and seventy
five cents, and then and there delivered
the said promissory note to the said
plaintiff as administrator as aforesaid, by means
whereof they the said defendants then and there
became liable to pay said plaintiff as admin-
istrator as aforesaid the said sum of money
in said promissory note specified according
to the tenor and effect of said promissory
note and being so liable, they the said
defendants in consideration of the promises
afterward To wit; on the day and year aforesaid
at the County aforesaid undertook and
then and there faithfully promised the said
plaintiff to pay him, as administrator as
aforesaid, the said sum of money in the
said promissory note specified according to
the tenor and effect of said promissory
note, Yet the said defendants, not Reg-
arding their said promises, have not paid

the said sum of money in said promise
or note specified nor any part thereof
although often requested so to do but so
to do have hitherto wholly neglected and
Refused and still do neglect and refuse
to the damage of said ^{plaintiff as} administrator
as aforesaid of the sum of one hundred dollars
and therefore he brings his suit &c

A B Lee atty
for plff

July 31st 1858

Twelve Months after
date We promise to pay to the order of
William Rhodes Adm of the estate of
Abram Southw D^{ce} sixty four ⁷⁵/₁₀₀
Dollars Value Received

T A Madux
J C Madux
A Thayer

William Rhodes (Adm^r)
of Abram Southw

vs
Thomas A Madux
John C Madux &
Alfred Thayer

} In
} Assumpsit

And now on this
day comes the said Plaintiff by A B
Lee his Attorney and it appearing to
the court that the said Thomas A Madux



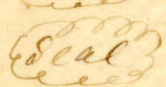
and John E Madux Defendants herein were
duly summoned in this cause more than
ten days before the first day of this Term
and they being three times solemnly call-
ed came not but made default whereupon
it is considered by the court that said
Plaintiff have suffered damages by
reason of the non performance by the
said Defendants of their promise
and undertaking to and with the
said Plaintiff in Plaintiff's Declaration
mentioned; And it further appearing
that this suit is brought upon a written
instrument for the payment of money
only and resting in computation only
it is ordered by the court that the Clerk
assess the damages on this cause which is
done and he reports the same in writing
at sixty five dollars and twenty nine cents,
which is approved by the court, Whereupon
it is further considered and ordered by the
court, that the said Plaintiff have and
recover of and from the said defendants
Thomas W Madux & John E Madux
the sum of sixty five dollars and twenty
nine cents for his damages on account of
the non performance by the said Defendants
of their promise and undertaking in said
Declaration mentioned together with his costs
in this behalf expended, and that he
have Execution therefore &c

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Whereupon said Defendants prayed
an appeal to the Supreme Court, which
is granted upon their filing their appeal
Bond, within thirty days, with good
and sufficient security in the sum of
dollars to be approved by
the Clerk of this Court

Know all men by these presents that we Thom-
as A. Maddux, John C. Maddux & W. Maddux of
the county of Multnomah & State of Illinois are held
and firmly bound unto William Rhodes Ad-
-ministrator of Abram Souther deceased also
of the same County and State of Illinois in the
Special sum of One hundred and fifty dollars
current money of the United States for the pay-
-ment of which well and truly to be made
we bind ourselves our heirs executors and
administrators jointly severally and firmly
by these presents witness our hands and
Seals this 13th day of October A D 1859
The condition of the above obligation is
Such that whereas the said William Rhodes
Administrator of Abram Souther deceased
did on the 24th day of September A D 1859
in the circuit court and for the county and
State aforesaid, recover a judgment against
the above bounden Thomas A. Maddux
and John C. Maddux for the sum of
Sixty five dollars and twenty nine
cents damages and seven dollars

and Seventy Six cents costs from which
Said Judgment the Said Thomas A
Maddux & John E Maddux have prayed
for and obtained an appeal to the Supreme
court of Said State Now if the Said Thomas
A Maddux and John E Maddux shall
duly prosecute their Said Appeal with
effect and shall moreover pay the
Amount of the Judgment costs interest
and damages rendered and to be rendered
against them in case the Said Judgment
shall be affirmed in the Said Supreme
court then the above obligation to be
void otherwise to be and remain in
full force and virtue

Taken and } Thomas A Maddux 
entered into } J. E. Maddux 
 } J. W. Maddux 

State of Illinois }
Moultrie County }
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I Arnold Thomason
Clerk of the circuit court in and for Said
county do hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true and perfect copy of the record
of the foregoing cause as appears of record in
my office Witness My hand and the
Seal of Said court at Sullivan this 30th
day of December A^d 1859

Arnold Thomason Clerk

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