

No. 8703

Supreme Court of Illinois

S. S. Canden

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vs.

E. A. Phelps

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Plead before the Circuit Court, within and for the County of Union and State of Illinois, the Honorable William A. Henning judge of the third judicial Circuit of the State aforesaid presiding on the twenty fifth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one, at Jonesboro in the State aforesaid

Be it remembered that heretofore, to wit, on the thirtieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one Sidney S Condron filed in the Clerks office of the Court aforesaid the following Appeal Bond, to wit,

" Know all men by these presents that we Sidney S Condron and Daniel D Cover are held and firmly bound unto Enoe A Phillip in the penal sum of fifty dollars lawful money of the United States, for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Witness our hands and seals this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Enoe A Phillips did on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851 before Thomas Hileman Court Judge for the County of Union recover a judgment against the above bondsmen Sidney S Condron for the sum of ten dollars and costs of suit, from which judgment the said Sidney S Condron has taken an appeal to the Circuit Court of the County of Union aforesaid and State of Illinois. Now if the said Sidney S Condron shall prosecute his appeal with effect and shall pay whatever judgment may be rendered by the Court upon dismissal or trial of said appeal, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Sidney S Condron Seal  
Daniel D Cover Seal

Approved by me at my office this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August AD 1851

Thomas Holman Clerk

And afterwards, to wit, on the day aforesaid, to wit, on the  
thirtieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and fifty one, the said Sidney S Condon  
sued out of the Clerk's office of the Court aforesaid the  
following writ of Summons, to wit,

" State of Illinois      The people of the State of Illinois  
County of Union      To the Sheriff of said County  
Greeting

We command you to summon Enos A Phillips if  
he 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 Jonesboro on the Fourth Monday in the month of  
September next, to answer Sidney S Condon of an  
Appeal taken from the judgment Docket of T Holman  
Court Judge in and for said County wherein Enos A  
Phillips is Plaintiff and Sidney S Condon Defendant  
And have you then and there this writ and make return  
theron in what manner you execute the same

Attest Thomas Holman Clerk of our said Circuit  
Court with the Seal thereof herto affixed at office  
in Jonesboro this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August AD 1851

Thomas Holman Clerk

And afterwards, to wit, on the twenty second day of September AD 1851  
the said writ was returned to the Court aforesaid by Alexander  
Stevens Sheriff of said County endorsed as follows, to wit,  
Served the within by reading to Enos A Phillips this 22<sup>nd</sup>  
day of September 1851 - Service 50 ret 10 — 60

Alexander Stevens Sheriff

And after the issuing of the said writ and before returning  
the same to this office, to wit, on the sixteenth day of September  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one  
the said Sidney S Condon deposited in the Clerk's office aforesaid

the original papers in said appealed cause then lately pending before Thomas Helman County judge within and for the said County of Union wherein the said Enos A Phillips plaintiff and the said Sidney S Condon was defendant, together with a certified transcript of the journal entries and of the final judgment made and rendered in said cause by the said justice aforesaid, and which original papers and transcript are in the words and figures following, to wit,

"State of Illinois <sup>D</sup> The people of the State of Illinois  
County of Union <sup>D</sup> To any Constable of said County  
Greeting

You are hereby commanded to summon Sidney Condon to appear before me at my office in Jonesboro, on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1851 at one O'clock P.M. to answer the complaint of Enos A Phillips for a failure to pay him a certain demand not exceeding one hundred Dollars and thereof make due return as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August  
A.D. 1851

Thomas Helman County Judge <sup>and</sup>

which writ was endorsed as follows, to wit,

Enos A Phillips

" "

Sidney S Condon

+ Summons

+ Damages \$ 30.00

And was executed and endorsed as follows, to wit,

Served the witness by reading to the defendant Sidney S Condon on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851

A. H. 25-

Alex J. Niemo Const.

Declaration

In the Justice's Court before Thomas Helman of  
Enos A Phillips <sup>D</sup>

" " " Apumpasit  
Sidney S Condon <sup>D</sup>

"For that whereas the said plaintiff complains of the said  
defendant for neglect as bailee  
First Count for Slight neglect in the custody of a horse  
borrowed of the plaintiff for use without compensation  
therefor.  
Second Count, for ordinary neglect in the custody of  
a horse hired, for a reasonable compensation for his  
services, to his the said plaintiff's damage of \$30.00 wherefore  
her dues etc."

C. G. Simons Atty for Plaintiff

<sup>Summons facing</sup>

State of Illinois ~~vs~~ The people of the State of Illinois  
County of Union ~~vs~~ To any Constable of said County  
Greeting

We command you to summon six lawful men of your  
County to appear before me constanter who are not of  
kin to E A Phillips plaintiff or J J Condon defendant  
to make a jury between said parties in a plea of ~~of~~ <sup>upon</sup> ~~for~~  
the cause as well the said plaintiff as the said defendant  
have put themselves upon the County for trial and  
have you then there the names of the jurors and this  
script - Witness my hand and seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of  
August 1851 J. Holman County Judge (and)

Endorsement thereon as follows, to wit,

Served the within by summons, James Lewis, Benjamin  
Nauel, Abraham Dellow, Joseph McSpence, James Ellis &  
Wiley of Davidson this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851  
very 50, attending jury 25. As per Ammons Const.

Verdict

We the jury find for the plaintiff \$10,00

J McSpence, Wiley of  
Davidson, James Lewis, Jackson Biggs, Abraham  
Dellow, James Ellis -

Transcript

Conas A Phillips  
" " Sidney S Condon

" Justices costs

" Spy Juries & 4 Spes 932

" Spy pay at amount 25

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Swearing Jury

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attending jury 25

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of pay fee 1.50

Appmpt.

1<sup>st</sup> Demand for damages done to  
Horse \$30.00 Summons issued  
returnable on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
August AD 1851 at one o'clock P.M.  
placed in the hands of Attorney  
Court this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851  
Summons returned executed.

1<sup>st</sup> And now on this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851  
75<sup>th</sup> Came the plaintiff by C G Simons his attorney  
37<sup>th</sup> as well as the defendant by D G Brooks his  
12<sup>th</sup> attorney whereupon the plaintiff demanded a  
25<sup>th</sup> jury, thereupon came a jury, to wit, James  
25<sup>th</sup> Lewis, Abraham Dillow, Joseph M Spence  
James Ellis, Wiley of Davidson & Jackson  
Beggs six good and lawful men, who  
25<sup>th</sup> upon their oath do say, we the jury  
1.75<sup>th</sup> find for the plaintiff ten dollars, Therefore  
50<sup>th</sup> It is considered that the said Conas A Phillips  
25<sup>th</sup> recovers a judgment against the said  
Sid Condon for the said sum of ten  
50<sup>th</sup> Dollars the damages aforesaid appeced  
and also costs of suit.

S. Kilman County Judge

State of Illinois

County of Union

I hereby certify that the foregoing  
transcript and papers herewith contains a  
full and perfect statement of the proceedings before me in the  
above entitled cause. Given under my hand and seal  
this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September AD 1851

S. Kilman County Judge *(Signature)*

And afterwards, to wit, on the twenty fourth day of September  
in the year last aforesaid the following instructions, were filed  
in said cause - to wit,

Phillips      3 Appeal

Goudon 3      The Plaintiff asks the Court to instruct the jury that the damages in this case, as well as the injury to the Horse may be proven by circumstances as well as otherwise, if sufficient to satisfy the jury

Given,

E. A. Phillips      3

3 Appeal

SS Goudon 3      The defendant asks the Court to instruct the jury that if they believe from the evidence that the horse was let by Piff to Defendant for his feed that then unless the jury believe that plaintiff has proved that defendant was guilty of ordinary neglect that they will find for the defendant

"Refused"

That the plaintiff must fail in this cause, unless the Plaintiff has shown neglect on the defendant

"Refused"

That in cases of Bailment, where the bailment is of material benefit to the Bailee & Bailor as in the case of hiring a horse the bailee is only required by law to use ordinary care of the property so bailed and it devolves on the bailor in such case to show ordinary neglect before he can recover for an injury to the property

Given

in view of 1<sup>st</sup>

That the statements of Dr Goudon when drawn out by the plaintiff in this cause when they are in his favor are to be taken altogether as well those which make for him as those which make against him

Given,

Verdict

We the jury find for the plaintiff damages of twenty dollars  
J. J. Remond foreman,

And afterwards, to wit, on the day and year first aforesaid  
to wit, on the twenty fifth day of September in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one, the following  
orders and final judgment were made and entered of record in  
said Court, to wit,

"Enos A Phillips      {  
"       "              { Appeal.  
" Sidney S Condon      {

Now on this day came the said plaintiff  
by Simons his attorney as also the said defendant by J Doughty  
and D G Brooks his counsel and upon issue being joined came  
a jury, to wit, A B Peague, R Henson, M H Pratt, J S Tolz,  
of J Denning, B Wiggs, J H Garraway, of Shetton, of D Lerner  
of J Readman, A L Penninger and Henry Cooper twelve  
good and lawful men who being sworn true and sworn well  
and truly to try the issue joined upon their oaths do say we  
the jury find for the plaintiff twenty dollars damages  
Whereupon the defendant enters his motion for a new trial  
which was after ~~offer~~ argument heard and very fully  
advised in the premises overruled. And thereupon  
considered by the Court that the said plaintiff recover a  
judgment against the said defendant for the sum of  
twenty dollars his damages aforesaid appealed, and also his  
costs and charges in this behalf expended and that he may  
have execution thereon. Whereupon the defendant prayed  
an appeal to the Supreme Court which is allowed if  
the said defendant enters into bond on the sum of one  
hundred and twenty dollars with John Doughty Esq as his  
surety within thirty days.

And whereupon the following Bill of exceptions  
was filed by the said defendant, to wit.

"Enos A Phillips      {  
"       "              { Appeal.  
" Sidney S Condon      {

" Be it remembered that on the trial of this cause the  
following evidence was given on the part and behalf of  
the plaintiff to the jury in this cause impaneled and  
sworn to suit. George W Williams a witness introduced  
and sworn on behalf of the plaintiff deposed as follows,  
to wit, Witness is acquainted with a certain Claybank horse  
& Witness Father owned him from a colt until he was seven years  
old and traded the horse to plaintiff. Witness saw defendant  
in possession of this horse a few days after the horse was  
so traded to plaintiff. Witness Father sold the horse to  
Plaintiff for forty five dollars, he believes that the horse was  
worth that sum, the horse was traded to plaintiff in fine  
flesh. Witness Father had carried the mail to Marion on  
him for about two years and he stood that service better  
than any other horse his Father had, a mule did in the  
same service, he witness believed that the mule died  
from an over heat. The distance ~~from~~<sup>to</sup> Marion from  
Jonesboro is about thirty five miles. Witness saw this  
horse in possession of defendant the day Dr. Freeman died.

Being cross examined Witness states  
that the mail was carried by himself sometimes and  
sometimes by his younger brother ~~than~~ a boy, that he  
Witness weighed about 160 pounds at that - that his  
brother was at that time much smaller than he was, this  
service consisted of carrying the mail to Marion and  
from Jonesboro once a week and back again to Jonesboro  
35 miles that this horse was Water foundered during  
said service. That Witness Father quit carrying the mail  
about a year ago, that since that time and until the horse  
was traded to plaintiff the horse was not used much  
he was sometimes ridden by the family and had been  
loaned a few times and generally hauled a barrel of  
water each day, the horse for the last year had except  
when so used ran on the commons about Jonesboro.

in the day time, at night he always came up and was fed  
she believed that the horse was sound when he was sold  
to Phillips he was a raw boned horse, but never got  
very fat. That on the day Dr Freeman died the horse  
looked as well as ever he did witness does not recollect  
the exact day on which Dr Freeman died, witness did  
not see this horse for two or three weeks after the Doctors  
death when witness did see him he appeared stiff.

Adam Brune a witness also introduced  
and sworn on the part and on behalf of the said  
plaintiff being duly sworn deposes, Witness was acquainted  
with the horse of plaintiff he was a common ordinary  
horse, a few days after Plaintiff got the horse Dr Gordon  
the defendant got the horse to ride as he left stated for his  
use Defendant told witness<sup>to</sup> but a few days after Dr  
Freeman died the Horse was brought to witness' shop and  
appeared sick the hair of his mane and tail slipped  
witness tried it, he could pull out the hair easily of his  
mane and tail, the horse was stiff like a horse foundered  
a few days after Plaintiff got him back from Defendant at  
which time witness saw him again.

Isaac N Albright being also intro-  
duced and sworn on the part, and on behalf of the Plaintiff  
deposes and says that he was not acquainted with Plaintiff's  
horse except so far as he became so by seeing him running  
about the commons near Jonesboro' while Mr Williams  
owned him, Witness saw defendant riding the horse a  
few days before it was said he defendant rode him to  
Monroes supposing defendant rode the horse to Monroes  
which I do not know, except from hearsay, I saw the horse  
the same day that the horse was returned to Plaintiff  
this was on the same evening that Dr Freeman was buried  
Plaintiff came after me to go and doctor the horse, I do  
not pretend to say that I am a regular horse doctor

, but Wtneyp had doctored horses and is in some degree acquainted with their deceases. At Phillip the horse seemed to pant very hard but he was not at that time or otherwise stiff that wtneyp could see but seemed very mopy and when wtneyp slapped him he did not seem to notice it much. Wtneyp gave directions to plaintiff what to do for the horse. he was cooled down by bleeding and a dose of Salts and bandages around his legs, and the presumption was with me that the horse would get over his decease. The next day the horses mui and tail slipped, freely. The second day when I saw him I forgot whether I did any thing for him or not. The third day I saw him in Mr Failli's clover patch, the horse was then very stiff, I never believed that the horse was foundered I do not know what catted the horse. I have no recollection of ever seeing the hair of a horse slip from over heats, at the time plaintiff sent for me to see the horse I would not have given more than fifteen or twenty dollars for the horse, I cannot place a proper estimate on the worth of the medicinal services of Plaintiff about the curing of his horse,

" Upon cross examination by Defendant Wtneyp stated that when a horse has once been badly foundered he never entirely recovers. That a bad founder will reduce the worth of a horse from one third to one half of his former value, though the horse after being badly foundered may be made to look pretty well yet he is never as good as he was before the founder,

" Thomas J. Finley a wtneyp introduced and sworn on the part and on behalf of the plaintiff deposed that he was acquainted with plaintiff's horse Mr Williams carried the mail with the horse, he was a good horse when he carried the mail as good or a better horse than the other horses that Williams carried the mail with, Wtneyp saw Dr Brooks on the horse the

, evening or Freeman died. The horse had been foaled and while Williams owned him, the horse was worth at that time forty five or fifty dollars if nothing was the matter with him. A few weeks ago defendant and Plaintiff were talking together defendant said to plaintiff take and doctor your horse yourself witness was walking they did not hear all the conversation plaintiff asked witness what ails this horse, witness asked plaintiff is he sick, whereupon plaintiff replied to him you are no judge of a horse or you could tell that yourself, witness saw the horse about a month ago he then had a wrinkle on his huff about one inch below the hair of his feet.

David Love a witness being introduced and sworn on the part and in behalf of the plaintiff deposed that he was acquainted with the horse of plaintiff, the horse witness believes to be a good kind of a horse worth forty dollars witness offered Mr Williams that for him which he believed to be his full value, witness saw defendant ride the horse about one week before the death of Dr Freeman. The horse looked better in the possession of defendant than he did before that time, witness never heard defendant say that he ever rode the horse any where, that Dr Freeman died about 7 or 8 o'clock in the morning, witness saw defendant that morning about one half of an hour or perhaps one hour before the death of Dr Freeman in Jonestown going towards his own house.

David Powers a witness introduced and sworn on behalf of the plaintiff deposed that he witness heard the defendant say that he rode the horse to Maneese's, that he defendant started between seven and eight O'clock in the morning, that defendant got to Maneese's about one or two O'clock in the

evening that day was a tolerable warm day, that the  
horse appeared sick when they got to Moncees & when  
defendant had him brought out to start back home,  
that in coming back to the Springs towards home  
the horse sweated very much from his mane to his  
hoofs and that defendant got off the horse and walked  
a part of the way, to the Springs some ten miles on  
this side of Moncees, and left the horse at the Springs  
and got another to ride home, that the defendant  
procured the horse to be brought into Jonesboro by a boy  
on the next day and delivered to plaintiff, defendant  
said that he did all that he could to shield the horse  
from injury but did not give the horse any medicine or  
doctor him, witness understood from the defendant that  
he did not ride this horse himself to Moncees, but that  
he rode the horse of young Moncees who came after him  
and that young Moncees rode plaintiff's horse, that the  
horse of Moncees had been by him ridden from home  
that morning to Jonesboro a distance of 22 miles the way  
that defendant traveled and that the two horses were  
ridden back to Moncees together the same day and that  
Moncees's horse did not even sweat on the road, that  
they only travelled at the rate of three miles an hour,  
that the defendant had taken the precaution to tell young  
Moncees when riding with him not to let the horse drink  
so much water and as it was warm weather when he  
arrived at old man Moncees's not to feed the horse  
until he cooled, The defendant in answer to a question  
put to him by the plaintiff at Parson Atkinson's house  
whether the horse might not <sup>have</sup> been foundered in the morning  
before defendant started to Moncees's, said that he might  
but that it was not at all probable, that his name might  
have been Beege but that it was not.

William Mitchell a witness introduced on sworn on the part and in behalf of the plaintiff, deposed that he had seen the horse twice before plaintiff bought him of Williams, he saw the horse frequently while defendant was keeping the horse, when he first saw <sup>the</sup> horse he believed that the horse was a good horse, he witness rode the horse from Marion the evening before Dr Freeman died, Dr Brooks galloped the horse through town, the horse was then worth forty five dollars, the day that the horse was given back to Plaintiff witness saw the horse, witness is somewhat acquainted with the diseases of horses, but not the remedies. Witness thought that the horse had been fatigued over heat and foundered and from what witness has seen since that time he knows that he was foundered. The next morning the main and tail of the horse slipped, plaintiff has never doctored the horse for the yellow water plaintiff bled the horse and gave him salts and bandaged the horses legs with wet cloths and kept them wet for that day, when the horse brought back he was worth nothing. That plaintiffs trouble and doctoring the horse was worth ten dollars. That up to the time of the trial of this cause before the justice of the peace plaintiff was wholly deprived of the service of the horse, but has used him some since that time. Witness never noticed the urine of the horse.

Upon cross examination witness deposed that plaintiff had given ~~the~~ horse three doses of salts, bled him once, bandaged his legs with wet cloths once and kept them wet for about twenty four hours, witness could not state what the bleeding was worth nor the salts, nor could he tell what the bandages were worth, that the horse had to be watered by carrying him water for the three first days the worth of which he could not tell, but that he believed that all together they were worth ten dollars

W B Shearer a witness introduced on the part of and in behalf of the plaintiff and sworn deposed that he witness was acquainted with the horse at the time plaintiff bought and he witness believed that the horse was then worth fifty dollars. Witness saw the horse some weeks after plaintiff got him back from defendant. That the horse then looked very much ~~wanted~~ worsted. That witness never knew a horse with the yellow water, but witness Father had an old mare that had the yellow water and her urine was yellow and soppy.

Upon cross examination by defendant witness deposed that he had himself purchased this horse from plaintiff and was to pay him thirty dollars in trade for him, and that witness now owned the horse.

Moses Fite a witness introduced and sworn on the part and in behalf of the plaintiff deposed that the witness had seen horses overheated, but that it had but very little effect upon these horses that he saw that he never knew the main and tail to slip from an over heat.

Upon cross examination by the defendant witness deposed that he had never known the main and tail, <sup>of horses</sup> to slip from a founder, although he witness had seen many horses foandered, that he had seen horses with the disease called the yellow water, that all the horses he never saw with this disease - slipped easily the hair of their main and tail. That this disease called the yellow water was a lingering disease and might be affected with it for years and that fact not readily discerned by a casual observer but that they would not fatten as well with this disease on them as without it, they never looked as well with as without the disease. That whenever a horse had the disease of the yellow water and was used so as to become heated, the horse would become sick and stiff in his limbs until he became rested and that a sure

"indication of that disease was the slipping of the main  
and tail.

The foregoing was all the evidence introduced  
in this cause.

The Court gave the jury the following  
instructions on behalf of the plaintiff, to wit,

E A Phillips }  
" " } Appeal  
" Goudon }  
" " }  
" " }

The plaintiff asks the Court to instruct  
the jury - That the damages in this cause as well as  
the injury to the horse may be proven by circumstances  
as well as otherwise if sufficient to satisfy the jury

Given

The Court also gave the jury the following  
instructions on behalf of the defendant, to wit,

E A Phillips }  
" " } Appeal  
" Goudon }

The defendant asks the Court to instruct  
the jury that in cases of Bailements where the bailment is  
of mutual benefit to the Bailee & Bailor as in the case of  
hiring a horse the bailee is only required by law to use ordinary  
~~diligence~~ care of the property so bailed and it devolves on  
the bailor in such case to show ordinary neglect before  
she can recover for an injury to the property

Given

That the statements of Dr Goudon when drawn out by  
the plaintiff in this cause where they are in his favor  
are to be taken altogether as well those which make for  
him as those which makes against him

Given

The jury having retired returned into Court the following  
Verdict, to wit, we the jury find for the plaintiff the sum

of £20.

Thereupon the defendant entered his motion for a new trial for the following reasons, 1<sup>st</sup> because the Verdict of the jury is against law, 2<sup>nd</sup> because the verdict of the jury is against the evidence in this cause, and 3<sup>rd</sup> is against the instructions of the Court. Which motion for a new trial the Court overruled and gave judgment against the defendant for the sum of £20, and the costs of suit. To overruling of the defendants motion for a new trial in this cause and the rendition of said judgment against the defendant and in behalf of the plaintiff, the defendant by his attorneys excepts and prays that this his bill of exceptions may be signed sealed and made a part of the record in this cause, all of which is accordingly done etc,

W A Denning (Signed)

And on the twenty first day of October AD 1857 the said Defendant Sidney S Condon filed the following bond in the Clerk's office of the Court aforesaid, to wit,

I know all men by these presents, that we Sidney S Condon and John Dougherty of Jonesboro Illinois are held and firmly bound unto Enos A Phillips of the same place sum the penal sum of one hundred & twenty dollars for the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally signing by these presents In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October AD 1857.

The conditions of the above obligation is such that whereas Enos A Phillips did on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 1857 at Jonesborough in Union County State of Illinois before the Hon Wm A Denning judge of the 3<sup>d</sup> judicial Circuit

of the State of Illinois the said Court judicially sitting  
at the September Term thereof 1851 recover a judgment in  
said Court for the sum of \$20. and the costs of suit against  
the above bounden Sidney St Condon on an appeal  
from a Justice of the Peace in aumpsit, and which  
the said Sidney St Condon hath prayed an Appeal  
to the Supreme Court, of the State of Illinois.

Now if the said Sidney St Condon shall will and  
truly pay the judgment, costs interest and damages in  
case the said judgment shall be affirmed in the Supreme  
Court and shall duly prosecute his said appeal,  
then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to  
be & remain in full force and virtue

Sidney St Condon *Seal*  
J. Daugherty *Seal*

Taken and entered into before me at my office in Jonesboro  
this 21<sup>st</sup> day of October A.D. 1851

Thomas Helman Clerk  
Union County Circuit Court

State of Illinois  
County of Union I hereby certify that the foregoing is  
a full and perfect transcript of the said  
cause, taken and copied from the Records and Proceedings  
of the Circuit Court within and for the said County of  
Union and as the same remains of record in my office

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set  
my hand and affixed the seal of said  
Court at office in Jonesboro this 5<sup>th</sup> day  
of November A.D. 1851

Thomas Helman Clerk

D.

Sidney Leandam } off in error  
was A Thelips } off in error

And the said Sidney Leandam  
plaintiff in error of I Douglass has  
etiamy Causes into Court and says  
that in the record and proceedings  
aforesaid and also in the rendition  
of the first grand jury of this and there  
is manifest error in this to wit.

- 1 That the declaration aforesaid, and the matter  
therein contained is not sufficient  
in law to maintain the action of the said  
Evans A Thelips against the said  
Sidney Leandam and therefore  
that there is manifest error
- 2 There is also error in this. That the  
Court erred in refusing the ~~to~~ <sup>the</sup> giving  
to the jury instructions requested ~~to~~ <sup>the</sup> 2.03  
as asked by the defendant and in  
this there is manifest error.
- 3 There is also manifest error in this that  
the Court refused to grant or  
have trial in this cause as set  
by the defendant ~~and his~~ <sup>and his</sup> ~~malice~~  
aforesaid and in rendering judgment against  
the defendant in the cause <sup>6.4 billions</sup> I Douglass & self whom  
joined in error. Atty for defendant in error

I Steamer  
as  
E A Phelps

Filed the 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1857  
Annie D. Weston  
etc

Prepared

8703