

No. 13739

Supreme Court of Illinois

People

vs.

Highland et al

STATE OF ILLINOIS—SUPREME COURT, } SS.
SECOND GRAND DIVISION,

Of the January Term thereof, A. D. 1862.

The People of the State of Illinois

To the Sheriff of Sangamon County—Greeting:

Whereas the People of the State of Illinois, at the January term of said Court, A. D. 1860, exhibited in and to said Court their declaration and writ of summons against

Abram Highland, W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stoddert, Richard Stoddert, J. H. Johnson, William Picketts and Robert A. Miller,

in the custody, &c., in an action of debt, and which said declaration is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

For that heretofore, to-wit: on the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18 _____, at the County of _____, and State aforesaid, the said _____ Collector, and _____

_____ securities, all of the County of _____, and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with their hands and sealed the same with their seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory being so signed and sealed as aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and by which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to owe and be indebted to the people of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of _____ thousand _____ hundred and _____ dollars and _____ cents, and which said writing obligatory, was, and is upon, and subject to the conditions following, to-wit:

That if the said _____ shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of the taxes for the year 18 _____, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County or to the

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
Supreme Court, } ss.
of the Second Grand
Division thereof

Of the January Term thereof, A. D. 1862.

The People of the State of Illinois, the Plaintiffs in this suit, by J. B. WHITE, their attorney, come and complain of

Abram Highland, W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stoddert, ^{Richard Stoddert} J. N. Johnson, William Ricketts and Robert A. Miller,

The Defendants in this suit, in the custody of a Plea that they Render to said Plaintiffs the sum of fifty seven thousand seven hundred and thirty seven dollars and eighty cents, lawful Money of the United States.

~~the defendants in this suit, being in the custody, &c., of a plea that they render to the said plaintiffs the sum of _____ thousand _____ hundred and _____ dollars and _____ cents, which they owe to and unjustly detain from said plaintiffs.~~

For that whereas heretofore, to-wit: on the ~~eleventh~~ ^{eleventh} day of ~~December~~ ^{December}, A. D. 1860, at the County of ~~Coles~~ ^{Coles} and State aforesaid, the said ~~Abram Highland~~ ^{Abram Highland} was ~~then and there the~~ ^{then and there the} Collector of the taxes of the County of ~~Coles~~ ^{Coles} in the State aforesaid, for the year A. D. 1860, and being then and there the Collector of taxes for said county for said year, it then and there became and was his legal duty, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such Collector aforesaid, to execute his bond, with good and sufficient securities, conditioned for the faithful performance of all of his duties as such Collector; and the said ~~Abram Highland~~ ^{Abram Highland} collector as aforesaid in consideration of his said legal duty, then and there afterwards, to-wit: on the same day, at the County of ~~Coles~~ ^{Coles} and State aforesaid, as the Collector of the taxes of the County of ~~Coles~~ ^{Coles} for the year A. D. 1860, together with ~~the said W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stoddert, J. N. Johnson, William Ricketts, and the said Robert A. Miller~~ ^{the said W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stoddert, J. N. Johnson, William Ricketts, and the said Robert A. Miller} by the name and style of "~~W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stoddert, J. N. Johnson, William Ricketts, and Robert A. Miller~~" ^{W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stoddert, J. N. Johnson, William Ricketts, and Robert A. Miller} the other above named Defendants,

as his securities, all of the County of ~~Coles~~ ^{Coles} and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with their hands and sealed the same with their ^{Respective} seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory is to the Court aforesaid here exhibited and shown, and which said writing obligatory being so signed and sealed aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and by which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of ~~fifty seven~~ ^{fifty seven} thousand ~~seven~~ ^{seven} hundred and ~~thirty seven~~ ^{thirty seven} dollars and ~~eighty~~ ^{eighty} cents, and which said writing obligatory, was, and is upon, and subject to the conditions following, to-wit:

That if the said ~~Abram Highland~~ ^{Abram Highland} shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of the taxes for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, then the said bond to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

And which said writing obligatory, being so signed, sealed and delivered, as aforesaid, was then and there attested in due form of law, and was duly approved by the *Board of Supervisors.*

of the said County of *Leles.* *and these matters was duly recorded*
do aver that the said *Abram Highland* aforesaid, and the said Plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, on the day and year last aforesaid, was duly qualified, and entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office as such Collector aforesaid; whereby by which said several premises it then and there became and was his legal duty, among other things, that he, the said *Abram Highland* Collector as aforesaid, should collect and pay over into the State Treasury of the State aforesaid the State taxes which were by law to be collected in, of and from said County of *Leles.* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law.

And the said plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do further aver that the said *Abram Highland* has not and did not perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as such Collector of the taxes of the County of *Leles* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, but that the sum of *twenty eight* thousand *eight* hundred and *sixty eight* dollars and *ninety* cents remain due, unpaid and owing of the taxes for the year 1860, from the County of *Leles* of State taxes, *and belonging to the State of Illinois*

and which was by law to be collected and paid over into the State Treasury of the State of Illinois, by the said *Abram Highland* Collector as aforesaid, on or before the *teenth* day of *July* A. D. 1860, which said day last aforesaid hath long since elapsed. Yet the said *Abram Highland* collector as aforesaid, *although he heretofore took; on the fifteenth day of April A.D. 1861. did collect said sum of money last aforesaid, the said sum being State Taxes, as aforesaid and belonging to said State, yet he did not on said teenth day of July A.D. 1861, nor before said day pay nor has he since that day* has not paid the said sum of money last aforesaid over into the State Treasury aforesaid, nor any part thereof, nor to said

Plaintiffs, whereby *said writing obligatory became and was forfeited by reason whereof and by reason of said sum of money last aforesaid being and remaining wholly unpaid*

an action hath accrued to the said Plaintiffs, to demand of and have from said Defendants the sum of money last mentioned ~~and above demanded.~~ *for the same being parcel of the sum of money above demanded*

And also for that whereas heretofore, to-wit: on the *eleventh* day of *December* A. D. 1860, at the County of *Coles*, and State aforesaid, the said *Abram Highland*, was *then and there the* Collector of the taxes of the County of *Coles* for the year ~~AD~~ 1860, and being so then and there Collector of the taxes as aforesaid, it then and there became and was his legal duty, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such Collector, to execute his bond, with good and sufficient security,

conditioned that said *Abram Highland* shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of taxes for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law; and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, the said *Abram Highland collector as aforesaid* in consideration of his said legal duty afterwards, to-wit: on the day and year last aforesaid, at the County and State aforesaid, as Collector of the taxes of said County of *Coles* for the year 1860, together with *the said other above named Defendants,*

as his securities, all of the County of *Coles* and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain ^{other} writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with their ^{respective} hands and sealed the same with their seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory is to said court here exhibited and shown, and which said writing obligatory, being so signed and sealed as aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of *Fifty seven* thousand *seven* hundred and *thirty seven* dollars and *eighty* cents, and which said writing obligatory was and is upon and subject to the conditions and in tenor and effect as follows, to-wit:

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we *Abram Highland*, Collector, and *W. L. Funkhouser, Thos. E. Stoddard, Richard Stoddard, J. H. Johnson, Wm. Ricketts and Robert A. Miller,*

securities, all of the County of *Coles* and State of Illinois, are held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of *Fifty seven thousand, seven hundred and thirty seven Dollars and eighty cents* dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, each of us, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals, this *Eleventh* day of *December* 1860.

The condition of the foregoing bond is such, that if the above bound *Abram Highland* shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of taxes for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County, or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, then the foregoing bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

And which said writing obligatory, being so signed, sealed and delivered, as aforesaid, was then and there attested in due form of law, and was then and there duly approved by the Board of Supervisors

of the said County of *Leves*, ^{and was then and there duly Recorded,} aforesaid, and the said plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do aver that the said *Abram Highland* on the day and year last aforesaid, was duly

qualified and entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office as such Collector aforesaid, ^{whereby, it then and there became and was his legal duty as such collector aforesaid with true and regular vouchers by law to collect and pay over into the State Treasury of the State of Illinois, the State Taxes for said year of said State and belonging to said State, which were by law to be collected in said County of and from the Tax payers thereof for said year, which State Taxes said Plaintiff by their aforesaid attorney avers, amounted to twenty eight thousand eight hundred and eighty eight dollars and ninety cents, and which said State Taxes aforesaid had before that time been duly assessed and the assessment distributed duly placed in the hands of the several Township Collectors of said County, as by Statute in such case is made and provided, for the collection thereof, together with proper warrants for the collection thereof, and the said Plaintiff by their aforesaid attorney do further avers, that the said sum of money last aforesaid being State Taxes as aforesaid and belonging to said State, were then and there duly collected by the said several Township collectors aforesaid and by their respective hands over to the said *Abram Highland* collector as aforesaid, as is by Statute in such case made and provided, on or before the fifteenth day of April A.D. 1861, whereby it then and there became and was the legal duty of the said *Abram Highland* collector as aforesaid to pay said sum of money last aforesaid mentioned (the same being State Taxes as aforesaid and belonging to said State aforesaid) over into the State Treasury aforesaid on or before the tenth day of July A.D. 1861.}

And the said plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do further aver that the said *Abram Highland*, collector as aforesaid — has not and did not perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as such Collector of the taxes of the County of *Leves* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, but that the sum of ^{twenty eight thousand eight hundred and eighty eight dollars and ninety cents} ~~twenty eight thousand eight~~ dollars and ~~ninety~~ cents remain due, unpaid and owing of the taxes for the year 1860, from the County of *Leves* of State taxes, and belonging to the State aforesaid, which had been collected by said *Abram Highland* collector as aforesaid, in manner and form and on said fifteenth day of April ~~1861~~ aforesaid and being so collected by him as aforesaid the same being State Taxes as aforesaid and belonging to said State

~~and which~~ was by law to be collected and paid over into the State Treasury of the State of Illinois, by the said *Abram Highland* Collector as aforesaid, on or before the ^{tenth} day of *July* A. D. 1861, which said day last aforesaid hath long since elapsed; yet the said

Abram Highland, collector as aforesaid ~~did not~~ on said tenth day of July A.D. 1861, nor before said day pay nor has he since said day ~~to~~

~~has not~~ paid said sum of money, last aforesaid, over into the State Treasury aforesaid, nor any part thereof, nor to said

plaintiffs, whereby ^{the said writing obligatory and each of them the said Plaintiff by their aforesaid attorney avers became and was forfeited, and by reason of which said sum of money last aforesaid being and remaining wholly unpaid,} an action hath accrued to the said plaintiffs, to demand of and have from said defendants the sum of money last mentioned ^{the sum of money} and above demanded. Yet the said defendants have not, nor either of them, paid said several sums of money above mentioned, nor either of them nor any part thereof, to the said plaintiffs, ^{although often requested so to do.} but to do the same have hitherto and still do altogether neglect and refuse to the damages of said plaintiffs of *fifty seven thousand seven hundred and twenty seven* dollars and *eighty* cents, and therefor they bring this suit, &c.

J. J. White
State's Attorney,
Att'y for Plaintiffs.

State, and appertaining to his said office, then the said bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

And which said writing obligatory was then and there duly approved by the _____, of the said County of _____, aforesaid, and the said Plaintiffs, by their aforesaid Attorney, do aver that the said _____, on the day and year last aforesaid, was duly qualified, and entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office as such Collector aforesaid. And the said Plaintiffs, by their aforesaid Attorney, do further aver that the said _____ has not and did not perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as such Collector of the taxes of the County of _____, for the year 18____, in the time and manner prescribed by law, but that the sum of _____ thousand hundred and _____ dollars and _____ cents remain due, unpaid and owing of the taxes for the year 18____, from the County of _____ and which was by law to be collected and paid over into the State Treasury of the State of Illinois, by the said _____ Collector as aforesaid, on or before the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18____, which said day last aforesaid hath long since elapsed. Yet the said _____ has not paid said sum of money, last aforesaid, over into the State Treasury aforesaid, nor any part thereof, nor to said Plaintiffs, whereby an action hath accrued to the said Plaintiffs, to demand of and have from said Defendants the sum of money last mentioned and above demanded. Yet the said Defendants have not, nor either of them, paid said sum of money last mentioned, nor any part thereof, to the said Plaintiffs, but to do the same have hitherto, and still do altogether neglect and refuse, to the damages of said Plaintiffs of _____ thousand _____ hundred and _____ dollars and _____ cents, and therefore they bring this suit, &c.

And it appearing to the Court that all of the defendants above named ~~except~~—

Defendants,

have been duly served with process herein, such proceedings were had thereon that a judgment by default was entered against the parties, Defendants, who were served with the process of said Court, to-wit: for *fifty-seven* ^{each} thousand *seven* hundred and *twenty-seven* dollars and *twenty-eight* cents, together with the damages which said Plaintiffs have sustained by, and on occasion of the detention thereof, &c., whereof the said Defendants (last named) are convicted, as appears of record; and the same Plaintiffs having prayed out of said Court a writ of inquiry, to inquire into the truth of said breaches of condition above assigned, and assess the damages which said Plaintiffs have sustained thereby:

Therefore, according to the statutes in such case made and provided, we command you, said sheriff, that you summon twelve good and lawful men of your bailiwick, to be and appear before you at Springfield, on the *fifteenth* day of *January* A.D. 1862, to diligently inquire, on their oaths, of the truth of said premises, and to assess the damages which the said Plaintiffs have sustained by reason of the aforesaid breaches, and that you have you then and there this writ, &c.

Witness the Hon. JOHN D. CATON, Chief Justice of our said Court, and the seal thereof, at Springfield, this *fifteenth* day of *January* A.D. 1862.
Wm. C. Conway Clerk.

I, *J. W. Smith*, Sheriff of said County, in obedience to the command of the within writ, to me directed, have this day executed the same, by summoning twelve good and lawful men of my bailiwick, to-wit:

*J. M. Morse, W. H. Anderson
Philip Stone J. K. Lewis, W. C.
Greenwood, Wm M. Cantrell, Saml
Hughes, Joseph W. Arnold, P. Sperry,
J. F. Madden, Wm Clark, and
J. M. Woodruff.*

as a jury, who being first duly sworn according to law, to inquire into the truth of said premises, returned the following verdict, to-wit:

“STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
SUPREME COURT, } Of the January Term thereof, A. D. 1862.
Second Grand Division, }

We, the undersigned jury, by the Sheriff of Sangamon County this day summoned before him, on oath to inquire into the truth of the premises, and to assess the damages therein on a certain writ of inquiry, sued out of said Court, to said Sheriff directed, in which the people of the State of Illinois are Plaintiffs, and *Abram Highland* and others are Defendants, having heard the evidence adduced by said Plaintiffs, do, on our oaths, say and find that the allegations of breaches in said Plaintiffs' declaration are true; that the penalty of said bond in said Plaintiffs' declaration is *fifty seven* thousand *seven* hundred and *thirty seven* dollars and *eighty* cents, and that we do assess the damages of said Plaintiffs against the following Defendants, (who have been served with process herein,) to-wit:

Twenty thousand, two hundred and sixty nine dollars and thirty one cents

at ~~three~~ thousand ~~four~~ hundred and ~~fifty three~~ dollars and ~~fifteen~~ cents.

Witness our hands and seals at Springfield, this _____ day of January A. D. 1862.

<i>Wm M. Morse</i> [SEAL.]	<i>Saml Hughes</i> [SEAL.]
<i>W. H. Anderson</i> [SEAL.]	<i>Joseph W. Arnold</i> [SEAL.]
<i>Philip Stone</i> [SEAL.]	<i>P. Sperry</i> [SEAL.]
<i>J. K. Lewis</i> [SEAL.]	<i>J. F. Madden</i> [SEAL.]
<i>Wm C. Greenwood</i> [SEAL.]	<i>Wm Clark</i> [SEAL.]
<i>Wm M. Cantrell</i> [SEAL.]	<i>J. M. Woodruff</i> [SEAL.]

And by returning the above, the verdict of said jury, and this writ into Court, which said verdict I do hereby make a part of this my return hereto, this *fifteenth* day of *January* A. D. 1862.

J. M. Smith Sheriff S. C.

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The People

vs

Abram Highland et al

Writ of Inquiry

Summon Jury	\$1.00
Summon witness	40
Return writ	10
Jury Fees	3.00
Swear jury & witness	25
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J. W. Smith Sheriff

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~~the defendants in this suit, being in the custody, &c., of a plea that they render to the said plaintiffs the sum of _____ thousand _____ hundred and _____~~

~~dollars and _____ cents, which they owe to and unjustly detain from said plaintiffs.~~
For that whereas heretofore, to-wit: on the Eleventh day of December A. D. 1860, at the County of Coles and State aforesaid, the said Abram Highland was ~~then and there~~ the Collector of the taxes of the County of Coles in the State aforesaid, for the year A. D. 1860, and being then and there the Collector of taxes for said county for said year, it then and there became and was his legal duty, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such Collector aforesaid, to execute his bond, with good and sufficient securities, conditioned for the faithful performance of all of his duties as such Collector; and the said Abram Highland Collector, ^{as above said,} in consideration of his said legal duty, then and there afterwards, to-wit: on the same day, at the County of Coles, and State aforesaid, as the Collector of the taxes of the County of Coles for the year A. D. 1860, together with ^{the said} W. L. Frankhouser, ^{the said} Thomas E. Stoddard, ^{the said} Richard Stoddard by his name and style of "R. Stoddard"; ^{the said} J. H. Johnston, ^{the said} William Ricketts by his name and style of "Wm Ricketts"; and ^{the said} Robert A. Miller by his name and style of "R. A. Miller";

^{the above} ~~the above~~ ^{named} ~~named~~ Defendants,

as his securities, all of the County of Coles, and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with their ^{respective} hands and sealed the same with their ^{respective} seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory is to the Court aforesaid here exhibited and shown, and which said writing obligatory being so signed and sealed aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and by which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of Fifty seven thousand seven hundred and thirty seven dollars and eighty cents, and which said writing obligatory, was, and is upon, and subject to the conditions following, to-wit:

That if the said Abram Highland shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of the taxes for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, then the said bond to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

And which said writing obligatory, being so signed, sealed and delivered, as aforesaid, was then and there attested in due form of law, and was duly approved by the *Board of Supervisors*

of the said County of *Coles* ^{and then and then was duly Recorded,} aforesaid, and the said Plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do aver that the said *Abram Highland* on the day and year last aforesaid, was duly qualified, and entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office as such Collector aforesaid; whereby by which said several premises it then and there became and was his legal duty, among other things, that he, the said *Abram Highland* Collector as aforesaid, should collect and pay over into the State Treasury of the State aforesaid the State taxes which were by law to be collected in, of and from said County of *Coles* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law.

And the said plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do further aver that the said *Abram Highland* has not and did not perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as such Collector of the taxes of the County of *Coles* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, but that the sum of *Twenty eight* thousand *eight* hundred and *sixty eight* dollars and *ninety* cents remain due, unpaid and owing of the taxes for the year 1860, from the County of *Coles* of State taxes *and belonging to the state of Illinois*

and which was by law to be collected and paid over into the State Treasury of the State of Illinois, by the said *Abram Highland*, Collector as aforesaid, on or before the *tenth* day of *July* A. D. 1860, which said day last aforesaid hath long since elapsed. Yet the said ~~Abram~~ *Abram Highland* collector as aforesaid although ^{he} *heretofore* ~~was~~ *was* on the *fifteenth* day of *April* A. D. 1861, did collect said sum of money last aforesaid, *the said sum being State Taxes as aforesaid and belonging to said* ~~state~~ *state* yet he *did not pay* ~~it~~ *on said tenth day of July A. D. 1861. nor before said day nor has he since that day* ~~has not~~ paid the said sum of money last aforesaid over into the State Treasury aforesaid, nor any part thereof, nor to said

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conditioned that said *Abram Highland*, shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of taxes for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law; and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County ^{from the said bond to be void otherwise to remain in full force: and} or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, the said *Abram Highland*, ^{ad appertaining} in consideration of his said legal duty afterwards, to-wit: on the day and year last aforesaid, at the County and State aforesaid, as Collector of the taxes of said County of *Coles* for the year 1860, together with ~~the~~ ^{other above named}

Defendants,

as his securities, all of the County of *Coles*, and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain ^{other} writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with their ^{Respective} hands and sealed the same with their seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory is to said court here exhibited and shown, and which said writing obligatory, being so signed and sealed as aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of *Fifty seven* thousand *seven* hundred and *twenty seven* dollars and *eight* cents, and which said writing obligatory was and is upon and subject to the conditions and in tenor and effect as follows, to-wit:

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~~dollars~~, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, each of us, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals, this *Eleventh* day of *December* 1860.

The condition of the foregoing bond is such, that if the above bound *Abram Highland* shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of taxes for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County, or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, then the foregoing bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

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State of Illinois,

Supreme Court--Second Grand Division.

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The People of the State of Illinois,

TO THE ^{CORONER} ~~SHERIFF~~ OF

Coles

COUNTY,--GREETING:

We command you to summon Abram Highland, W. L. Funkhouser,
Thomas E. Stoddert, Richard Stoddert, J. H. Johnston,
William Ricketts, and Robert A. Miller

ifs to be found in your County, to appear before the Supreme Court for
the Second Grand Division of the State of Illinois, on the first day
of the next term thereof, to be holden at the State House in the City of
Springfield, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in the Month
of January next, to answer unto The People of the State of Illinois
in an action of DEBT

DEBT Fifty seven thousand seven hundred & thirty seven ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars
 DAMAGES Fifty seven thousand, seven hundred & thirty seven ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
and hereof make due return to our said Courts as the law directs.

Witness, HON. JOHN D. CATON, Chief Justice of said Court, and the
Judicial Seal thereof, at Springfield, this Second day
of December A. D. 1861.

Wm. A. Curney

Clerk Supreme Court.

Supreme Court--2nd Grand Division.

The People &c

vs.

SUMMONS.

Abram Highland
&c al.

To January Term, A. D. 1862,

Filed Dec. 17th A. D. 1861,

Wm. S. Curvey Clerk.

I have served the within writ
by Reading the same to the
within named, Abram
Highland, N. S. Frankhauer
Thomas E. Stuedter, Richard Stuedter
J. H. Johnston, William Ricketts
& Robert A. Miles this 5th day
of December 1861.

Fees - Serving - \$3.50

Mileage & Subscrip. 0 1.50

Ret. turning 10

Saml. Vanmeter \$35.10

(see letter
attached
& per chg)

Clerk of Lake Co, Ill.

Charleston Collo Co fees

Since of the Supreme Court has
made any change in fees & all correct
Some time ago I was acting as deputy sheriff
& we made out fees for removing from
the place the Lomanous was issued

Served on: Frank House 12 mill
R A Miller 8 miles
Archers R & J Stodert
Johnson & Highlan in town
now attach the fees according to
Law & office Yours
D Vanmeter Coroner
of Collo Co

P P I have been practicing
medicine here for 13 long years & I
charge fees for removing as for giving
medicine excuse Best

D Vanmeter

Here - Leaving	3.50
Returning	1.00
Mileage	1.25
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	4.85

People
Highland, Etah.

Summit

State of Illinois }
Supreme court }
Second Grand } ss of the January Term thereof A.D. 1882
Division thereof }

The People of the State of Illinois }
vs } In Debt.
Abram Hegblana and others }

It is hereby expressly stipulated and agreed by and between the parties herein by their respective attorneys, that the court enter up judgment for the Debt in the amount of the penalty of the Bond sued on herein, and for the Damages in the amount of twenty thousand two hundred and sixty nine dollars and thirty one cents (\$20,269³¹/100) and for the costs of suit, the Debt to be satisfied by the payment of the Damages, and that execution issue upon said Judgment.

J. B. White, State Atty.
Plffs Atty.
C. M. F. Klein
Atty for Deft

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The People

vs

Abraham Highland & et al

Agreement

J. B. White
plffs attorney

O. B. Fecklin
defds attorney

James Dan. 16/64
Notary
et

State of Illinois
Supreme Court
of the Second Grand
Division thereof

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Of the January Term of the Supreme
Court thereof A.D. 1862.

The People of the State of Illinois, Plaintiffs

Abram Highland, W. L. Funkhouser, Thomas E. Stockert,
J. H. Johnston, William Ricketts and Robert A. Miller,
Defendants.

Richard Stockert

In an action of Debt.

Debt. \$57,737.80

Damages \$57,737.80

The Clerk of said Court will please issue summons
in said cause to the ^{clerk} Sheriff of Coles County commanding
he endorse out brought and Debt and Damages as above
Returnable as the Law directs.

Wm. White States Attorney
Plffs Attorney

The People

vs

Abraham Highland et al

In Debt.

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Sec 2^d b. Injunction is to Grover of 1866.

J. White

Plffs atty.

Filed Dec 2. 1861

J. H. Conway
clerk

Dec 13th 1861 Charleston Colles Co

Please find inclosed
summons. Returned in good
order

J Vanmeter, coroner of
Colles Co

Know all Men by These Presents,

That We, Abram Highland Collector, and W L Funkhouser
Thos E Stoddert Richard Stoddert J H Johnston
Wm Ricketts Robert A Miller

securities, all of the County of Coles and State of Illinois,
are held and firmly bound to the people of the State of Illinois in the
penal sum of Fifty Seven thousand Seven hundred and thirty seven ⁵⁰/₁₀₀
Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind
ourselves, each of us, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these
presents. Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals, this
Eleventh day of December 1860.

The condition of the foregoing bond is such, that if the above bound
Abram Highland shall perform all the duties required to be per-
formed by him, as collector of the taxes for the year 1860, in the time and
manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall
surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys
belonging to said County, or to the State, and appertaining to his said
office, then the foregoing bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

A Highland (SEAL)
W L Funkhouser (SEAL)
Thomas E Stoddert (SEAL)
R Stoddert (SEAL)
J H Johnston (SEAL)
Wm Ricketts (SEAL)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of

James McCrory

R. A. Miller (Seal)

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
County of Coles } ss.

J. James McCrory, Clerk of the County Court
of Coles County, hereby certify that the foregoing bond
has been duly approved by the Board of Supervisors
and recorded.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal
of said Court at Charleston this Eleventh day of
December A. D. 1860.

James McCrory County Clerk.

NOTE.—The signing of the bond must be in the presence of at least one witness. See Section three of Collection Laws. The County Clerk will
hand this to the Collector, and as soon as it is duly executed, return it to this office.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
County of *Coles*

I *Abram Highland* Collector in and for said County, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully, diligently and impartially, to the best of my judgment and ability, perform all the duties required of me by law as such Collector of Taxes for the year 1860.

Abram Highland Collector.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me, this *Eleventh* day of *December* 1860
James McCoory County Clerk.

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Coles County.
BOND, 1860.
Abram Highland Collector.

Received and filed in Auditor's office,
Dec 19 1860

W. C. C. Sec. 2. 1501.
Wm. C. C. Sec. 2. 1501.

Abram Highland Collector of *Coles* County,

In Account with the State of Illinois,

DR.

To State tax, assessment of 18 ⁶⁰ ,			28,695 63
“ Amount on real and personal property since added			
“ Amount of back taxes due on forfeited and other property.....			173 27
“ Amount on forfeited property redeemed.....			
“ Amount on real property paid by different claimants.....			
			<hr/> 28,868 90

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By Errors on real property.....			
“ Insolvencies, removals, etc., on personal property			
“ Real property forfeited to the State.....			
“ Errors, etc., on forfeited property.....			
“ Commissions, 3 per cent. paid town collectors on \$			
“ do 2 “ “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ do 1 “ “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ do 2 “ “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ do 2 “ “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ do 5 “ “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ do 3 “ “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ Mileage miles, at 20 cents per mile.....			

1861 July 16
" " "
" Mar 16

“ The school fund interest order.....		469	90	
“ “ “ “ tax “		6,061	86	
“ “ Treasurer's receipt,.....		47	25	6,579 01
				<hr/> 22,289 89
				661 25
				<hr/> 22,951 14

The Interest 6 per cent. on \$22,289.89. 5 mo. 28 days.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, ILLINOIS,

Springfield, December 26 1861.

I, Jesse Dubois Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, hereby certify that the within account is correct as to principal, as appears from the proper evidence on file in this office, and that the interest is calculated thereon to the twenty day of January 1862, and will at that time be correct, unless payment shall be made on said account previous to that time.

Given under my hand and Official Seal, the day and year above written

Jesse Dubois Auditor P. S.

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Highland, Chal

Copy of

Filed Dec. 29/61.
Wm. C. Curran
J. C.

Edward Thorn Sr Collector of Lawrence County,

In Account with the State of Illinois,

DR.

			\$12.559 51
To State tax, assessment of 1860,			
“ Amount on real and personal property since added			239 04
“ Amount of back taxes due on forfeited and other property.....			7 26
“ Amount on forfeited property redeemed.....			1 19
“ Amount on real property paid by different claimants.....			<u>12.807 00</u>
CR.			
By Errors on real property.....		39 65	
“ Insolvencies, removals, etc., on personal property		197 70	
“ Real property forfeited to the State.....		818 59	
“ Errors, etc., on forfeited property.....			
“ Commissions, 3 per cent. paid town collectors on \$ 5.799.46		173 98	
“ do 2 “ “ “ “ “ “ \$ 2.467.85		49 35	
“ do 1 “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ do 2 “ “ “ “ “ “ \$ 8.043.98		160 88	
“ do 2 “ “ “ “ “ “ \$ 708.77		14 17	
“ do 5 “ “ “ “ “ “ \$ 1665.60		83 28	
“ do 3 “ “ “ “ “ “ \$			
“ Mileage 203 miles, at 20 cents per mile.....		40 60	
“ Balance due from Town Collectors		463 49	
“ Rail Road tax not collected		645 89	
1861. Feb 21 “ The school fund interest order.....		322 10	
“ Apr 10 “ “ “ “ tax “		4181 55	
“ June 10 “ “ Treasurer’s receipt.....		364 90	
“ Sep 25 “ Do		260 58.	
“ Nov “ Do.		835 54	<u>8.652 25</u>
			4.154 75
“ In Interest 6 per cent. on \$260.58 2 mos. 15 days			3 25
“ “ “ “ “ 835.54 4 “ 15 “			18 78
“ “ “ “ “ 4.154.75 5 “ 28 “			<u>123 25</u>
			<u>\$4300 03</u>

Auditors Office Illinois
Springfield December 26. 1861

I Jesse W. Dubois Auditor of Public accounts
of the state of Illinois hereby certify that the
within account is correct as to principal as
appears from the proper evidence on file in this
office and that the interest is calculated
thereon to the seventh day of January 1862
and will at that time be correct unless
payment shall be made on said account
previous to that time

Given under my hand and
official seal the day and
Year above written

Jesse W. Dubois
Auditor P.S.

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People

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Thorn, et al.

Copy of ac

Filed Dec 27 1861.
Wm. McKimsey
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Know all Men by These Presents,

That We, Edward Horn Sen Collector, and Daniel S. Gold
Silas J. Stiles. John Bruffey. William A. Watts. & John Miles D.
Chenoweth

securities, all of the County of Lawrence and State of Illinois,
are held and firmly bound to the people of the State of Illinois in the
penal sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind
ourselves, each of us, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these
presents. Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals, this
Fifteenth day of December 1860.

The condition of the foregoing bond is such, that if the above bound
Edward Horn Sen shall perform all the duties required to be per-
formed by him, as collector of the taxes for the year 1860, in the time and
manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall
surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys
belonging to said County, or to the State, and appertaining to his said
office, then the foregoing bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

E Horn Sen



Daniel S. Gold



S. J. Stiles



John Bruffey



Wm A. Watts



J. M. D. Chenoweth



Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of

S. B. Watts Co Clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

County of Lawrence

ss.

I, S. B. Watts

Clerk of the County Court

of Lawrence County, hereby certify that the foregoing bond
has been duly approved by the S. B. Watts Peter Smith and Isaac
Potts Co. J. J. Co. Clerk & put record and recorded.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal
of said Court at Lawrenceville this 25th day of

January A. D. 1861.

Sau. B. Watts

County Clerk.

NOTE.—The signing of the bond must be in the presence of at least one witness. See Section three of Collection Laws. The County Clerk will hand this to the Collector, and as soon as it is duly executed, return it to this office.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
County of *Lawrence*

I *Edward Thom Sen* Collector in and for said County, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully, diligently and impartially, to the best of my judgment and ability, perform all the duties required of me by law as such Collector of Taxes for the year 1861.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me, this *30th* day of *November* 1861
E Thom Sen Collector.
J. R. Matto County Clerk.

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Lawrence County.
BOND, 1861.
Edward Thom Sen Collector.

*the within Bond of said
by the undersigned this
25th January 1861
Jesse J. Potts Co. Judge
J. R. Matto Clerk
Peter G. Smith Pursuant*

Received and filed in Auditor's office,
Feb 13 1861.

*Recd Dec 27 1861
J. W. Kearney
Clerk*

State of Illinois,

Supreme Court--Second Grand Division. }

ss.

The People of the State of Illinois,

TO THE SHERIFF OF Lawrence COUNTY,---GREETING:

We command you to summon Edward Thorn, Senior,
Daniel L. Gold, Silas J. Stiles, John Bruffey, William A.
Watts, & John Miles S. Chenoweth,

ifs to be found in your County, to appear before the Supreme Court for
the Second Grand Division of the State of Illinois, on the first day
of the next term thereof, to be holden at the State House in the City of
Springfield, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in the Month
of January next, to answer unto The People of the State of Illinois
in an action of debt -

Debt, Sixty thousand dollars -

Damages Sixty thousand dollars -

and hereof make due return to our said Court as the law directs.

Witness, HON. JOHN D. CATON, Chief Justice of said Court, and the
Judicial Seal thereof, at Springfield, this Second day
of December A. D. 1861.

Wm. Kearney

Clerk Supreme Court.

I have sewed the within writ by reading the same to
 the within named Edward Thom & J. Still and
 William A. Watts on the 7th day of December 1861
 and to John B. Neffey on the 9th Dec 1861
 to J. M. & C. Chomovitch on the 21st Dec 1861

Wm Whittaker

Supreme Court--2nd Grand Division.

The People
 vs.
 Edward Thom & Co.

SEMIIONS.

To Leonard Gam, et. al. 1861.

Filed Dec 23. 61. D. 1861

Wm Whittaker

To drawing 250

& Printings 40

Per 10

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Of acknowledge service of the within writ this record
 day of December 1861.
 Daniel S. Field.

State of Illinois }
Supreme court } 10
Second Grand }
Division thereof }

of the January of the Supreme
Court thereof A.D. 1862.

The People of the State of Illinois, Plaintiffs
versus

Edward Thorn, St. Daniel L. Gold, Silas J. Stiles,
John Pruffry, William A. Watts and John Miles
D. Lehenowith, Defendants.

In an action of Debt
Debt \$60,000.00
Damages \$60,000.00

The clerk of said court will please process of Summons
in said cause directed to the Sheriff of Lawrence
County Ind brought and Debt and Damages
as above returnable as the law directs &c

J. B. White, States atty
Attys for Plaintiffs-

The People

or

Edward Thorneycroft

In Debt

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W. A. Conway
Att'y at L.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
Supreme Court } ss.
of the Second Grand Division thereof

Of the *January*

Term thereof, A. D. 186*2*

The People of the State of Illinois, the Plaintiffs in this suit, by J. B. WHITE, their attorney, come and complain of

Edward Thorn, Senior, Daniel E. Gold, Silas J. Stiles, John Breffly
William A. Watts, and John Miles D. Chénowitz,

the defendants in this suit, being in the custody, &c., of a plea that they render to the said plaintiffs the sum of ~~eighty thousand Dollars lawful thousand money of the hundred and United States dollars and~~ *eighty thousand Dollars lawful* ~~cents,~~ which they owe to and unjustly detain from said plaintiffs.

For that whereas heretofore, to-wit: on the *fifteenth* day of *December* A. D. 186*0*, at the County of *Lawrence* and State aforesaid, the said *Edward Thorn, Senior* was ~~then and there the~~ Collector of the taxes of the County of *Lawrence* in the State aforesaid, for the year A. D. 186*0*, and being then and there the Collector of taxes for said county for said year, it then and there became and was his legal duty, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such Collector aforesaid, to execute his bond, with good and sufficient securities, conditioned for the faithful performance of all of his duties as such Collector; and the said *Edward Thorn, Senior*, ^{Collector as aforesaid} in consideration of his said legal duty, then and there afterwards, to-wit: on the same day, at the County of *Lawrence* and State aforesaid, as the Collector of the taxes of the County of *Lawrence* for the year A. D. 186*0*, together with ^{by the name and style of "E. Thorn Sr"} *Daniel E. Gold, the said Silas J. Stiles, by the name and style of "S. J. Stiles", the said John Breffly the said William A. Watts by the name and style of "W. A. Watts" and the said John Miles D. Chénowitz by the name and style of "J. M. D. Chénowitz,*

as his securities, all of the County of *Lawrence* and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with ^{Respective} their hands and sealed the same with their ^{Respective} seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory is to the Court aforesaid here exhibited and shown, and which said writing obligatory being so signed and sealed aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and by which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of *eighty* ~~thousand~~ ~~hundred and~~ ~~dollars and~~ ~~cents,~~ and which said writing obligatory, was, and is upon, and subject to the conditions following, to-wit:

That if the said *Edward Thorn, Senior* shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of the taxes for the year 186*0*, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, then the said bond to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

And which said writing obligatory, being so signed, sealed and delivered, as aforesaid, was then and there attested in due form of law, and was duly approved ~~by the~~ *on the twenty fifth day of January A.D. 1861, by Isaac Watts, County Judge of said county, Isaac B. Watts, County Clerk of said county and by Peter Smith Chairman of the Board of ~~Superior~~ ~~of~~*

of the said County of *Lawrence* - aforesaid, and the said Plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do aver that the said *Edward Horn, Senior* on the day and year last aforesaid, was duly qualified, and entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office as such Collector aforesaid; whereby by which said several premises it then and there became and was his legal duty, among other things, that he, the said *Edward Horn, Senior*. Collector as aforesaid, should collect and pay over into the State Treasury of the State aforesaid the State taxes which were by law to be collected in, of and from said County of *Lawrence* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law.

And the said plaintiffs, by their aforesaid attorney, do further aver that the said *Edward Horn, Senior Collector* *as aforesaid* has not and did not perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as such Collector of the taxes of the County of *Lawrence* for the year 1860, in the time and manner prescribed by law, but that the sum of *thirty* thousand ~~hundred and~~ dollars and ~~cents~~ remain due, unpaid and owing of the taxes for the year 1860, from the County of *Lawrence* of State taxes *and belonging to the State of Illinois,*

and which was by law to be collected and paid over into the State Treasury of the State of Illinois, by the said *Edward Horn, Senior*, Collector as aforesaid, on or before the *tenth* day of *July* A. D. 1861, which said day last aforesaid hath long since elapsed. Yet the said *Edward Horn, Senior, collector as aforesaid* although he ~~has before~~ ~~never before~~ ~~to wit~~ ~~on the~~ ~~fifteenth~~ ~~day~~ ~~of~~ ~~April~~ ~~A.D. 1861.~~ collected said sum of money last aforesaid, the same being State Taxes as aforesaid and belonging to said State, did ~~not pay~~ ~~thereof~~, on said ~~tenth~~ day of *July* A.D. 1861. ~~nor before that day~~ ~~has~~ ~~not~~ ~~paid~~ the said sum of money last aforesaid over into the State Treasury aforesaid, nor any part thereof, nor to said

Plaintiffs, whereby *said writing obligatory became and was also forfeited by Reason whereof and by reason, of said sum of money last aforesaid being ~~not~~ and remaining wholly unpaid*

an action hath accrued to the said Plaintiffs, to demand of and have from said Defendants the sum of money last mentioned ~~and above demanded.~~ *the same being parcel of the sum of money above demanded.*

And also for that whereas heretofore, to-wit: on the *fifteenth* day of *December* A. D. 186*0*, at the County of *Lawrence* and State aforesaid, the said *Edward Horn, Senior* was ~~the~~ *then and there the collector* Collector of the taxes of the County of *Lawrence* for the year ~~1860~~ 186*0*, and being so then and there Collector of the taxes as aforesaid, it then and there became and was his legal duty, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such Collector, to execute his bond, with good and sufficient security,

conditioned that ^{the} said *Edward Horn, Senior* shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of taxes for the year 186*0*, in the time and manner prescribed by law; and when he shall be succeeded in office, shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, ^{then the said bond to be void otherwise to remain in full force; and} the said *Edward Horn, Senior, collector* ^{appointed} in consideration of his said legal duty afterwards, to-wit: on the day and year last aforesaid, at the County and State aforesaid, as Collector of the taxes of said County of *Lawrence* for the year 186*0*, together with *the said other above named Defendants*,

as his securities, all of the County of *Lawrence* and State aforesaid, then and there made and executed their certain ^{other} writing obligatory, and then and there signed the same with their ^{Respective} hands and sealed the same with their ^{Respective} seals, and which said writing obligatory bears date the day and year last aforesaid, and which said writing obligatory is to said court here exhibited and shown, and which said writing obligatory, being so signed and sealed as aforesaid, they, the said defendants, then and there delivered to said plaintiffs, and which said writing obligatory the said defendants, and each of them, acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of *Eighty* thousand ~~hundred and~~ dollars ~~and~~ ~~cents~~, and which said writing obligatory was and is upon and subject to the conditions and in tenor and effect as follows, to-wit:

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we *Edward Horn, Sen* Collector, and *Daniel L. Gold, Silas J. Stiles, John Bruffey, William A. Walton* & *John Miles D. Chenoweth*.

securities, all of the County of *Lawrence* and State of Illinois, are held and firmly bound to the People of the State of Illinois in the penal sum of *Eighty thousand*,

dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, each of us, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals, this *fifteenth* day of *December* 186*0*.

The condition of the foregoing bond is such, that if the above bound *Edward Horn, Senior*, shall perform all the duties required to be performed by him, as Collector of taxes for the year 186*0*, in the time and manner prescribed by law, and when he shall be succeeded in office shall surrender and deliver over to his successor in office all books, papers and moneys belonging to said County, or to the State, and appertaining to his said office, then the foregoing bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

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Edward Thorn & Co al

Am

J B White
Alps city

Filed Dec 27-67
The Recorder
C.B.