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No. \_\_\_\_\_

# Supreme Court of Illinois

Douglass et al

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vs.

Knox

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State of Illinois  
Knox County, ss.

Pleas before the Hon-  
orable John S Thompson Judge of the  
South Judicial Circuit of the State of  
Illinois at a court began and held  
at the Court House in the city of Knox-  
ville and State aforesaid on the first  
Monday of the month of June in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and fifty nine, it being  
the sixth day of said month in  
said year

Present The Hon. John S Thompson Judge  
James H Stewart State Atty  
Cephas Ames Clerk  
Andrew Thomson Sheriff

Leander Douglas }  
Alfred M Craig }  
vs } Appeal  
James Knox }

Be it remembered that  
at the said Term of said Court, this  
suit was pending in said Court, and that  
during said Court began and held  
as aforesaid, to wit on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of  
the month of June in said year

proceedings were had herein, the Record  
of which is in words and figures following  
to wit

Leander Douglass )  
Alfred M. Craig )  
                  <sup>vs</sup> ) Appeal  
James. Knox )

This day came the parties  
and their attorneys, and issue being  
joined, for trial put themselves upon a  
jury and put themselves upon the court  
And after hearing the evidence and  
argument of counsel, it is considered by  
the court that the Plaintiffs recover of the  
Defendant the amount of their note  
and interest, and four per cent damages  
thereon for delay, and as those amounts  
are unknown to the court, it is ordered  
that the clerk compute the same, &  
the clerk having computed and reported  
the same at the sum of One hundred  
and seventy nine Dollars and seventy  
five cents which being approved by the  
court, Therefore it is considered by the  
court that the Plaintiffs recover of the  
defendant the sum of One hundred &  
seventy nine Dollars and seventy five

cents the amounts aforesaid together with their costs by them in this Court expended as well in the Court below as in this Court. And may have execution therefor. Thereupon the defendant prayed an Appeal to the Supreme Court, Which is allowed upon the defendant entering into Bond with security in the sum of \$300<sup>00</sup> to be approved by the Clerk and filed in 30 days from the date hereof.

And afterwards to wit on the ninth day of July AD 1860 the defendant came and filed his Bond herein which is in words and figures following to wit

Know all men by these presents that we James Knox and G. M. Ewing are held and firmly bound unto Leander Douglass and Alfred M. Craig in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars to be paid to the said Leander Douglass and Alfred M. Craig, their Executors & Administrators, for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our Executors and Administrators by these presents. Witness our hands and seals

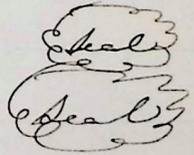
this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July AD 1859.

The condition of the foregoing obligation is such, that whereas on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June AD 1859 in the circuit court of Knox County State of Illinois Leander Douglas and Alfred M. Craig rendered a judgment against the said James Knox for the sum of one hundred and seventy nine dollars and seventy five cents and for the costs of suit from which said judgment, the said James Knox has taken an appeal to the Supreme <sup>court</sup> of the State of Illinois.

Now therefore if the said James Knox shall prosecute his said appeal with effect and shall pay whatever judgment may be rendered by the court upon dismissal or trial of said appeal, then the foregoing obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

James Knox

G. M. Ewing



Approved by me this 9<sup>th</sup>  
day of July AD 1859  
Leophas Amos Clerk

State of Illinois }  
Knox County } ss

Stephan Arnis Clerk of the  
Circuit Court in and for said County  
& State do hereby certify that the  
foregoing is a full, perfect & complete  
Transcript <sup>of the Judgment & Official Bond & under authority of said</sup> in the above cause as the  
same appears of record and on file  
in my office



Witness my hand and the  
seal of said Court at my  
office in the City of Knoxville  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of March  
A.D. 1860

Stephan Arnis Clerk

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Douglas & Craig  
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James Knox

Transcript

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de Leland  
Clerk

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