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

# Supreme Court of Illinois

Jonathan Hill, for use

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vs.

Dorothea Nicol et al

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State of Illinois } Pleas and proceedings had in  
St. Clair County } the Circuit Court in and for  
the County of St. Clair & State of Illinois  
Be it remembered that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1857  
the following Bill was filed to wit:

State of Illinois } Of the April Term of the  
St. Clair County } ss Circuit Court of said County  
A.D. 1857.

To the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Judge of the 24<sup>th</sup> Judicial  
Circuit Court in said State of which said  
State of which said County of St. Clair forms  
a part in Chancery sitting

Humbly complaining sheweth  
unto your Honor Your Orator Jonathan S. Hill  
(who sues for the use of Samuel B. Whiteside) that  
on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1855 he sold & conveyed to  
George Henry Nicol the following described land  
situate in said County to wit: The North East  
quarter of section No 29 in Township one South  
of Range No 6 West containing one hundred  
& sixty acres, <sup>of the South East quarter</sup> And also the South East quarter  
of section No 29 in Township No 1 South of Range  
No 6 West of the 3<sup>rd</sup> principal Meridian contain-  
ing forty acres and making in the aggregate  
two hundred acres for the sum of three thousand  
one hundred dollars payable in installments.  
Fifteen hundred to be paid within five months  
from that date & sixteen hundred dollars within

Eight months from that date. Your Orator states that the said Nicol thereupon in order to secure the payment of said sums of purchase money as aforesaid he executed and delivered to your Orator, two Bonds or writings obligatory of that date, one of which was given in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars & payable five months after the date thereof. & the other in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars and payable eight months from that date. And your Orator further states that to further secure the payment of said note given for the purchase money of said land as aforesaid the said George Henry Nicol executed and delivered to your Orator a certain indenture of mortgage of that date by which he granted, Bargained, sold, conveyed & confirmed unto your Orator & to his heirs and assigns forever the said lands. To have & to hold the same with all the privileges & thereunto belonging unto your Orator his heirs and assigns forever & thereby expressly waiving & relinquishing all benefit of an act intitled "an act to exempt Homesteads from sale on execution" Approved February 11, 1851. Your Orator states that the said mortgage deed was & is subject to the following conditions to wit: That if the said Nicol should well & truly pay or cause to be paid to your Orator his heirs or assigns the just & full sum

of three thousand and one hundred dollars according to the tenor & effect of two certain promissory notes of even date with said mortgage given by the said George Henry Nicol & payable one in five months, the other in eight months from the date of said mortgage & notes then said mortgage was to be void otherwise in force. Your Orator states that the said promissory notes referred to in said mortgage were under seal and are the same first above described in this Bill as Bonds or writings obligatory. Your Orator refers to the original mortgage deed filed herewith marked "Exhibit A" and made a part of this Bill of Complaint also the said \$1600.00 note or writing obligatory which has a credit of four hundred dollars on the back thereof indorsed in the german language. Your Orator states that the said fifteen hundred dollar note or Bond has been paid with the exception of twenty one dollars & that the said Whiteside how whom he sold the same gave up said note to Henry Nicol the Adm<sup>r</sup> of said George Henry Nicol (who has died since executing said mortgage & notes) with the understanding that twenty one dollars is yet to be paid. He states that a copy of said note or Bond for \$1500.00 as aforesaid is filed herewith (the same being written from memory) and that the original \$1600.00 <sup>note</sup> is filed herewith marked "Exhibit B".

& made a part of this Bill of Complaint. Your Orator states that neither of said Notes has been paid any further than as above stated & that a large amount of money still remains due and unpaid on the same together with said Mortgages. Your Orator states that on the day of A.D. 1856 after the death of the said George Henry Nicol he sold & delivered the said notes & mortgage to Samuel B White- side of said County without assigning the same & that this suit is now brought for the use of said Whiteside. Your Orator states that the said George Henry Nicol left the following heirs at Law to wit; Corrothea Nicol his widow, & Henry Nicol, Lewis Nicol, Martin Nicol & Catharine Nicol his children. Your Orator states that all of the said children of said decedent & also the said widow reside in St Clair County aforesaid & that the said Henry Nicol is the Administrator of the Estate of said dec<sup>d</sup> father. Wherefore in consideration of the premises and as your Orator can only have adequate relief in a Court of Equity where matters of this kind are properly cognizable & believable, Your Orator prays that summons may issue against the said Corrothea Nicol Henry Nicol Admr, their Lewis Nicol, Martin Nicol & Catharine Nicol (the last two of whom are minors & for whom your Orator asks the appointment of a guardian ad litem) all of whom are made defts, to this Bill of Complaint requiring them to be and appear at the next term of said Court & full true & perfect answer make to all

and singular the allegations herein contained  
 & that upon a hearing of this Cause your Honor  
 would ascertain the amount due & unpaid  
 upon said Bond & Mortgage & under a decree  
 requiring the defts to pay the amount so found  
 to be due & owing thereon by an early day &  
 that if default be made therein that the  
 said lands be sold by the Master in Chy  
 or some special Com<sup>rs</sup> to be appointed by the Court  
 for that purpose & the monies accruing from such  
 sale to be applied to the extinguishment of the amt-  
 so found due & owing. And Your Coator prays for  
 such other & further relief as the Nature of his case  
 requires & as in duty bound he will ever pray &c,  
 Jonathan S. Hill (who sues  
 for the use of Samuel B Whiteside)  
 Complt. By Ballantyne & Leitch  
 his Solrs.

Copy of \$1500,00 notes above referred to

\$1500

Five months after date I promise to pay to Jonathan  
 S. Hill or bearer the sum of fifteen hundred dollars  
 for value received of him as witness my hand and  
 Seal this 4<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1855.

George Juniper Nicol Seal

\$1600 Eight months after date I promise to pay to Jonathan S Hill or bearer the sum  
 of sixteen hundred dollars for value received of him as witness my hand and seal this 14<sup>th</sup> day  
 of May A.D. 1855

George Juniper Nicol Seal  
 on which is the following endorsement to wit: I on 19<sup>th</sup> January  
 1856 of Jonathan S Hill is in full of dollar by signing on the within

"Exhibit B"

Copy of Mortgage

This deed, made and entered into this fourth day of May A.D. Eighteen Hundred and Fifty five between George Henry Nicol of the County of St Clair and State of Illinois, of the first part, and Jonathan S. Hill of the County of St Clair and State of Illinois, of the second part.

Witnesseth: That the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Three thousand and one hundred dollars, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have granted bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant bargain and sell, convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns, forever all them certain lots tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in the County of St Clair and State of Illinois, and described as follows To wit: the North East quarter of section twenty nine (29) in Township one South of Range six (6) West containing one hundred and sixty acres and also the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section twenty nine (29) in township one South of Range six (6) West forty acres. Containing in all two hundred acres.

To have and to hold the said lots tracts or parcels of land, together with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging

unto the said party of the second part, and  
to their heirs and assigns Forever.

And the said party of the first part  
by these presents expressly waive and  
Relinquish all benefit of an act entitled;  
"An act to exempt Homesteads from sale on  
Execution," Approved February 11, 1851.

Provided, However, that if the said  
party of the first part shall well and truly  
pay or cause to be paid to the said party  
of the second part his heirs or assigns the  
just and full sum of Three thousand and  
one hundred dollars according to the  
tenor and effect of two certain promissory  
Notes of even date herewith given by the  
said George Henry Nicol and payable  
one in five months the other in eight months  
from date; then this deed and also said Notes  
to be null and void, otherwise to remain in  
full force and effect. In testimony whereof,  
the said party of the first part hereunto set  
his name and seal the day and year first  
above written. George Henry Nicol 

State of Illinois }  
St. Clair County } Sect.

I James H. Knight one of the  
justices of the peace within and for the said County

of St. Clair and State of Illinois, hereby certify that  
George Henry Nicol whose name is signed to the  
foregoing instrument of writing as having executed  
the same is personally known to be the real person  
who executed the same, and that he appeared before  
and acknowledged the said instrument to be his  
act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned  
In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my  
name this fourth day of May A. D. one thousand  
eight hundred and fifty five

James H Knight (seal)  
Justice of the peace

And on the same day the following summons  
was issued to wit:

State of Illinois }  
County of St. Clair } Sct.

The people of the State of Illinois  
To the Sheriff of St. Clair County - Greeting:

We command you to summon, Dorothea Nicol  
widow and Henry Nicol Adm<sup>r</sup> Louis Nicol Martin  
Nicol and Catharine Nicol, if they can be found  
in your County, to be and appear in the St. Clair  
Circuit Court on the first day of the next term  
thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the  
City of Belleville, in said county, on the 3<sup>d</sup>  
Monday of April Inst. ; then and there in said  
Court in Chancery sitting to answer the Bill of

Complaint exhibited against them by Jonathan P Hill for the use of Samuel B. Whiteside to foreclose Mortgage. And not fail under what the law directs. And this writ you shall have at our said Court with your return endorsed thereon.

Witness, William S. Thomas  
Clerk of the said Circuit Court and the seal thereof  
affixed at office this ninth day of April A. D.  
One thousand Eight hundred and fifty-seven  
W<sup>m</sup> S. Thomas Clk

L. S.

To which summons the following return  
is endorsed to wit:

J. G. Hart Shff. of St. Clair  
County Illinois do hereby deputise B. M. Nelson  
to serve the within Summons April 9<sup>th</sup> 1857  
G. G. Hart Shff. A. C. C.

Also endorsed as follows to wit:

Served by reading  
to and delivering a true copy of the within summons  
to Henry Nicol within named and delivering to him  
for each of the other named defendants viz. Dorothea  
Nicol, Lewis Nicol and Martin Nicol a true copy of  
said summons at their usual place and abode inform-  
ing the said Henry Nicol of the contents thereof and  
he being a white person of the family above the age of  
ten years on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1857

G. G. Hart Shff. A. C. C.

by  
B. M. Nelson deputy.

And afterwards the <sup>following</sup> answer to said Bill was  
filed to wit:

Jonathan P. Hall, use }  
of S. B. Whiteside } Bill to  
vs } foreclose  
Henry Nicol & others }

The answer of Henry Nicol

This respondent reserving unto himself all  
exceptions to the many and manifest errors, ir-  
regularities insufficiencies and imperfections  
apparent in Complainant's bill, in answer thereto  
or to so much thereof as he is advised to be material  
for him to answer unto, says: that true it is, that  
his father George Henry Nicol in his lifetime, since  
deceased, purchased of the said Hall a quantity  
of land lying and situated in the said County  
of St. Clair, containing in all 200 acres correctly  
described in said bill of Complaint, this deponent  
admits, that part only of the purchase money was  
paid cash, and that the balance was secured  
to be paid as stated in said bill. This respondent  
admits, that a credit of four hundred dollars, for  
so much money paid on it, has been endorsed  
on the bond for \$1600 and that the bond for \$1500  
is fully paid and discharged, he den

This respondent admits, it to be true, that the  
said George Henry Nicol departed this life since  
the execution of the said bonds and mortgage

and that this respondent is one of his heirs at law  
and administrator of the said deceased, and that  
the other defendants are his widow and heirs at law

This respondent admits notice of the transfer of  
the said bonds and mortgage by said Hill to  
the said Whiteside and alleges, that since the  
said transfer and after the said note had become  
due and before the filing of said Bill of Complaint  
this respondent had a mutual understanding  
with said Whiteside by which this respondent  
agreed and promised to pay to said Whiteside  
interest on the amount of \$1200 yet due and  
unpaid on the said \$1000 bond, at the rate of  
ten per Cent per annum; and the said Whiteside  
in consideration thereof promised and agreed  
to forbear and give time to this respondent for  
the payment thereof until fall, that is to say  
until the first day of October next and that this  
understanding and agreement is still in force;  
and this respondent further answering says,  
in making the said agreement with the said  
Whiteside he acted as well in the name & on behalf  
and at the instance and request of the other adult  
defendants to the said Bill as on behalf of himself

And this respondent having fully answered  
moves the Court to be discharged with his proper  
costs

Henry Nicol

Hoerner and Engelmann

for Deft. Nicol

Shewn to, this twenty eight day of April A. D.  
One thousand eight hundred and fifty seven  
before me

 P. Ph. Trantweri  
Notary Public

And the following exceptions to said answer  
were filed to wit:

Hill for Whiteside

vs

Nichol

} Complainants in said  
cause except to <sup>the</sup> answer of said deft. and assigns  
for cause of exception that the understanding  
& agreement set up by said defendant as is  
stated in said answer is not sufficient in law,  
to operate as a stay or interruption  
of said cause but that said agreement if any  
such existed is void in law

J. Baker  
for Com.

And afterward to wit: at the April Term A. D. 1857  
of said Court the following proceedings were had to wit:

Jonathan S Hill for the use of  
Samuel B Whiteside

vs

Dorothea Nicol widow

Henry Nicol Louis Nicol

Martin Nicol Catharine Nicol

Bill to foreclose

Mortgage

On the first Tuesday Comes  
Henry Nicol one of the Defendants by Koerner &  
Engelmann his attorneys and files his motion to  
continue this cause to the next term for want of  
service on some of the Defendants; also comes the  
Complainant by his Solicitor and enters his Cross  
motion for leave to the Sheriff to amend the return  
of service endorsed on the subpoena; and the Court  
overrules the motion to continue and allows the  
Cross motion to amend and the amendment is  
made accordingly instantly

On the first Wednesday on motion of Complainant  
a rule is granted by the Court on the Defendants  
to answer the said Bill by next Saturday morning  
nine O'clock And on the first Saturday on motion of  
Henry Nicol one of the Defendants the time to  
answer is extended until the second Wednesday of  
the term On the second Monday the said Defendant  
Henry Nicol files his answer under oath in words  
and figures following &c And on the second Tuesday  
the Complainant moves the Court for leave to amend  
his said Bill and leave being granted the amendment  
is made <sup>by</sup> correcting the description of one of the

tracts of land therein described and by dismissing the claim of \$21.00 charged as remaining due and unpaid on the fifteen hundred dollar note mentioned in said Bill; And on motion of the Complainant the Defendants are ruled to answer the amended Bill by Wednesday at 2 O'clock P.M. And the said Henry Nicol amends his answer within the rule by erasing those parts of his answer which were responsive to the misdescription of the land and to the claim for \$21.00 as set out and charged in the original Bill

On the second Thursday on motion of the Complainant R. F. Wingate Esq. is by the Court appointed guardian ad litem to the minor Defendants and the said guardian files an answer on behalf of said minors in words following &c. The Complainant files his exceptions to the said Henry Nicols answer to the amended bill in words &c.; and the exceptions are argued and are sustained by the Court. And on motion leave is given to said Henry to amend his answer which he doth instantly by adding at the conclusion the words "And this respondent further answering says that in making the said agreement with the said Whiteside he acted as well in the name and on the behalf and at the instance and request of the other adult Defendants to the said Bill as on behalf of himself.

The Complainant thereupon again files his exceptions to said answer as amended. And on the third Wednesday

the exceptions are argued and are sustained by the Court and this Cause is set for hearing on the third Friday of the term

On the third Friday the said Defendant having failed further to amend his said answer the said Bill is taken as confessed against all the said Defendants and is referred with the exhibits thereto to William S Thomas Esq as Special Master in Chancery to compute the amount due thereon

On the same day the Special Master reports that he has made a computation and that there is due and unpaid upon the Mortgage in the said Bill referred to on principal and interest the sum of \$1297 <sup>49</sup>/<sub>100</sub> and the Defendant Henry Nicol files his exceptions to said Master's report in words following &c these exceptions however are overruled by the Court and the report of the Master is approved

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the said Defendants pay within thirty days to the said complainant the said sum of \$1297 <sup>49</sup>/<sub>100</sub> together with the costs of this suit and that in default thereof they be forever barred and foreclosed of all right title interest and estate of in and to the said Mortgaged premises to wit: The North East quarter of Section twenty nine (29) in Township One South of Range Six (6) West containing one hundred and sixty acres; and also the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section twenty nine (29) in Township One South of Range Six West

forty acres containing in all two hundred acres; and that the said premises be sold by the Master in Chancery at public auction to the highest bidder for ready money at the door of the Court house in the City of Belleville; public notice of the time place and terms of sale together with a description of the premises to be sold having first been given by publication in some newspaper printed in the County of St. Clair for four weeks successively previous to the sale; and after the sale upon receipt of the purchase money the Master to pay first the costs and charges attending the sale and those of this suit and then to the said Complainant the said sum of \$1297<sup>49</sup>/<sub>100</sub> and the interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum and the overplus if any to the said Defendants; and also to make execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers at the sale a Certificate in writing describing the premises purchased and the sum paid therefor and the time when such purchaser or purchasers will be entitled to a deed for the premises unless the same be redeemed according to law; and to file a duplicate of said Certificate in the office of the Recorder of this County within ten days after the sale; and if the said premises shall not be redeemed within fifteen months after the sale the Master shall make execute and deliver to the legal holder of said Certificate a good and sufficient deed for the premises

thereby conveying to and vesting in the grantee named in said deed all the right title interest and estate of the said Defendants in the said premises Ordered that the Master report to the Court his proceedings under this decree and that this cause be continued

And now on motion of the Deft an appeal is allowed to him on his filing a bond within thirty days with security to be approved by the clerk

And on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1857 the following Appeal bond is filed to wit:

"Know all men by these presents that we Henry Nicol George Glanig & Theodore Engelmann are held and firmly bound unto Jonathan S Hill for the use of Samuel B Whiteside in the sum of Twenty six hundred dollars well and truly to be paid by ourselves our heirs executors or administrators Witness our names and seals this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May AD 1857.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas in the Circuit Court within for the County of St Clair and State of Illinois at the April term thereof AD 1857. in a certain cause then pending in said Court in Chancery between Jonathan S Hill suing for the use of Saml B Whiteside Complainant and Dorothea Nicol, Henry Nicol, Louis Nicol, Martin Nicol and Catharine Nicol Defts the said

Complainant obtained a decree against the said Defendants for \$1297.49 & costs of suit from which decree said Defts took an appeal to the Supreme Court Now if the said Defendants shall duly prosecute the said appeal and shall well & truly pay the decree appealed from together with costs interest & damages in case the said decree shall be affirmed then this obligation shall be null and void in default thereof in full force & effect

Approved by me

May 25. 1857.

Jas Thomas Clk

Henry Nicol Seal  
Theodor Engelmann Seal  
Georg Glunig Seal

State of Illinois

St Clair County { I the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County of St Clair hereby Certify the foregoing to be a true and correct Copy of the Bill the Mortgage the Summons together with the endorsements thereon the answer the exceptions to answer the proceedings and decree of the Court and the appeal bond as the same are of record and on file in my office

Witness my name and the Seal of said Court hereto affixed at office this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1858  
Jas Thomas Clk

Dorothea Nicol et al.

vs

Bill to foreclose Mortgage.

Jonathan S. Hill who

sues for the use of Samuel  
B Whiteside

April Term of the Circuit Court  
of St. Clair County Illinois A.D. 1857.

The Answer of Martin Nicol and Catharine Nicol Minors defendants in the above styled  
Cause by R. F. Wingate their guardian ad litem appointed by order of this Honorable Court.

This respondent as such guardian ad litem for the said Martin and Catharine Nicol for  
answer to the said Compts bill says, that he adopts the Answer of the other defendants herein  
as filed in said Cause and says that as he is informed the said Answer and the matters and  
things as therein stated and alleged are true and he prays that the said Answer may  
be taken and considered as his answer for the said Minors to the said Compts bill  
herein filed and believing that this is a sufficient answer to said Compts bill prays  
to be hence dismissed with his proper costs & charges in this behalf most  
unjustly Expended & he will ever pray as in duty bound &c. R. F. Wingate.

Jonathan S. Hill for the use of Samuel B Whiteside

vs  
Dorothea Nicol et al.

Bill to foreclose Mortgage

The Undersigned appointed by the Court as special Master to compute the amount due on said Mortgage  
finds upon Computation as follows viz:

One Note for \$1600 <sup>00</sup> due Jan'y 4 <sup>th</sup> 1856	\$1600.00
Int-to 12 Jan'y 1856	2.13
<del>Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 1856 payment</del>	<del>1602.13</del>
Jan'y 12 1856 payment — of	400.00
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	1202.13
Int-from 12 <sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1856 to 8 May 1857 on \$1202.13	95.35
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	\$ 1297 49

All of which is Respectfully submitted May 24 1857  
Wm S. Thomas, Special Master

Hill for Whiteside  
vs  
Nicol

And the said Complainant excepts to the last amendment of the  
Answer in said Cause and says it is not sufficient  
J. Baker  
for Com

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Kill for the use of S. B. Whiteside

Henry Nicol & others

In Chancery.

The said defendant - Henry Nicol excepts to the Report of assessment for the reason, that interest is allowed on the debt secured by said mortgage after maturity while the mortgage doth not call for interest and the Complainant doth not in his Bill claim interest.

Koorn + Englishman  
for Nicol.

State of Illinois } I the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County of  
St. Clair County } St. Clair hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the  
answer of the guardian ad litem of the last filed exceptions  
of Compt to the amended answer the computation of Special  
Master and of the exceptions to said computation as the  
same are on file my office

Given under my hand & the seal of said Court hereto  
affixed at office this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Nov: 1858

Wm S Thomas Clerk

Jonathan S. Hill for use

Saml B. Whiteside

Dorothea Nicoletal

Copy

Filed Nov. 11. 1858.

A. Johnston CM

16 Nov. 58. Paid \$5.75

Dismissed with interest  
Deductions for delay -  
See Remand 13<sup>th</sup> Page 66.  
" " Book 360

Dorothy Nicol  
et al.  
vs  
Jonathan Hill  
for use of  
Samuel B Whiteside

Appeal  
from  
St-Clair

And now this  
day comes the said Appellee  
by T. Quict & his solr. and  
moves the Court for a  
dismissal of said Appeal  
and for an assessment  
of Damages under the  
Statute; for the reason  
that an authenticated  
Copy of the Record of the  
Decree appealed from  
was not filed, or lodged in  
the office of the Clerk of  
this Court within the time  
required by law.

T. Quict & solr.  
for Appellee

Dorothy Ains  
et al.

<sup>vs</sup>  
Jonathan S. Hill  
for use of  
Samuel B. Whitcomb

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Motion for  
Removal of  
Appeal & for  
Assessment of  
Damages

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Filed Nov. 17, 1859.  
A. Johnston Clk

Jonathan S. Hill for the use  
of Samuel B. Whiteside }  
vs }  
Henry Nicol et al. }

In this Case the Bond was filed & the  
Record should have been taken up at the  
last Term of the S. Court & filed by the  
3<sup>rd</sup> day of the Term.

The Defts having failed  
to do so Under the following authorities we  
are entitled to have the appeal dismissed  
& be allowed 5<sup>to ten</sup> per cent damages which  
you will please have done

See Rev. Stat. '45 Page 421 Sec. 57.

D 11<sup>th</sup> Ill. Rep. P. 487.

Also Beebe vs Boyer, 1 Bruse App. 20

Rogers vs Tilford, Bruse App 21

Officers 4 Gil. R. 141

Vance vs Schyler et al, 4<sup>th</sup> Seam R 286

Frank vs Phelps 4<sup>th</sup> Seam. 581

The doctrine in these Cases is that the Record must  
be filed within the first three days of the term, or leave  
given within these days for further time to file.

And for failure to file or obtain such leave within three days  
as aforesaid it is imperative on the S. Court on motion  
of appellee to dismiss the appeal & allow <sup>not less</sup> than 5 per  
cent damages, <sup>& may allow ten as in this case they ought to do</sup> as this is a case where the appeal  
was prayed simply for delay <sup>(over)</sup> & insist upon our legal rights <sup>J. D. Smith vs J. D. Smith</sup>

If you should fail in the above you may make  
motion to dismiss because Bond was not approved  
by the Court as the law requires but by the clerk  
The Court however can not fail to dismiss for the  
reasons first assigned

Emil R. Baker Atty  
for Appellee.

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Jonathan S. Hill for  
the use of  
Samuel B. Whiteside  
vs

Dorothea Nicol et al.

Record & Motion  
Williams

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Filed Nov. 11. 1858.  
A. Johnston Clk

Central Groves Ills  
Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> 1860.

A. Johnson Esq.

Dear Sir

Your favor of the 10<sup>th</sup> inst. is before me. You will please issue the Proceedings in the Case of Nicol as I will for me of Whiteside to include the 5<sup>th</sup> per cent. damages abandoning the price of the record if necessary. As that is a question of costs, it seems to me it might stand over & let the Proceedings include the other costs & interest & the 5<sup>th</sup> per cent damages.

At all events issue so that Whiteside may get his 5<sup>th</sup> per cent. & judgment & interest. Yours Truly  
Thomas Luck

Ex. issued 13. July 60

Dorothea Nicol }  
Martin Nicol } appellants  
Catharine Nicol }  
Henry Nicol }  
vs } Appeal from  
St Clair  
Jonathan Hill }  
for use of } appellee  
Samuel B Whitesides }

The Clerk of Supreme  
Court for 1st Grand Division will  
please file the enclosed record  
and docket the above suit &  
oblige

Underwoods  
Atty for appellees.



No 14

1859.

Dorothy Nicol et al  
vs

Hill for use of  
Whiteside

Appeal from St. Clair -

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Dismissed with 5 per cent for  
delay -

See Nevada Book "13" Page 66  
" Tex - Book " " 360

Proceedments issued 15 Dec. 59 -  
And vs. Ex. for damages to  
be done within pending as to  
City of Reno - over

July 19. 1860 - Mr Smith  
Orders proceeds for damages  
to be paid - leaving out the  
cost of Circuit Court  
Fees - which - an  
Execution is this day  
issued to Sheriff St. Clair -

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