

Civil Case: State of Indiana vs James Coffee - Nuisance

Name in Record	Reason for Being in Record	Date of Record
David Studabaker	District Attorney:	
David Studabaker	Accused James Coffee of selling liquore without a license	
George Long	Oath: James Coffee gave him 1 drink of spiritous liquor	July 18, 1853
George Long	Oath: James Coffee keeps spiritous liquor for sale	
Joseph C. Plummer	Justice of Peace	
Joel Roe	Oath: James Coffee gave him 1 drink of spiritous liquor	July 18, 1853
Joel Roe	Oath: James Coffee keeps spiritous liquor for sale	
Joseph C. Plummer	Justice of Peace	
David Studabaker	D. A. to Court: Coffee unlawfully sold liquor to George Long	No date
David Studabaker	D. A. to Court: Coffee unlawfully sold liquor to Joel Roe	No date
James Coffee	Ordered to be arrested re: information on retailing; bail allowed	July 22, 1853
Samuel L. Rugg	Clerk	
James W. Donahue	Deputy	
Joel Roe	Summoned to testify on behalf of State in State vs Coffee	July 22, 1853
Samuel L. Rugg	Clerk	
James W. Donahue	Deputy	
George Long	Summoned to testify on behalf of State in State vs Coffee	July 22, 1853
Samuel L. Rugg	Clerk	
James W. Donahue	Deputy	
James Coffee	Posted bail to State of Indiana	July 23, 1853
H. H. Bremerkamp	Secured James Coffee's bail	
David S. Cofman	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
George Frank	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Daniel Miller	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Andrew McDonald	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Wm. Bodle	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Charles Geonslin	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
P. N. Collins	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Benjamin Pilows	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Samuel Steel	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Wm. Stockam	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Zios Daley	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
Andrew Lucky	One of 12 jurors in State vs James Coffee	
David McDonald	Sheriff of Adams County	
J. N. Little	Deputy	
D. L. Coffman	Foreman of jury; find defendant not guilty	No date
Philimon N. Collins	Foreman of jury; find defendant not guilty	No date

State of Indiana
Adams County & personally appeared
before Joseph C. Plumer a Justice
of the Peace in and for the county
of Adams and being duly
sworn on oath Says that
on or about the 1st day of June
A.D. 1853, ^{at the Law County of Adams State of Indiana} one James Coffee did
give to him one drink of
~~spirit~~ liquor which he the said George
Long drank in the house of him
the said James Coffee and
that he the said James Coffee
keeps spirituous liquor for
sale and further the respondent
sayeth not.

George Long

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 18th day of
July 1853

Joseph C. Plumer J. P.

State of Maryland } In the Court of Common
Adams County } Pleas of Adams County
August Term A.D. 1853

State of Maryland }
against } Retailing
James Coffee }

David Studabaker district
attorney in and for the Common Pleas
district composed of the Counties of
Adams and Allen in the State of Maryland
informs the Court that one James Coffee
on or about the 1st day of June in the year
A.D. 1853 at the said County of Adams and
State of Maryland did unlawfully ^{willfully} keep
and maintain a common and public
nuisance in this to wit: he the said
James Coffee did then and there allow
and suffer one George Long to drink
a certain ^{in less quantity than one gallon} quantity of spiritous
liquors ^{to wit one drink} in the
house of him the said James Coffee
the said house being a house
wherein spiritous liquors are sold
by the said James Coffee he the
said James Coffee not then and
there being licence to retail
spiritous liquors according to
law.

David Studabaker
District Attorney

STATE OF INDIANA, ADAMS COUNTY.

We *James Coffee*

and *William H. Brewster*

owe the state of Indiana

fifty

dollars to be levied of our property.

The condition of the above is that the said *James Coffee* shall personally be before the Judge of the *Court of Common Pleas* Adams Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to answer a charge of *a nuisance* and abide the order of the court, and not depart thence without leave, then this recognizance shall be void; else to remain in full force.

Taken and approved this *23*

day of *July*

A. D. 1852

James Coffee
W. H. Brewster



TO THE SHERIFF OF Adams COUNTY:

You are commanded to Arrest James Coffey
Notwithstanding, and hold him to bail in the sum of fifty
dollars, to answer on the first day of the next term of the
Court of Adams County Information
Common Pleas, an Indictment for
Rebelling and for want of bail commit him to the jail of
the county, until legally discharged.



Witness, The Seal and Clerk of the
Court, this 22nd day of July

1853

Samuel L. Rugg
ClerkBy James W. Douglas
Deft.

THE STATE OF INDIANA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF Adams COUNTY:

You are hereby commanded to Summon Joel Roe

to appear in the Court of Common Pleas, on the 14th day of August, 1853, to testify in an action wherein the State of Indiana is Plaintiff, and James Coffee is Defendant, on behalf of the State and return this Summons.

Witness, This 22nd day of July 1853.

Samuel L. Pegg

By James W. Donahoe
Clerk.
Deputy

The State of Indiana }
Adams County } 88

Personally appeared,
before me Joseph C Plummer a Justice
of the peace in and for said County
of Adams Joel Roe and being duly
sworn on oath says that on or about
the day of June in the year
A.D. 1853 at the said County of
~~Adams~~ and State of Indiana
one James Coffee gave him
a certain quantity of spiritous
liquor to wit one drink and
suffered and allowed the same
to be drank in the house of him
the said James Coffee and
that he the said James Coffee
keeps spiritous liquors for sale
and further the deponent says the
not &c

Joel Roe

subscribed and sworn to
before me this 18th day of July
in the year 1853

Joseph C Plummer, J. P.

State of Indiana } In the Court of common
Adams County } Pleas of Adams County
August Term A.D. 1853

State of Indiana }
vs } Nuisance
James Coffey }

David Studabaker ^{Esq.} district
Attorney in and for the Common Pleas
district composed of the Counties of
Adams and Allen in State of Indiana
informs the court that one James
Coffey on the 13th day of July in
the year A.D. 1853 at the said county
of Adams and State of Indiana did
unlawfully and wilfully keep and
maintain a certain house wherein
he the said James Coffey on the day
and year aforesaid unlawfully ^{did} sell ^{to} and
supper and allow ^{one George Long} to ^{drink} ~~be drunk~~ in
said house a certain quantity of
spirited liquors ^{by a less quantity than a gallon} to wit one ^{gallon} ~~gallon~~
in the said James Coffey not then
and there being licensed to retail
spirited liquors according to law

David Studabaker
District Attorney

State of Indiana In the Court of Common Pleas
Adams County of Adams County

August Term 1853

State of Indiana ~~Retailing~~
against } ~~Retailing~~
James Coffee }

David Stueabaker District
Attorney in and for the Common Pleas
District composed of the counties of
Adams and Allen in the State of Indiana
informs the Court that one James Coffee
on the 12 day of July in the year
A.D. 1853 at the said county of Adams
and State of Indiana did unlawfully
~~and~~ willfully keep and maintain
a common and Public nuisance in
this to wit: he the said James Coffee
did then and there suffer and allow
one Joel Roe to drink a certain
quantity of spiritous ^{liquors less than one gallon} to wit one drink
in the house wherein he the said
James Coffee sells spiritous liquors
he the said James Coffee not then
and there being licenced to retail
spiritous liquors according to law

David Stueabaker

District Attorney

No the Jury find the Defendant Not Guilty
Philemon W. Collins
Foreman

STATE OF INDIANA, ADAMS COUNTY.

We *Lance Coffey*

and *Herman H Bremerkamp*

owe the state of Indiana *Fifty*

dollars to be levied of our property.

The condition of the above is that the said *Lance Coffey* *Parent of Cincin place* shall personally be before the Judge of the Adams Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to answer a charge of a *Misdeance* and abide the order of the court, and not depart thence without leave, then this recognizance shall be void; else to remain in full force.

Taken and approved this *23*
A. D. 1853

day of *July*

Lance Coffey
H H Bremerkamp



WARRANT.]

[SOLD BY WM. SHEETS, INDIANAPOLIS.]

TO THE SHERIFF OF Adams COUNTY:

You are commanded to Arrest James Coffey
 To wit, and hold him to bail in the sum of fifty
 dollars, to appear on the first day of the next term of the

Court of Common Pleas, on Information
for nuisance and for want of bail commit him to the jail of
 the county, until legally discharged.

Witness, The Seal and Clerk of the
 Court, this 22nd day of July

1853

Samuel L. Rugg
 Clerk.

By James W. Donahoe
 Dep't.



THE STATE OF INDIANA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF Adams COUNTY:

You are hereby commanded to Summon George Long

appearing in the Court of Common
Pleas, on the 22nd day of July, 1853, to
testify in an action wherein State of Indiana
Plaintiff, and James Coffey is
Defendant, on behalf of the State and return
his Summons.

Witness, This 22nd day of July
1853.

Samuel L. Rugg

By James W. Donahoe
Clerk.
Dept.

No 1

State vs James Coffel

Jurors names

David S. Coffman 1	Benjamin Pilans 8
George Frank 2	Samuel Steel 9
Daniel Miller 3	Wm Stockham 10
Andrew McDanald 4	Zias Daley 11
Wm Bodle 5	Andrew Sucky 12
Charles Georgelin 6	
P. A. Colvins 7	

David McDanald Sheriff of A.C.
By J. M. Little Dep.

State of Indiana,

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Peace in and for the county the county
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year A.D. 1853 at the said county of
Adams and State of Indiana James
Coffee did sell a certain quantity
of spirituous liquors ~~by a less quantity~~
~~than one gallon to wit one~~ and suffered
some to be drunk in his house
for the sum of thirty ~~being~~ cents to one
George Long and further the
witnesseth not &c.

deposed
George Long

subscribed and sworn to before me
this 18th day of July 1853.

Joseph C. Plumer, J.P. (Seal)