

Civil Case: Thompson Prairie Ditching Ass. Vs Joel Click

Name in Record	Reason for Being in Record	Date of Record
Thompson Prairie Ditching Ass.	Plaintiff	May 27, 1857
Joel Click	Defendant	
John McConnell	Oath that Joel Click is non-resident of Indiana	
D. Studabaker	Master Commissioner	
James B. Simcoke	Publish "Notice to Non-Resident" in newspaper	May 28, 1857
James B. Simcoke	Oath of publishing "Notice to Non-Resident in newspaper	June 18, 1857
W. G. Spencer	Master Commissioner	
Thompson Prairie Ditching, Ass.	Plaintiff - complaint of non-payment of assessment by Joel Click	Aug. Term 1857
Joel Click	Defendant	
D. Studabaker	Attorney for plaintiff	
W. G. Spencer	Guardian ad litem of minor defendant, Joel Click	Nov. Term 1857
Joel Click	Minor defendant	
Geo. W. Calderwood	President of Thompson Prairie Ditching, Association	Oct. 15, 1863
Samuel Head	Paid from funds of Thompson Prairie Ditching, Ass.	

Roll No 27⁽⁶⁷⁾
Thompson Prairie
Ditching Association
vs

Joel Chick
1857

Box 14.

NOTICE TO NON RESIDENTS

Clerk of Court
 Adams County, Mo.
 To the persons herein named, I have a book

James B. Simcoe
 Clerk of Court
 Adams County, Mo.
 To the persons herein named, I have a book

The State of Indiana he is therefore
 duly notified of the filing and pending
 of said Complaint and unless he ap-
 pears in said court on the 2nd day of
 the next term thereof to be holden on
 the first Monday of August A. D. 1857,
 in the Court House in said County and
 answer or demur, to said complaint on
 or before the first sitting of the court in
 the matters therein contained will be
 taken as confessed to be true.

LS
 James B. Simcoe Clerk of the
 Court of Common Pleas
 have hereunto set my hand
 and affixed the seal of said court at De-
 catur the 25th day of May A. D. 1857.
 JAMES B. SIMCOCKE,
 Clerk C. C. P.

State of Indiana. Adams County, ss.

Be it remembered that on this the 18th day of June 1857,
 personally appeared before the undersigned, James B. Simcoe
 of lawful age, who being duly sworn according to law, says
 that the advertisement hereunto annexed, was published in the
 Adams County Democrat, a weekly newspaper published in
 said County, for three weeks in succession, & that said no-
 tice was taken from said paper of June 18th 1857
 and further with not. James B. Simcoe
 Subscribed & sworn to before me this 18th June 1857
 W. S. Spencer
 Notary

State of Indiana, In the Court of Common Pleas
 Adams County, ss.
 The Thompson Prairie
 ditching association
 vs
 Joel Glick
 } Affidavit—

James B. Simcoe
 Clerk of Court
 Adams County, Mo.
 To the persons herein named, I have a book

James B. Simcoe
 Clerk of Court
 Adams County, Mo.
 To the persons herein named, I have a book

James B. Simcoe
 You will please
 pay George Head Seven
 dollars and sixty seven cents
 of the funds belonging to the
 Thompson Prairie ditching as-
 sociation, this 15th of Oct. 1863.
 Geo. W. Bolden
 Pres. of said
 Association

State of Indiana } In the court of Common
Plains county } Pleas of said county
Nov Term 1857

Thompson Prairie Ditching
association vs
Holt Cligh

comes now

William G Spencer Guarantia Adlitum

appointed by the court of Common Pleas
of Adams county for said minor
and for answer to said complaint
says that he is unacquainted with
the matters and things in said
complaint mentioned but knows
of no reason why the prayer of
the plaintiffs complaint should
not be granted

W G Spencer
Guarantia Adlitum

State of Indiana, In the Court of Common Pleas
Adams County } of Adams County August Term 1857
The Thomson Prairie ditching association
vs
Jael Click } Complaint to enforce claim

The Thomson Prairie ditching association plaintiff in this action complains of Jael Click defendant and says that the defendant is the owner in fee of the West half of the South East quarter and the East half of the South West quarter of section thirty six in Township twenty six north of Range fourteen East in Adams County in the State of Indiana and that the plaintiff has laid out and constructed a ditch or drain acrossing the said land of the ~~plaintiff~~ defendant and that the plaintiff before constructing said ditch by her board of directors appointed to construct the same and appointed George Frank, Henry Stacy & Abraham Bode three lawful men not members of the association nor interested in the proposed work nor in any lands to be affected thereby appraisers when then and there examined all the lands liable to be in any way affected by the said work and did make out a list of the same and assess the amount of benefit or injury to each tract of land and made out a schedule thereof with their assessments, signed and appended thereto their affidavit that the same is in all respects a true assessment to the best of their judgement and belief which said so schedule and affidavit thereto was filed with the clerk of the Board of Trustees of said company who afterwards on the 4th day of October A.D. 1856 caused the same to be recorded in the recorder's office of said Adams County and that by the said assessment so made as

assessable by said appraisers there was
assessed against the said above
described Real Estate, so owned by
said defendant as benefit resulting
to said land from the construction
of said dock the sum of one thousand
dollars which assessment stands
recorded in said Sheriffs office
against said Real Estate and the
plaintiff further says that the defendant
is a non resident of the State of
Indiana and was at the time of
making said assessment and that
notice was given to the said defendant
and to all whom it might concern
for three weeks ~~successively~~ successively in
the Adams County Democrat a weekly news
paper of general circulation ^{published by} in said county
and the truest paper to the proposed work
of the time of making of said assessment
and that afterwards the said plaintiff
by her board of directors ordered a
Warrant of the said assessor and in
full which the said defendant has
failed and neglected to pay and
the same now remains due and unpaid
unpaid and the plaintiff demands
Judgment for one thousand dollars
and other proper relief.

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Atty for Plaintiff