

United States versus John B. Davis for contempt

These legal documents relate to the case of the United States vs. John B. Davis for contempt. The documents state Davis failed to attend the Second District Court in Lecompton, Kansas Territory on October 4, 1858 to serve as a juror. On May 9, 1859, a judgement of ten dollars plus court fees was issued.

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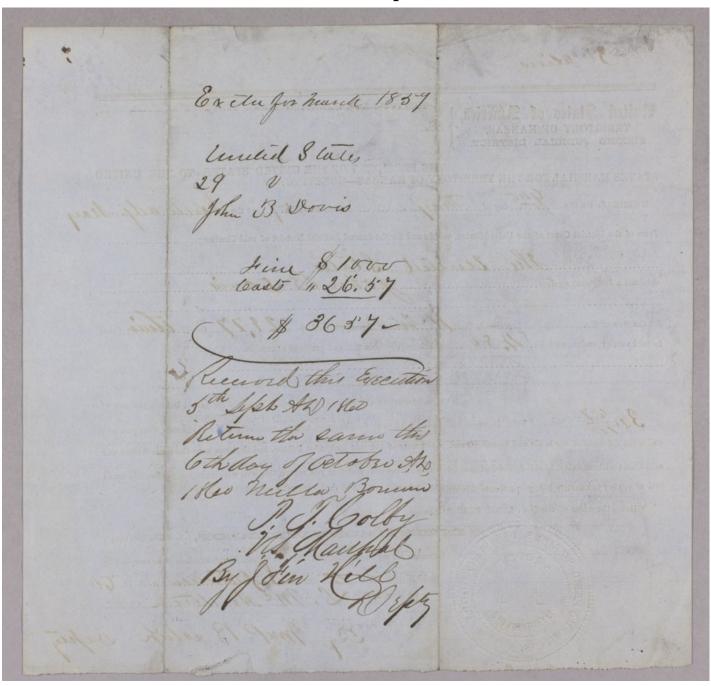
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| TERR | TORY OF KANSAS, SS. |
| SECOND | JUDICIAL DISTRICT. |
| STATES MA | THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, TO THE UNITED ARSHAL FOR THE TERRITORY OF KANSAS—GREETING:— |
| WHEREAS: | On the 9th day of May |
| | vistrict Court of the United States, within and for the Second Judicial District of said Territory, |
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| | The United Stales |
| obtained a Jud | Isment against. John B. Davis |
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| for the sum of | \$ Debt, \$ 10 fine Damages, and \$ 21,77 for their Costs |
| in said suit ex | pended, with \$ |
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| These are | therefore to command you to levy and make, of the goods and chattels of the said Judgment Debtor, the sum of |
| . 3/1.4 | the said Debt, Damages and Costs, with your fees hereon; and for want of goods and chattels, that you levy |
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| | same of the lands and tenements and real estate of the said Judgment Debtor, and that you have the same before our |
| said Court with | hout delay, to satisfy the Judgment and Costs aforesaid, and that you return this writ within sixty days after this date; |
| and also, that | you certify how you execute this writ. |
| Witness th | e name of the Hon. RUSH ELMORE, Judge. |
| | IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I.I. MeadPhille Comme |
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| | hereunto set my hand, and affix the seal of said Court, at office in Lecompton in |
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| | said District, this 5. day of Seftlewellen A. D. 18. 60 |
| | IN TESTIMONY WITEREOF, I, L. MCARTHUR, CLERK, hereunto set my hand, and affix the seal of said Court, at office in Lecompton in |
| | said District, this 5. day of September A. D. 18. 40 |

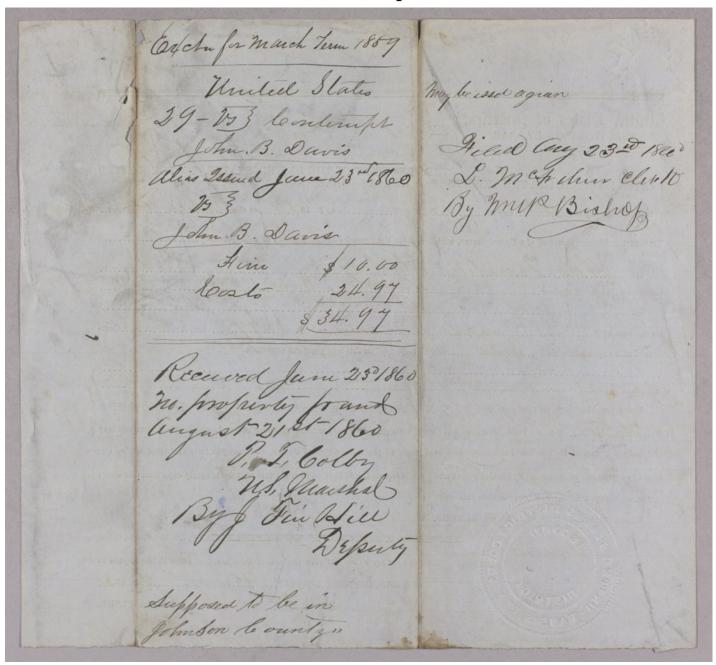






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| WHEREAS: On the | 9th day of may A. D. 18 59, at the march adjud, may |
| Term of the District Cou | phof the United States, within and for the Second Judicial District of said Territory, |
| The | United States, |
| | inst. John, B. Davis |
| for the sum of \$in said suit expended, wi | Debt, \$ 10 frine Papages, and \$ 21.77 for Muri. Costs th \$. 3.20 additional costs, on this and previous execution. |
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| | to command you to levy and make, of the goods and chattels of the said Judgment Debtor, the sum of |
| 8.34. Jun tl | ne said Debt, Damages and Costs, with your fees hereon; and for want of goods and chattels, that you levy |
| and make the same of the | e lands and tenements and real estate of the said Judgment Debtor, and that you have the same before our |
| said Court without delay | to satisfy the Judgment and Costs aforesaid, and that you return this writ within sixty days after this date; |
| and also, that you certif | y how you execute this writ. |
| Witness the name of | the Hon. RUSH ELMORE, Judge. |
| | IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, L. MeARTHUR, CLERK, |
| | hereunto set my hand, and affix the seal of said Court, at office in Lecompton in |
| | said District, this 2.3. gay of francy A. D. 1860 |
| | By H. M. arthur Alply |

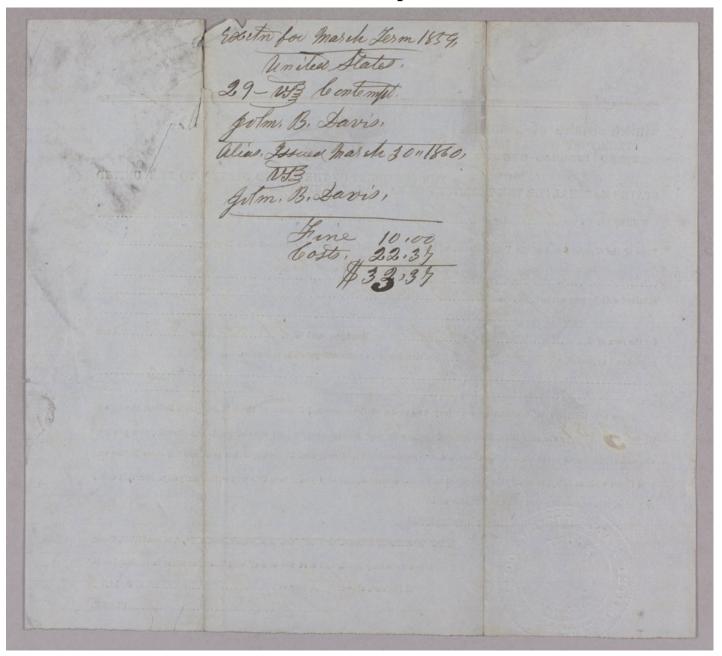






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| United States of America. | |
| TERRITORY OF KANSAS, SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT. | SS. |
| | THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, TO THE UNITED |
| STATES MARSHAL FOR THE TERRI | TORY OF KANSAS—GREETING:— |
| WHEREAS: On the day of | May A. D. 1859 , at the Marchadford to |
| Term of the District Court of the United State | s, within and for the Second Judicial District of said Territory, |
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| altained a Julymont aming the form. | B. Davis |
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| for the sum of \$ Debt. \$: | 10, fine damages, and \$21, Bets for their Costs |
| in said suit expended, with \$ 1160 | additional costs, on this Atlantons execution. |
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| | levy and make, of the goods and chattels of the said Judgment Debtor, the sum of |
| \$ Two the said Debt, Damages | and Costs, with your fees hereon; and for want of goods and chattels, that you levy |
| | and real estate of the said Judgment Debtor, and that you have the same before our |
| said Court without delay, to satisfy the Judgme | nt and Costs aforesaid, and that you return this writ within sixty days after this date; |
| and also, that you certify how you execute this | s writ. |
| Witness the name of the Hon. RUSH ELM | MORE, Judge. |
| | IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, L. MOARTHUR, CLERK, |
| | hereunto set my hand, and affix the seal of said Court, at office in Lecompton in |
| | said District, this 3 day of Masch. A. D. 1860 |
| | I m William OLEBK. |

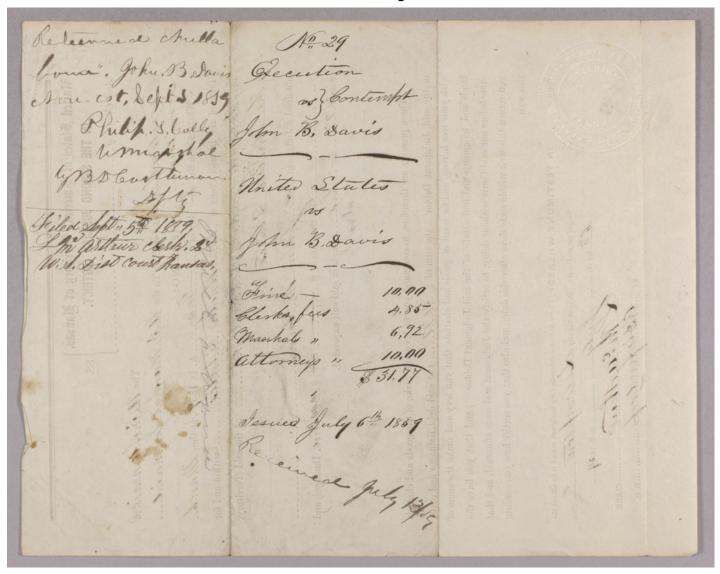






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| United States of America, Territory of Kansas, |
| IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT. SS. |
| And County of A |
| The U. S. of america |
| Clerritory of Kansas. To the U.S. Marshal for said. |
| Whereas On the 2 day of - may - , A. D. 1859, at the March. |
| Term of the District Court of The United States within and for |
| the Lecond fudicial District of the said Territory, |
| Q The United States 18 19 19 19 |
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| abtained a Judgment of John B. Duris |
| for the sum of \$ Dedt, \$ 10.00 Line Danages, and |
| 8-31.77 Land for spide accosts in said suit expended. |
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| These presents are therefore, to command you to levy and make of the goods and chartels |
| of the said Judgment Debtor the sum of \$ 31,77, the said debt, damages and costs, |
| with your fees hereon, and for want of goods and chattels, that you levy and make the same of |
| lands and tenements and real estate of the said Judgment Debtor , and that you have the same before our said Court without delay, to satisfy the Judgment and costs aforesaid, and that |
| you return this writ within sixty days after this date; and also that you certify how you execute |
| this writ. |
| IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my hand, and caused to be affixed the |
| Seal of the said Court. Done at the city of Lecompton, this |
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| | Was Clummand to be and appear before the District Court |
| of | the United States within and for the Glena Gala Col al al al al to the Territory of Kansas. |
| y to | be held at the Court House in the City of Lesmplon within and for the Dam Of |
| af | resaid, on and from the A day of October A. D. 1850, then and there to Olive |
| ns | a Vetit cluror |
| ns | appears by the return of the Marshal |
| | on the Olmane, issued out of the Clerk's office of the said Court on the 18 day of Cuifust |
| | A. D. 185% and made returnable to our said Court at the Term aforesaid, now on file in said office. And whereas |
| af | erwards to wit: Or the day of Color A. D. 1858, in open Court, at the Term aforesaid, |
| th | said Of ohn 9. Davia was solemnly called to come into Court, to |
| 1. | Derre as aforesaid and came not, but made default and committed a contempt against our said Court. |
| An | d whereas, our said Court on the day of Oloter A. D. 1859 did order and assess. |
| a | me for the sum of |
| ob | dience to said Summy : and did further order and enter up a judgment mi. si, against the |
| sai | dohn B. Davis for the sum of Dew |
| 541 | dollars, and that a scire facias issue against the said of the g. Danis |
| *** | , returnable to the next Term of our said Court, that he may show cause why said judg- |
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| me | at should not be made final against him. These are therefore to command you to give notice to the said |
| | 1. Wavis that he be and appear before the District Court of the United |
| Str | tes within and for the Bleing dudicial Bully of the Territory of |
| Ka | nsus, on the first day of the next Term thereof, to be begun and held at the Olly of Seemplone |
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| | said Territory, on and from the |
| sh | we cause why said judgment should not be made final. And that you return this writ to our said Court on the first day of the next |
| ter | m, and that you certify how you execute the same. |
| | Issued this 24 day of Olebru any A. D. 1858 |
| | WITNESS, my hand and the seal of the said Court affixed at |
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| | day of A D. 1824. A. D. 1824. |
| | CLERK. |
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