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Charles. Mayo

Deliza Neal affected

State of California  
County of Stanislaus

This day personally appears before me a  
Justice of the Peace of the Township of St. Genevieve  
in St. Genevieve County, Deliza a free  
Colored woman who calls her self Deliza  
a white who being duly sworn both before  
and say that one Charles a negro belongs  
to Bushell Baroche since on the first day  
of January 1841. did unlawfully Beat upon  
her and that her said Deliza in her  
own dwelling house

Sworn to Deliza Deliza <sup>John</sup> Tall  
witnessed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1841 James Simon J. Dean  
Deputy

Served the within warrant on the  
Defendant by bringing the Defendant  
before the within named justice

Summary

State

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Christy Signa

Justice fee \$3.34

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Reading fee 12 1/2

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A Black Deputy Sheriff  
fees for one dollar  
plus for summoning four persons

1.75

State of Missouri  
County of St. Genevieve &

The State of Missouri To the Sheriff or  
Constable of St. Genevieve Township in  
St. Genevieve County, <sup>Greeting</sup>  
whereas Complaint has <sup>been made</sup> before me one  
of the Justices of the Peace in and for said County  
upon the oath of Julia ~~Rebecca~~ colored woman  
who calls herself Julia ~~Rebecca~~ <sup>Rebecca</sup> that one  
Charles, a Negro belonging to Beulah Devoch  
and on the 1st day of January 1841 ~~committed~~  
assault beat wound & illtreat <sup>the said</sup>  
Julia in her own dwelling house

There are therefore to Commanche you to take  
The said Charles a Negro belonging to  
Beulah Devoch if he to be found in your  
County, and take same safely keep him the  
said Charles, so that you have his body  
forthwith before me ~~before me~~ or send  
other Justice of the Peace to answer the premises  
and said complaint, and be further  
bound with according to Law given  
under my hand this the 1st day of January  
1841.

James Limon  
Justice of the Peace

State  
vs  
Charles a Negro  
Verdict of  
Jury 1st June  
1842

We the Jury, called by Sumner Esq. to try a Case  
of Assault in State of Missouri against Chas. a Slave  
the Property of Berte Duroch. said Suit was instituted  
by a Certain Mulatto Woman, named Pilaye.

Know then that we as Citizens of this Town of St Louis  
do deeply feel the stain upon the good Name of  
this Community by the Conduct of said Pilaye and  
cannot resist the mood of expressing our heartfelt  
sorrow that such a Woman should be allowed to  
come into a Court of Law and ask for the aid  
and Protection of the Laws which she is daily in  
the Habit of trampling under foot to the injury  
of this Place and a bad example to the community  
We now declare our Verdict by unanimous voice  
that her Charge is groundless without testimony and  
sufficient evidence to sustain a Suit against said  
Chas.

Wm Gibson Foreman

Verdict of  
Jury  
returned  
in  
favor of the  
defendant

1847

Jacob Yealley  
 Wm. Duncan  
 Ambrose Winston  
 Nicolas Myott  
 Augustus I. Gennet +  
 John Lachance  
 Thomas Leonard  
 Louis Breange  
 Z. P. Holby  
 Jonathan Wilson, Junr  
 Charles Oesler  
 John Bressin  
 John Ziegler  
 Wm Gibson  
 James Hoffman

Jacob Yealley  
 Wm Duncan  
~~Ambrose Winston~~  
 Nic Myott  
 John Lachance  
 Louis Breange  
 Zenas P. Holby  
 Jonathan Wilson Junr  
 Charles Howard  
~~Jonathan Wilson~~  
 John Bressin  
 James Hoffman  
 Wm Gibson  
 Charles Oesler, Bahr

We the Jury, do not find sufficient evidence  
 for sustaining a verdict in the case of

Pelap }  
 vs. }  
 Chalo. }

J. G. ... July 1. 1840.