

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT.

W. J. Elliott, Plaintiff.

Against // Answer.

Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company, Defendant.

The defendant, Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company, for answer and defense to plaintiff's petition herein, says that it is untrue and it denies that on the ____ day of ____ 1914, or other date, without any fault on the part of plaintiff's driver or while he was exercising all or any necessary or proper care or attention in driving plaintiff's said horse, that the defendant, or its agents or servants or employees so or at all negligently or carelessly operated one of its trains of cars or engines in such close proximity to plaintiff's said horse or buggy, or that it operated the same so or at all negligently or carelessly or in such a reckless or unnecessary manner by throwing from its engine steam or water in unnecessary large quantities or by making violent or unnecessary noises that plaintiff's said horse became thereby frightened or run over a steep embankment or into Big Sandy River, or thereby greatly injured his said horse or tearing up or demolishing said buggy. That it has no knowledge or information sufficient upon which to found a belief as to whether or not said horse was so frightened or damaged that he was with great difficulty extricated from the river or prevented from being drowned, and therefore denies said averments. Denies that the damages to said horse are reasonably \$ 50.00, or other sum or amount over or above \$ 25.00; denies that the buggy was almost completely destroyed or