

Article Detailing Border Conflict Between Iowa and Missouri, May 17, 1845

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There are new border troubles between Missouri and Iowa. The St. Louis Republican says:

"The Sheriff of one of the counties of Missouri, bordering upon the northern line, when attempting to execute a writ for a breach of the peace, was assailed by a number of persons of Daviess (sic) County, Iowa. The prisoners, whom the Sheriff had arrested, were rescued, and the Sheriff himself taken into custody, for exercising illegal authority within the Territory.

"The trial came off last week, before Judge Morgan of the District Court, and resulted in the conviction of the Missouri Sheriff. The punishment is imprisonment in the penitentiary. The Judge sentenced him to ten days' confinement; but before the sentence could be carried into execution, Gov. Chambers granted pardon."