

*... the jury find the defendant, Michael Scott ...*  
*... the court granted a verdict in the ...*  
*... the defendant and his family ...*  
*... the sum of \$100.00 ...*  
*... the ...*

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of said County:

The jurors of the Commonwealth in and for the body of the county of Rockingham and now attending said court at its February term, 1926, upon their oaths do present that Michael Scott and Myrtle Scott, on or about the 1st day of June, 1925, and continuously since that day, in said county, did unlawfully keep a house of assination and bawdy house, *needed to for the purpose of prostitution or lewdness* against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of Zetta Kyger, Jacob Spitzer, W. J. Downs, Lucy Roadcap, Lucy Roach, Mrs. Elmer Raines, Mrs. Alice Kyger, John F. Miller, and S. F. Newman, witnesses sworn in court and sent before the grand jury to give evidence.



We the jury find the defendants, Michael Scott  
and Myrtle Scott guilty as charged in the  
indictment and give the punishment of  
Michael Scott a fine of \$50.00 and the  
punishment of Myrtle Scott a fine of \$100.00  
or fine or in jail and a fine of \$100.00

*L. H. L. L.*  
Foreman

Commonwealth  
v) Indictment  
Michael Scott and  
Myrtle Scott

February term, 1926

A True Bill:

*Thos G. Herrick*  
Foreman

D. W. Earman  
Commonwealth's Attorney

and G. F. Newman, witnesses sworn in court and sent before  
the Grand Jury to give evidence.  
Rosch, Mrs. Elmer Raines, Mrs. Alice Ryger, John E. Miller,  
and G. F. Newman, witnesses sworn in court and sent before  
the Grand Jury to give evidence.



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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, GREETINGS:

We command you, that you take Myrtle Scott if he be found within your bailiwick, and him safely keep, so that you have his body forthwith before the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof ~~on~~ -----  
----- to answer us of a certain Misdemeanor whereof he stands indicted.

And have then and there this Writ. Witness J. F. Blackburn, Clerk of our said Court at the Court House the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Feb., in the 1870 year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn Clerk.

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COMMONWEALTH

vs.

Mittle Scott  
By arresting &  
delivering to the  
County Jail  
This 17 day of June  
1926  
J. W. Lane D & R  
for C. W. Dove  
Sheriff  
Milage 36 miles  
\$ 2.36

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, GREETINGS:

We command you, that you take Michael Scott if he be found within your bailiwick, and him safely keep, so that you have his body forthwith before the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof ~~on~~ ----- to answer us of a certain Mis demeanor whereof he stands indicted.

And have then and there this Writ. Witness J. F. Blackburn, Clerk of our said Court at the Court House the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Feb., in the 152 year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn Clerk.

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Executed Feb. 24, 1926 by arresting and  
bringing the body of Mike Scott before  
the Judge of the Circuit Court.

S. F. Newman Deputy

Cor. C. W. Howe S.P.C.

COMMONWEALTH

vs.

Mike Scott

30 miles in arrest  
\$2.40.

**In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:**

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Maynard Huffman,  
Herbert Brauceman & C. F. Kyger

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 1st day of July 1926  
to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against

Michael Scott & Myrtle

who stands charged with and indicted for a ~~felony~~ misdemeanor.

And this they shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 30 day of June, 1926, and in the 15th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.



Executed June 30<sup>th</sup> 1926 by delivering a true copy  
with its summons in person to Herbert Bausman  
Maynard Huffman, C. T. Pyger

J. F. Newman Deputy.  
For C. W. Don J. P. C.

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Commonwealth of Virginia

Michael Scott  
Myrtle Scott

Sherriff fee \$1.50

July 1, 1926



**In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:**

**To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:**

You are hereby commanded to summon.....

Mrs. Hattie Roach, Mrs. Lillian Shiffett  
v Dr. N. H. Missler

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 1st day of July 1926, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against.....

M. A. Scott v Myrtle Scott

who stands charged with and indicted for a ~~felony~~ misdemeanor.

And this ~~They~~ shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 26 day of June, 1926, and in the 14<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Executed June 30<sup>th</sup> - 1926 - by delivering a true copy  
with in summons in person to Mrs Mattie Roach  
Mrs Lillian Shiplett D. v. W. F. Wisler -

S. F. Newman Deputy -  
For C. W. Over S. F. C.

Coin.

vs.

M. A. Scott v  
Myrtle Scott

Shipp fee \$1.50

July 1, 1926



In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon *Zetta Kyger Jacob*  
*Spitzer, N. J. Downs, Lucif Radesap,*  
*J. S. Newman Lucy Roach,*  
*Mrs. Elmer Rains, Mrs. Alice Kyger,*  
*John S. Miller*

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court  
House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *1st* day of *July* 19*26*,  
to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against

*Myrtle Scott & M. A. Scott*

who stands charged with and indicted for a ~~felony~~ misdemeanor.

And this *they* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then  
and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the  
*24* day of *June*, 19*26*, and in the 14*50*th year of the Commonwealth.

*J. F. Blackburn*, Clerk.

Executed June 28<sup>th</sup> 1926. by delivering a true copy with  
in person to Zella Kieger, W. J. Downs, Percy  
Roadcap; S. F. Newman, Mrs Elmer Rainey  
Mrs. Alice Kieger, John F. Miller -  
as to Lively Roach by delivering a true copy to  
Immanuel Roach (his husband) as to Jacob  
Spilzer by delivering a true copy to (his wife)  
Mrs Jacob Spilzer S. F. Newman depty  
For C. W. Dove S. R. G.

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Myrtle Scott x  
M. A. Scott

Shuff fee 4.50

July 1, 1926



In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Zetta Kyger, Jacob Spitzer, W. J. Downs, Lucy Roadcap, Lucy Roach, Mrs. Elmer Raines, Mrs. Alice Kyger, John S. Miller, and S. J. Neuman

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Feb. 1926,

to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth before the Grand Jury against Michael Scott and Myrtle Scott

who stands charged with <sup>an misdemeanor</sup> ~~and indicted for a felony~~ misdemeanor.

And this <sup>they</sup> shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Jan. 1926, and in the 15<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Executed Feb, 8 1926, By delivering a true copy  
of within summons in Person to Zetta Kiger,  
Jacob Spitzer, W.J. Dewas, Lucy Read, Lucy  
Reach, Mrs Alice Kiger, As to John W. Miller deliver  
ing a true copy to Joe Miller (Brother) at his  
usual place of abead, As to Mrs Elmer Rains net  
in my Bailwick,

S. F. Newman Deputy  
For C. W. Lane S.R.C.

Comd.

In the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Virginia

Michael Scott x  
Myrtle Scott

Sheriff fee \$4.50

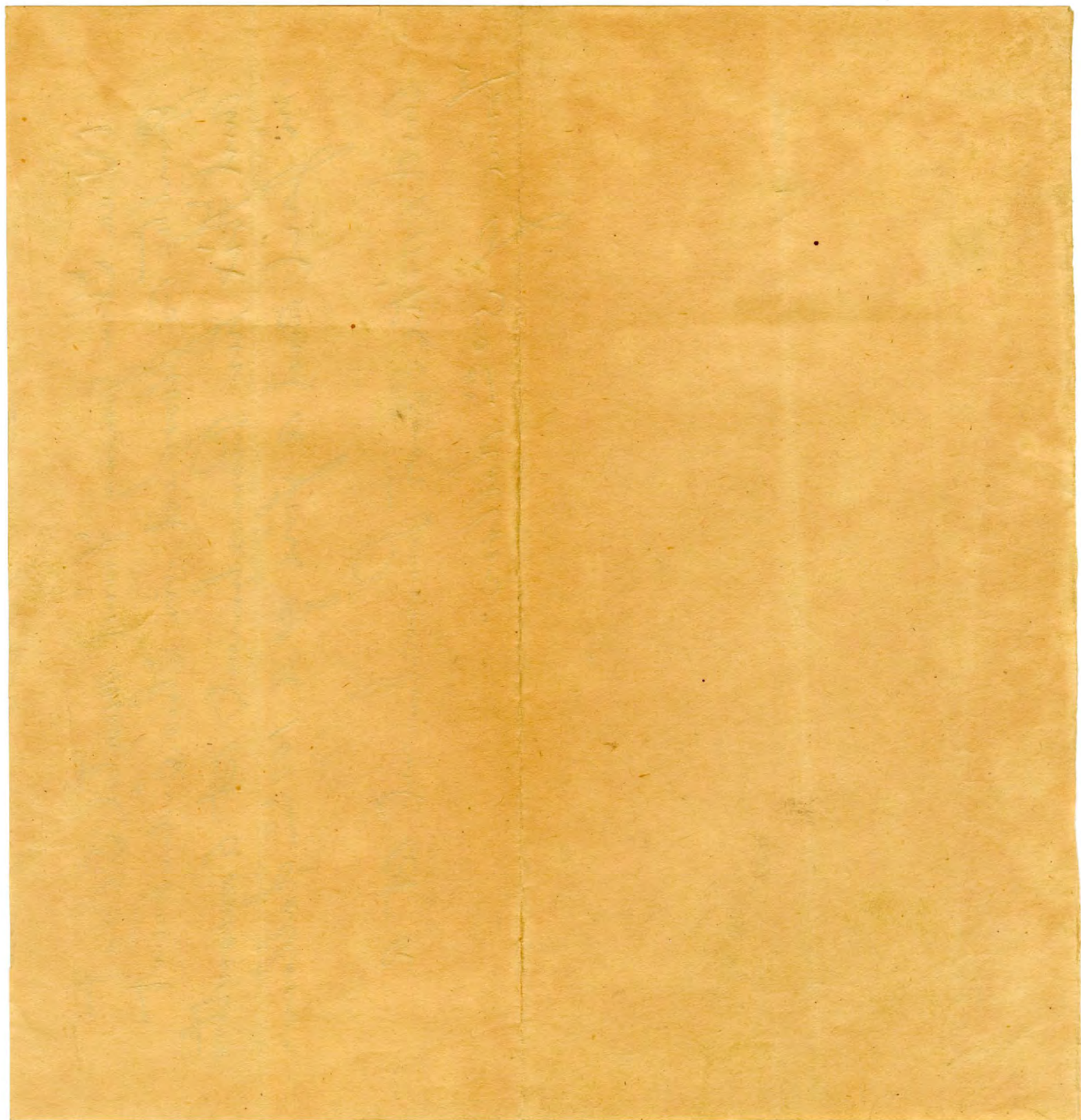
Feb. 15, 1926



Wee the Jury find mated Scoot  
guilty as charged in this indictment  
and fix her Punishment at 6 months  
in jail and a fine of a 100<sup>00</sup> dollars.

and Mike Scoot Punishment at a  
Fine of 50<sup>00</sup> dollars.







Scott - Mike Myrtle

J.M. Loh — ✓

J.W. Barrett — ✓

S.R. Shannaker — ✓

Fred Boggs — ✓

W.L. Hillard — ✓

~~W.L. Hillard~~ ×

~~W.L. Hillard~~ ×



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Misd.

MICHAEL SCOTT & MYRTIE SCOTT

ADS.

COMMONWEALTH

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J.M. Lohr ✓  
 J.W. Barrett ✓  
 S.R. Shoemaker ✓  
 Fred Boggs ✓  
 W.L. Hillard ✓

Sheriff Cost:  
 2 arrests 3.00  
 Summons 12.00  
 Imp. Jury 1.50  
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 \$16.50





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