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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of said County:

The grand jurors in and for the body of said County of Rockingham and now attending said Court at its October term, 1922, upon their oaths, do present that James Ray within one year next prior to the finding of this indictment, in the said County of Rockingham, did unlawfully manufacture, sell, offer, keep, store and expose for sale, give away, transport, dispense, solicit, advertise and receive orders for ardent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do further present that James Ray within one year next prior to the finding of this indictment in the said County of Rockingham did unlawfully have in his possession a still, still cap, worm, tub, fermenter, and other appliances connected with and used in the operation of a still, without having the same registered as required by law, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of W. L. Dillard and W. T. Rexrode, witnesses sworn in Court and sent before the grand jury to give evidence.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

D.W. ...

Commonwealth of Virginia

We the jury find the accused James Ray, guilty and
under jury having in his possession a ^{explosive} ~~substance~~ ^{explosive} ~~substance~~ ^{explosive}
as charged in the indictment, together with a quantity of
ordnance specie, and find her punishment at two
months in jail and a fine of three hundred dollars.

D. H. Early, Foreman.

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, VA.

Viol. Pro. Act.

COMMONWEALTH

v.

JAMES RAY

A MISDEMEANOR

A TRUE BILL

D. B. Pester
Foreman

D. W. Earman,

Commonwealth's Attorney.

In the Circuit Court of said County:

of Virginia.

The jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do

further present that James Ray within one year next prior

to the finding of this indictment in the said County of

Rockingham did unlawfully have in his possession a still,

still, gun, worm, tub, fermenter, and other appliances connected

with and used in the operation of a still, without having the

same registered as required by law, against the peace and

quietly of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of W. P. Dillard

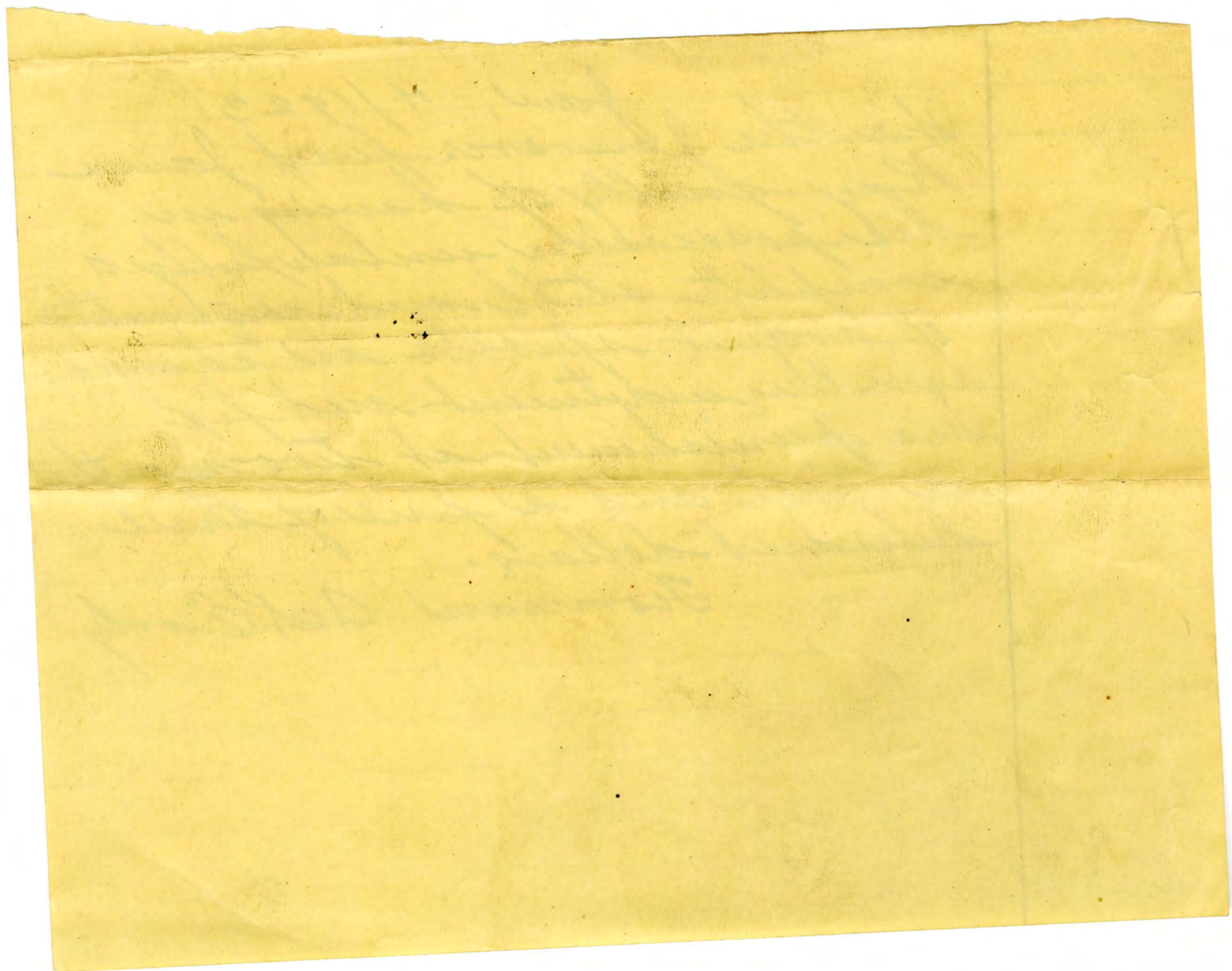
and W. T. Rexrode, witnesses sworn in Court and sent before

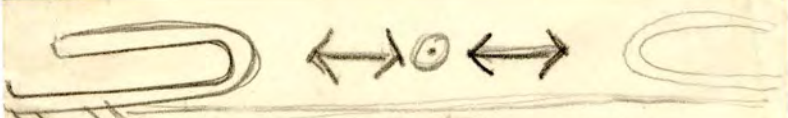
the Grand Jury to give evidence.

Jaw, 4/1923

When the Jurors find James
Ray guilty of having in
his possession unlawfully a
complete still and a quantity
of ardent spirits as charged
in the indictment and fix
his punishment at two months
in jail and a fine of three
hundred dollars.

Forman A. S. Early



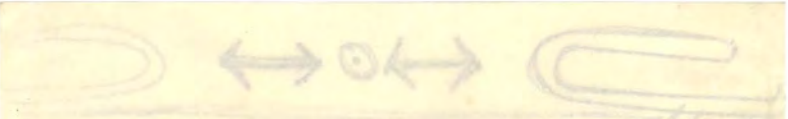


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James L. Roy

1876

- S. E. Beery
- O. K. Early
- L. V. Walker
- P. H. Bushong
- R. H. Stowater
- ~~J. P. Bunker~~
- ~~J. H. Linnage~~



James L. Cook

8. E. Perry
C. N. Perry
J. D. Walker

~~J. H. Gresham~~
~~W. H. Stinson~~
~~J. H. Gresham~~
~~J. H. Gresham~~

Arrest Warrant

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, } TO WIT:
ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, }

To The Sheriff or _____, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, W. S. Dillard of the said County, has this day made
complaint and information on oath before me, O. H. J. Nugenbight a Justice of the said County,

that James L. Roy
of the said County, on the 3rd day of November 1922, in the said County, did

Unlawfully have in his possession, One Copper Still and
and One gallon of Moonshine, and also One barrel of
fermentis. Under against The Peace & Dignity of The Commonwealth
of Virginia

These are therefore, in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, to command you forthwith to apprehend and bring before me, or some other Justice of the said County, the body of the said _____

to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon W. J. Kexroads. & G. J. Payne

to appear and give evidence in behalf of the Commonwealth, on the examination touching the said offence.

Given under my hand and seal this 4th day of November, in the year 1922.

O. H. J. Nugenbight J. P. (Seal)

Commonwealth) Rockingham County, State of Virginia to wit:
 U.S. } James L. Ray. Came before me and was recognized in the
 James L. Ray. } Sum of \$1,000.00 with James H. Pritchard as Surety
 for the appearance of the said James L. Ray. before
 The Grand Jury at ¹ its regular term
 Given under my hand this the 4th day of November 1922
 D. H. J. Pugh, J.P.

Commonwealth

vs.

Arrest Warrant

James L. Ray.

Executed the within warrant by arresting
 and delivering the body of

James L. Ray
 before J. G. Cright
 a Justice of Rockingham County, and by sum-
 moning the within named witnesses in person,

this 4 day of Nov 1922

W. D. L. S. R. C.

Constable of Rockingham County.

Justice fee 13.00
 Arrest fee 1.00
 1st 5.00
\$54.50

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

HARRISONBURG, VA.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY

REPORT OF ANALYSIS

THE SAMPLE OF SUBMITTED BY
..... FOR THE DETERMINATION
OF SHOWS THE
FOLLOWING ANALYSIS:

To J. Frank Blockman, Clerk of
of the Court of Rockingham County:
Commonwealth of James Ray
To Analysis of Beverage (Two Samples) --- \$ 7.00

REMARKS:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ANALYSIS IS CORRECT TO
THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

DATE July 2, 1923

James C. Johnston
ANALYST

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

HARRISONBURG, VA.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY

REPORT OF ANALYSIS

THE SAMPLE OF Alcoholic Beverage SUBMITTED BY
Sheriff W.L. Dillard FOR THE DETERMINATION
 OF Kind and Percentage of Alcohol SHOWS THE
 FOLLOWING ANALYSIS:

Sample No. 1 - - - - - 8.54%
 Grain Alcohol

Sample No. 2 - - - - - 11.44%
 Grain Alcohol

REMARKS: Sample bears the name of
James Ray

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ANALYSIS IS CORRECT TO
 THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

James C. Johnston
 ANALYST

DATE July 2, 1923

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon.....

W. L. Dillard

W. T. Heywood

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House, at 10 o'clock, a.m., on the 24 day of Nov, 1922, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of Commonwealth before the Grand Jury

James Ray

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 Nov, 1922, and in the 147 year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Executed as to all of the
within named Persons.

this the 24 day of nov

1922

W. L. Dullard SRC

Sherriff Fee 1.00

S. J.

James R. Ray

Commonwealth

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon.....

*W. L. Dillard, W. T. Rexnold,
J. F. Payne, Jas. C. Johnston*

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 *3rd* day of *January* 19*23* to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against.....

Jas. L. Ray

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 *21* day of *Dec*, 19*22*, and in the *14th* year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Executed as to J. C. Johnson Es to W. L. Dillard
Shirley Senior Dec 21 - 1922 W. L. Dillard, S. R. C.
Executed as to J. J. Payne and
W. J. Penrod, Jan 1st 1923.

W. J. Penrod, W. L. Dillard -
for W. L. Dillard, S. R. C.

Shirley Sen 200
SECRET FEE

Jan. 3rd, 1922.

Commonwealth

in the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia
vs.
Jas. L. Ray.

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon.....

A. E. McDemar

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court
House thereof, at ~~10 o'clock~~ ^{four o'clock}, a. m., on the *3rd* day of *Jan.* 19*23*,
to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against.....

Geo. Ray

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

And this *he* 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
3 day of *Jan.*, 19*23*, and in the 14*7*th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Executed by delivering a copy of
the within Summons to A. E. -
McLorman in person.
Jan 3rd 1923.

W. T. Remond, Clerk -
J. H. L. Willard, S. R. C.

Commonwealth
v
Jas. Ray

December Term
1922.

JAMES RAY

ADS

Indictment for a
Misdemeanor

COMMONWEALTH

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S. E. Berry - 1.50
O. K. Early - 2.10
L. V. Walker - 2.70
P. H. Bushong 3.50
R. H. Showalter 2.20
\$ 12.00
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\$ 24.00

Sheriff Costs
Search warrant 100
Arrest 150
Bond money 100
Trailer Cost 250
Drops money 150
Cops of Still 50.00
Prison Office \$ 57.50
J. C. Galbraith 700 1000
Dr Bidler 200
67.50



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