

Rockingham County, to wit;

Be it remembered, that on the 24th day of September, in the year 1811, Prince G. Baldwin, the attorney prosecuting for the Commonwealth in the Superior Court of said County, came into Court, and gave the said Court to understand, and be informed, that on the 24th day of September, in the year 1809 at the parish of _____, in the County aforesaid, it was corruptly, and against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, agreed by an between John Ewin, yeoman, and Daniel Ragan both of the parish and County aforesaid, that the said John Ewin should lend and advance unto the said Daniel Ragan the sum of \$ 300 of lawful money of Virginia, and that the said John Ewin should forbear and give day of payment thereof to the said Daniel Ragan until and upon the 24th day of September, in the year 1810, then next ensuing, and that the said Daniel Ragan for the loan of the said sum of \$ 300 and for giving day of payment thereof as aforesaid, should give and pay to the said John Ewin on the said 24th day of September, in the year 1810 aforesaid, then next ensuing, the sum of \$ 21 of like lawful money; That in par-

suance of the said corrupt and unlawful agreement, so made as aforesaid, the said

John Ewin — afterwards, to wit, on the said 24th day of September, in the year 1809

aforesaid, at the parish aforesaid, in the County aforesaid, lent and advanced to the said Daniel Ragan the said sum of

\$ 300 ; That in further pursuance of

the said corrupt and unlawful agreement, the said John Ewin afterwards, to wit,

on the said 24th day of September, in the

year 1810, at the parish aforesaid, in the

County aforesaid, took, accepted, and received

from the said Daniel Ragan the said sum

of \$ 21 for the loan of, and giving day

of payment for, the said sum of \$ 300

which said sum of \$ 21, so as aforesaid agreed to be given and paid to the said

John Ewin, and so as aforesaid by him

taken, accepted, and received, exceeds the rate

of six dollars for the forbearing, and

giving day of payment of one hundred dol-

lars, for one year: And so the said attorney

for the Commonwealth saith, that the

said John Ewin on the said 24th day

of September, in the year 1810 aforesaid,

at the parish aforesaid, in the County aforesaid,

said did unlawfully and corruptly, by means
of the aforesaid corrupt bargain and loan,
take, accept, and receive from the said
Daniel Ragan for the loan and first day
of payment for the said first above men-
tioned sum of money, above the rate of six
dollars for one hundred dollars, for one year
against the act of Assembly in such case
made and provided, to the evil example
of all others in such case offending, and
against the peace and dignity of the Com-
monwealth.

And the said attorney for the Com-
monwealth further gives the said court to
understand, as he informed, that afterwards,
to wit, on the said 24th day of September, in
the year 1809 aforesaid, at the parish a-
foresaid, in the County aforesaid, it was fur-
ther agreed by and between the said John
Ewin — and the said Daniel Ragan
that the said John Ewin should lend
and advance unto the said Daniel
Ragan a certain other sum of money, to wit,
the sum of \$300 and that the said John
Ewin should forbear and give day
of payment thereof until the said 24th day
of September, in the year 1810 aforesaid;
That in pursuance of the said agreement so
made as aforesaid the said John Ewin

afterwards, to wit, on the said 24th day
of September, in the year 1809 aforesaid,
at the parish aforesaid, in the County aforesaid,
lent and advanced to the said Daniel Ragan
the said sum of \$ 300 And that af-
terwards, to wit, on the said 24th day of
September, in the year 1810 aforesaid, at
the parish aforesaid, in the County afore-
said, the said John Ewin did unlaw-
fully and corruptly take, accept, and re-
ceive from the said Daniel Ragan for the
said loan and giving day of payment for
the said sum of \$ 300, a certain other
sum of \$ 21, which said sum of \$ 21
so taken, accepted, and received, exceeds
the rate of six dollars for the forbearance
and giving day of payment of one hundred
dollars, for one year, against the act of
Assembly in such case made and provided,
to the evil example of all others in such
case offending, and against the peace and
dignity of the Commonwealth.

And the said attorney for the Com-
monwealth further gives the said Court to
understand and be informed, that afterwards,
to wit, on the said 24th day of September, in
the year 1810 aforesaid, at the parish afore-
said, in the County aforesaid, the said John
Ewin, by way of corrupt bargain, did

unlawfully and corruptly, taken, accept,
and receive from the said Daniel Ragau
— a certain other sum of \$ 21 for the
forbearing and giving day of payment of
a certain other sum of \$ 300 which said
sum of \$ 21, so taken, accepted, and re-
ceived, exceeds the rate of six dollars for
the forbearing and giving day of payment
of one hundred dollars, for one year, a-
gainst the act of Assembly in such case
made and provided, to the evil example
of all others in such case offending, and
against the peace and dignity of the
Commonwealth.

This information is filed by order of
the Court, on the ~~the~~ presentment of the
Grand Jury

Prisus G. Baldwin,
Att. for Com.th

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vs } Inform.
 Ewin

Dec 24 Sept 1811

We of the Jury find the Defendant not guilty
 Peter F. Howard Esq

THE Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of *Rockingham* County,

GREETING:

YOU are hereby commanded to Summon *Daniel Ragen*
to appear

before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County, at the Court-
House, on the *1st* day of *September* court next, to testify and the
truth to say in behalf of

Commonwealth
in a certain matter of controversy in
our said court depending and undetermined, between *Commonwealth* and

John Ewen
And this *he* shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 100l. And
have then there this writ. Witness HENRY J. GAMBILL Clerk of our said
Court at the Court-House the *27* day of *August* 18*91* and
in the *38* year of the commonwealth.

H J Gambill

Executive J. Bywater to

for 116 lrs Weekly

Counts
Ewen & Spar.

THE Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of *Rockingham* County,
GREETING:

YOU are hereby commanded to Summon *Daniel Ragen*
to appear

before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County, at the Court-
House, on the *1st* day of *April* court next, to testify and the
truth to say in behalf of

Commonwealth
in a certain matter of controversy in

our said court depending and undetermined, between *Commonwealth*
and John Ewen

And this *he* shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 100l. And
have then there this writ. Witness HENRY J. GAMBILL Clerk of our said
Court at the Court-House the *26* day of *March* 18*61* and
in the *35* year of the commonwealth.

H. J. Gambill

Countess

Ewin S Spa.

Countess Jo Bygones of
Jth in Kentley

the commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff
of Rockingham County Greeting: you are hereby
Commanded to Cummons

John Ewen to appear before the
Judge of the Superior Court of the said County
at the court house on the first day of April Court
next to answer a presentment of the Grand Jury
for illegally & corruptly charging, excepting, taking &
Receiving upon a loan of three hundred dollars by
him made to Daniel Bagen, more than six dollars
upon each hundred of the said sum for the forbearance
and giving day for one year, and so on during the
time he held the same, within twelve months last
past

and have them there this writ with J. Henry
J. Gambell clerk of our said Court at the court
house the 16 day of March 1810 and in the
55 year of the Commonwealth. St. J. Gambell

Executed by Bynaters &

of St. Helen's

Countess

Ewen & Lewis
Attest G

L. Court.

1811 April order
Informations

Septem N. G. Smith
for West