

Virginia Circuit Court holden for the County of
Brockingham,

Brockingham County, to wit;

The jurors for the body of the County
aforesaid upon their oaths present, that James G.
Page late of the parish of _____ in the County
aforesaid saddled on the 30th day of March in
the year 1812, contriving & intending on Samuel
Cromer, then & yet being a citizen of the said
Commonwealth, to maim & disfigure, at the
parish aforesaid, in the County aforesaid, &
within the jurisdiction of this Court holden
for the County aforesaid, in & upon the said
Samuel Cromer, in the peace of God & of
the said Commonwealth, then & there being,
voluntarily, maliciously, & of purpose, did
unlawfully & feloniously make an assault, &
the said James G. Page, with the teeth of the
said James G. Page the ear of the said
Samuel Cromer, voluntarily, maliciously &
of purpose then & there unlawfully & felon-
iously did bite off, with intention the said
Samuel Cromer, in so doing, in manner a-
foresaid, to maim & disfigure, against the
peace & dignity of the Commonwealth, &
against the form of the statute in such
case made & provided.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, do further present, that the said James G. Page afterwards, to wit, on the day & year aforesaid, at the parish & in the County aforesaid, contriving & intending one Samuel Cromer then & yet being a citizen of the said Commonwealth, to maim & disfigure, at the parish aforesaid, in the County aforesaid, & within the jurisdiction of this Court holden for the County aforesaid, in & upon the said Samuel Cromer, in the peace of God & of the said Commonwealth then & there being, unlawfully did make an assault, & the said James G. Page, with the teeth of the said James G. Page, the ear of the said Samuel Cromer did unlawfully bite off, with intention the said Samuel Cromer, in so doing in manner aforesaid, to maim & disfigure, against the peace & dignity of the Commonwealth, & contrary to the form of the statute in that case made & provided.

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We the Jury find the Prisoner not guilty
Wm. J. Bates

James H. Buff & Samuel Brown sworn in Court
Teste H. J. Gaultillo C. J.

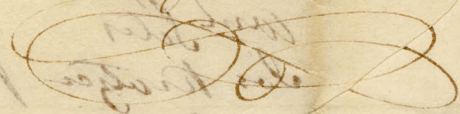
Count

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1812 April Term
acquitted.

The commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham
County Greeting: We command you that you cause to come
before the Judge of the Superior Court of our said County, at the
Court house on the first day of the Next Court, twelve good &
Lawfull ~~men~~ freeholders of your County, Residing as near as may
be to the place where the Mayhem was committed of which James
G. Page is accused, every one of whom is possessor of a considerable estate
Real and Personal of the Value of three Thousand Dollars at the
least, to Recognize on their oaths whether the said James G
Page be guilty of the Mayhem aforesaid or not, and have
them show ~~them their oaths~~ the names of the said freeholders
and this with Witness My J. Gambitt Clerk of our said
Court at the Court house the 7th day of April 1812 and in
the 36th Year of the Commonwealth

J. Gambitt



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Matthias Bullholder

Paul Bullholder

Mr. Shurt

Henry Sipe

Henry Eymann

Wm. Siter

Jos. Kratzer Jr.

Wm. Hulls

Wm. Rice

Abraham Perry

Mr. Ragins

George Siter