

Rockingham County, to wit;

Be it remembered, that on the day of
September, in the year 1812, Briscoe L. Baldwin,
the attorney prosecuting for the Commonwealth
in the Superior Court of the said County, came
into Court, & gave the said Court to understand
& be informed, that on the 1st day of January
in the year 1812 ~~at~~ the parish of in the
County aforesaid, ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said Court} it was corruptly, & against the
form of the Statute in such case made & pro-
vided, agreed by & between a certain John Gra-
ham, senior, merchant, of the parish & Coun-
ty aforesaid, & one William M^r Mahon, of
the same parish & County, that he the said John
Graham, ^{might} should lend & advance unto the said
William M^r Mahon the sum of five hun-
dred dollars of lawful money of Virginia,
& that he the said John Graham, ^{might} should forbear
& give day of payment thereof to the said William
M^r Mahon, until & upon the 10th day of
April then next ensuing, & that the said William
M^r Mahon for the loan of the said sum
of five hundred dollars, & ^{for} giving day of pay-
ment thereof as aforesaid, for the time aforesaid,
should give & pay to him the said John
Graham, senior, on the said 10th day of April
in the year 1812, aforesaid, then next en-
suing, the sum of \$50 dollars of like law-
ful money; That in pursuance of the said unlaw-
ful agreement, so made as aforesaid, he the

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said John Graham, senior, afterwards, to wit,
on the said 1.st day of January, in the year
1812 ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said court} aforesaid, at the parish & county aforesaid,
did lend & advance to the said William M.
Mahon the said sum of five hundred dollars;
That in further pursuance of the said corrupt
& unlawful agreement, he the said John
Graham, senior, afterwards, to wit, on the
said 10.th day of April in the year 1812 at the pa-
rish & county aforesaid, ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said court} did take accept & re-
ceive from the said Wm M. Mahon the said
sum of fifty dollars, for the loan of, & giving
day of payment for, the said sum of five
hundred dollars, which said sum of fifty dol-
lars, so as aforesaid agreed to be given & paid
to him the said John Graham, senior, & so as
aforesaid by him taken, accepted, & received, re-
cords the rate of six dollars for the forbear-
ing & giving day of payment of one hundred
dollars, for one year: And so the said attor-
ney for the Commonwealth saith, that he the
said John Graham, senior, on the said 10.th
day of April in the year 1812, at the
parish & county aforesaid, ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said court} did unlawfully
& corruptly, by means of the aforesaid cor-
rupt bargain & loan, take, accept, & receive
from the said William M. Mahon, for the
loan of & giving day of payment for the said
first above mentioned sum of money, above the
rate of six dollars for one hundred dollars.

for one year, against the act of Assembly in
that case made & provided, to the evil exam-
ple of all others in such case offending &
against the peace & dignity of the Common-
wealth.

And the said attorney for the Common-
wealth further gives the said Court to under-
stand & be informed, that afterwards, to wit,
on the said 1st day of January, in the year 1812
aforesaid, at the parish & county aforesaid,
& within the jurisdiction of the said court
it was further agreed by & between the said
John Graham, senior, & the said William
Mt. Mahon, that he the said John Graham,
senior, should lend & advance unto the said
William Mt. Mahon a certain other sum of
money, to wit, the sum of five hundred dol-
lars, & that he the said John Graham senior
should forbear & give day of payment there-
for until the said 10th day of April in
the year 1812 aforesaid; That in pursuance
of the said agreement, so made as aforesaid,
he the said John Graham, afterwards, to wit,
on the said 1st day of January, in the
year 1812, ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said court} aforesaid, at the parish & county
aforesaid, did lend & advance to the said
William Mt. Mahon the said sum of five
hundred dollars; And that afterwards, to wit,
on the said 10th day of April in the year
1812 aforesaid, at the parish & county a-
foresaid, ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said court} he the said John Graham, senior,

did unlawfully & corruptly take, accept, & receive from the said William M^c Mahon, for the said loan of, & giving day of payment for, the said sum of five hundred dollars, a certain other sum of fifty dollars, which said sum of fifty dollars, so taken, accepted, & received, exceeds the rate of six dollars for the forbearing & giving day of payment of one hundred dollars for one year, against the act of Assembly in that case made & provided, to the evil example of all others in such case offending, & against the peace & dignity of the Commonwealth.

And the said attorney for the Commonwealth further gives the said Court to understand & be informed, that afterwards, to wit, on the said 10th day of April in the year 1812 at the parish & county aforesaid, ^{& within the jurisdiction of the said Court} the said John Graham, senior, by way of corrupt bargain, did unlawfully & corruptly take, accept, & receive, from the said William M^c Mahon, a certain other sum of fifty dollars, for the forbearing & giving day of payment of a certain other sum of five hundred dollars, which said sum of fifty dollars, so taken, accepted, & received, exceeds the sum of six dollars for the forbearing & giving day of payment of one hundred dollars for one year, against the

act of Assembly in such case made & provided, to the evil example of all others in such case offending, & against the peace & dignity of the Commonwealth.

This information is filed by order of the Court, on the presentment of the grand jury.

Priscot G. Baldwin

Att^y for Com^{ty}

John Thompson
to
Priscot G. Baldwin

24 July

We the jury find ~~the~~ the defendant not guilty

James Quinn Townsend

Com. ¹² } Inform.
vs }
John Graham

That the said James Quinn Townsend
did on the 12th day of June 1854
at the County of ... State of ...
commit the said John Graham to his custody
and detain him in his custody
against the peace and good government
of the said State of ...
and against the peace and good government
of the said County of ...
and against the peace and good government
of the said Town of ...

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

GREETING :

YOU are hereby commanded to Summon *William W Mahan*
to appear
before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County, at the Court-
House, on the *12th* day of *the* Court ~~month~~, 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 *the Commonwealth*
and John Graham Deft

And this *he* shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 100*l*. And
have then there this writ. Witness HENRY J GAMBILL Clerk of our said Court
at the Court-House the *27* day of *April* 1813 and
in the *27* year of the Commonwealth.

H. J. Gambill

Count
Graham & Gar

Edw. Thomas & William W.
For Charles James W.

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the
Sheriff of Rockingham County Greeting
you are hereby Commaanded to Summon
Joseph Graham to appear before
the Judge of the Superior Court of the said
County at the Court House on the first day
of the Next Term to answer and Information
filed by order of Court upon a presentment by the Grand
Jury for suffering people to Tipple and Drunk
in his Tavern Contrary to Law on the Sabbath day

and have them then this Writ Witness Henry J
Gambill Clerk of the said Court at the Court
house the 28 day of May 1812 and in the
36 year of the Commonwealth

H. J. Gambill

Presented to the Hon. John D. S. Claiborne, Esq.

Bar
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" J. Graham & Lewis
To answer Information

L. Courth

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff
of Rockingham County Greeting You are hereby
commanded to Summon John Graham
to appear before the Judge
of the Superior Court for the said County
at the Court house on the first day of the Next
Term to answer an Information filed by order of
the Court upon a presentment of the Grand Jury
for usury.

and have then there this Wit Witness Henry J
Gambill Clerk of the Said Court at the Court
House the 28 day of May 1812 and in the
30 year of the Commonwealth

H. J. Gambill

Ex John Jay 13th Jan 1800

Count
to
J. Graham & Sons
To receive of the
Superintendent

L. Count

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham
County Greeting: You are hereby commanded to Summons
John Graham to appear before the Judge of the Superior Court
of the said County at the Court house on the first day of
September Term Next to answer a presentment of the grand
Jury for illegally, and corruptly, charging, excepting taking
and receiving upon loan of five thousand dollars made
by him to William McMahon, for the forbearance of the
payment of each thousand dollars, for one year above the
rate of six dollars for each thousand, of the whole sum
within the County of Rockingham, and within twelve months
last past and have them there this writ Witness Henry
J. Gambill Clerk of our said Court at the Court house
the 10th day of May 1811 and in the 35 year of the Commonwealth

St. J. Gambill.



Ernesto J. Brywaters D.
for S. C. her - W. Kelly

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Information awarded.
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