

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham
County Greeting you are hereby commanded to summons

Abraham Ammtrout to appear before the
Judge of the Superior Court for the said county at the
court house thereof on the fifth Monday in July next
to answer an Indictment found against him by
the Grand Jury for an assault upon Abraham
Shotts

and have then there this writ witnessed Henry J. Gambill
Clerk of the said court of the said county at the court
house the 7 day of May 1816 and in the 40th year
of the Commonwealth

H. J. Gambill

Count

A. Brumby out ^{to} ^{to}

an assault for

S. Court.

Excerpts by A. Harrison & J. E. Harrison 8, 9, 10

The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Rockingham County,

GREETING:

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

Abraham Liberty Shotts

to appear before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County,
at the Court-house, on the *1st* day of *July* 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 Abraham Muntout Defendants

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 *6th* day of *June*

181*6* and in the *40* year of the Commonwealth.

H. J. Gambill

executed on the within by
Joseph Thornton & Jos. Lee
C. Howard or W. R. E.
And this shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 1000.
Witness my hand & Seal of our
Court at the Court-house the

County
of Brunswick S. C.

S. Court

in a certain matter of controversy in our
Court-house, on the day of
next to testify and the truth to say in behalf of
to appear before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County.

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Rockingham County

Witness:

Virginia
Rockingham County to wit

The jurors for the body of the County
of Rockingham in solemn form present That Abraham Amintment
late of the parish of Rockingham in the County of
Rockingham Labourer on the 29th Day of Feb
in the year 1816 ~~at the County~~ with force and
arms at the Parish of Rockingham in the County of
and within the jurisdiction of this Court in and
upon ~~the~~ one Abraham Shotts in the peace of
God and of the Commonwealth of Virginia then &
there being did make an assault and kin the
Abraham Shotts did then and there ~~commit~~
and ill treat ~~so that his life was greatly endangered~~
of and other wrong to the Abraham Shotts
then and there did to the great damage of the
Abraham Shotts and against the peace and
dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia

This Indentment was sent
to the Grand Jury on and in
consequence of a previous
Prosecution of a Grand Jury
made on

Abraham Shotts (School
master) of the County of Rock
ingham Prosecutor

Shooby saw to give evidence

St. James W. C. H.

Indutment

Commonwealth
of Indutment
Abraham Amintment

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4 true Bill

W. J. Hallam - J. W. Hallam

Commonwealth

Indutment
A. Amintment for
assaulting -

1816. April Sum
awarded -

Atty & J. W. C. H.
Verdict for 1 cent

Cost \$15.15

W. J. Hallam - J. W. Hallam

Give the Jury find me the
guilty of the same
and award me
the sum of \$15.15