

Rockingham County to wit

The jurors for the body of the County aforesaid in solemn
open presence that Godard Heggensen late of the parish of
Rockingham in the County of Rockingham Carpenter on the 1st day
of August 1817 at the parish of Rockingham in the County of
Rockingham and within the jurisdiction of this Court above
and of the peace there and there did commit by unlawfully playing
at a game called cards, to wit in the work shop of Benjamin
H. Owens chiselmaker the said workshop being a public place: con-
trary to the statutes in such case made and provided against
the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virg and
to the evil example of all others in like case offending

This Indictment is supported
by the evidence of Frederick Ford
a witness sent for by the Grand
jury

Commonwealth
of
Massachusetts
Gardner & Sons

True bill
Huntington

Comth. G
Stegerson & Sons
for
Gardner

1818 apud deus.

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

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

Garland Higgenson

to appear before the Judge of our Superior court of Rockingham County,
at the court house, on the *first* day of *April* Court
next to ~~testify and the truth to say in behalf of~~ *to answer an Indictment*
for unlawful Gaming at the Shop of Benjamin St Owens in
Port Republic ~~in a certain matter of controversy in our~~
~~said Court depending and undetermined, between~~

~~And this~~ shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 100.
And have then there this writ. Witness *Henry J. Gambill*, clerk of our
said Court at the court house the *9th* day of *October*
181 *7* and in the *42nd* year of the commonwealth.

H. J. Gambill

The defendant lives in Augusta

Attorneys

W. H. H. for

George C. Attorney

Cornth
"
Stiggenson } *Lums*
G. Lindimb