

Rockingham County to wit

The jurors for the body of the County sworn in solemn
form present that James Smallwood Shornick^{late} of the parish
of Rockingham in the County of Rockingham Shornick on the 1st
day of August in the year 1817 at the parish court in the
County of Rockingham and with in the jurisdiction of
this Court a breach of the peace then and there did commit by
unlawfully playing playing at a game called cards to wit in
the work shop of Benjamin H. Owens chair maker
the 1st work shop being a public place ^{contrary to the Statute in such case}
against the peace and ^{made and provided}
dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia and to the evil exam-
ple of all others in like case offending

This Indictment is supported
by the evidence of Frederick
Foord a witness sent for by
the Grand Jury

Commonwealth
of Massachusetts
James Smallwood

A true bill

Hearing for
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County of Suffolk

Smallwood & Indent

for Gaming (C)

1817 Septer Sumus
awarded 1818 April

of the State of
July July 8th 1818 for
Defendant

John Smallwood
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awarded 1818 April
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Defendant

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

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

James Smallwood

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 H Owens in
Port Republic ~~in a certain matter of controversy in~~

~~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

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Executed at Martinsburg
for George W. Houston