

Rockingham County to wit

The Jurors for the body  
of the county in solemn form present that Stande  
Vance late of the parish of Rockingham in the  
said county of Rockingham (Blacksmith),  
on the 1<sup>st</sup> day August 1817 at the parish of Rock-  
-ham in the s<sup>d</sup> county of Rockingham and  
within the jurisdiction of this court a breach  
of the peace did commit by unlawfully playing  
at a game called cards to wit near the camp  
meeting ground at Taylors Spring ~~by~~ with a  
number of negros on Sunday being a public  
place contrary to the statutes in such case  
made and provided againsts the peace and  
dignity of the commonwealth of Virginia  
and to the evil example of all other in like  
case ~~offending~~ offending

This indictment is supported  
by the evidence of Jacob Vanpel  
sent for <sup>by the</sup> grand jury



G.  
Comth  
St. Vances & Brauch  
Gunning at Taylors  
Spring

1818 April 20<sup>th</sup>.

Commonwealth  
& Institution  
Handle Vances  
Three bill  
Gunning for



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

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

*Standle Vance*

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 Camp Ground near Taylors Spring*

~~in a certain matter of controversy in and~~  
said Court depending and undetermined between

~~And this~~ shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 100<sup>l</sup>.

And have then there this writ. Witness *Henry J. Gambill*, clerk of our  
said court at the court house the *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October*  
181 *7* and in the *42<sup>nd</sup>* year of the commonwealth.

*H. J. Gambill*

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of

GREETING:

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

Com to  
Vance } Lewis

G. L. L. L.

to appear before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County,

at the court house on the

day of

next to testify and the truth to say in behalf of

said Court depending and undetermined between

And have then there this writ. Witness Henry J. Gamble, clerk of

said court at the court house the

day of

1817 and in the year of the commonwealth.

H. J. Gamble

no inhabitant

Witnessed at

Greenwood Washington 1816