

Rockingham County to wit

Nath Gray Attorney prosecuting
for the Commonwealth comes into Court and gives
the Court to understand and be informed that he came
to wit on the 1st day of August in the year 1818 at the County
afore^d and with in the jurisdiction of this Court John
Whisker ^{with force & arms} a breach of the peace then & there did commit
in fighting with assaulting and beating a certain
John Duker in the peace of the Commonwealth then
& there being & him the ^d John Duker then and there
did beat wound & ill treat and thus wrongs to the
^d John Duker then & there did to the great damage
of the ^d Duker and against the peace and dignity of
the Commonwealth

This Information is filed by order
of Court on the presentation of the
grand jury found on the evidence of
Nath Miller a witness sworn by
the grand jury

Can I inform
Whose

We the Jury find for the ~~Right & duty of~~ ~~the~~
the plaintiff to
give Doleys charges & costs
paid & to go

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham County.

Greeting :

YOU are hereby commanded to summon

*James Mitchell Joseph
Stottell and Joshua Dougherty*

to appear

before the Justices of our Court of Rockingham County at the Court-House, on the
first day of *February* Court next, to testify and the
truth to say in behalf of *John Whisler*

in a certain matter of controversy in

our said Court depending and undetermined, between *Commonwealth
and John Whisler Defendant*

And this *they* shall in no wise omit under the penalty of £100. each

And have then there this writ. Witness *HENRY J. GAMBILL* Clerk of our said Court
at the Court-House the *27th* day of *January* 181 *8*
and in the *42nd* year of the Commonwealth.

H. J. Gambill

Whisler
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The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham County. Greeting:

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Joseph Studdie

to appear

before the Justices of our Court of Rockingham County at the Court-House, on the

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day of

February

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Commonwealth.

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H. J. Gambill

Expressed to William Lamb for
Geo. Harrison M.D.

Comth
" Whisler & Spa

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

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

John Whisler

to appear before the Justices of our court of Rockingham County at the
court house on the third Tuesday in *August* next to
answer a presentment of the Grand Jury for

*fighting with and
abusing of John Decker*

Henry J. Gambill

and have then there this writ Witness ~~Saml. B. Williams~~ clerk of our
said county at the court house the *26* day of *May*
181*7* and in the *41* year of the commonwealth.

H. J. Gambill

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G. Presto

20 August Cont.

1817 August. Appears and
and Information open
October, 1818. February

Lay Herald Dist
 Guilty amount
 \$5. 50 August

Corb. § 7. 46

A red wax seal, partially broken, is visible on the back of the letter. It appears to be a circular or oval stamp, though the details are obscured by the wax and the texture of the paper.

presented by Wm Beecher

Capitulo

George Houston M^o