

Rockingham County to wit

The Jurors for the Body of the County upon  
in their oath present that here to fore to wit on the 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of April in the year 1823 at the County Court and  
within the jurisdiction of this Court Allen Dyer <sup>with force & arms</sup> did make an assault  
against and make an injury upon a certain Mason Nicholas in  
the peace of the common wealth then & there being and him  
the said Mason Nicholas then & there did beat wound & ill treat to  
wit with clubs fists &c and other weapons to the City the  
Mason Nicholas then & there did against the peace and  
equity of the common wealth and to the well exchequer  
of all this is like use appearing

Mason Nicholas  
Deputy of the County  
of Rockingham  
Prosecutor

Mason Nicholas sworn before me and

H. J. G.



Corn & on wheat  
in 1/2 bushels for 24 1/2  
Dues

a Run Rice  
George Gilmer

Charles Chenier  
Benjamin Williams  
are witnesses

Counts

Dever & Soderb  
for

G. Priest

1823 May Term Secus  
amargus, October

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\$12.81

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

Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summons

*Mason Nicholas,*

to appear before the Judge of our Superior Court of Rockingham County,  
at the Court-House, on the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 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 *the Commonwealth*  
*and Allen Dyer Defendants*

And this *he* 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 *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *September*  
*1823* and in the *48* year of the Commonwealth.

*H. J. Gambill*



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Dever E & Spar  
Sup. Court

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

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

*Allen Dever*

to appear before the Judge of the Superior Court of Law for the County of Rockingham,  
at the Court-House on the first day of *October Term* next, (being the ~~fourth~~  
*Monday*) *to before the third Tuesday in October to answer*  
*an indictment found by the grand jury for a breach*  
*of the peace in fighting with and beating of Mason*  
*Nicholas.*

And have then there this Writ. Witness *HENRY J. GAMBILL*, Clerk of our said Court  
the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 1823 and in the 44<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth.

*H. J. Gambill*



Enclosed

For the Hon. Secy

June 17<sup>th</sup> 1823

And have the honor to inform you that the same have been forwarded to the Hon. Secy of the Comm. of the

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Dever & Sum  
G. Hann.

Sup. Court

YOU are hereby commanded to attend

The Court-house of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham County