

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham County,

Greeting;

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

*Abraham Wise, Christian Meyer, Bayard Bournon  
and John Bournon*

to appear

before the Justices of our Court of Rockingham County at the Court-House on the *8<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *this Month* ~~even~~ next, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of

*Jacob Brown*

in a certain matter of controversy in

our said Court, depending and undetermined, between *Commith and said*  
*Jacob Brown Deft*

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

And have then there this Writ. Witness *HENRY J. GAMBELL*, Clerk of our said Court at

the Court-House the

*30<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*June*

1824

and in the

*48*

year of the Commonwealth;

*H. J. Gambell*

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Rockingham County Court:

Memorandum That upon the second day of June 1824, Martin Burkholder and Joseph Cravens both of the County of Rockingham and State of Virginia personally appeared before me Richard D. Fletcher a Justice of the peace in & for said county and acknowledged that they do owe to James Pleasants Governor or chief magistrate of the Commonwealth of Virginia and his Successors in office, To wit. The said Martin Burkholder in the Sum of One Hundred Dollars and the said Joseph Cravens in the Sum of One Hundred Dollars, to be levied of their respective Goods and chattels, lands and Tenements, to the use of this Commonwealth, if default shall be made in performance of the Conditions underwritten.

The Conditions of the above obligation is such that Whereas Jacob Crooner of this said County of Rockingham was this day committed to the Jail of said County by my warrant on Suspicion of Attaining a certain writing purporting to be a Certificate or Receipt executed on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1824 for Two Dollars, which appears to have been attuned to Three Dollars by said Jacob Crooner. Now if the said Martin Burkholder and Joseph Cravens shall make their personal appearance at a Court to be convened at the Courthouse of our said County, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June (next) 1824. for the examination of the said officer, and then & there give Testimony in behalf of this Commonwealth in the case above named and not depart thence until leave is obtained of said Court. Then the above obligation to be laid else to remain in full force. Acknowledged before me this 2<sup>d</sup> day above



Count

J. Cromer & Papers  
of

Call Court held

8. June 1824. and

prisoners remanded to

gaol for further trial

and let out on bail

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Rockingham County Court,

To the Sheriff of said county

Whereas Jacob Croomer (farmer) hath this day been committed to the Jail of the said county by my warrant on suspicion of having on the day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the county aforesaid feloniously uttered a certainly writing purporting to be a certificate & receipt executed by Martin Burkholder on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1824 from \$2.00. to read \$3.00, <sup>with intention to injure & defraud Margaret Showalter</sup> and did on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May last exhibit the said attested writing as ~~a~~ charge evidence of a charge for three Dollars against Margaret Showalters, <sup>with intention to</sup> ~~then attempting~~ to injure ~~and~~ defraud <sup>her</sup> the said Margaret Showalter, knowing the said writing to be so attested; and it appearing to me that the felonious offences wherewith the said Jacob Croomer stands charged, ought to be inquired & examined into by our county court; Therefore on behalf of the commonwealth, I require you to summon at least eight of the Justices of the said county to meet, at the courthouse on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of this present month then and there to hold a court for the examination of the facts with which the said Jacob Croomer stands charged and for such other purposes concerning the premises as are by law required and directed, and that you have them there <sup>this warrant</sup> ~~given under my~~ hand & seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1824

R P Fletcher



Erasmus Middleton Esq for Newbern N.C.

Magistrates



Rockingham County Court:

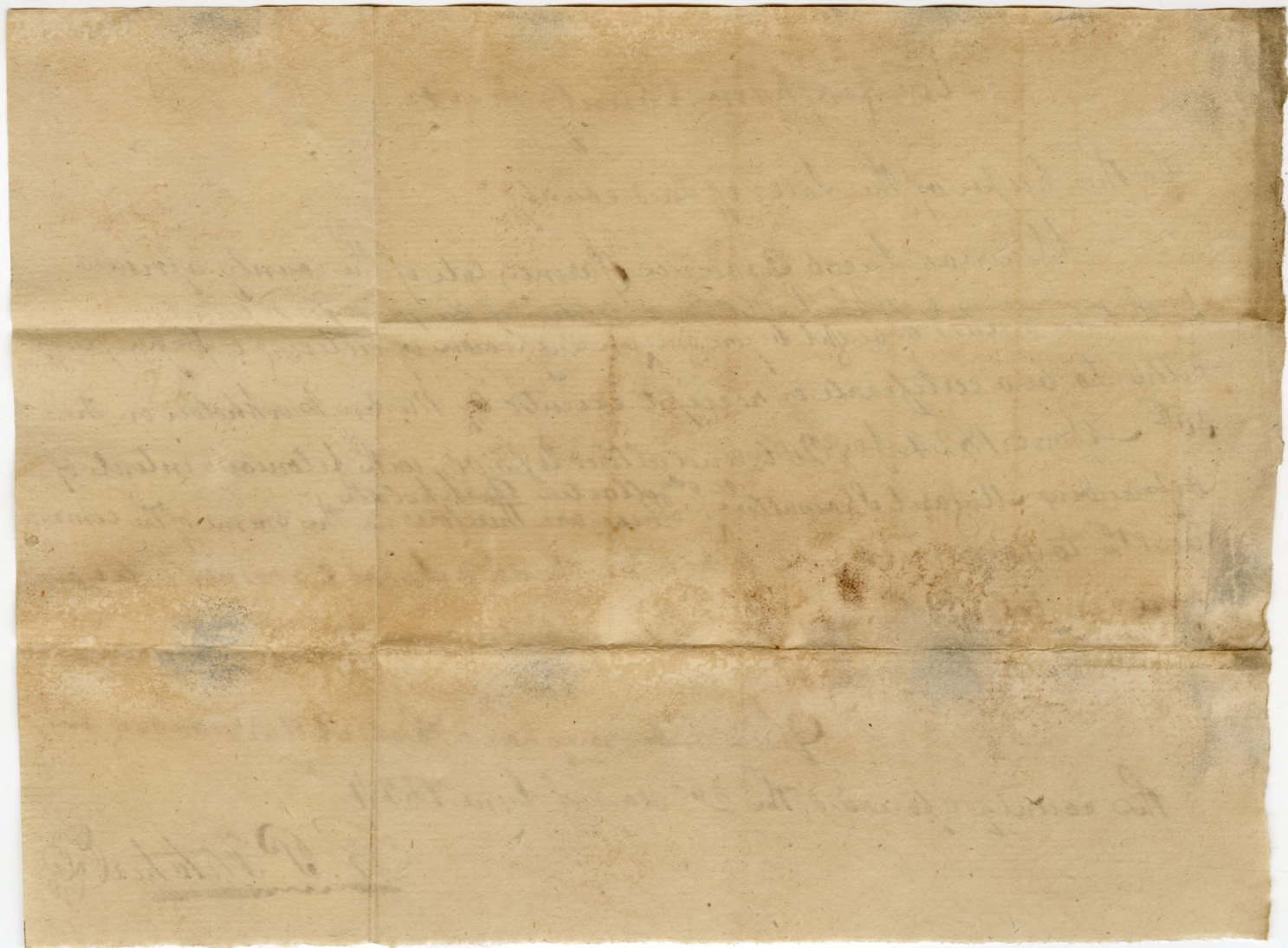
To the keeper of the Jail of said county

Whereas Jacob Croomer (farmer) late of the county aforesaid  
hath been arrested & brought before me <sup>R. P. Fletcher a justice of the peace for said County</sup> on suspicion of uttering a paper purp-  
-orting to be a certificate or receipt executed by Martin Buckholder on the  
30<sup>th</sup> April 1824, for \$200. and altered to \$300, with felonious intent, of  
defrauding Margaret Showalters <sup>or Margaret Buckholder</sup>. These are therefore in the name of the common  
wealth to command you to receive the said Jacob Croomer into your  
Jail custody in the said Jail. There to remain until he be detained  
therefrom by due course of law.

Given under my hand & Seal at Harrisonburg in  
the county aforesaid the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1824

R. P. Fletcher 







Rockingham County To wit:

Whereas, from the facts which ~~transpired~~ <sup>furnish</sup> ~~this day made oath~~ before me a Justice of the peace for the county aforesaid, ~~that the said~~ good cause to suspect that Jacob Croomer did feloniously alter a certain certificate, or receipt writing purporting to be a certificate or receipt, dated April 30<sup>th</sup> 1824 and executed by Martin Burkholder to the said Jacob Croomer, for the sum of Two Dollars, altered into \$3.00, for the removal of ~~the said~~ Mrs Showalters, and did exhibit the said writing as a demand for three Dollars against the said Showalters, knowing the same to be so altered, & false. There are therefore to command you to apprehend the said Jacob Croomer and bring him before me or some other Justice of the peace of the said county of Rockingham forthwith to answer the premises and farther to be dealt with according to law


Given under my hand & Seal this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1824

To the Constables of Harrisonburg District  
in said County to execute & return

J. Cravens

Summon Martin Burkholder a witness for the common wealth  
J.C.



Commonwealth  
vs  
J. Croome - { Warrent  


Executed  
J. B. Bruffy



Received of Jacob Cromer 75 Cents for mending  
and half soling Peggy showalter her shoes this 10

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Day of January 1824



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1823 Peggy Showalter Dr to Jacob Cromer September 12<sup>th</sup>

to two teams one Day Mousing of hix - \$ 6 00

to one cow in pasture 2 months ----- 2 00

to 4 months house rent ----- 4 00

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that day can before me Jacob Burkholder and  
made oath he help Jacob Cromer to move Mrs Showalter  
and that she moved to said Cromer's house but  
I do not know what rent she was to pay -

Yours under my hand this 20 day of May 1824

Henry Welch



~~It is a black case~~

It is a black case  
against a black case

James Monroe & Madison  
James Madison James Monroe  
James Madison

Geol. case	7.25	1.00	1.00	1.00	4.58	1.00	3.58
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16.00	7.25	8.75
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