

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham County,

Greeting:

YOU are hereby commanded to summons *Charles W. Carthrae James*  
*Smallwood* <sup>and</sup> *William Bateman Jr* *John* *Dondon*  
and *John Carthrae*

to appear  
before the Justices of our Court of Rockingham County at the Court-House on the *10th*  
day of *February* ~~January~~ <sup>Court next</sup>, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of

*James Bailey* in a certain matter of controversy in  
our said Court, depending and undetermined, between *The Comth and Said*  
*Bailey & Diff*

And this *They* 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 *10th* day of *January* 1826

and in the *50th* year of the Commonwealth.

*H J Gambill*

Recorded on each of the  
within saved mortgages  
to appear before the Court of Noctonham  
at the Courtroom on the 10th of January 1796

Bailey  
ad 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec  
Comth



Rockingham County to wit

Memorandum, that upon this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year 1826 Thomas Strawn of the County of Rockingham, John Walker Jr. of the County of Augusta and Jonathan Rush of the County of Rockingham came before us Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid, and each of them in his proper person acknowledged himself indebted to John Tyler Esquire Governor or Chief Magistrate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and his Successors in the sum of Fifty Dollars, to be paid personally of each of their good and chattels, land and tenements, respectively, to the use of the said Commonwealth; upon Condition that if each of them do personally appear before the Commonwealth's Justices of the Peace for the said County of Rockingham on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of the present month at Court by them to be held, at the Court house of the said County for the examinations of James Bailey and do then and there on behalf of the said Commonwealth, give such evidence as he knoweth against the said James Bailey, concerning the matters wherein he is charged, and that neither he nor either of them do depart without leave of the said Court, then this recognizance to be void, else to remain in full force.

Acknowledged before us

Stephen Karusberg Jr.

Geo. McKim Jr.



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Rockingham County to wit

To the Sheriff of the said County

Whereas James Bailey of the County Labourer, was this day committed to the Jail of this County by our warrant for stealing and violently taking a certain dog from Thomas Frame, it appearing to me that the felonious offence wherewith he stands charged ought to be examined into by the county court; therefore on behalf of the commonwealth I require you, that you summon at least eight of the justices of the peace of your said county, to meet at the court house on Monday the 16<sup>th</sup> of the present month January 1826. and then and there to hold a court for the examination of the fact, with which the said James Bailey stands charged, and for such other purposes concerning the premises, as is by law required & directed, and you have then & there this warrant, given under our hands & seals this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Jan. 1826.

Stephen Harsbey *Secy*  
Geo W. Kempis *Jud*



County

J. Bailey & paper  
of

Call. Court

1826 Janry 16<sup>th</sup> County  
met and present  
discharge.



Rockingham County to wit

To William Lewis Constable of the said County,  
and to Alexander Logan keeper of the Jail of the  
said County.

These are to Command you the said Constable  
in the name of the Commonwealth to convey and  
deliver into the custody of the said keeper of the said  
Jail, the body of James Bailey late of the County of  
Rockingham charged before me with breking on the  
9th day of January in the year 1826 with force and  
arms in the County aforesaid, in the Commonwealth  
highway, then in and upon one Thomas Frame  
in the peace of God and of the said Common-  
wealth then & there being, feloniously did make  
an assault, and then the said Thomas Frame  
in bodily fear and danger of his life, in the  
highway aforesaid, then and there feloniously did put,  
and a certain dog of the value of five Dollars of  
the property of the said Thomas Frame, from the per-  
son and against the will of the said Thomas  
Frame, in the highway aforesaid, then and  
there feloniously and violently did steal take  
and carry away, against the peace and dignity  
of the Commonwealth. And you the said  
Jailer, are hereby required to receive the said  
James Bailey into your Jail and custody, and him  
there safely keep, till he shall thence be dischar-  
ged by due course of law. Given under my



hand and seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year  
1826 and in the year of the Commonwealth the  
~~Seventh~~

Geo W Kemp  
Stephen Harnberger

Frederic.



Commitment of  
Jas Bailey  
with warrant

On Monday last went to  
Hertons - took in one of our  
hens possession - he said Barry  
Hartwell the man who has  
stolen the dog and I cannot  
return him.

Ans  
W. H. K.

Chas. & Anne (Wm)  
McCreedy - have given only  
that a letter been day  
Stimans only get a letter day the  
concerning man  
Bridgewater hand letter from  
dog  
dog  
J. G. H. H. H.