

Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery.

Rockingham County to wit:

The jurors for the body of the county aforesaid on their  
oaths present that heretofore to wit on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April  
in the year 1842 at the county aforesaid and within the  
jurisdiction of this court Joseph Bayers (Smiths Creek)  
with force and arms an assault did make in and  
upon William Lohr in the peace of the  
Commonwealth then and there being, and him  
the said William Lohr did then and there beat  
wound and ill treat against the peace and dignity  
of the Commonwealth.

J. Bayers  
Wm Lohr

This indictment is made  
on the evidence of Cyrus  
Spitzes one of the grand jury sworn  
in court to give evidence to the  
grand jury



Qsmith

Go: Boyers & Grand

G. Grand Jd.

1842 May Sent award

October Capias awarded

1843 May Term A. Capis

awarded October P.

Capias awarded, 1844

May A. P. Capis

awarded, October

P. Capias awarded

1845 May A. P. Capias

awarded October

Atty & H. and C. and

1846 May Capted

October May & Verdict

Gravely & C. and

C. and

Oct 1st for . . . . \$88.50

Wallen . . . . 159

all for . . . . 10.50

Atty's . . . . 252

\$229.50

We the Jury find the Defendant Guilty and award  
his punishment to one Earl Hammons

J. W. Miller

We the Jury find for  
the commonwealth \$0

Atty & H. and C. and

Joseph Boyers

for an offence

in the County



THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKING-  
HAM COUNTY,— GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

*Cyrus Spetzer*

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Rocking-  
ham County, at the Court-House, on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *August October* Court  
next, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of *The Commonwealth*

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

*The Commonwealth and Joseph Boyer Defendant,*

And

*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 *10<sup>th</sup>* day of

*August*

184*6* and in the *7<sup>th</sup>* year of

the Commonwealth.

*H. J. Gambill*

Received of Stephen Spar Adamsburg MS

Wm C. J. C.

the Commonwealth.  
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then there this  
Witness Henry J. Gamble, Clerk of our said Court at the Court-  
shall in no wise omit under the penalty of \$100. And have  
in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court, depending and undetermined, between  
next, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of  
ham County, at the Court-House, on the  
to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Rocking-

You are hereby commanded to summon

HAM COUNTY—

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKING-

Wm C. J. C.  
& Spar  
J. Boyer

Greene:



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

YOU are hereby commanded to summon

Cyrus Spitzer

to appear

before the Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Rockingham County, at the

Court-House, on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May Court next, to testify and

the truth to say in behalf of

The Commonwealth

in a certain matter of controversy in

our said Court, depending and undetermined, between

The Commonwealth  
and Joseph Bayen Quft

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 7<sup>th</sup> day of

April

1846 and in the 70<sup>th</sup>

year of the Commonwealth.

H J Gambill



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The peace or wealth of Virginia to the sheriff of  
Rockingham County Greeting: you are hereby Comma<sup>nd</sup>  
ed as at other times heretofore) that you do not for any delay  
in your County but that you take Joseph Boyer, if he be found  
within the same and him safely keep so that you have his body  
before the face of our Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery  
for said County on the first day of October Term next to answer  
us of a certain Misdemeanor, whereof he stands indicted, and  
have then and there with William Henry Gambell Clerk of  
our said Court at the Court house the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1845 and  
in the 19 year of the said

W. H. Gambell

Mean for not answering an indictment found against him  
by Grand Jury for assaulting and beating of W. Hooker

Teste W. H. Gambell C.

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J. H. H. H.

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Jos Boyce & Capas  
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The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham  
County Greeting: We command you, as at often times heretofore  
you have been ~~ordered~~ that you do not for any liberty in your  
bailewicks but that you take Joseph Boyers if he be found within  
your bailewicks and him safely keep so that you have his body  
before the Judges of our Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery  
for said County on the first day of October Court next, to answer  
us of a certain Misdemeanor, whereof he stands indicted, and  
have then then this Writ Writting Henry J. Gambell Clerk of our  
said Court the 6<sup>th</sup> day of June 1844 and in the 68<sup>th</sup> year of the  
Commonwealth

H. J. Gambell

Attest for not answering an indictment for breach of the  
peace in assaulting and beating of W. Loomis

Teste H. J. Gambell C. R. B. S. C.



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E. A. P. P.  
Jo. Boyer & Capin

To our new agent

C. S. Court

Dear Mr. William Griffith  
Boyer, I can not send him  
A. H. Chumman  
Agent of the same  
S. P.

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the sheriff of  
Rockingham County Greeting. We command you (as at  
often times you have been) that you do not for any Liberty  
in your bailments, but that you take Joseph Boyers of the  
County within your bailments and him safely keep so  
that you have his body before the Judge of our Circuit Superior  
Court of Law and Chancery for said County on the first day  
of May Term next to answer us of a Certain Warrant  
now, whereof he stands indicted and have then there  
the said William Henry J. Gambell Clerk of our said  
Court at the Court house the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October 1843.  
and in the 68<sup>th</sup> year of the said

S<sup>t</sup> J. Gambell

Mans for not appearing and answering an Indictment  
for a breach of the peace for assaulting and beating.

William Lookey

Teste

S<sup>t</sup> J. Gambell C<sup>l</sup>k



Saw Joseph Brown, but could not  
visit him

L. H. H. in an office  
H. Campbell & R. C.

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E. A. P. Capin  
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The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham  
County Greeting, You are hereby Commaunded as at often times (you  
have seen,) that you do not for any Liberty, in your County, but that  
you take Joseph Boyer, if he be found within the same, and have  
safely to up so that you have his body, before the Judges of our Courts  
Superior Court of Law and Chancery for said County on the first day of  
May Term Next, to answer us of a certain Misdemeanor, whereof  
he stands indicted, and have them there this with Witness Henry  
J. Gambill Clerk of our said Court at the Court house the 19<sup>th</sup> of  
October 1844 and in the 18<sup>th</sup> Year of the Commonwealth

St. J. Gambill

Memo. for not answering an indictment for breach of the peace  
in assaulting and beating of W. Looker.

Teste St. J. Gambill



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Dear Sir

A. P. P. Capin

Is: Boyer To answer  
as he said?

My friend

G. H. Brown in care

of Hamden

after

W. H.

To May Term 1845



The Common wealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Rockingham County  
Greeting: We com<sup>as at another time you have been</sup>mand you, that you do not ~~crack~~ for any liberty in  
your bailiwicks but that you take Joseph Boyer if he be found in your  
bailiwicks and him safely keep so that you have his body before the  
Judge of our Percent Superior Court of Law and Chancery for said County  
on the first day of October Term Next, to answer us of ~~an~~ a certain  
Misdemeanor, whereof he stands indicted, and have them there  
this writ. Witness Henry J. Gambill Clerk of our said Court, at the  
Court house the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1843. and in the 67<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth  
H. J. Gambill

Warrant for not appearing an answering an indictment for a breach  
of the peace in assaulting and beating of William Looker.  
H. J. Gambill



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to

Joseph Boyer

October Term 1824.

E. A. Capen  
to

C. S. Court Saw

Not found, S. H. Bunkerholder, Clerk  
Shos. H. Campfield 1826



The Commonwealth of Virginia To the Sheriff of Rock-  
ingham County Greeting We Command you that  
you do not omit for any Liberty in your bailwick. but  
that you take Joseph Boyers if he be found in your  
bailwick and him safely Keep so that you have his  
body before the Judge of our Court Superior Court of  
Law and Chancery for said County on the First day  
of May Term Next, to answer us of a certain Mis-  
demeanor whereof he stands indicted. and have then  
there this writ Witness H. I. Gamble Clerk of our said  
County at the Court house the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1842

H. I. Gamble

Memo for not appearing an answering an Indictment  
for a breach of the peace for assaulting and Beating William  
Looker

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H. I. Gamble Clerk



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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY,

Greeting :

YOU are hereby commanded to summons

*Joseph Boyers*

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Rockingham  
County at the Court-House on the first day of *October* Term next, to answer

*an Indictment  
of the peace*

of the Grand Jury for a *Breach*

And have then there this Writ. Witness HENRY J. GAMBILL, Clerk of our said County  
at the Court-House the *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 18*42* and in the

*66<sup>th</sup>* year of the Commonwealth.

*H. J. Gambrell*



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J. Boyce  
our new merchant

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M. I. & Co. 1872  
M. I. & Co. 1872

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY,