

Our said Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the County of Rockingham  
Rockingham County, To wit.

Other jurors of and from the body of  
the County of Rockingham upon their oaths present that  
Abraham Smith, <sup>Justice of the Peace</sup> ~~Justice of the Peace~~ <sup>of said County</sup> on the eight day of  
May eighteen hundred and forty eight in the County  
of said and within the jurisdiction of the Circuit Superior  
Court of Law and Chancery for the County of Rockingham in and  
upon one Reuben Moore with force and arms on assault  
did make ~~in and upon~~ <sup>in and upon</sup> ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> him the said Reuben Moore  
did then and there beat wound and bruise and ill treat  
against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth  
This indictment is made on the evidence of John Cowan  
a witness sworn for by the grand jury & sworn in court &  
given evidence to the grand jury

the Commonwealth  
against the election  
Abraham Smith

For a T. & Battery

a true bill

Wm. McGilroy  
Foreman



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~ E Papers to  
A. Smith

16 Indent II

1848 May Summ awarded

Ortolan & General  
replications 1849

continued 1849

May Vote pro quo  
intended





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

YOU are hereby commanded to summon *Abraham Smith* GREETING:

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Rock-  
ingham at the Court-House on the first day of *October* Term next,  
to answer *An Indictment*  
*An assault upon a Person Belonging to the Grand Jury for*  
*An assault upon a Person Belonging to the Grand Jury for*

*Leicester W. Gambill*  
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* 184*6* and  
in the *72<sup>d</sup>* year of the Commonwealth.

*L. W. Gambill*

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Answer An Indentment

Exec. by J. B. Byna Dep. Sec.  
 J. H. Lewis M.E.