

Rockingham County, Va.

Be it remembered that

on the 7th day of August 1868 Dawson Thompson William Peters and Jacob Spangler of the said County came before me George S. Christie a Justice of said County and severally and respectively acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in manner and form following, to wit: The said Dawson Thompson in the sum of one hundred dollars, and the said Wm Peters and Jacob Spangler in the sum of one hundred dollars to be respectively made and levied of their several goods and chattels Land and Tenements to the use of the Commonwealth of Virginia if the said Dawson Thompson shall make default in performance of the condition underwritten.

The condition of the above recognizance is such that if the above bound Dawson Thompson do and shall personally appear before the County Court of Rockingham on the first day of the next term thereof then and there to answer for and concerning a certain felony by him committed in feloniously breaking in the night time the store room adjoining the Kitchen apartment to the premises of H. Jewette Gray in said County and stealing therefrom five hams of Bacon of the value of \$15.00 5⁰⁰ of Coffee of the value of \$10.00 one white Stone China dish of the value of \$1.00 ^{50¢} and one white Scalloped bowl of the value of 50¢ ^{50¢} of the goods and chattels of him the said H. Jewette Gray - wherein the said Dawson Thompson stand charged and shall not depart thence without leave of the Court then the above recognizance shall be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue. Taken and acknowledged before me in said County the day & year first above written.

G. S. Christie J.

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County of Rockingham, to-wit:
To all, or any one of the Constables, of said County.

Whereas St. Jonette Gray of the said County has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, George A. Christie, a Justice of said County, That Dawson Thompson, colored, of the said County, on the day of July 1868, in said County, did feloniously break open in the night time, the Store room adjoining the kitchen appurtenant to the premises of the said St. Jonette Gray, and did steal therefrom Five hams of bacon, of the value of \$15⁰⁰ Five pounds of Coffee, of the value of \$2⁰⁰ One white scalloped ~~board~~ of the value of .50¢ One white Stone China dish of the value of .52¢ and Five pounds of honey, of the value of \$1.00 of the goods and chattels of him the said St. Jonette Gray.

These are therefore in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia to Command you forthwith to apprehend, and bring before me, or some other Justice of said County, the body of the said Dawson Thompson to answer the said Complaint and to be further dealt with according to Law.

Given under my hand and seal
This the 4th day of August 1868.

George A. Christie J.P. (Seal)

The Sailer of Rockingham County, Will take
charge of the prisoner Dawson, named in the
within Warrant, until morning.

J. M. K. Hartmann, J.P.

Arrest Warrant

Received August 4th 1868

J. M. K. Hartmann, J.P.