

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the SERGEANT of the CORPORATION OF HARRISONBURG, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon *Edward B. Knipple and Peter Paul*

to appear before the Justices of our Court of Hustings for the Town of Harrisonburg, at the Court-House, on the *1st* day of *July* — Court next, to testify and the truth to say, on behalf of *commencing on July 5th 1869*

to give Evidence before the Grand Jury

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

Witness, H. C. BRIGHT, Clerk of said Court, at the Court-House, the *28* day of *June* 186*9* and in the *93* year of the Commonwealth.

H. C. Bright Clerk C. H. H.

Sheriff's Return
Commonwealth
vs J. Spa
Joseph Bentmeyer

Edward B. Knipple
to give evidence before
the Grand Jury

Executed the within by delivering a
Copy to Edward Knipple in person
July 1st 1869
Attest: J. S. S.

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Age entered July 1 1869
by delivering a copy of the
within named parties in
person
J. J. Hucklebush

Town of Harrisonburg, State of Virginia, to wit:

Be it remembered, That on the 23d day of June, 1869, Joseph Zantmeyer, and Peter Paul, Jr., and Nelson Andrews, of said town, personally came before me, J. D. Rice, a Justice of said Town, and severally and respectively acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the manner and form following, that is to say, ~~and~~ the said Joseph Zantmeyer, in the sum of One Hundred Dollars, and the said Peter Paul, Jr., and Nelson Andrews, in the sum of One Hundred Dollars, to be respectively made and levied of Their several goods, and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of the Commonwealth of Virginia, if the said Joseph Zantmeyer shall make default in the performance of the underwritten condition.

The condition of the above recognizance is such, that if the above bound Joseph Zantmeyer, do and shall personally appear on the 5th day of July, 1869, before the Court of Hustings of said Town, at the Court House thereof, and then and there to answer a bill of indictment to be preferred to the Grand Jury in and for said Town, against him the said Joseph Zantmeyer, for a misdemeanor by him committed, for unlawfully, on the 23d day of June, 1869, in the County of Rock-

ingham, one shoot or pig to the value of
four Dollars, of the goods and chattels of Ed-
ward B. Knipple, feloniously did steal,
take and carry away, whereof the said Joseph
Zantmeyer stands charged, and shall not
thence depart without the leave of said
Court, then the above recognizance shall be
void and of no effect, otherwise to remain
in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged
before me the day and year
first above written.

Officiary

Court of
Joseph Zantmeyer
~~Edward B. Knipple~~
vs Grand Jury

The following are
the Witnesses summoned
before the Grand Jury
for the Commonwealth

Edward B. Knipple
Peter Pace jr

Sherriff of Harrisonburg, Virginia to wit-

To the Clerk of the Court of Hustings for the Sherriff
Harrisonburg

I, J. P. Price, a Justice of the said Sherriff do hereby
Certify, that I have this day admitted Joseph Gentmire
to bail for his appearance before the Court of Hustings of
the said Sherriff on the first day of the July Term thereof
to answer an indictment in the said Court for a Misdemeanor by him committed in this that he did on the 22^d
day of June 1869 in the said Sherriff, and State of Virginia One
Short-swing to the Value of four dollars of the goods
and Chattels of Edward B. Enipple feloniously
did steal take and carry away. - There are therefore
in the Name of the Commonwealth

~~Given under my hand this 23^d~~
day of June 1869

J. P. Price - J. P.

[Faint, mirrored handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. The text is illegible due to fading and mirroring.]

Governor of Harrisonburg State of Virginia
to wit
To J. P. Hyde Sargent, said
Whereas Edward B. Knipple of Rockingham
County (State aforesaid) has this day made
Complaint and information on oath before
Me, J. P. Hyde a justice of said County, that
~~Edward B. Knipple~~ ^{Sept 1869} ~~on the 22 day of June 1869~~ ^{in the County}
~~of Rockingham~~ ^{of the State of Virginia} - One Shout or pig to
the value of four dollars of the goods
and Chattle of Edward B. Knipple
feloniously did steal take and carry
away - These are therefore in the Name
of the Commonwealth, to Command
you forthwith to apprehend and
bring before Me or some other justice
of the said County - the body of the
said ~~Joseph~~ ^{Sept 1869} ~~Knipple~~ to answer the
said Complaint and to be further
dealt with according to Law.

Given under my hand and
Seal this 23^d day of June in the year
1869 . J. P. Hyde

Commonwealth

vs State torrent

vs

Jos^r Sentmeyer

Edward B. Knipple
Peter Paul for
Witnesses summoned
before the Grand Jury
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