

State of Virginia-Rockingham County-To wit-

In the County-Court of the said County-  
The Jurors of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in  
and for the body of the County of Rockingham, and  
now attending the said Court-Upon their oath pre-  
sent-That Samuel Hatterman on the 22<sup>d</sup> day  
of April in the year 1896, in the said County,  
did feloniously attempt-to commit-the crime of  
robbery; by then and there, by violence to the person  
of one L. D. Shippe and the presenting of a pistol,  
feloniously attempting against the will of the  
said L. D. Shippe to steal, take, and carry away  
by force from the person of the said L. D. Shippe  
his money - And that in the said Samuel Hat-  
terman then and there in his said attempt-to  
commit-the felony and robbery aforesaid did  
in and upon the body of him the said L. D. Shippe  
feloniously make an assault; and then and there  
him the said L. D. Shippe did feloniously and  
violently strike and beat; and to him present-a  
pistol, with intent then and there from the person  
of him the said L. D. Shippe, and against his will  
and by force and violence, the money of the said  
L. D. Shippe feloniously to steal take and carry  
away - but in his said attempt-to commit-  
the said felony and robbery as aforesaid he  
did not succeed against the peace and dig-  
nity of the Commonwealth of Virginia -  
This indictment is found on the testimony of



We the jury find the prisoner Samuel Hallerman  
guilty of attempting to rob L. S. Shipe in manner  
and form as charged in the indictment and do sentence  
the term of his imprisonment in the penitentiary at  
two years -

C. J. Van Lear

L. S. Shipe, Benjamin Shipe, Harry Fitz-  
water <sup>John J. Hallerman</sup> and Angelina Fitzwater sworn  
in Court and sent before the Grand Jury  
to give evidence -

C. J. Van Lear

Commonwealth  
vs ~~Indictment~~  
Samuel Hallerman

For feloniously  
attempting to com-  
mit the Crime  
of robbing

A true bill  
J. M. Snell  
Foreman

We the Jury find  
Samuel Hallerman  
guilty and ~~the~~  
penally 2 years in  
the State Penitentiary

C. J. Van Lear Foreman



STATE OF VIRGINIA, County of Shenandoah, To-Wit :

John A Jones upon oath, complains that on the thirty first  
day of March, 1886, in the county aforesaid Isaac Bowers  
did feloniously & fraudulently take and  
remove corn under log and distrained  
for rent and that the said Isaac Bowers did  
take remove and conceal the same to defraud  
the said Evan Jones John A Jones and others  
and he the said John A Jones therefore prays that the said Isaac  
Bowers may be apprehended and held to answer the said com-  
plaint, and dealt with in relation thereto as the law may require. Dated this 6<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1886

STATE OF VIRGINIA, County of Shenandoah, To-Wit :

The said John A Jones made oath to the truth of the foregoing com-  
plaint before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

John A. Williams J. P.

STATE OF VIRGINIA, County of Shenandoah, To-Wit :

TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF SAID COUNTY.

Whereas John A Jones of the said county has this day  
made complaint and information on oath before me John A. Williams, a  
Justice of the Peace of said county, that Isaac Bowers of said  
county, on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1886, in said county did  
fraudulently take and remove corn under log  
and distrained for rent and so forth as afore said  
stated

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 the said county, the  
body of the said Isaac Bowers  
to answer the said complaint, and to be further dealt with according to law. Given un-  
der my hand and seal this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

John A Williams, J. P. (Seal).

Summon the following witnesses

William Miller of Paul  
Miller

Executed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1886, by arresting the above  
named Isaac Bowers and bringing him before  
John A. Williams J. P.

Jno. M. Sibert  
Judgment on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886. Defendant  
found guilty upon the testimony on oath of admitted the afore said  
charge of take away the afore said corn with said  
intent and that he will not return the same  
and it is adjudged that The said Isaac Bowers be committed to  
The Jail of the aforesaid County and there dealt with as the  
law may direct  
John A. Williams J. P.



SHENANDOAH COUNTY, To-Wit :

TO THE CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT OF SAID COUNTY.

I, John A Williams, a Justice of the said county, do hereby certify  
that I have this day committed Isaac Bowser  
to the jail of said county that he may be tried before the county court of said county for a  
Crime by him committed, in this, that he did, on the 31 day of  
March 1886, in the said county Take remove and  
county corn as first written with said intent  
as above said

Given under my hand this 11 day of April, 1884.

John A. Williams, J. P.

SHENANDOAH COUNTY, To-Wit:

TO THE CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT OF SAID COUNTY.

I, John Williams....., a Justice of the said county, do hereby certify that  
..... has this day been admitted to bail by me  
with sureties for his appearance before the county court of the said county, on the first day  
of the next term thereof; that he may be tried for a ....., by him  
committed, in this, that he did, on the ..... day of ..... 188 .....

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188 \_\_\_\_\_.

*J. P.*

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

S. A.

Excuse the amount by  
 enclosing some money and left  
 Mr. Rogers & Williams, of the  
 11th day of April 1896  
 One dollar 00



IN THE NAME OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY---GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon *Frederick Sowders*

to appear before the Judge of the County Court of Rockingham County, at the Court-House, on the

*9* day of this *May* Court ~~next~~, being the *26* day of *May*  
189*7*, to testify and the truth to say on behalf of *Samuel Waltermann*

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

*Commonwealth* Plaintiff,  
and *Samuel Waltermann* Defendant.

And this.....shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this  
Writ. Witness, JOSEPH S. MESSERLEY, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court-House, the

*19* day of *May* 189*7*, and in the *12<sup>th</sup>* year of the Commonwealth.

*J S Messerley*, Clerk.



Frederick Sowers

Not found.