

Mr. Western,

Sir,

I learn that you  
contemplate tearing down  
& removing from the  
property on which you now  
occupy the stable there or  
situated. Which property  
belongs to me.

This is to notify you that  
I forbid you tearing down  
or removing said stable or  
any part thereof from  
said premises & if done by  
you I will take such legal  
steps for my protection as  
the law will permit.

Respect,

Wm. Doubt.

Oct. 8. 51.



Woot & Western.

Copy of  
notice served  
this day and  
date Oct 8/01  
on Wm Western  
by the undersigned  
C. D. Crawford  
" "



1 State of Virginia,

2 Rockingham County - to wit:

3 To C. L. Finkle Constable of said County:

4 Whereas, William Druft of Augusta County, Virginia, has this  
5 day made complaint and information on oath before me  
6 John W. Palmer a justice of Rockingham County, That  
7 William Western on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1901, in the said  
8 County, did unlawfully but not feloniously tear or take  
9 down and carry away a stable of the value of fifty  
10 dollars, the same being a part of his property located  
11 on his lot of land in the town of Shenandoah in said County:

12 These are therefore in the name of the Commonwealth  
13 to Command you forth to apprehend and bring <sup>before</sup> me  
14 or some other justice <sup>of</sup> the said County, the body  
15 of the said William Western to answer the said  
16 Complaint and to be further dealt with according to  
17 law. Given under my hand and seal This  
18 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1902.

19 John W. Palmer J. P.

20 Commonwealth } Case heard on Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1902 in Port Republic Va. and  
21 William Western } continued to Saturday March 1<sup>st</sup>, 1902, at which time,  
22 for unlawfully taking } Defendant found guilty on testimony of William  
23 down and taking } Doubt of the offence charged within, and adjudged  
away a stable - the } to pay five dollars fine for the use of the Common-  
property of William } wealth and \$3.40 costs.  
Doubt. } John W. Palmer J. P.



Commonwealth  
vs  
William Western.  
For unlawfully taking  
down and taking away,  
a stable, the property  
of William Knott.

18<sup>th</sup> day March 1902, from my judgment in this case  
an appeal is allowed by the defendant who allowed, and  
thereupon J. H. Selvie undertakes as his surety before  
me, in the sum of twenty five dollars, for the  
payment of the fine imposed by my said judgment,  
and for the costs and damages on case said judgment  
be affirmed.  
J. H. Selvie J. P.

Executed the within warrant  
by arresting and delivering the  
body of Wm Western before  
J. W. Palmer a Justice of  
Rockingham County and  
by summoning the witnesses  
in person this 22 day  
of Feb. 1902 -  
C. L. Hinkel  
C. R. C.

Commonwealth  
vs  
William Western  
Costs  
C. L. Hinkel Wrote 1.00  
summons 2 witnesses 20 40  
Justice Warrant and  
trial of case - 1.00  
W. C. Patterson - witness 50  
Blueport Hall " 50  
\$ 3.40  
Filed March 17, 1902.  
J. Messinley Clerk



1 State of Virginia

2 Rockingham County - To Wit:

3 William Doubt Upon oath complains, that  
4 on or about the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1901, in the county of Rockingham  
5 William Western did take down and carry away a stable of the  
6 value of fifty dollars, the same being a part of his property  
7 located on his lot of land in the town of Shendun in said  
8 County, and he the said William Doubt therefore prays that  
9 the said William Western may be held to answer the said  
10 complaint, and dealt with in relation thereto as the law may  
11 require. Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1902.

12 Witness A. Miceer

12 William <sup>his</sup> Doubt  
marks

13 State of Virginia

14 Rockingham County - To Wit:

15 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1902, the said William Doubt made  
16 oath to the truth of the foregoing complaint before me.

17 John W. Palmer, J. C.

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Complaint - :

William Doubt.

date - 14<sup>th</sup> Day of February 1902.

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