

Commonwealth of Virginia,

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, To-wit:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF 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 at its.....*September*.....term, in the year 190.....*8*,
upon their oaths present that.....

Jerome Hays

on the.....*12th*.....day of.....*August*....., in the year 190.....*8*, in the said County,

did.....*unlawfully and feloniously attempt with force*
and arms in and upon Emma May, she then being a
female over the age of fourteen years to wit,
of the age of twenty years, to ravish and carnally know
against her will and by force by seizing hold of her
~~*arms and*~~
~~*dragging her to a bed and throwing her down upon said*~~
~~*bed,*~~ *and attempting to lift her clothes + throw her*
upon the floor

against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Upon the evidence of.....
.....witness... sworn in open Court and sent to the
Grand Jury to give evidence.

.....Clerk.

Commonwealth

vs.

{ **INDICTMENT.** *for a
Felony*

Jerome Hays

Not **A TRUE BILL.**

Laurel Rolston

Foreman.

Commonwealth of Virginia,

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, To-wit:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

The Jurors of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in and for the County of Rockingham,

do hereby return the said Grand Jury

affirmative

that in the year 1908

that the said Grand Jury

return

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Commonwealth of Virginia,

Witness my hand and seal to the

Grand Jury

Chief