

State of Virginia, County of Rockingham, To-wit:

TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THE SAID COUNTY.

Whereas *E. J. Carriekhoff* of the said county, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, WM. J. POINTS, a Justice of the Peace of the said county, that

George McDonaldson of the said county, on the *21st* day of *February*, 19*10*, in said county, did

unlawfully and feloniously, in the night time break and enter the Store House of Thomas P. Magee & Co. Inc. at Penn Laird, and take steal and carry away, certain shoes, socks, 10 pairs, 2 undershirts, 2 pairs of drawers, 2 top shirts, one pair of pants, 2 packages of smoking tobacco, three pipes, 14 pocket knives, 2 pair of gloves, and probably other articles, of the value of \$10.00 & there and there being the property of said Corporation.

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 the body of the said *George McDonaldson* to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and seal this *26th* day of *February* 19*10*

W. J. Points J. P., [SEAL]

Summon the following witnesses:

Thomas P. Magee

Executed this 26 day of February, 1910, by arresting the above named
Geo. McDonaldson and bringing him before
W. J. Pickett, J.P.

E. Curichoff, S.R.

Judgment on the 2nd day of March, 1910.

Defendant having waived found guilty upon the testimony on oath of
examination is committed for further trial
before the Circuit Court of as charged in the above warrant and
it is adjudged that Roshington Court
W. J. Pickett, J.P.

Comm. to W. J. Pickett
vs. McDonaldson

George McDonaldson



Committed for trial
Purs

Cook
Gunter

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State of Virginia, County of Rockingham, To-wit:

TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THE SAID COUNTY.

Whereas *C. J. Carrickhoff* of the said county, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, WM. J. POINTS, a Justice of the Peace of the said county, that

George McDonaldson of the said county, on the *21st* day of *February* 1910, in said county, did

unlawfully and feloniously break and enter in the night time the dwelling house of D. F. (Dock) Earman, with intent to commit Larceny thereon, and did take and steal and carry away one pair of shoes, two shirts - 3 or 4 blankets of the value of \$5.00, there and there being the property of said D. F. Earman

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 the body of the said *George McDonaldson* to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and seal this *26th* day of *February* 1910

W. J. Points J. P. [SEAL.]

Summon the following witnesses: *D. F. Earman*

Executed this 26th day of February, 1910, by arresting the above named
Geo. McDonaldson and bringing him before
W. J. Paine, J.P.

E. J. Durischoff S. R. C.

Judgment on the 2nd day of March, 1910.

Defendant having waived ~~and~~ ~~guilty upon the testimony of~~
~~examination is committed for further trial~~
~~before the Circuit Court of~~ ~~as charged in the above complaint and~~
~~it is adjudged that~~ Rockingham County -

W. J. Paine, J.P.

Circuit Court of Virginia

vs: } Warrant

George McDonaldson



No. 3

Committed for Grand
Jury.

1.50
C. H. Paine

Executed this 26 day of Feb, 1910, by arresting the above named
Geo McDonaldson and bringing him before
W. J. Paine J.P.

E. J. Harickhoff S.M.C.

Judgment on the 2nd day of March, 1910.

Defendant having waived trial and found guilty upon the testimony on oath of
an accusation is committed for further trial
before the Circuit Court of ~~as charged in the above warrant and~~
it is adjudged that ~~Rockingham County~~

W. J. Paine J.P.

Comm. to W. J. Paine
W. J. Paine
George McDonaldson

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MAR 3 1910
D. H. LEE, M.A.R.T.G.,
CLERK, C. C.

No. 1

Committed for Grand
Jury

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1.50
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CERTIFICATE OF COMMITMENT FOR TRIAL

VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM---To-wit:

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County:

I, *Wm. J. Poole*, a justice of the peace of said county, do hereby certify that I have this day committed *George McDonald* to the jail of said county, that he may be tried before the circuit court of said county, for a felony by him committed, in this, that he, on the *21st* day of *February*, 19*00*, in the said county, *did*, unlawfully and feloniously, in the night time, break and enter the Millhouse of the *James Laird Milling Co.*, and take steel and carry *Two* dollars and *twenty five* cents in money, and a hand saw worth *2.25* thus and there being the property of said Company

Given under my hand and seal, this *2nd* day of *March*, 19*00*.

Wm. J. Poole, J. P. [L. S.]

No. 1

Commonwealth of Virginia

County of Loudoun

Geo. W. Donaldson

CERTIFICATE OF COMMITMENT FOR TRIAL

VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM--TO-WIT:

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County:

I, *Wm. J. Poole*, a justice of the peace of said county, do hereby certify that I have this day committed *George M. Donaldson* to the jail of said county, that he may be tried before the circuit court of said county, for a felony by him committed, in this, that he, on the *21st* day of *February*, 19*10*, in the said county, *did* unlawfully and feloniously, in the night-time break and enter the dwelling house of *D. H. Carman*, and take stealth and carry away one pair of shoes, two shirts, 3 or 4 blankets, of the value of *\$9.50* then and there being the property of said *D. H. Carman*.

Given under my hand and seal, this *2nd* day of *March*, 19*10*.

Wm. J. Poole J. P. [L. S.]

No 13

County of Virginia

23rd Century of Court

Geo. W. ~~W~~ Raldson

CERTIFICATE OF COMMITMENT FOR TRIAL

VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM--TO-WIT:

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County:

I, *Wm. J. Poole*, a justice of the peace of said county, do hereby certify that I have this day committed *George M. Donaldson* to the jail of said county, that he may be tried before the circuit court of said county, for a felony by him committed, in this, that he, on the *21st* day of *February*, 19*10*, in the said county, *did*, unlawfully and feloniously, in the night time, break and enter the Store House of *Wm. P. Maza & Co. Inc.* at *Peun Land*, and take, steal and carry away certain *shoes, socks, 2 undershirts, 2 pairs of drawers, 2 top shirts, one pair of pants, 2 packages of smoking tobacco, 3 papers, 4 pocket knives, 2 pair of gloves,* ^{of the value of \$10.00} *then and there being the property of said Corporation -*

Given under my hand and seal, this *2nd* day of *March*, 19*10*.

Wm. J. Poole, J. P. [L. S.]

No. 2

Commons of Virginia

Wm. E. Little of Court

George McDonald

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OFFICE OF
GEO. B. KEEZELLA,
Treasurer Rockingham County.

C. GRATTAN PRICE, Deputy Treasurer.

TALFOURD N. HAAS, Judge.
D. H. LEE MARTZ, Clerk.
J. FRANK BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk.
E. J. CARICKHOFF, Sheriff.

Harrisonburg, Virginia,

191

M. H. Effinger

Thomas K. Kinsman

Philip J. Lee

Jacob N. White

Wm. R. White

W. H. Hetherington

James S. Bradley

Howard Philips

James H. Harts

Rob. C. Manning

Garret C. Wilton

J. W. Tompkins

Geo. A. Jeff

C. Grattan Price

A. P. Lester

H. H. Wenger

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11/15/50
Dear Mr. [illegible]
I have just received your letter of the 11th and am glad to hear from you. I am sorry that I cannot give you a more definite answer at this time, but I will try to get back to you as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,
[illegible signature]

[illegible text]

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Dated Richmond Va 26th

To Geo. W. Conrad.
Commonwealth atty
Harris onburg Va.

Will take George McDonald
provided health good. Letter
following. Geo B Davis Supt.

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Form of Commitment by a Justice Upon Conviction

.....to wit:
To

WHEREAS.....
Age..... Year..... Month.....
brought this day before me

charged upon the oath of,,
with having on the.....day of.....
19.....in said.....unlawfully

and being of opinion upon the trial of the said.....
touching the said offence, that he is guilty of the offence whereof he is charged, and is also a fit subject
for commitment to the custody and control of The Prison Association of Virginia, which Association has
consented to this commitment, and being satisfied from the evidence before me that said.....
.....has not yet attained the age of eighteen years; These are, therefore, in the name of the
Commonwealth of Virginia, to command you the said.....

.....forthwith to deliver into the custody of the Superintendent of the Reformatory
or Industrial School of said Association the body of the said.....
.....to be there detained, governed, and employed as provided by law.

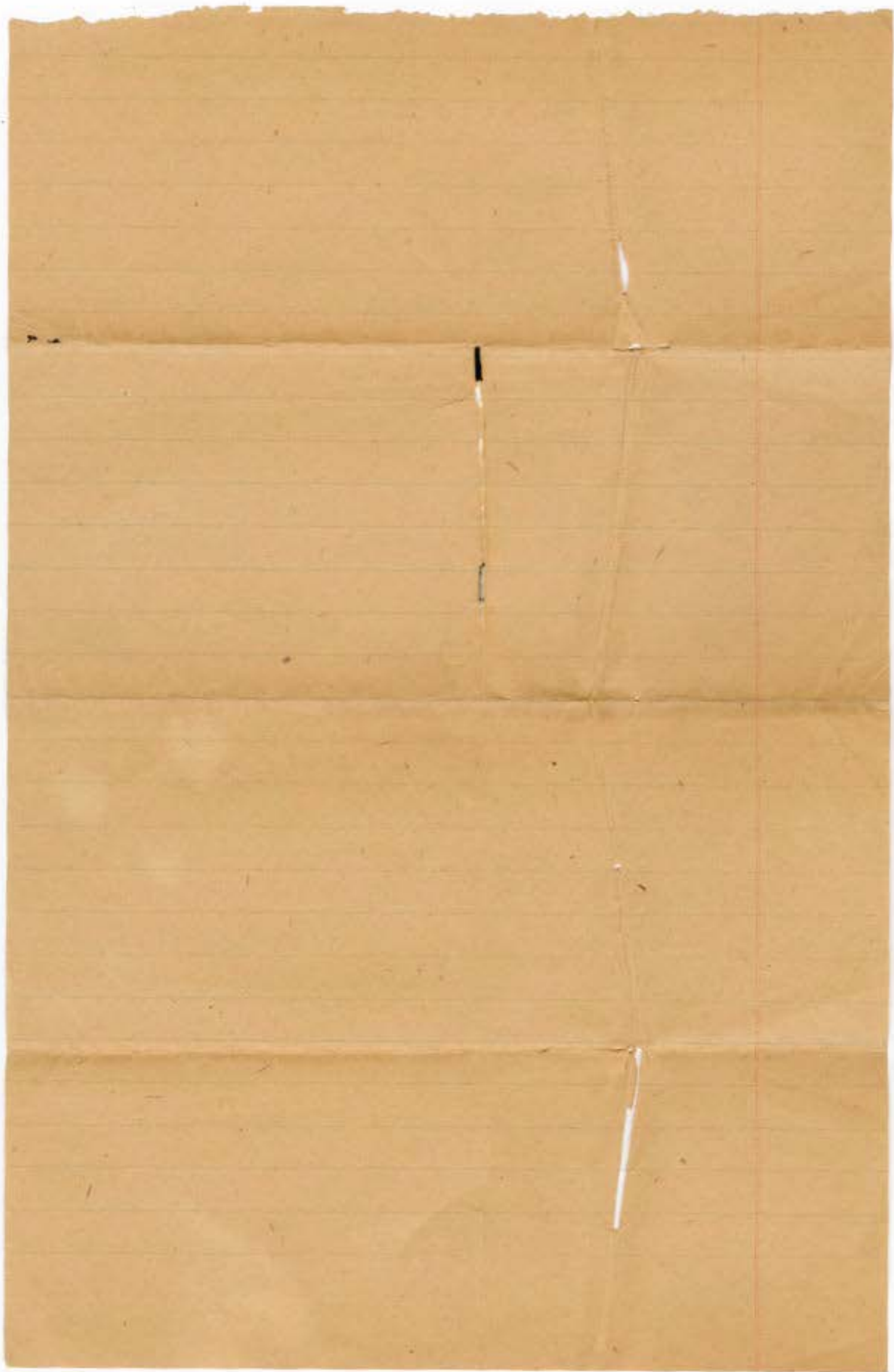
Given under my hand and seal this.....day of.....19.....
.....[SEAL.]

Form of Complaint by a Justice of the Peace

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Recommendation
of the Board in regard to a felony
George W. DeWald
The case comes against the Attorney for
the Commonwealth, and the prison George
W. DeWald is in custody of the Sheriff of this town
and the Board having ^{carefully} considered
the evidence in this case with a view to
the ^{suit} George W. DeWald, guilty of a felony,
as charged in the indictment, and it ap-
pearing to the Board that the said George
W. DeWald is under the age of 18 years
and that the "Commonwealth School",
under the control of the Prison Association
of Virginia, has consented to receive the
said George W. DeWald, it is considered
by the Board that he be returned into the
custody of ^{the Prison} the Prison and that the Board
recommends that he be there detained
and employed as provided
by law.

Remained to jail





Laurel Industrial School

GEO. B. DAVIS, Superintendent

Telegraph and Express Office, Glen Allen, Va.

School P. O., Va. Mar 26th 1910.

Hon. Geo. N. Bourad.

Dear Mr Bourad,

I enclose 13 blank forms for commitment to our school. Have physician examine him - If not in good health - cannot take him - We pay expense of officer to and from our Institution, also expense of Geo. M. Donaldson to our place.

Yours sincerely
Geo. B. Davis Supt

Lanier Industrial School

GEO. B. DAVIS, Superintendent

TELEPHONE 1111, COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI



1911
No. 1
L. S. Davis, Supt.

Dear Mr. [Name],
I enclose herewith
for your information
a copy of the report
of the committee
appointed to investigate
the matter of the
school's financial
condition. I trust
you will find it
of interest.

State of Virginia, Rockingham County, to-wit:

In the ^{Circuit} ~~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 PRESENT, that George Mc-Donaldson on the 2nd day of February in the year 1910, in the said county, a certain outhouse, called a Store house the property of one Thomas P. Yager ~~Thomas P. Yager~~ not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling-house of the said Thomas P. Yager ~~Thomas P. Yager~~ there situated in the night time of that day, feloniously did break and enter, with intent the goods and chattles of the said Thomas P. Yager in the said outhouse then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And 2 pair of pants, 2 undershirts, 2 pair of drawers, a pair of shoes, 3 pipes, 2 packages of smoking tobacco

of the goods and chattles of the said Thomas P. Yager in the said outhouse, then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present, that George Mc-Donaldson ¹⁹¹⁰

on the 21st day of February, in the year 189, in the said County, a certain outhouse, called a store house, the property of one Thomas P. Yager ~~Thomas P. Yager~~ Mary C. Roudabush not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling-house of the said Thomas P. Yager ~~Thomas P. Yager~~ Mary C. Roudabush there situated, in the day time of that day feloniously did break and enter, with intent the goods and chattels of the said Thomas P. Yager in the said outhouse then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And 2 pair of pants, 2 undershirts, 2 pair of drawers, a pair of shoes, 3 pipes, 2 packages of smoking tobacco

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George Mc-Donaldson, on the 21st day of February, in the year 189, in the said County, a certain outhouse, called a store house, the property of one Thomas P. Yager ~~Thomas P. Yager~~ Mary C. Roudabush, not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling house of the said Thomas P. Yager ~~Thomas P. Yager~~ Mary C. Roudabush, there situated, in the night time of that day feloniously did enter, without breaking the same, with intent the goods and chattels of the said Thomas P. Yager in the said outhouse then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And 2 pair of pants, 2 undershirts, 2 pair of drawers, a pair of shoes, 3 pipes, 2 packages of smoking tobacco

of the goods and chattels of the said Thomas P. Yager in the said outhouse then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of D. F. Suter.

C. J. Karschhoff witness sworn in Court and sent before the Grand Jury to give evidence.

State of Virginia, Rockingham County, to-wit:

In the presence of the said County:

I, the undersigned, Judge of the said County, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same as the same appears from the records of the said County.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 10th day of August 1871.

Benjamin A. Bell
Chairman
George W. A. Smith

A true Bill

G. D. Wallinger,
Sheriff

1910th of June

Amoyinck, P. A. &
M. S.

Hubbards & Reynolds
Permit

August 10, 1871

State of Virginia, Rockingham County, to-wit:

In the ~~County~~^{Circuit} 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 PRESENT, that George Mc-Donaldson on the 21st day of February in the year 1910, in the said county, a certain ~~out~~house, called a dwelling house the property of one D. F. EARMAN ~~not adjoining~~ ~~to or occupied with the dwelling house of the said~~ there situated in the night time of that day, feloniously did break and enter, with intent the goods and chattels of the said D. F. EARMAN in the said ~~out~~house then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And one pair of shoes, 2 shirts and 3 blankets of the value of \$3.00

of the goods and chattels of the said D. F. EARMAN in the said ~~out~~house, then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present, that George Mc. Donaldson on the 21st day of February, in the year 1897, in the said County, a certain ~~out~~house, called a dwelling house, the property of one D. F. EARMAN ~~not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling house of the said~~ there situated, in the day time of that day feloniously did break and enter, with intent the goods and chattels of the said D. F. EARMAN in the said ~~out~~house then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And one pair of shoes, 2 shirts and 3 blankets of the value of \$3.00

of the goods and chattels of the said D. F. EARMAN in the said ~~out~~house, then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present, that George Mc. Donaldson, on the 21st day of February, in the year 1897, in the said County, a certain ~~out~~house, called a dwelling house the property of one D. F. EARMAN ~~not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling house of the said~~ there situated, in the night time of that day feloniously did enter, without breaking the same, with intent the goods and chattels of the said D. F. EARMAN in the said ~~out~~house then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And one pair of shoes, 2 shirts and 3 blankets of the value of \$3.00

of the goods and chattels of the said D. F. EARMAN in the said ~~out~~house then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of D. F. EARMAN J. F. Goucheon
D. F. Suter witness sworn in Court and sent before the Grand Jury to give evidence.

Commonwealth

or
 Spectator ment
for a felony

George W. Smalton

A true Bill

L. J. Ballinger

Attorney

1910
Mick Turner Attorney

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County of Loudoun
among Ashland

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State of Virginia, Rockingham County, to-wit:

In the ^{Circuit} ~~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 PRESENT, that George Mc-Donaldson

on the 21st day of February in the year 1910, in the said county, a certain outhouse, called a Flour Mill the property of one Penn Laird Milling Company ^(incorporated) not adjoining

to or occupied with the dwelling-house of the said Penn Laird Milling Co. (incorporated) there situated in the night time of that day, feloniously did break and enter, with intent the goods and chattels of the said

Penn Laird Milling Co. (incorporated) in the said outhouse then and there being, feloniously to steal, take

and carry away. And one hand saw of the value of \$2.25 and certain silver and copper coin current in this Commonwealth of the value of \$4.25

of the goods and chattels of the said Penn Laird Milling Co. (incorporated)

in the said outhouse, then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath

aforesaid, do further present, that George Mc. Donaldson 1910,

on the 21st day of February, in the year 189, in the said County, a certain outhouse,

called a Flour Mill, the property of one Penn Laird Milling Company ^(incorporated)

not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling-house of the said Penn Laird Milling Co. (incorporated) there situated, in the day time of that day feloniously did break and enter, with intent the goods and chattels of the said Penn Laird Milling Co. (incorporated) in the said outhouse then and there being, feloniously to steal,

take and carry away. And one hand saw of the value of \$2.25 and certain

silver and copper coin current in this Commonwealth of the value of \$4.25

of the goods and chattels of the said Penn Laird Milling Co. (incorporated) in the said outhouse, then

and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present, that 1910

George Mc. Donaldson, on the 21st day of February, in the year 189,

in the said County, a certain outhouse, called a Flour Mill, the property of one Penn Laird

Milling Company (incorporated), not adjoining to or occupied with the dwelling house of the said Penn Laird Milling Company (incorporated) there situated, in the night time of that day feloniously did

enter, without breaking the same, with intent the goods and chattels of the said Penn Laird Milling

Company (incorporated) in the said outhouse then and there being, feloniously to steal, take and carry away. And one hand saw of the value of \$2.25 and certain silver and copper

coin current in this Commonwealth of the value of \$4.25

of the goods and chattels of the said Penn Laird Milling Company (incorporated) in the said outhouse

then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of G. F. Souckenour witness sworn in Court and sent before the Grand Jury to give evidence.

E. J. Kasloff

Benjamin Russell 3

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for a year

George W. Donelson

A fine dice

G. W. Donelson

1810

made

arranged

of Mr G.

kindly sent to Richmond

above

sent to

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