

Arrest Warrant

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, } TO WIT:
ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, }

To ~~W. A. [unclear]~~, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, ~~Harrie Carpenter~~ of the said County, has this day made

complaint and information on oath before me, ~~Shippy F. Davis~~ ^{Shippy F. Davis, Judge of Juvenile Court} that

of the said County, on the 7th day of April, 1926, in the said County, did vulgarly and feloniously assault and rape Lorraine Carpenter, a child 6 years old, and is a delinquent child.

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

Claude Kennedy
to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon

to appear and give evidence in behalf of the Commonwealth, on the examination touching the said offence.

Given under my hand and seal this 7th day of April, in the year 1926.

Shippy F. Davis (Seal)

~~John J. Hotwell~~

T. W. Richards

~~Geo. E. Heston~~

Wm. H. Simms

Isabel E. Hawse

B. F. Ponce

Geo. F. Wine



The jury by their verdict will say
whether or not the child Claude Kennedy
is a delinquent child.

Ans: We the jury find that Claude Kennedy
is a delinquent child.

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At a Circuit Court of Buckingham Co.

Commonwealth of Virginia in Re Claude Kennedy, a
minor under the age of 18 years, On an appeal by
Vernon Kennedy, his father, from an order of the
Juvenile Court finding said minor a delinquent child
and committing him to the State Board of
Public Welfare:

This day came the attorney for the Com-
monwealth and the said Vernon Kennedy and
the said Claude Kennedy likewise, and a jury
being demanded by the said appellant to try the
issue whether or not said Claude Kennedy was a
delinquent child, a jury of five qualified persons
was empanelled and sworn to try said issue, and
having heard the evidence and received the instructions
of the Court retired to their room to consider of their
verdict and after some time returned into Court
with a verdict finding the said Claude Kennedy to
be a delinquent child; and the matter then coming
on to be further heard and considered by the Court
upon the said verdict and the evidence adduced, and
it appearing to the Court that the said child has just
arrived at the age of eleven years and lives with
its parents in a home where it is one of four
children, and deeming it not of good policy
to hold him as a delinquent and commit him
to the State Board of Public Welfare, it ^{was} ordered
that the said judgment of the juvenile and do-
mestic relations Court appealed from be set aside,
and the said child ^{was} remanded to the custody
and control of his parents, ~~but~~ with warnings to

the father looking to the exercise ^{over him} of a better control
and discipline, and with the provision that he
should be given a sound whipping for the
acts of misbehavior disclosed in the evidence. His
name was administered in the presence of the officers
of the Court -

Ordered further that a copy of this order
be certified to the juvenile and domestic
relations court.

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J. M. H.

April Term #195 1925
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vs — Appeal for Jo D. — ct
Claude Kennedy

TT. My issue

T. W. Richards,

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