

Commonwealth of Virginia:

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To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Virginia Griffith

Shenandoah  
Va.

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 20th day of June 1927 to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth before the GRAND JURY vs. Bernard Rauschusch

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this she shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 19th day of June 1927, and in the 15th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk

Executed This 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1927  
by Delivering a true copy of the within  
summons to Virginia Griffith in  
Person Reading and Explaining  
the purport of the same to her,

L. T. Buckle

Constable Page 60

Virginia Griffith  
Sherwood  
Va

Cas vs Rendatunoh

E. C. Rhodes

Mannie Hoover

~~W. H. Hoover~~

J. M. Hoover

Raymond Linder

B. L. Sanger

~~B. L. Sanger~~

L. L. Kunkel

~~J. H. Rhodes~~

~~W. E. Stetter~~

~~C. M. Bush~~

Roy S. Hartman

Chas. W. Kellerman

~~H. A. Davis~~

C. C. Huffman

J. H. Myers

~~C. W. Hartman~~

H. C. Madrell

J. W. Wright

~~L. E. Howell~~

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In the Circuit Court of Rockingham County,

Term 190...

this day presented in Court an account against the Court  
of Rockingham for the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, for Service

which being sworn to, was examined and approved by the Court, and ordered to be certified to the Treasurer of  
this county for payment.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk.

Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Charlie Mathias, L. C. Davis, John Miller,  
Virginia Griffith, Herman Longley,  
Ed. Landwehr, Willie Davis &  
A. C. Davis, Vernon Davis & Hubert Doffeneyer

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House  
thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m. on the 20th day of June 1927  
to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth before the GRAND JURY

vs. Bernard Landwehr

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this they shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then  
and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 17th  
day of June 1927 and in the 15th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk

Executed June 19 1927 By delivering a  
true copy of this writ to Leonie  
Mathis L Lewis John Miller  
Herman Langley E. L. Lundenbach  
Willie Lewis A. L. Lewis in person

G. A. Lawson D S  
for L. W. Lawson S. H. L.

June 20, 1927

Sheriff fee ~~4.00~~ 4.50

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vs.  
Bernard Reulshush

Commonwealth of Virginia



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In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Hermon Lam

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 20 day of Oct. 1927 to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against

Bernard Kousalush

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this he shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 20 day of Oct. 1927 and in the 57th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Cam.

vs.

Bernard Reubel

Staff fee 50

Executed Oct. 20, 1929 by Commissioner  
Hermon Jant's  
Geo. Johnson Deft  
for G. W. Davis, W.R. G.

**In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:**

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon *Charlie Mackinn,*  
*L. P. Davis, John Miller, Virginia*  
*Krippich, Herman Longley, Ed.*  
*Landsbrook, Miller Davis, A. B. Davis*

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court  
House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *20th* day of *Oct.* 19*27*,  
to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against

*Edward Randolph*  
who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this *Writ* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then  
and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the  
*20th* day of *Oct.*, 19*27*, and in the *15th* year of the Commonwealth.

*J. F. Blackburn*, Clerk.

Excerpts 10079 ) 1927 R. G. delivering

True copy of this writ to Leports  
Mathias & James John Miller  
Virginia Griffith Herman Longley  
Ed Landerbach with heirs  
& James in person

J. A. Lawson & S  
for L. W. Davis S. R. L.

Sherriff fee \$<sup>00</sup>

October 20, 1927



Arrest Warrant

Commonwealth of Virginia,  
Rockingham County,

To-Wit:

To

Geo. Lawson Deputy Sheriff

a Constable of said County:

Whereas,

Done -

of the said County, has this day made

complaint and information on oath before me,

W. P. Bruce

a Justice of the

said County, that

Bernard Roudabush

of the said County, on the

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day of

June

, 1927,

in the said County, did

unlawfully drive a Ford Car at a excessive  
speed upset killing one Stella Cook and  
injuring one Eliza Roudabush

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

Bernard Roudabush

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

18<sup>th</sup>

day of

June

in the year 1927.

W. P. Bruce

J. P. [Seal]

Commonwealth

vs.

Commonwealth

vs.

Arrest Warrant

Judgment

That the Defendant found guilty and fined and costs as follows:

Fine

Clerk's Fee

Justice's Fee

Arrest

Summoning Witnesses

Witnesses Attendance and Mileage

Total

Justice of the Peace

Bernard Zolobach

Executed the within warrant by arresting and delivering the body of

Bernard Zolobach

before L. H. Bruce

a Justice of Rockingham County, and by summoning the within named witnesses in person

this 12 day of June 1927

L. A. Lawson  
Constable of Rockingham County

per C. W. Lane

Harry  
I suggest \$2000 bail  
P.W.E.

Bernard Zolobach brought before me L. H. Bruce a Justice in and for the County of Rockingham

charged with the said Bernard Zolobach

to County Jail to be for the death with by Law,

L. H. Bruce J.P.  
Warrant 100  
Justice 200  
Arrest 150  
Mileage 368  
818

L. H. Bruce J.P.

If the jury finds the prisoner  
guilty and fix his fine at  
one hundred and fifty <sup>¢</sup> (150.<sup>00</sup>)  
dollars.

J. W. Lee Foreman

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COMMONWEALTH

v.

CHARGE TO THE JURY

BERNARD ROUDABUSH

If you find the accused, Bernard Roudabush, not guilty, you will say so and no more.

If you find him guilty as charged in the indictment, then you will say so and fix his punishment by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of not less than one year nor more than five years, or, in your discretion, by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or confinement in jail not exceeding one year, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Commonwealth

v

Bernard Roudabush

Charge to the Jury

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of said County:

The jurors of the Commonwealth in and for the body of said county and now attending said Court at its June term, 1927, upon their oaths do present that Bernard Roudabush on or about the 16th day of June, 1927, in the County aforesaid, while driving an automobile at a fast and unlawful rate of speed on the public highway on the west side of the Shenandoah River, between the Spotswood Trail and Shenandoah City, one Stella Cook being with him in the car at the time, did cause the said automobile to leave the roadbed and turn over, thereby throwing the said Stella Cook to the ground injuring and wounding her, the said Stella Cook, and causing her to suffer a mortal wound, of which mortal wound she, the said Stella Cook then and there instantly died. And so the jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do say that the said Bernard Roudabush her, the said Stella Cook, in the manner and form aforesaid, feloniously did kill, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

And the jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid, do further present that Bernard Roudabush on or about the 16th day of June, 1927, in the County aforesaid, did drive an automobile on the public highway on the west side of the Shenandoah River, between the one Stella Cook being with him in the car at the time, Spotswood Trail and Shenandoah City, recklessly by turning around and waving at occupants of a car following him while his car was going at a high rate of speed, and did while driving said car carelessly cause the same to leave the road and turn over, thereby throwing Stella Cook to the ground injuring and wounding her the said Stella Cook and causing her, the said Stella Cook, to suffer a mortal wound, of which mortal wound she, the said Stella Cook, instantly died. And so the jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do say that the said Bernard Roudabush her, the said Stella Cook in the manner and form aforesaid feloniously did kill, against the peace and dignity of





the Commonwealth of Virginia.

And the jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do present that Bernard Roudabush on or about the 16th day of June, 1927 in the County aforesaid, did while driving an automobile on the public highway on the west side of the Shenandoah River between the Spotswood Trail and Shenandoah City, one Stella Cook being with him in the car at the time, so drive such car that it was not under his complete control, and he caused the same to leave the road and turn over, thereby throwing said Stella Cook to the ground injuring and wounding her, the said Stella Cook, and causing her, the said Stella Cook, to suffer a mortal wound, of which mortal wound she, the said Stella Cook instantly died. And so the jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do say that the said Bernard Roudabush the said Stella Cook in manner and form aforesaid, feloniously did kill, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of Charlie Mathias, L. C. Davis, John Miller, Virginia Griffith, Herman Longly, Ed. Louderback, Willie Davis, and A. C. Davis, witnesses sworn in Court and sent before the grand jury to give evidence.

✓ V. C. Lorie  
Herman Longly  
John Miller

We the jury find the accused, Bernard  
Roundbush, guilty as charged in the indictment  
and we return his punishment at a fine  
of \$150.00

J. M. [Signature]  
Foreman

Manslaughter

Commonwealth

v) Indictment

Bernard Roundbush

Felony

June term, 1927

A True Bill:

*CP Price*  
FORWARD

D. W. Berman  
Commonwealth's Attorney



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COMMONWEALTH

VS. ) Felony

Bernard Roudabush

July 15<sup>th</sup>

E. C. Rhodes  
Mannie Driver  
J. M. Herrick  
D. Raymond Landis  
B. C. Senger  
C. L. Hubbell  
Roy L. Hartman  
Chas. W. Allman  
C. C. Huffman  
Geo. S. Myers  
S. C. Seadwell  
Geo. W. Wright  
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Sheriff Costs

Arrest 1.50  
Summons 9.00  
Imp. Jury 1.50  
12.00