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TREASURER'S OFFICE
ELKTON, VIRGINIA

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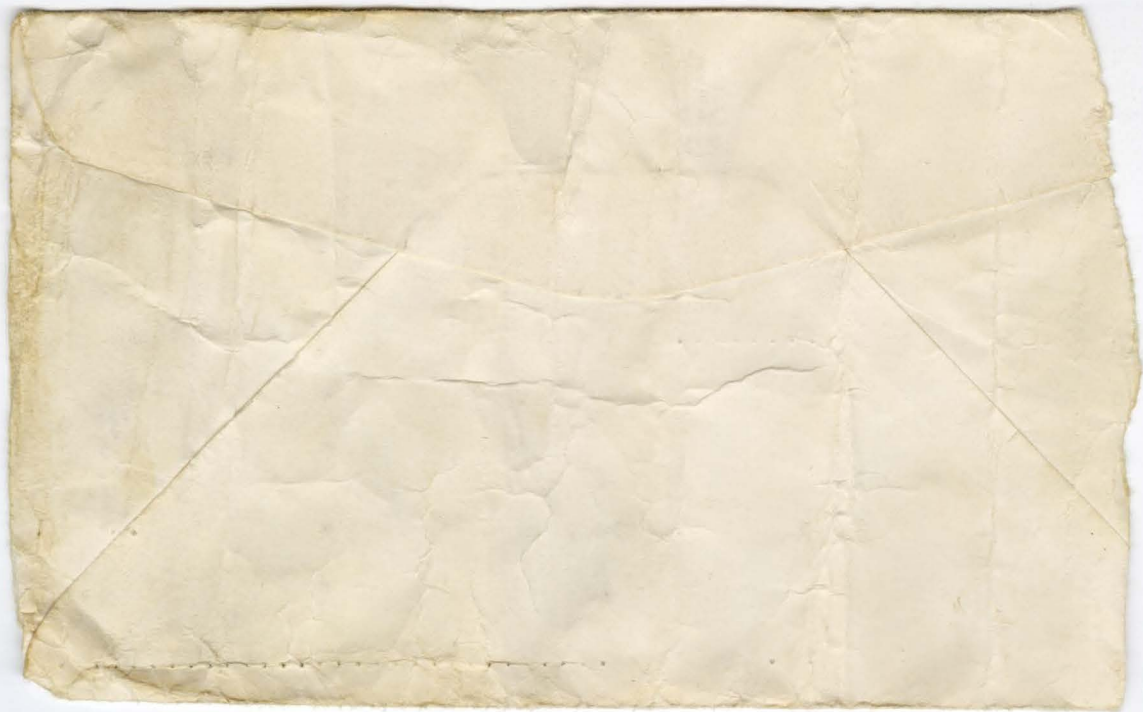
CARL W. Driflett

Confidential

advised

admitted

KNIFE..... FOUND AT SCENE OF CUTTING
ON GIBBONS AVENUE AT INTERSECTION OF SECOND
STREET, AND SUBMITTED TO THE ELKTON POLICE
DEPARTMENT BY, ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, UNIT # 6., MR.
DORSEY HANEY ON JUNE 25, 1962 AT APPROXIMATELY
8:45 A.M. SIGNED *R. S. [unclear] Chief*







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Leroy Strubler - (no record) - 18 - St 2, Elkhorn

~~June 24~~ June 24 - just after midnight
~~June 23~~ (early Sunday morning) -
just 4 of us outside - myself, Herring, Lawson
& D (Evelyn Honey inside house) -

I had been to carnival in Elkhorn - by myself -
corner of Gibbon & 2nd St - where it occurred
in Elkhorn (actually, fight took place on Gibbon
Ave.) -

I turned onto Gibbon from 1st St, noticed D behind
me, & then on 2nd St he ~~turned~~ passed me
& flashed me - I backed up to Gibbon Ave, &
started off but D jerked door open -
(I had never had trouble w/ D before, but I
knew him well & had gone to school w/ him) -
(Earlier at Tootie - party in Elkhorn - D had argued
a little at party w/ me & I told D to be quiet) -
I got out of car & he hit me & we
started fighting -

~~Evelyn as was~~

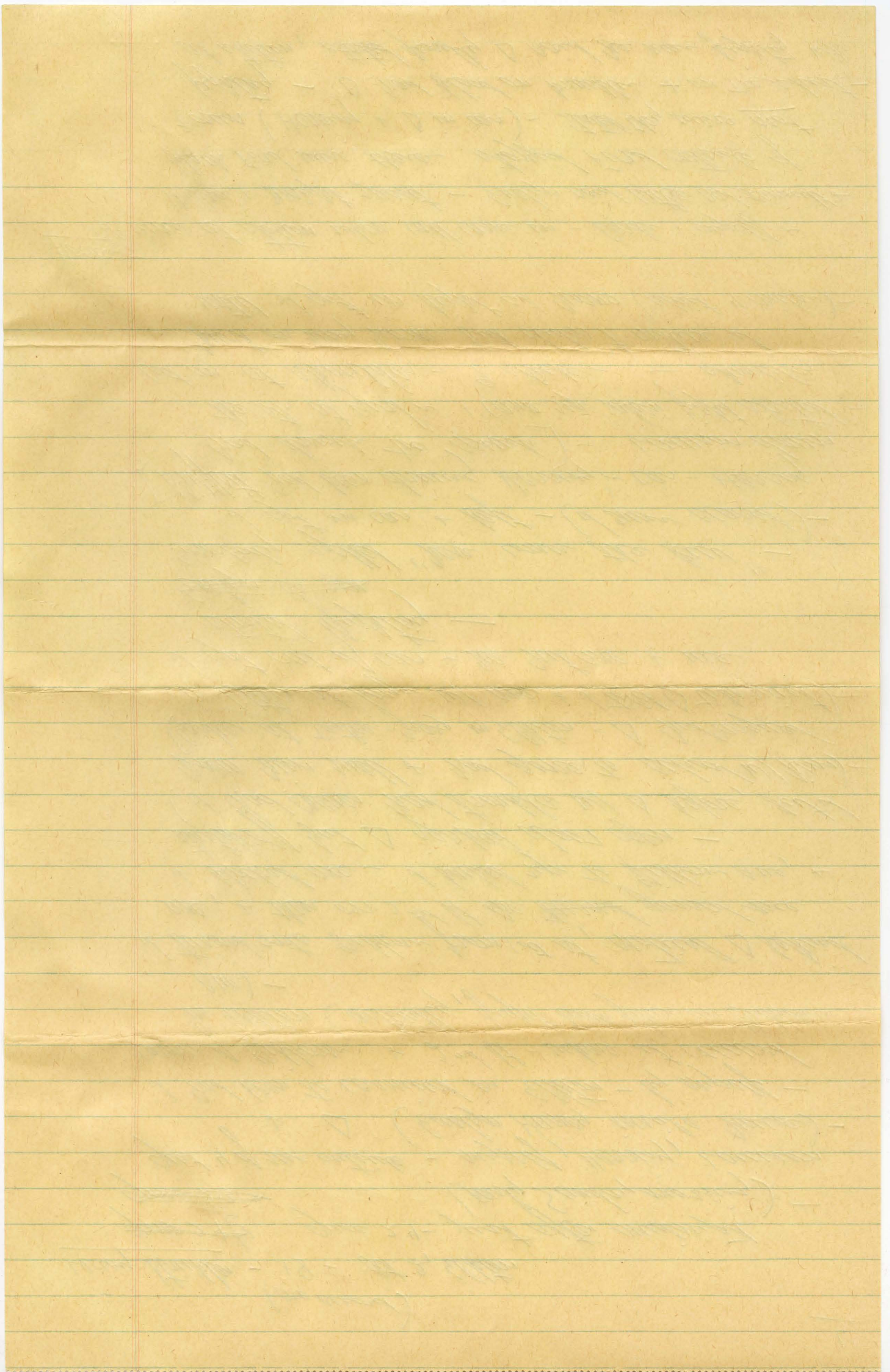
Somebody yelled "Here comes the law" -

I got in car & left - (I was scared) -

[Shiplett had been driving Herring's car - Herring
had drunk too much] - Lawson down
the st. at girl's & came up when fight started -
cut on at shoulder - 9 stitches - shoulder
hurt on way home but didn't notice it
until I got in light at home (about 4 miles) -

Home

I was at station when call came in - Decker & myself &
Hobey & Wright went - Evelyn said little red Renault &
black Ford were there - stopped Ford outside of
town (Herring & D in car) - stated they were not
fighting - D had blood on knuckles & on Tee shirt -
at station, stated finally D said he was fighting w/

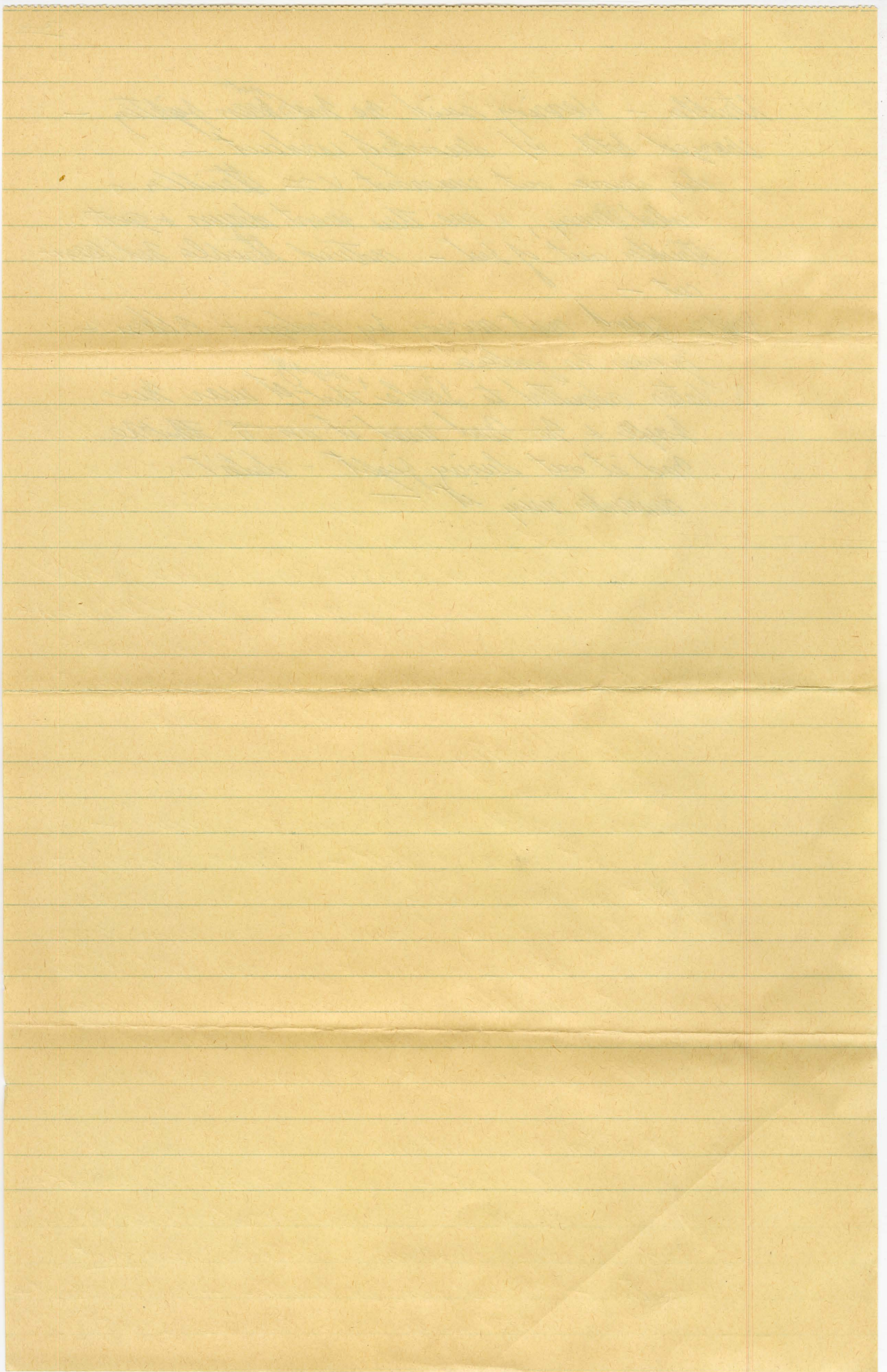


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Strubler - Herring said we had been ^{not} fighting -
charged both w/ disorderly conduct -
also, swore out warrant vs Strubler -
called Dewey, & we then went down & got
Strubler out of bed - noticed Strubler had been
cut -

Knife found next morning by Evelyn + Allen +
given to police -

Δ later admitted to Deeds ^{& myself} that it was his
knife & he had used it on A that he
had it out during fight - didn't
remember using it -



Mr. Sipes Copy

STATE OF VIRGINIA

COUNTY OF Harrisonburg

City

To-Wit:

No. _____

TO ANY SHERIFF OR POLICE OFFICER:

Whereas, _____

J.T. Howe

has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, _____

John G. Leake

(Name)

Justice of The Peace

City

of the said County, that _____

(Title)

Carl Wesley Shifflett, Jr.

Rockingham

in the said County

did on the ^{24th} ~~23rd~~ day of June, 19 62: Unlawfully and feloniously

and maliciously commit an assault upon Leroy Strickler, to-wit: by cutting him with a knife, with the intent, him the said Leroy Strickler to maim, disable, disfigure or kill, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia

These are, therefore, to command you, in the name of the Commonwealth, to apprehend and bring before the Rockingham County Court of the said County, the body (bodies) of the above accused, to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are also directed to summon:

- Leroy Strickler color _____ Address Rt 2 Elberton
- James Wrenan Herring color _____ Address Elberton
- Donald Donald Lawson color _____ Address Rt 1, Elberton
- Officer J. T. Howe color _____ Address Elberton
- Chief Deeds color _____ Address Elberton

as witnesses. Mrs. Allen Nouvelle C'ville

Given under my hand and seal, this 24th day of July, 19 62

John G. Leake (Seal)
(Title of Issuing Officer)
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

STATE OF VIRGINIA—COUNTY OF _____, to-wit:

I, _____ a Judge of the County Court Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, State of Virginia, do certify

that _____

and _____, as his suret _____, have this day each acknowledged themselves indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of _____ Dollars

(\$ _____), to be made and levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands, and tenements to the use of the Commonwealth to be rendered, yet upon this condition: That the said _____, shall appear before the Circuit Court

of _____ County, on the _____ day of _____, 19____,

at _____ M., at _____, Virginia, and at any time or times to which the proceedings may be continued or further heard, and before any court thereafter having or holding any proceedings in connection with the charge in this warrant, to answer for the offense with which he is charged, and shall not depart thence without the leave of said court, the said obligation to remain in full force and effect until the charge is finally disposed of or until it is declared void by order of a competent court; and upon further condition that

the said _____ shall keep the peace and be of good behavior for a period of _____ days from the date hereof. Nonappearance shall be deemed to constitute a waiver of trial by jury.

Given under my hand, this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Judge—J. P.

DOCKET NO. _____

COMMONWEALTH

vs.

WARRANT OF ARREST

Carl Wesley Shifflett, Jr.

Executed this, the _____ day of _____, 19____

Carl Wesley Shifflett, Jr.

Upon the examination of the within charge, I find the accused _____

Arrested for 10/24/30

The following witnesses were recognized to appear before the Circuit Court of _____ County, _____

Virginia, at _____ M., on the _____, 19____

day of _____, 19____ under penalty of \$ _____

COSTS

- Warrant _____ \$ _____
- Trial _____
- Bail _____
- Arrest _____
- Mileage _____
- Clerk _____
- Jail Fee and Board _____
- Witness Attendance _____
- Summoning Witnesses _____
- Commonwealth Attorney _____
- Total Costs _____ \$ _____
- Fine _____
- Total _____ \$ _____

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- Costs _____
- Total _____ \$ _____

SHIFFLETT, CARL WESLEY, JR.

[USB
WAT]

felonious assault

8/31/62 - motion of former
jeopardy overruled -

10/1/62 - reduced to misdemeanors -
sentenced to 12 mo in
jail & \$10.00 fine, 11 mo
suspended on good behavior -

