

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of said County:

The grand jurors in and for the body of said county of Rockingham and now attending said Court at its April term, 1926, upon their oaths do present that Laura Morris, within one year next prior to the finding of this indictment, in the said county of Rockingham, did unlawfully manufacture, sell, offer, keep, store and expose for sale, give away, transport, dispense, solicit, advertise and receive orders for ardent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do further present that Laura Morris, within one year next prior to the finding of this indictment, in the said county of Rockingham, did unlawfully have in her possession ardent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid do further present that Laura Morris, within one year next prior to the finding of this indictment, in the said county of Rockingham, did unlawfully receive ardent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of John Dove and Frank Newman, witnesses sworn in court and sent before the grand jury to give evidence. *D. H. [Signature]*

Grand Jury to give evidence.

and Frank Newman, witnesses sworn in court and sent before the

This indictment is found on the testimony of John Dove

wealth of Virginia.

receive urgent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Common-
of this indictment, in the said county of Rockingham, did unlawfully
present that Laura Morris, within one year next prior to the finding
The Jurors aforesaid, upon the in oaths aforesaid do further
and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

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peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

advertise and receive orders for such spirits, against the
store and expose for sale, give swears, transport, dispense, sell, or

of Rockingham, did unlawfully manufacture, sell, offer, keep,
next prior to the finding of this indictment, in the said county

upon the in oaths aforesaid that Laura Morris, within one year
Rockingham and now attending the said Court at the April term, 1926.

Pro- B.I.

Commonwealth

v) Indictment

Laura Morris

Misdemeanor

April term, 1926.

A True Bill:

L. G. Hedrick
Foreman

D. W. Earman
Commonwealth's Attorney

In the Circuit Court of said County:

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

Commonwealth of Virginia,)
Rockingham County,) To-wit:

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 30 day of March 1926,
Laura Morris and Annie Austin
came before me H W Beetsman Guil Commissioner
of the said county of Rockingham, and severally and respectively acknowledged themselves to be in-
debted to the Commonwealth of Virginia, in manner and form following, that is to say: the said
both in the sum of
Five hundred Dollars
good and lawful money of the United States, and the said
~~in the sum of _____ Dollars of like good and lawful money,~~ to be
respectively made and levied of their several goods and chattels, lands and tenements, and they
severally waived the benefit of their Homestead Exemption as to this obligation, and also waived any
claim or right to discharge any liability to the Commonwealth arising under this recognizance with
coupons detached from the bonds of this State, to the use of the Commonwealth of Virginia if the said
Laura Morris shall make default in the performance of the
conditions underwritten.

The condition of the above recognizance is such that if the above bound Laura
Morris do and shall personally appear before the Circuit
Court of Rockingham on the 1st day of the April Term next
thereof, being the 19 day of April 1926, at the Court-house thereof,
and then and there answer the Commonwealth of Virginia concerning a certain messeman where-
of the said Laura Morris stands charged, and shall not
depart thence without the leave of said Court, then the above recognizance shall be void and of no
effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the day and year first above written.

H W Beetsman B.C.

Commonwealth of Virginia }
Rockingham County, } To-wit:

The IT is acknowledged that on the 19th day of April 1892
James W. ... and ...
came before me W. W. ...

of the said county of Rockingham and severally and respectively acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia, in manner and form following, that is to say: the said

Dollars

Dollars of like good and lawful money, to be made and levied of their several goods and chattels, lands and tenements, and they have given the benefit of their personal exemption as to this obligation, and also waived any right to discharge any liability to the Commonwealth arising under this recognition with respect to the use of this state, to the use of the Commonwealth of Virginia if the said shall make default in the performance of the

The condition of the above recognition is such that if the above bound James

Court of Rockingham on the 19th day of April 1892, at the Court-house thereof, and then and there answer the Commonwealth of Virginia concerning a certain ... which

of the said James W. ... stands charged, and shall not depart hence without the leave of said Court, then the above recognizance shall be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the day and year first above written.
W. W. ...

Bond
James Morris
Annell Quartin

Arrest Warrant

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

To _____, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, _____ of the said County, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, _____ a Justice of the said County,

that Laura Morris

of the said County, on the 25 day of March 1926, in the said County, did Unlawfully transport Ardent Spirits, in Rockingham County Virginia, in violation of the Prohibitive laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia

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 _____

Laura Morris
to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon D. H. Doppelmeyer John Doe

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

Given under my hand and seal this 27th day of March, in the year 1926.

D. H. Doppelmeyer J. P. (Seal)

Rockingham County, State of Virginia,
Case before and judgment is that the accused be sent on to the
Grand Jury for further examination. The accused not having one -
to go her third she is committed to the jail of this County until
the Grand Jury meet or until she can secure bail.

Given under my hand this the 27th day of March 1926
J. H. J. Lequeur Justice J.P.

Commonwealth

vs.

Arrest Warrant

Laura Morris

Executed the within warrant by arresting
and delivering the body of

Laura Morris

before

J. H. J. Lequeur
a Justice of Rockingham County, and by sum-
moning the within named witnesses in person,

this 27 day of March 1926

C. W. Dove Sheriff
Constable of Rockingham County.

Costs
Justice #3⁰⁰

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

John Doule + Frank Newman

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 19th day of April 1926, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth before the Grand Jury

vs. Laura Mowis

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 10th day of April, 1926, and in the 150th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Commonwealth

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

Laura M. ...

Executed APR 15 1925

by delivering a true Copy of the

within Summons to the within named witnesses
each in person.

C. W. Dove, S. R. C.

Sheriff fee \$1.00

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon.....

D. H. Dafflenyer & W. J. Reppe
Frank Newman & John Dove

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 4th day of May 19²⁶, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against.....

Laura Morris

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 28th day of April, 19²⁶, and in the 14th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Executed April 30, 1926 by delivering a true Copy of the

within Summons to the within named witnesses

_____ in person.

C. W. Dove, S. R. C.

Com.

Laura Mann

Sheriff fee \$2.00

May 11, 1926

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Clerk of the Court of Rockingham County, Virginia.

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Virginia:

[Faint, illegible handwriting]

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County of the County

of Rockingham County, Virginia, on the _____ day of _____ 1926.

shall not omit under the penalty of \$200. And have these

copies of this summons and included for a return - witnessed.

Very Respectfully,
Clerk.

Sheriff fee

Pen & arrest 11.50

~~Exp. Jany~~

3.00

Summons 14.50

5.57

1.25

90

125

895

Apr. Term # 300 Misdr. 1926

COMMONWEALTH

vs.

(Pro.)

LAURA MORRIS

Plea guilty



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