

§ 339, which to him they owe, and from him detain it.
Now that on the 17th Oct. 1839 in the County of Essex
the defendants by their writing obligatory of that date
have shown to the Court promised. Six months after the
date thereof to pay to the said plaintiffs § 339, for Value
Received now the plaintiffs aver that the defendants did
not pay said sum of money six months after the
date of said writing obligatory though often requested
but to pay the same as any part thereof they have
hitherto wholly failed and refused and still fail &
refuse to the plaintiffs damages §. Therefore he prays,
A. Cullen

Order of Return Feb. Term 1841

This day came the plaintiffs by his attorney and
the defendants being solemnly called to come into Court
and defend the suit could not but make default. It is
therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover
of the defendants the sum of one hundred and thirty
eight dollars and eighty two cents the balance of the
Debt in the Declaration mentioned together with the
further sum of sixteen dollars damages for the detention
thereof, also his costs about his suit in this behalf expen-
ded

Francis Griffis Adm^r of Thompson Griffis Decd.
vs
William Morris & Josiah S. Copeland } In Debt

State of Tennessee }
Quincy County } To the Sheriff of said County
Summons Whereas Morris and Josiah S. Copeland
appears before the Judge of the Court at the Court house
in Sevier County on the 4th Monday of October next then &
have to answer Francis Griffis Surviving Administration
of Thompson Griffis Decd. of a plea of Debt
of § 339.05 which shows how they unjustly detain him
damages § 100 have upon them this debt although
James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 27
Monday of June 1840
Spd. 6th Sept. 1840. Came to hand 24th Sept. 1840
Entered 3rd Oct. 1840
H. P. Goodbar Clk

Note
Twelve months after date he promises to pay William
Morris and Francis Griffis Adm^r and Administrators
of the estate of Thompson Griffis Three hundred and
thirty nine dollars and five cents for Value Received
of them September 17th 1838.
Jas Morris (Adm)
Josiah S. Copeland (Adm)
Recd of the within note Forty five dollars Feb. 24th 1840

Declaration

State of Tennessee } Oct Term 1840
Quincy County }
Francis Griffis Surviving Administration of the Estate of
Thompson Griffis Decd. by attorney complains of William
Morris and Josiah S. Copeland Defendants to answer him of a
plea of Debt of § 339.05 which shows how they unjustly detain
it. Now that on the 17th September 1839 in the County of Essex
the said defendants by their writing obligatory of that date
signed by them now here shown to the Court promised
within six months after the date thereof to pay to William B.
Miller who has since departed this life and Francis Griffis
the plaintiffs Administrators and Administratrix § 339.05
for Value Received and the plaintiffs aver that said
defendants did not pay said sum of money to the plaintiffs
writing obligatory pay said sum of money to the plaintiffs
though often requested but to pay the same as any
part thereof. Said defendants have hitherto wholly failed
and refused and still fail and refuse to the plaintiffs
of the § 339.05. Therefore this suit is of Cullen's attorney
and the depts say they have well and truly paid
the debt which they are ready to verify
J. S. Copeland for himself

Replication & Issue A. Cullen Clerk
Order of Return Feb. Term 1841

This day came the parties by their attorneys and there
came also a Jury of good and lawful men to wit
Josiah Stewart William Hooper Thomas Caldwell William
W. Hays John S. Moore James Caldwell George Davis
Marshall John Smith Stephen H. Copeland William C.
Horse and John H. Brock who being sworn (and)
sworn the truth to speak upon the Issues found and
true Oaths do say that they find the Issue for the
plaintiffs for the sum of § 294.05 being the balance of
the debt in his Declaration mentioned and do assess the
plaintiffs damages as aforesaid by the detention of his
Debt to Twenty six dollars and sixty two and one half
cents besides costs. It is therefore considered by the Court
that the plaintiffs recover against the defendants the
sum of Two hundred and ninety four dollars the
balance of the Debt in the plaintiffs Declaration
mentioned together with his damages aforesaid and
found aforesaid assessed and also the costs here expended

Johnathan Douglass Adm^r of James Miller Decd.
vs
Jas Morris & Josiah S. Copeland } In Debt
State of Tennessee }

To the Sheriff of Canton County. - Summons Joel Morris and Adams Staley to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court at the Court house in Lexington on the 6th Monday of February next then and there to answer Jonathan Douglass Administrator of Jacob Dillins deceased of a plea of Debt of \$209.75, which from him they unjustly detain to his damage \$75, have you then this writ bearing James Maxwell Clerk of said at affixed the 6th Monday of October 1839
James Maxwell

Spd. 3rd February 1840,

Came to hand 9th Febry 1840 Executed 10th February 1840
W. P. Goodham D. C. J.

Notes

And as before the twenty fifth of December Eighteen hundred and thirty nine we promised to pay Jonathan Douglass Administrator of the heirs of Jacob Dillins deceased the sum of Two hundred and nine dollars and thirty five Cents for value received given under our own hands and seals July 29th 1839

Set

Arthur Marchbanks

Joel Morris and
Adams Staley and
Heirs

Declarations

State of Tennessee } February Term 1840
Canton County } Jonathan Douglass Administrator
of Jacob Dillins deceased by Attorney Complaints of
Joel Morris and Adams Staley summoned to answer
him of a plea of Debt of \$209.75, which from him
they unjustly detain to his damage &c. - For that with
29th July 1838 in the County aforesaid the said defendants by
this bond of that date now here shown to the Court prom-
ised and as before the 25th December 1839 to pay the plaintiff
Jonathan Douglass Administrator of Jacob Dillins \$209.75
for value received now the plaintiff avers that the
defendants did not pay said sum of money and as before
the 25th December 1839 through offers requested but to pay
the same as any part thereof the said defendants have
wholly failed and refused and still fail and refuse
to the plaintiffs damage &c. - therefore he sues

A. Cullow Attorney

And the defendants by Attorney Come and objected the
wrong and injury which he sues for filed say action
and because they say they have well and truly paid
the debt in the plaintiffs declaration mentioned and
that they are ready to verify wherefore they pray Judge
grant &c.
Goodall attor.

Order of Review October Term 1840

It appearing to the Court that the plaintiffs has departed
this life and that John Timmely has taken and letters of

Administration upon the estate of the said Jacob Dillins. It is
therefore ordered by the Court the defendants and appointing thereat
that this suit be revived in the name of John Timmely
Administrator of the said Jacob Dillins

Order of Review July Term 1841

This day came the parties by their attorneys and there came
also a Jury of good and lawful men to wit, John
Thomson William Hayter Thomas Eldridge William McKeay
John Dillman James Eldridge Joseph Davis Aaron Masters
John Finner Stephen H. Caplan and William Howard and
John W. Beck who being sworn heard and viewed the books
to which upon the issue found upon their oath do say that
they find the issue for the plaintiff and do assess the plaintiffs
damages occasioned by the detention of his debt to fourteen
dollars and sixty eight Cents besides costs of suit. It is
therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recovery of
the defendants the sum of Two hundred and nine dollars
and thirty five Cents the debt in the plaintiffs declaration
mentioned together with his damage as aforesaid in form
aforesaid assessed and also the costs herein expended.

John W. Beck

vs

Arthur Dillman

in Case

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Canton County Greeting - Summons Arthur
Dillman to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court at
the Court house in Lexington on the 6th Monday in June next
then and there to answer John W. Beck of a plea of Trespass
and the case to his damage Ten thousand dollars have you
then this writ bearing James Maxwell Clerk of said
Court at affixed the 4th Monday of February 1840.
James Maxwell

I acknowledge myself bound in the sum of Ten thou-
sand dollars to the Verdict and Conditions that John W. Beck
presents and enters and the case this day commenced by
him against Arthur Dillman as in case he fails that
he pay all costs that may be adjudged against him
(thence William my hand) and date this 31st March
1840
Jacob Beck Clerk

Spd. 31st March 1840 -

Came to hand 1st April 1840

Executed and 2nd April 1840

Thomas W. Morris D. C. J.

Declarations

State of Tennessee } Term Term 1840
Canton County } John W. Beck by Attorney Complaints of Arthur
Dillman summoned to answer him of a plea of
Trespass and the case. - For that on the 10th day of March

1838 in the County aforesaid the plaintiff was possessed of his own right and property of a certain title bond in the penalty of three thousand dollars conditioned for the conveyance of a certain tract of land of the value of \$6000. Executed by John M. Hill to James Brown dated the 17th September 1817 and which afterwards came into the possession of the plaintiff for a valuable consideration and afterwards on the day and year aforesaid the said plaintiff, Caswell, lost said bond out of his possession and afterwards on the same day and year the same came to the hands and possession of said defendant by finding. And the said defendant will not though after requested restore said bond to the plaintiff but hath converted the same to his own use to the damage of the plaintiff above. Therefore he sues.

J. Cullow attor

Plea

And the deft by attor comes and defends, the wrong and injury when he and for plea says aches now because he says he is not guilty of the above and converts in manner and form as complained of in the above declaration and of this he puts himself upon the Country.

J. Nelson & Goodell attor

And the plff likewise A. Cullow

Order of Record February Term 1840

This day came the plaintiff into open Court and displayed his debt and appears the payment of the debt. It is therefore considered by the Court that the defendant go hence forth without day and recover against the plaintiff the debt so affirmed as aforesaid.

John M. Hill apptd

vs Debt

John Gardinier Benjamin Blakely and George W. Gardinier

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Andrew County, Tennessee John Gardinier Benjamin Blakely and George W. Gardinier to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court at the Court house in Lexington on the fourth Monday of October next there and there to answer John M. Hill apptd of a plea of Debt of \$732.52 which to him they owe & from him unjustly claims to his damage \$100. have you thus this writ which James Marshall Clerk of said Court at Oxford the 4th Sunday of June 1840.

James Marshall

A. Cullow

Spd 27th Sept. 1840. Executed and for W. Gardinier & Ben- Blakely 5th Oct. 1840 John Gardinier not found W. P. Goodell attor

Note \$732.52 per Lexington Court Co. June Term 35th 1839 Eight months after date I promise to pay to the order of Pleasant M. Armstrong seven hundred and thirty two, 52/100 dollars in specie without defalcation for value received payable at the Planter Bank John Gardinier

Endorsed

P. M. Armstrong Benjamin Blakely Geo. Gardinier

Declaration

State of Tennessee
Andrew County

Oct Term 1840

John M. Hill apptd by attorney Complainer of John Gardinier Benjamin Blakely and George W. Gardinier summoned to answer him of a plea of Debt of \$732.52 which to him they owe and from him claims to his damage \$100. For that on the 25th June 1839 in the County aforesaid defendant John Gardinier by his note of that date here shown to the Court promised Eight months after the date thereof to pay to the order of Pleasant M. Armstrong the sum of \$732.52. At the Planter Bank at Nashville Tennessee and afterwards on the day and year aforesaid in the County aforesaid the said Armstrong assigned said note to said Blakely and the said Blakely assigned it to said George W. Gardinier and he assigned it to Wood H. Abbott and they assigned it to the plaintiff which assignments are here shown to the Court. And the said defendants did not pay the plaintiff said sum of money Eight months after the date of said note at the Planter Bank at Nashville Tennessee although the same was duly presented and protested for non payment by reason of which the plaintiff had to pay the expenses and costs of having the said note so protested and the said defendants to pay said sum of money and the expenses aforesaid hath withheld wholly paid same refused and still fail and refuse to the plaintiff damage \$100. Therefore he sues.

A. Cullow

Plea

And the defendants come by their attorney and defend the wrong &c and say the plaintiff ought not to maintain his action aforesaid as no because they have well and truly paid the same which they are ready to verify.

G. W. Gardinier

And the plaintiff likewise A. Cullow

Order of Record February Term 1841

This day came the parties by their attorneys and there came also a Jury of good and lawful men to wit Josiah Stewart William Hays John Thomas Eldridge William H. Hays Paul S. Lewis James Eldridge Joseph Bann and Master John Lewis Stephen H. Copeland William C. Ward and John M. Beale who being elected have and sworn the Sherriff

to speak upon the issue found upon their oath & say that they find the issue for the plaintiff and do give the plaintiff damages & costs by the declaration of his debt to forty five dollars and eighty cents besides cost of suit. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recovers of the defendant the sum of twenty hundred and thirty two dollars and fifty two cents the debt in the plaintiff declaration mentioned together with his damages aforesaid in form aforesaid assessed and also the costs herein expended.

John Mungold Guardian of Andrew J. Cowan

vs. Serapoeias

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting
Whereas herebefore to wit, on the 30th day of June 1837 in our Circuit Court for the County of Davidson in a certain suit then and there determined between John Mungold Guardian of Andrew J. Cowan plaintiff and John R. Beck Defendant. It was considered by said Court that the plaintiff recovers of the defendant the sum of Eighty dollars and seventy seven cents his damages by the jury assessed and his costs about his suit in that behalf expended. Now the said Decree of said Judgment remains to be recorded as by the said plaintiff we are informed. We therefore Command you that you cause to be made known to the said John R. Beck the terms of this debt, and summon him to appear before the Judges and said Court at the Court house in the Town of Nashville on the 4th Monday in October next then and there to show Cause if any he has or knows of why said Judgment shall not be recorded and executed thereon by the said plaintiff according to the terms and effect thereof. Given under our seal not bearing James Mungold Clerk of said Court office the 4th Monday in June 1840

James Maxwell Clerk

Plas

State of Tennessee } Circuit Court October Term 1840
Davidson County } And the defendant by attorney
Comes and defends & asks for plea
Says the plaintiff has asked by Serapoeias against him
ought not to have and maintain because he says he has
well and truly & fully payed off and satisfied the
Judgment in the Serapoeias mentioned and of this he
is ready to verify

Replication & Issue

Richardson Atty for Defendant
A. Cullum

And the defendant for further plea in this behalf says the plaintiff action now because he says there is no such record as mentioned in the Serapoeias and of this he prays may be enquired of by the Court. Richardson Atty for Defendant

And the plaintiff likewise A. Cullum

Order of Record February Term 1841

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney as well as the defendant in person and the defendant withdrew his plea of payment in this cause whereupon as well the Serapoeias entered out by the plaintiff as the record which it purports to describe as the plea of the defendant being seen and inspected by the Court for that it appears to the Court that there is such record as is said Serapoeias is mentioned and described. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff have execution against the defendant for the sum of Eighty dollars and seventy seven cents the debt in the Serapoeias mentioned and the sum of twenty dollars and forty cents the interest accrued thereon since the 30th day of June 1837 the date of the rendition of said Judgment and also the cost of said Original and together with his cost by him expended in suing forth and prosecuting this Serapoeias

John F. Inett Administrator of McChutten Decd.

vs. Debt

Leahy B. Parris and John D. Parris

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Summons Leahy B. Parris and John D. Parris to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court at the Court house in Nashville on the 4th Monday of February next then and there to answer John F. Inett Administrator of the Estate of William Chatham Decd. of a plea of Debt of \$250, which from him they unjustly demand to his savings \$100. have you then there this debt which James Mungold Clerk of said Court at office the 4th Monday of October 1840

James Maxwell Clerk

Spd. 27th January 1841. Cause to land same day Spd. Executed & paid 9th February 1841 W. R. Gooden Shff
\$250.00. Now on before the fourth day of September 1839
the as either of us promise to pay William Chatham two hundred and eighty dollars for value had Leahy and hands and note this 24th day of September 1839

Leahy B. Parris (Clerk)
John D. Parris (Clerk)

Declaration

State of Tennessee } February Term 1841
Davidson County }

John D. Souett Administrator of William Chilton deceased by
Attorney Complaints of J. B. Harris and John D. Harris
Summoned to answer him of a plea of Debt of \$280.
Which from him suggests stands to his damage &c for
that on the 21st day of September 1839 in the County of
the said defendants by their bond of that date here
shown to the Court promised and as before the first day
of September 1839 to pay William Chilton \$280. for Value
received and afterwards to wit on the day of

the said William Chilton departed this life intestate and
at the Session of the County aforesaid the plaintiff was
duly appointed his executor, letters of administration were shown
to the Court now the plaintiff avers that the defendant
did not pay to William Chilton in his lifetime nor
to the plaintiff since his death said sum of money or
as before the first day of September 1839 but to pay the
same as any good thing through after requested said
defendants have wholly failed and refused and
still fail and refuse to the plaintiffs damages \$180.
Therefore he sues
Allen Cloward

Order of Return Delivered June 1841

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the
defendants being solemnly called to come into Court and
defend this suit came not but made default. It is then
found Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of
the defendants the sum of Two hundred and Eighty dollars
the debt as the declaration mentioned together with the
further sum of Twenty five dollars damages as ordered
by the declaration of his debt and also the costs herein
expended.

John Page assigned

From this Ashes

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Marion County, Summons Franklin
Ashes to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court at the
Court house in Livingston on the 1st Monday in June next
thus and there to answer John Page assignee of Elmore
D. Page of a plea of Debt of Five hundred and fifty
dollars which to him he owes, and from him suggests
stands to his damage Two hundred dollars, has sworn that
this debt which James Maxwell Clerk of said Court
at Office the 1st Monday of February 1840

James Maxwell

Spd 6th April 1840 - Came to hand same day Special
Executed 27th April 1840
I acknowledge my self security for this debt in the sum

of Five hundred dollars to his use and condition John Page the
plaintiff prosecutes the same with effect against Franklin Ashes
the defendant without my hand and seal this 6th April 1840
Geo. Christian (Sec)

Note - as on before the 25th of December Eighteen hundred
and thirty nine and each of us jointly promise to pay
E. D. Page five hundred and fifty dollars in good cash notes such
as we will assign for value here before the 10th 1838

John & Morris (Sec)

I assign the within to John Page for value Recd. this 22nd
Decr 1839
E. D. Page

Declaration

State of Tennessee }
Marion County } June Term 1840
John Page assignee of Elmore D. Page by attorney complaining of
Franklin Ashes Summoned to answer him of a plea of
covenant broken to his damage &c
For that on the 12th day of October 1838 in the County aforesaid
the said defendant together with Moore by description of
Ashes and Moore by his bond under seal of the date aforesaid
now here shown to the Court promised and as before the 25th
December 1838 to pay Elmore D. Page by description of E. D.
Page \$550 in good cash notes to be assigned by said Ashes
and Moore for value received and afterwards on the 22nd
December 1839 in the County aforesaid the said Elmore
D. Page by description of E. D. Page assigned said covenant
under seal to the plaintiff for value received which assign-
ment is also shown to the Court by means whereof and by force
of the Statute in such case a right of action hath accrued
to the plaintiff Namely the plaintiff own that the defendant
though after requested hath not kept and performed his said
covenant according to the tenor and effect thereof but hath
broken the same in this that he did not pay the said Elmore
D. Page before the date of said assignment nor to the
plaintiff since the said sum of \$550 in good cash notes
assigned by said Ashes and Moore
But to keep and perform said covenant said defendant has
hitherto wholly failed and refused and still fails and
refuses to the plaintiffs damage \$160 Therefore he sues
Allen Cloward & the

And the said defendant by attorney comes and says act is now
because he says he has well and truly kept and performed
his said covenant in the plaintiffs Declaration mentioned
and this he is ready to verify Replications and Denials
Allen Cloward attn Elmore D. Goodall

Plea

And the debt by leave of the Court comes and defends the
wrong &c and for further plea in this behalf says the

plaintiff his action against him ought not to have and maintain because he says that the said Elmore & Page the words assigned of said note or covenant in the pleadings in this cause mentioned before and at the time of the assignment of the said note or covenant to the plaintiff was and still is indebted to this defendant in the sum of five hundred and fifty dollars for goods sold and merchandises before that time sold and delivered to him and at his special instance and request and being so indebted he then and then promised to pay the same when requested yet through requested he has failed and refused all which he is ready to verify and pays the same may be set off against the plaintiffs demand in the declaration mentioned &c. Chas. Eaton and Spur

Alcibiond attor Jurney Allen & Goddall attor

Orders made of records at February Term 1841

This day came this party by their attorneys and there came also a jury of good and lawful men to sit James R. Cope James Joseph S. Copeland Frederick Deek John R. Beck Josiah Steward Williams Rayles Thomas Eldridge Williams H. Cope Paul J. Howe James Eldridge Joseph Barns and Davis Monroes who being sworn and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue turned upon their oath do say that they find the issue for the plaintiff and do assess the plaintiffs damage occasioned by the nonperformance of the covenant in the Declaration mentioned to three hundred and twenty nine dollars besides sixty five cents and cost of suit. It is therefore considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover of the defendant his damages assessed in form aforesaid assessed and also the cost herein expended

Park V. Verobius

Thomas Chauplin V. James P. Pott

Suits of Serjeants

To the Sheriff of Queen's County Greeting
Whereas hereof to wit on the 26th day of June 1838 in our Circuit Court for the County of Queen's in a certain suit thus and then depending between Daniel Pott and others plaintiffs and Thomas Chauplin and James Pott defendants it was considered by said Court that the plaintiffs recover of the defendants the sum of three thousand two hundred and ninety two dollars and eighty six cents their debt in the Declaration and the further sum of two hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty four cents their damages by the jury aforesaid and their cost

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by them about their suit in that behalf expended as appears to us of record. Wherefore execution of said Judgment remains to be done as by the said plaintiffs we are informed we therefore Command you that you cause to be made known to the said Thomas Chauplin and James Pott the Law of this writ and cause them to appear before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 4th Monday in October next then and there to show cause if any they have or know of why said Judgment shall not be removed and execution thereon be had by the said defendants plaintiffs according to the Law and effect thereof. Herein fail not have this writ return what return James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 4th Monday in June 1840

Spur 20th August 1840 Came to Court 20th August 1840
Executed as before 20th August 1840 and Pott 20th October 1840
James Maxwell Clerk
H. P. Goodland Clerk

And the defendants come and defend &c. and for plea say they have well and truly and fully paid off and satisfied the Judgment in the within Serjeants mentioned and say they are ready to verify Richardson attorney for Pott
Replication and Issue A. L. L. L.

And the defendants for further plea in this behalf say the plaintiffs this action by Serjeants against them ought not to have maintenance because they say there is no such record as mentioned in the said Serjeants and of this he says may be argued up by the Court
Richardson Attorney for Defendants

And the plaintiffs answer A. L. L. L.
Order of the Court 26th June 1841

This day came the plaintiffs by attorney and the defendants in person and the defendants withdrew their plea of payment plea by them in this cause whereupon as well the Serjeants suit out by the plaintiffs and the recover which it further to describe as the plea of the defendant being seen and inspected by the court of that it appears to the Court that there is such record as in said Serjeants is mentioned and described it is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiffs have execution against the defendants for the sum of three thousand two hundred and ninety six dollars and eighty six cents Debt and two hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty four cents their damages in the Serjeants mentioned and the sum of three hundred and twenty seven dollars and the interest thereon since the 26th day of June 1838 the day of the rendition of said Judgment and also the cost of said Original Suit and the cost of doing forth and presenting this Serjeants and the plaintiffs agree that this

Judgment shall not preclude the defendant from showing any payment they may have made on the original Judgment

The State
vs
John Mayfield

Presentment for Gaming

State of Tennessee
County of Davidson
Whereas the Grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee Elect and empanelled sworn and charged to enquire for the body of the County of Davidson in the State aforesaid persons upon their oath present that John Mayfield of Davidson County upon the first day of January Eighteen hundred and forty one in the County of Davidson in the State of Tennessee did then and there unlawfully Gamble bet wages and hazard upon a certain Game of Hazard and address called a game of cards money of the value of five dollars Bank notes of the value of five dollars and property of the value of five dollars contrary to the form of the Statute in such Case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State. George Christian Foreman of the Grand Jury James Coffey Henry B. Birmingham Benjamin B. May James Morris Isaac Johnson Moses Taylor James Lays David Davis James Maxwell William Brown Morris Allen Samuel Williams.

State of Tennessee
To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting - you are hereby Committed to take the body of John Mayfield if he be found as your Bond and land safely keep so that you have him before the Circuit Court here sitting at the Court house in Livingston then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of Gaming herein said not have then and there this Circuit Court James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 8th Monday in Feb. 1841

Spd 28th Feb. 1841, Came to have said day spent
Executed same day
N.P. Gooden Sheriff

Order of the Court Feb. Term 1841
This day came the defendant together with William Mayfield his Security into a fine Court and acknowledged themselves to owe and stand indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Six hundred and fifty dollars each to the value of their goods and chattels and Licensure but to the Word and Condition that the defendant shall make his personal appearance before the Honorable

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Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston from day to day during the present Term of this Court then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful Gaming and not depart the Court until legally discharged

Thursday came the Attorney General as well as the defendant in person and the defendant being charged upon the Presentment says he is guilty in manner and form as charged therein and for his final settlement upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore concluded by the Court that for such his offer he make his final settlement of his dollar and that he pay the cost herein expended William Mayfield and agrees that execution may issue against his goods and chattels lands and Licensure South with the defendant for the collection of the fine and costs aforesaid. It is therefore concluded by the Court that the State of Tennessee recover of the defendant and the said William Mayfield the fine and costs aforesaid

The State
vs
William Mayfield

Presentment for Gaming

State of Tennessee
County of Davidson
Whereas the Grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee Elect and empanelled sworn and charged to enquire for the body of the County of Davidson in the State aforesaid persons upon their oath present that William Mayfield of Davidson County upon the first day of February Eighteen hundred and forty one with force and arms in the County of Davidson in the State of Tennessee did then and there unlawfully Gamble bet and wages upon a certain Game of Hazard and address called Cards money of the value of five dollars Bank notes of the value of five dollars and property of the value of five dollars contrary to the form of the Statute in such Case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State. George Christian Foreman of the Grand Jury James Coffey Henry B. Birmingham Benjamin B. May James Morris Isaac Johnson Moses Taylor James Lays David Davis James Maxwell William Brown Morris Allen Samuel Williams.

State of Tennessee
To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting - you are hereby Committed to take the body of William Mayfield and have him safely keep so that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court now sitting at the Court house in Livingston then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful Gaming said not have

thus then this writ return James Maxwell clerk of said Court at office the 4th Monday in Feb. 1841

James Maxwell clk
Apr 23rd Feb. 1841. Came to hand below day Apr.
Executed same day W.P. Goodbar Off.
(Order of Record Feb. 1841)

This day came the attorney General as well as the defendant and person and the defendant being charged upon the presentment. Says he is guilty in manner and form as charged and for his trial puts himself upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore Considered by the Court that for such his offence he make his fine by the payment of ten dollars and that he pay the costs of this prosecution. Whereupon John Mayfield in open Court acknowledged himself the defendant's security for the fine and costs aforesaid and agrees that execution may issue against his goods and Chattels lands and Tenements Southly with the defendant for the Collection of the same. It is therefore Considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee recover of the defendant and the said John Mayfield the fine and costs aforesaid

The State
John Richardson Secy

State of Tennessee }
County of Davidson }
Cebler Sum of the Court Court
Eighteen hundred and forty. The Grand Jurors for the
State of Tennessee Electd and sworn and charged
to enquire for the body of the County of Davidson and the
State aforesaid upon this writ present that John Richard
son of command upon the first day of September Eighteen
hundred and forty with force and arms in the County of
Davidson in the State of Tennessee was then and there
openly notoriously and publicly Drunk in the presence
and View of several good and worthy Citizens of said
State and in the face of the Court openly notoriously
and publicly to the common nuisance of the County in
Contempt of the law of the land and against the peace and
dignity of the State.

James Robinson, Foreman
Samuel S. Mallock, Adams Gaudin, George W. May
John Johnson, Andrew Durrigan, Robert Whitson, John W.
Curtis, Samuel White, Samuel Peruch, Samuel C. Moore
William Glasgow

State of Tennessee
To the Sheriff of Davidson County Gent, you are hereby
Commanded to take the body of John Richardson, Secy
up to be found in your County and him safely keep

to that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court at the
Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 6th
Monday in February next then and there to answer the State
of Tennessee upon a charge of Drunkenness fail not have then
then this writ return James Maxwell clerk of said Court at
office the 6th Monday in October 1840

James Maxwell clk
Apr 2nd Nov. 1840. Executed and appearance below taken
11th Dec. 1840 W.P. Goodbar Off.

State of Tennessee }
County of Davidson }
State indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of
Two hundred and fifty dollars cash to be raised of our
goods and Chattels lands and Tenements Southly but the
void if John Richardson for make his personal appearance
before the Honorable Circuit Court to be held in Livingston
on Wednesday after the 6th Monday in February next then
and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of
Drunkenness and not depart from thence until legally
discharged from under and bonds and Security this 11th day
of Dec. 1840 John Richardson Secy

Thos. H. Howard Esq.
Thomas Hays Esq.

(Order of Record Feb. 1841)
This day came the attorney General as well as the
defendant into open Court and the defendant being charged
upon the presentment. Says he is guilty in manner and form
as charged and for his trial puts himself upon the grace
and mercy of the Court. It is therefore Considered by the
Court that for such his offence he make his fine by
the payment of ten dollars and that he pay the costs of
this prosecution. Whereupon Madson Richardson in
open Court acknowledged himself security for the fine
and costs aforesaid and agrees that execution may issue
against his goods and Chattels lands and Tenements
Southly with the defendant for the Collection of the same.
It is therefore Considered by the Court that the State of
Tennessee recover of the defendant and Madson Richardson
the fine and costs aforesaid.

The State
John Offier

State of Tennessee }
County of Davidson }
February Sum of the Court Court
Eighteen hundred and forty and. The Grand Jurors
for the State of Tennessee Electd and sworn and
charged to enquire for the body of the County of Davidson in

the State of Tennessee upon their oath present that John
 Coffey appeared upon the first day of January Eight
 hundred and forty and with force and arms in the
 County of Carter in the State of Tennessee did then and
 there unlawfully sell vend and retail spirituous
 liquors by a less measure and quantity than are
 granted Entailing to the form of the Statute in such
 Case made and provided and against the peace and
 dignity of the State.

George Christian foreman
 James C. Officer Henry B. Birmingham Benjamin B.
 Ray James Brown Edward Johnson Moses Taylor
 James Lapp David Davis James Maxwell William
 Brown Thomas M. Allen Samuel Warrand.

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting - you are
 hereby commanded to take the body of John Coffey
 and have him instantly before the Honorable
 Circuit Court now sitting at the Court house in Living-
 stone this and then to deliver the State of Tennessee
 upon a charge of L. filing fail not leave this then
 this writ being James Maxwell Clerk of said Court
 at office the 2nd Monday in Feb. 1841

James Maxwell Clerk

Spd. 23rd Feb. 1841. Came to hand and executed
 same day Signed

W. P. Goddard Off.

(Order of Record Feb. Term 1841)

This day came the attorney General as well
 as the defendant in person and the defendant being charged
 upon the presentment says he is guilty in manner and form
 as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the
 grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the
 Court that for such he appeared he waives his former plea by
 the payment of Five dollars and that he pay the cost of
 the prosecution. Whereupon James C. Officer in open Court
 acknowledged himself the defendant's security for the fine
 and costs aforesaid. and agrees that execution may issue
 against his goods and chattels, lands and tenements jointly
 with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is
 therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee
 recovers of the defendant and the said James C. Officer
 the fine and costs aforesaid.

The State

Shompson Cash

State of Tennessee

Carter County

February Term of the Circuit
 Court Eight hundred and forty and

the Grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee Charles Cunningham
 Sworn and charged to Enquire for the body of the County of Carter
 in the State of Tennessee upon their oath present that Thompson
 Cash appeared upon the first day of January Eight hundred and
 forty and with force and arms in the County of Carter in
 the State of Tennessee then and there being the Carrier of a
 certain public Road and high way lying and being in the
 County of said State having from the Town of Springfield to the
 High Road and being such Carrier as aforesaid did furnish
 said public Road of which he the said Thompson Cash was
 such Carrier as aforesaid to be and remain out of legal
 repair for more than fifteen days together being for all
 the time aforesaid obstructed by divers logs trees stumps
 gullies mudholes, roots, rocks and various to the great
 hindrance of the public contrary to the form of the
 Statute in such Case made and provided and against
 the peace and dignity of the State William Cullum
 Attorney Genl.

A true Bill George Christian foreman of the Grand
 Jury
 State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting you are hereby
 commanded to take the body of Thompson Cash up to be
 found in your County and have safely kept so that you
 have him instantly before the Honorable Circuit Court now
 sitting at the Court house in Livingston this and then to
 deliver the State of Tennessee upon a charge of as an Car-
 rier of a Road fail not leave then this writ being
 James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 2nd
 Monday in Feb. 1841

James Maxwell Clerk

Spd. 23rd Feb. 1841. Came to hand 23rd Feb. 1841. Executed
 24th

W. P. Goddard Off.

Order of Record Feb. Term 1841

This day came the attorney General as well as the
 defendant in person and the defendant being charged upon
 the presentment says he is guilty in manner and form as
 charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the
 grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the
 Court that for such he appeared he waives his former plea by the pay-
 ment of any dollar and that he pay the cost of the prosecution.
 Whereupon Edward P. Cullum in open Court acknowledged
 himself the defendant's security for the fine and costs aforesaid
 and agrees that execution may issue against his goods and
 chattels, lands and tenements jointly with the defendant for the
 collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the
 Court that the State of Tennessee recovers of the defendant
 and the said Edward P. Cullum the fine and costs
 aforesaid.

The State

Sequestrans

Frederick Dick, Jr.

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County, Gentl^y. Whereas herebefore to wit on the 28th day of August 1840 Frederick Dick late of your County entered into bond of two hundred and fifty dollars to be levied of his goods and chattels lands and Tenements but to be void on condition that Robert Chesney should make his personal appearance before the Circuit Court of Carter County on the first Wednesday after the 1st Monday in October then or then next and there to answer the State upon a charge of unlawful Gaming and not depart until legally discharged and whereas afterwards to wit at October Term of said Court 1840 the said Robert Chesney being solemnly called to come into Court and answer the State upon said charge came not but made default and the said Frederick Dick Jr. having been also thus and then solemnly called to come into Court and bring with him the body of the said Robert Chesney to answer said charge came not but made default and it was therefore considered by the Court that the said Frederick Dick Jr. for the default aforesaid should forfeit and pay to the State of Tennessee the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars according to the tenor and effect of his said record and bond unless he should come to the contrary at the next Term. And this said Court do hereby certify that the said Frederick Dick Jr. the sum of this debt and summons him to be and appear before the next Circuit Court to be held for Carter County at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday in February next then and there to show cause if any he has as grounds why the State of Tennessee should not have execution against him for the amount of the recovery so made as aforesaid. Given jail not hand this 11th day of October 1840 James Maxwell Clerk

Sp^r 18th Nov. 1840. Came to house 28th Nov. 1840. Executed and made known to the defendant and the 28th Nov. 1840.

Order of the Court. Feb. Term 1841
 As motion of the attorney General and for reasons declared to the Court that Sequestrans in this Cause is dispensed upon the former defendant, paying the Costs. William M. Copeland in open Court acknowledged himself the defendant's Security for the

Costs herein expended and agree that execution may issue against his goods and chattels lands and Tenements finally with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore Considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee means of the defendant and the said William Copeland the Costs aforesaid.

The State

Drunkards

William Masters

State of Tennessee

Carter County } October Term of the Circuit Court
 Eight hundred and forty. The Grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee elected and sworn and charged to inquire for the body of the County of Carter in the State aforesaid upon their oath present that William Masters appeared upon the first day of September Eight hundred and forty with force and arms in the County of Carter in the State of Tennessee was then and there openly notoriously and publicly drunk in the presence and view of divers good citizens of said State and in the face of the County openly notoriously and publicly to the common nuisance of the County in contempt of the Law of the Land and against the peace and dignity of the State James Thomas Williams Adam Gardenier Smith L. Mallock George W. May John K. Johnson John W. Carleton and Maxwell Samuel White Robert White Samuel C. Harris Ashley Dummeragin William Hayscock.

State of Tennessee
 To the Sheriff of Carter County, Gentl^y. Whereas herebefore to wit on the 28th day of August 1840 William Masters late of your County entered into bond of two hundred and fifty dollars to be levied of his goods and chattels lands and Tenements but to be void on condition that the said William Masters make his personal appearance before the honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday in February next then and there to answer the State upon a charge of Drunkards but not hand thus this 11th day of October 1840 James Maxwell Clerk

Sp^r 18th Nov. 1840. Executed 28th Nov. 1840.

State of Tennessee }
 Carter County } Known all men by these presents that Mr. William Masters Alexander Masters and John Lovell Masters are hitherto and jointly become unto the State of Tennessee in the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars each to be levied of our goods and chattels lands and Tenements to be void on condition that the said William Masters make his personal appearance before the honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the first Wednesday after the 1st Monday in February next then and there to

This day came the attorney General, as well, as the defendant in person, and the defendant being charged upon the presentment says he is not guilty in manner and form as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the Country, and the attorney General, both the like and those came also a Jury of good and lawful men to wit Samuel C. Wood, Sanders, Amstrong, Lipe, Davis, Gordon, B. Ray, Josiah Stewart, William Hays, Thomas, Eldridge, William W. Kemp, Paul, S. Morris, James, Eldridge, Joseph Boney, and James, Mages, who being elected ^{Grand Jurors} returned ^{and} ~~and~~ the writs to speak upon the issue of Law and fact upon this oath do say that the defendant is guilty in manner and form as charged in the presentment. It is therefore considered by the Court that for such his offence he must be fined by the payment of four dollars and that he pay the Costs of this prosecution, whereupon William Gordon is of the Court acknowledged himself the defendants security for the fine and Costs aforesaid and agrees that execution

may issue against his goods and chattels lands and Tenements, jointly with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee recover of the defendant and the said William Andrew the fine and costs aforesaid.

The State
vs
Frederick Dick junr

Scirefacias

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting, Whereas herebefore to wit on the 28th day of August 1830 Frederick Dick Junr late of your County entered into a bond of Two hundred and fifty dollars to be paid of his goods and chattels lands and Tenements but to w^o void and Condition that Robert Chesney should make his personal appearance before the Circuit Court of Davidson County at the Court house in Livingston on the first Wednesday day after the 10th Monday in October next thereafter and then and there answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful Gaming and not depart the Court until legally discharged and whereas at October Term 1830 aforesaid the said Robert Chesney having been solemnly called to be in Court and answered said charge came not but made default and the said Frederick Dick Junr having been also then and there solemnly called to come into Court and bring with him the body of the said Robert Chesney to answer said charge came not but made default. It was therefore considered by the Court that for such his default the said Frederick Dick Junr should forfeit to the State the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars according to the tenor and effect of his said bond unless he show good cause to the contrary at the next term of this Court after notice of this judgment. These are therefore to command of you that you make known to the said Frederick Dick Junr the tenor of this writ and summon him personally to be and appear before our next Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 10th Monday in February next then and there to show Cause if any he has as aforesaid why the State of Tennessee shall not have Execution against him for the amount of the recovery aforesaid and that he have then and there this writ attested James Maxwell clerk of said Court at Office the 1st Monday in October 1830.

James Maxwell clk

Spd 15th Nov. 1830. Executed and made known to the defendant and the Decr. 1830

(Order of Record Feb'y Term 1831)

an motion of the attorney General and with the assent of the Court and before the scirefacias is dissolved in this Cause upon the defendants paying the C^t Whereupon Richard Cospleland in a few Court a acknowledged surety for the defendants security for the Costs herein expended and agrees that Execution may issue against his goods and chattels lands and Tenements jointly with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that for the State of Tennessee recover of the defendant and the said Richard Cospleland the Costs aforesaid

The State
vs
Pleasant Speck

Quashed of a Road

State of Tennessee

Davidson County. June Term of the Circuit Court Eighteen hundred and forty. The grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee Elected Pursuant to Law and charged to inquire for the body of the County of Davidson in the State of Tennessee upon their oath present that Pleasant Speck appeared upon the first day of June Eighteen hundred and forty with five men arms in the County of Davidson in the State aforesaid then and there being the Quasers of a certain public Road lying and being in the County and State aforesaid leading from Benjamin Watkins land to the Top of Little Spence and being such Quasers as aforesaid did then and there permit said public Road to be and remain obstructed by logs trees galls rocks and trees for more than fifteen days together continuing to the pains of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State - Joseph Bates Jurors of the Grand Jury Geo S. Mayhew Hilby Ward Saml Barlett S Saml Johnson Charles Smith John Williams John R Beck H. H. Ellis J. H. Cospleland James McElwain Samuel Colwell and Elphab C. Webb.

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting, you are hereby commanded to take the body of Pleasant Speck and him safely keep so that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Monday after the 10th Monday in October next then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge as aforesaid of a Road said not have then and there this writ attested James Maxwell clerk of said Court at Office the 1st Monday in October 1830.

James Maxwell clk

Spd 9th July 1830. Executed Bond and Security to the writ the 1st September 1830. A. O. Walter Esqy. did Pleasant Speck and Benjamin Watkins acknowledge and binds to stand indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars each to be

lives of and respective goods and chattels lands and Tenements jointly first to his Vice upon condition that the said Pleasant Speck make his personal appearance before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in the Town of Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday in October next then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge as a Carrier of a Road and not depart from thence until legally discharged. Given under our hands and seals this 14th September 1840

Test
 A. O. Walker J. J. (his effect) (his)
 Benjamin Walker (his)
 (Order of Return Oct. Term 1840)

For reasons decreed to the Court in the affidavit of the Attorney General the writ of this Court is continued until the next Term of this Court to wit on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday in February next then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon the above charge and not depart the Court until legally discharged.

(February Term 1841)
 By consent of the Attorney General and with the assent of the Court a noli prosequi is entered in this Cause upon the defendants paying the cost whereupon Benjamin B. May in open Court acknowledged himself the defendants Security for the costs of this prosecution. It is therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee recover of the defendant and the said Benjamin B. May the costs aforesaid

Downing Dargatz
 James Burnett
 State of Tennessee
 Clinton County
 Do any lawful Officer &c I
 Subscribed and gave to the Honorable James Burnett to appear before me and Justice of the peace for Clinton County to answer Downing Dargatz as a plea of Aet & due by agreement under and hundred dollars given under my hand and seal the 1st day of September 1840
 Thomas C. White Seal
 Justice of the peace

executed and returned for trial before Esqr. Holding at his house on the 9th of September 1840 this the 1st of the same A. O. Walker J. J.
 Judgment for the plaintiff in this case \$18.91 cents and the further sum of \$1.75 cents costs in this case
 S. M. Holding J. J. placed
 know which Judgment the said James Burnett pro an appeal to the next term of the Circuit Court for Clinton County which is granted him he having given bond and security according to Law this 3rd Sept. 1840

S. M. Holding J. J. placed
 into and each of us bind ourselves to Downing Dargatz in the sum of fifty dollars to be void if the said James Burnett who bears this day appealed to the next term of the Circuit Court for Clinton County from a Judgment of S. M. Holding a Justice of the peace for Clinton County in favor of A. Dargatz against him for Eighteen dollars and ninety and cents with costs of suit shall prosecute said appeal successfully as in case of failure shall comply with and perform the Judgment of said Court this 2nd of September 1840
 James Burnett (his)
 Thomas (his)

Attest
 S. M. Holding J. J.
 Feb. 26th Oct 1840, Thomas Maxwell Clerk
 (Order of Return Oct. Term 1840)

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called. Cause not set made default whereupon and motions of the plaintiff attorney the Judgment of the Justice of the peace in this Cause is affirmed. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant and Thomas Burnett his Security for the prosecution of this appeal in this Cause the aforesaid sum of Eighteen dollars and ninety and cents Aet and also the costs herein expended.

For reasons decreed to the Court in the affidavit of defendant the Judgment by default entered in this Cause and costs of this term is set aside upon the payment of the costs of this term. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the costs at this term herein expended.

February Term 1841
 This day came the plaintiff into open Court and disposes his suit and says he intends no further to prosecute the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that the defendant go hence thence without day and that the plaintiff pay the costs herein expended.

The State
 Robert Schoary
 State of Tennessee
 Clinton County
 February Term of the Circuit Court Eighteen hundred and forty. The Court orders for the State of Tennessee

elector impeached Swann and charged to enquire for the body of the County of Quarter in the State of Tennessee upon the oath present that Robert Chesney appeared upon the first day of January eighteen hundred and forty with force and arms in the County of Quarter in the State of Tennessee did thus and thus unlawfully gamble by sitting upon a certain game of hazard and address called Poker money of the value of five dollars bank notes of the value of five dollars and property of the value of five dollars upon the game aforesaid contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State

Challenger persons of the grand Jury William Donatelson Henry Hudson Bate Phillips Shalomo Holman William Holman George H Hall Lyle Goddard Silas Hamann John M Pierce Smith Samuel L. Lingo May

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Quarter County Greeting - you are hereby commanded to take the body of Robert Chesney if to be found in your County and him safely keep so that you have him before the honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday in June next fail not leave him there this Robert Chesney James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 1st Monday in July 1840

James Maxwell clk

Apr 5th March 1840. Came to hand 30th March 1840 not found in my County June 23rd 1840 W.P. Goodlow Off State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Quarter County Greeting you are hereby commanded to take the body of Robert Chesney if to be found in your County and him safely keep so that you have him before the honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday in October next then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful gaming fail not leave him there this Robert Chesney James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 2nd Monday in June 1840

James Maxwell clk

Apr 9th July 1840. Came to hand 11th July 1840. Executed 28th August 1840 hand taken State of Tennessee

Quarter County I do acknowledge and swear to and stand Sealed to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars each to be paid of and goods and Chattels lands and Tenements lawfully due to be paid and Condition that

Robert Chesney makes his personal appearance before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on Wednesday after the 1st Monday in October next then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful gaming and not depart from there until legally discharged Sworn under our hands and seals the 28th August 1840

Robert Chesney Pra Frederick Lock Pra

(Order of Record Oct 2nd 1840)

This day came the attorney General who prosecutes for the State in this behalf and the defendant being solemnly called to come into Court and answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful gaming came and did not make default. It is therefore considered by the Court that the defendant for the default aforesaid forfeit and pay to the State of Tennessee the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars according to the Tenor and effect of his being arraigned hereupon entered into before the Sheriff of Quarter County unless he show good and sufficient cause to the contrary at the next Term of this Court after notice of this Judgment and that a Deceitful Spaw to warn him

(February Term 1841)

This day came the attorney General as well as the defendant into open Court and the defendant being charged upon the presentment says he is guilty in manner and form as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the Court that for such his offense he make his fine of the payment of Two dollars and that he pay the cost of his prosecution hereupon Frederick Lock is of open Court and acknowledged himself the defendant's security for the fine and costs aforesaid and again that he enter into bond for the same with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee recover of the defendant and the said Frederick Lock the fine and costs aforesaid

The State

Gaming

Robert Chesney

State of Tennessee

Quarter County Preliminary Term of the Circuit Court Eighteen hundred and forty. The Grand Jury for the State of Tennessee elected impeached Swann and charged to enquire for the body of the County of Quarter in the State aforesaid upon the oath present that Robert Chesney appeared upon the first day of January Eighteen hundred and forty with force and arms in the County of Quarter in the State of Tennessee did thus and

two unlawfully gambled by betting upon a certain game of Hoag and another called Poker whereby the value of five dollars Banknotes of the value of five dollars and property of the value of five dollars upon the game after said contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State. Chatter Lehouning Foreman of the Grand Jury William Donaldson Henry Thomas Wm Phillips Absalom Holman William Holman George W. Hall Rufus W. Langford Selas Marmaduke John M. Pined J. J. Selford Smith Matlock George W. Ray.

State of Tennessee
To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting: you are hereby commanded to take the body of Robert Chesney and him safely keep so that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 5th Monday in June next. And then to answer the State upon a charge of Gaming said not have then that this Writ of Habeas Corpus Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 4th Monday in February 1840

James Maxwell, clk
Spd 10th March 1840, Came to hand 30th March 1840, not found in my County June 29th 1840 N.P. Goodbar Shff
State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting you are hereby commanded to take the body of Robert Chesney and him safely keep so that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 5th Monday in October next. And then to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of Gaming said not have then that this Writ of Habeas Corpus Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 4th Wednesday in June 1840

James Maxwell, clk
Spd 9th July 1840, Came to hand 11th July 1840, Entered 28th August 1840
Richard of Nevada Oct. Term 1840

This day came the attorney General who prosecutes for the State of Tennessee in this behalf and the defendant being solemnly called to come into Court and answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful Gaming came not but made default. It is therefore considered by the Court that the defendant for the default appearance forfeit and pay to the State of Tennessee the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars according to the laws and effect of his recognisance heretofore entered into before the Sheriff of Davidson County unless he show good and

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sufficient cause to the contrary at the next Term of this Court after notice of this Judgment. And that a writ of Habeas Corpus issue to have him
Feb. Term 1841

This day came the attorney General as well as the defendant into open Court and the defendant being charged upon the presentment says he is guilty in answer and for as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the Court that for such his offer he make his fine by the payment of five dollars and that he pay the costs of this prosecution. Whereupon Order is docketed in open Court as aforesaid himself the defendant's security for the fine and costs aforesaid and agrees that execution may issue against his goods and chattels, lands and tenements jointly with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee is come off the defendant and the said Order is docketed. And the fine and costs aforesaid -

The State
vs
Robert Chesney
State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting: you are hereby commanded to take the body of Robert Chesney and him safely keep so that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 5th Monday in October next. And then to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of unlawful Gaming and not default this Court with legally discharged and whereas afterwards to wit at October Term of said Court 1840 the said defendant having been solemnly called to come into Court and answer said charge came not but made default and it was thereupon considered by said Court that said Robert Chesney for the default aforesaid should forfeit and pay to the State of Tennessee the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars according to the laws and effect of his said bond unless good cause to the contrary be shown at the next Term. He therefore commands you that you make known to the said Robert Chesney the time of this writ and summons him personally to be and appear before the Judge of said said Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 4th Monday in February next. And then to show cause if any he has or knows of why the State of Tennessee shall not have execution against him for the amount of the

according to had no appearance. Heron's fail not bring James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 1st Monday in October 1840
 Spd 18th Nov 1840. Came to hand 21st Nov 1840 Entered by Summoning & Reading the writs to the defendant 20th Feby 1841
 James Maxwell Clerk
 P.P. Goodbar Off

Order of Record Feby Term 1841

an motion of the attorney General and with the assent of the Court the Verdict is dismissed upon the plaintiff paying the costs. Whereupon Frederick Deek Jur. in open Court acknowledged himself the defendant's security for the costs herein expended. It is therefore Considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee account of the defendant and the said Frederick Deek Jur. the costs aforesaid.

The State
 v
 Robert Chesney
 Sheriff of Tennessee
 State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting Whereas heretofore to wit and the 28th day of August 1840 before Wm. P. Goodbar Sheriff of said County Robert Chesney acknowledged himself to owe and stand indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars of his proper goods and chattels lands and tenements to be levied to the use of the State but to his said condition that he the said Robert Chesney should make his personal appearance before the Circuit Court of Davidson County at the Court house in the Town of Livingston on the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Wednesday in October next thereafter then and there to answer the State upon a charge of unlawful taking and not deposit the Court until legally discharged. And whereas afterwards to wit at the October Term of said Court 1840 the said Robert Chesney having been solemnly called to come into Court and answer said charge came not but made default and it was therefore Considered by the Court that said Robert Chesney for the default aforesaid should forfeit and pay to the State of Tennessee the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars according to the Tenor and effect of his said recognisance unless good cause be shown at the next Term. And therefore Command you that you make known to the said Robert Chesney the Tenor of this writ and summon him to be and appear before the Judge of our next Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 1st Wednesday day after the 1st Wednesday in February next then and there to show cause if any he has or knows of why the

Writ of Summons shall not have execution against him for the account of this writ as aforesaid. Heron's fail not leave there then this writ bring James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 1st Monday in October 1840
 James Maxwell Clerk
 Spd 18th Nov 1840. Came to hand 21st Nov 1840 Entered by Summoning and Reading the writs to the defendant 20th Feby 1841
 P.P. Goodbar Off

Order of Record Feby Term 1841

an motion of the attorney General and for reasons appearing to the Court the Verdict in this Cause is dismissed upon the defendant paying the costs. Whereupon Frederick Deek Jur. in open Court acknowledged himself the defendant's security for the costs herein expended and agrees that execution may issue against his goods and chattels lands and tenements jointly with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore Considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee account of the defendant and the said Frederick Deek Jur. the costs aforesaid.

Wm. P. Goodbar & Wm. P. Goodbar Clerks of David Goodbar
 George H. Davis and Joseph H. Huddle
 State of Tennessee
 To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting You are hereby Commanded to summon George H. Davis and Joseph H. Huddle personally to appear before the Judge of our next Honourable Circuit Court to be held for the County of Davidson at the Court house in the Town of Livingston on the 1st Wednesday of June next then and there to answer the last Will and Testament of Simon Huddleston dec'd of a plea of Covenant Broken to their damage Two thousand dollars Heron's fail not and have you then and there this writ bring James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 1st Monday of February A.D. 1840
 James Maxwell Clerk
 Spd 18th day of March 1840. Came to hand 6th April 1840 Entered on Joseph H. Huddle 13th April 1840
 W.P. Goodbar Off

To the Sheriff of Davidson County Greeting You are hereby Commanded to summon George H. Davis and Joseph H. Huddle personally to appear before the Judge of our next Honourable Circuit Court to be held for the County of Davidson at the Court house in the Town of Livingston on the 1st Wednesday of June next then and there to answer the last Will and Testament of Simon Huddleston dec'd of a plea of Covenant Broken to their damage Two thousand dollars Heron's fail not and have you then and there this writ bring James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 1st Monday of February A.D. 1840. James Maxwell Clerk

Apr 13th March 1840. This is the Counter part of a writ sent to Quarter County against Joseph H. Wendell.
 Commenced 28th March 1840. Executed 31st of March 1840
 North, Henry & L. H. Hoff

Order of Record June Term 1840

By Consent of the parties they have until the next Term of this Court to present in this Cause

Relative June 1840

This day came the plaintiffs by attorney and suggested to the Court that since the last Term of this Court Joseph H. Wendell and of the aforesaid defendants has departed this life which fact was satisfactorily proven to the Court and it is further suggested to the Court that there has been no administration upon the estate of the said Joseph H. Wendell. It is therefore a motion of the plaintiffs by their attorney ordered by the Court that in satisfaction of the judgment against his heirs, administrators at the next Term of this Court requiring them to appear and show Cause why they can or know of why this suit shall not be revived against them

This day came the plaintiffs and the defendant George H. Sevier in person and by their mutual consent and agreement all matters of difference between the plaintiffs and the said defendant George H. Sevier are referred to the final arbitration and award of Edward B. Cullum, George Christman and Joseph Bates and each of them shall fail to live by reason of death as either Cause the other Term are authorized to choose an other and the award of the said Edward B. Cullum, George Christman and Joseph Bates as of such person as they may choose is to be made the Judgment of the Court in this Cause and it is ordered by the Court that they return their award at the next Term of this Court.

February Term 1841

This day came the parties by their attorneys whereupon the arbitrators to whom the matters in dispute between the parties were submitted by a rule of this Court at the last Term returned their award in the following words to wit:

The undersigned to whom was referred the matters in dispute in this suit by the Order of the Circuit Court of Quarter County at October Term Term of 1840 do now return the following award in said Cause they have proceeded to examine the lands sold by John Sevier in his lifetime to Simon Wendellston which were covered by the Superior Title of John McLeard and also the lands conveyed by George H. Sevier and Joseph H. Wendell Administrators of the

land John Sevier to the said Simon Wendellston in lieu of the lands he owned by the title of the said John McLeard as shown to us by Simon & Wendellston and of the plaintiffs from which examination we are of opinion and determine and award that the lands sold by John Sevier to Simon Wendellston which was covered by the title of McLeard was of greater value by the amount of six hundred dollars than the lands conveyed by Sevier and Wendell to the said Simon Wendellston in lieu of the lands lost as aforesaid as account of being covered by the title of the said McLeard and it also appearing to us that the defendant has failed to put up his power to comply with his contract by conveying lands to the plaintiffs adjoining the premises aforesaid to make up the deficiency aforesaid having failed with his title there we do further determine and award that the defendant pay to the plaintiffs the aforesaid sum of six hundred dollars as money and that he pay the costs of this suit. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover of the defendant the aforesaid sum of six hundred dollars so awarded as aforesaid and also the costs herein expended.

The State
 vs
 William Beck
 Indicted for Grand Larceny

State of Tennessee
 Quarter County } Felony Term of the Circuit Court
 Eighteen hundred and forty one. The Grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee elected and sworn and charged to enquire for the body of the County of Quarter in the State of Tennessee upon this 24th day of December Eighteen hundred and forty with force and arms in the County of Quarter in the State of Tennessee and gave of the value of fifteen dollars the property of one Cornelius B. Daugherty in his possession then and there being found feloniously and steal taken and carry away contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State - William Cullum

Attorney General for the State of Tennessee
 in the fourth judicial District
 Cornelius B. Daugherty presented Polly Daugherty and William Hays Cook witnesses sworn and put under oath before the Grand Jury to give evidence in behalf of the State upon this 24th day of December in case of the proper officer
 24th February 1841
 J. H. Maxwell Clerk

A. Lord Will
 George Christman foreman of the Grand Jury

Order of Return July Term 1831

This day came the attorney General as well as the defendant in person and the defendant being arraigned upon the Bill of Indictment upon his arraignment says he is not guilty in answer and for as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the Country and the attorney General deposes the like and then came also a jury of good and lawful men to wit Isaac Craig William Walker John Carter Jesse Davis James Dickster William Munnels Thomas Lear William Holman James McCarroll James R. Copeland Robert L. Smith and John Offord who being elected tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the Issue of Leguer found upon their oath to say that the defendant is not guilty in answer and for as charged in the Bill of Indictment. It is therefore considered by the Court that the defendant go hence thereof with out day and that the State of Tennessee pay the cost of this prosecution.

The State

Thompson Henderson

State of Tennessee

Overton County

Gunning

February Term of the Circuit

Court in the year Eighteen hundred and forty. The grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee elected and sworn and charged to enquire for the body of the County of Overton in the State aforesaid upon their oath present that Green Copeland of common and Thompson Henderson of Overton and upon the first day of February Eighteen hundred and forty with force and arms in the County of Overton in the State of Tennessee did then and there unlawfully and feloniously by beating upon a certain game of Hazard and address called Cards among of the Value of five dollars Bank notes of the Value of five dollars and property of the Value of five dollars upon the game aforesaid contrary to the form of the Statute in such Case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State, Charles Channing foreman of the Grand Jury. Also John Holman William Holman George W. Ray Rufus McLaughlin Smith Abathole Beatty Phillips Jesse Colford Lewis A. Hill Henry Thomson

Order of Return July Term 1831

This day came the attorney General as well as the defendant in person and the defendant being charged upon the presentment says he is guilty in answer

and for as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the Court that for such his offense he make his fine by the payment of five dollars and that he pay the cost of this prosecution. Whereupon William Morris in open Court acknowledged himself the defendant's security for the fine and cost aforesaid and agree that execution may issue against his goods and chattels lands and Tenements jointly with the defendant for the Collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee is bound of the defendant and his said security the fine and cost aforesaid.

The President and Directors of the Bank of Tennessee

do hereby

William Vann William Williams J. B. McMillen and James Copeland

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Overton County Greeting you are hereby commanded to summon William Vann William Williams J. B. McMillen and James Copeland to appear before the honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in the Town of Livingston on the 3rd Monday in said next term and there to answer the President and Directors of the Bank of Tennessee of a plea that they are indebted to the said Bank of Tennessee for a sum of two hundred dollars which to them they owe and from unjustly detain to their damage one hundred dollars. To wit paid and have then their debt which James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 4th Monday of February 1831

James Maxwell Clerk

I acknowledge myself to owe and stand indebted to

Local Term, Tenn

\$200. Received. On 22nd July 1831, I received of James Maxwell Clerk of said Court the sum of two hundred dollars

for value received payable at the Branch Bank of Tennessee at Sparta this 3rd July 1831

William Williams Court Clerk J. B. McMillen Court Clerk J. R. Copeland Court Clerk

State of Tennessee Overton County

The President and Directors of the Bank of Tennessee by attorney Complaint of William Vann William Williams J. B. McMillen and James Copeland Summonsed &c. of a plea that they are indebted to the said Bank of Tennessee for a sum of two hundred dollars which to them they owe and from them unjustly detain for that the said William Vann by his felonious and riotous acts with his hands and dated the 3rd day of July 1831 and

here to the Court shown promised to pay to the order of the said William Littleburn Two hundred dollars at the Branch of the Bank of Lumpsum at Spartan Six months after the date thereof and the said William Littleburn then and there by his endorsement upon the back of the said promissory note bearing date the day and year aforesaid signed with his hand and here to the Court shown endorsed the same to J. B. McMillen and the said J. B. McMillen by his endorsement upon the back of said promissory note signed with his hand and dated the day and year last aforesaid and here to the Court shown endorsed the same to the said James Copeland and the said James Copeland by his endorsement upon the back of the said promissory note signed with his hand bearing date the same day and year last aforesaid and here to the Court shown endorsed the same to the plaintiffs and the plaintiffs aver that the said promissory note was on the 6th day of January 1831 presented at the Bank of the Bank of Lumpsum at Spartan and payment thereof then and there demanded and refused and that the said note was then and there duly protested for non payment by James G. Mitchell, notary public for White County of all which said defendants had due notice by reason whereof and by virtue of the Statutes the said debt became liable to pay the plaintiffs the said sum of \$200 with the cost and charges of protest, yet said defendants through often requested have not as yet paid the plaintiffs the said sum of money or any part thereof but to pay the same have hitherto wholly failed and refused and still refuses to the damage of the plaintiff \$100, and therefore he prays

Order of Record June June 1831

This day came the plaintiffs by attorney and the defendants being solemnly called to Court into Court and appeared this said Court not but the said defendant. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover of the defendants the sum of Two hundred dollars the debt in the plaintiffs declaration mentioned together with the further sum of ten dollars and Eighty Cents damages for the detention of this debt and also the costs herein expended.

Wm. Littleburn

vs. Debt

Thomas Chauplin

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting You are hereby Comanded to summon Thomas Chauplin to appear before the Honorable Court and Court to be held for the County of Carter at the Court house in Livingston on the 11th Monday in February next then and there to answer

Wm. Littleburn of a plea of Debt that he owes unto him the sum of Two hundred and thirty Eight dollars and forty Cents which to him he owes and from him unjustly claims to his damage Two hundred dollars and not have them then this said William Littleburn Clerk of said Court at Office the 1st Monday in October 1830

James Maxwell Clerk

I acknowledge my self to owe and stand indebted to Thomas Chauplin in the sum of Two hundred dollars to wit: an Court here that Wm. Littleburn shall prosecute an action of Debt with effect this day commenced by him in the Circuit Court of Carter County against the said Chauplin as in Case he said therein that he satisfy and pay all costs and damages that may be adjudged against him therein by said Court given under my hand and Seal this 26th day of Nov. 1830

John B. Murphy (Jr.)

the 26th Nov 1830. Came to hand 28th Nov. 1830. One entry 15th Jan. 1831

W. D. Goddard Clerk

\$338. 40. May 11th 1839. Eighteen months after date of promise to pay to the order of Wm. Littleburn Two hundred and thirty Eight dollars for Value received

Thomas Chauplin

State of Tennessee }
Carter County }
Sheweth Chauplin who has been regularly summoned as aforesaid of Debt that he owes unto him the sum of Two hundred and thirty Eight dollars and forty Cents which to him he owes and from him unjustly claims, and that on the 11th day of May 1839 in the County and State aforesaid the said defendant by his certain Writing obligating under his own proper hand and Seal the date whereof is the day and year last aforesaid which said Writing obligating is now due to the said Chauplin promised Eighteen months after date meaning Eighteen months after the said Writing obligating to pay to the said plaintiff the sum of Two hundred and thirty Eight dollars and forty Cents for Value received &c. yet the said defendant not repaying his said promise so made by him aforesaid has not as yet paid to the said plaintiff the said sum of Two hundred and thirty Eight dollars and forty Cents or any part thereof agreeable to the sum and effect of his said Writing obligating but to pay the same or any part thereof hitherto said defendant has hitherto wholly failed and refused and still fails and refuses so to do in the County and State aforesaid and therefore the said plaintiff prays

Wm. D. Goddard

Now the defendant by attorney comes and appears &c. and says that the said declaration because he says he has not and has not paid the debt in the said declaration and of which he puts him self upon the Country

Richardson for Debt

and self likewise

Gilbert & Goddard

(Order of Record June Term 1841)

This day came the parties by their attorneys and there came also a jury of good and lawful men to wit, Jonathan A. Seidel, Abraham Hargis, George Ray, William Davis, Thomas Hill, William Darity, Lipo Hobbs, Joseph Smith, William C. Harrison, Stephen H. Copeland, Thompson A. Grace and Benjamin Flowers who being elected tried and sworn the books to speak upon the issue found upon their oath to say that they find the issue for the plaintiff and do assess the plaintiffs damages according to the detention of his debt to eleven dollars and twelve cents besides cost of suit. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of two hundred and thirty eight dollars and forty cents the debt in the plaintiffs declaration mentioned together with his damages aforesaid in form aforesaid assessed and also the costs herein expended.

James Maxwell

In Debt

William Mayfield Stephen Mayfield & Hardin P. Ogleby

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County, Gretna, you are hereby commanded to summon William Mayfield, Stephen Mayfield and Hardin P. Ogleby, to appear before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court House in Springtown on the 2nd Monday in February next then and there to answer James Maxwell, Clerk and master of the Circuit Court of Carter County for the use and benefit of James Harrison Administrator of James Harris deceased of a plea of debt that they render unto him the sum of five hundred and thirteen dollars and forty cents which to him they owe and from him unjustly detain to his damages two hundred dollars paid not law then there this debt being James Maxwell, Clerk of said Court at office the 1st Monday in October 1840.

James Maxwell Clerk
I acknowledge myself security for the plaintiff in the above suit this 19th day of Dec. 1840. A. C. Cullen Esq.

By Jas. Maxwell
Jas 19th Dec. 1840 - I do acknowledge the service of the within writ this 21st December 1840

William Mayfield
Stephen Mayfield

Reverend Am. Ogleby 5th January 1841

\$513.50 Twelve months after date we promised to pay James Maxwell Clerk of the Circuit Court of Carter County Two hundred and thirteen dollars and forty cents

for value received this 2nd day of December 1839

William Mayfield Esq.
Stephen Mayfield Esq.
Hardin P. Ogleby Esq.

State of Tennessee February Term 1841

Carter County James Maxwell by attorney complains of William Mayfield, Stephen Mayfield and Hardin P. Ogleby summoned to answer him of a plea of debt of \$513.50 which to him they owe and from him unjustly detain He shew that on the second day of December 1839 in the County aforesaid the said defendants by their writing a obligatory of that date have shown to the Court aforesaid Twelve months after the date thereof to pay the plaintiff \$513.50 for value received ^{received} ~~received~~ the plaintiff avers that the defendants did not pay him said sum of money Twelve months after the date of said bond though often requested but to pay the same as any point thereof the defendants have hitherto wholly failed and refused and still fail and refuse to the plaintiffs damages two hundred dollars therefore he sues

Said the defendants come by their attorney and defend the money and as for plea say that the plaintiff ought not to have and maintain his said action because they say they have well and truly paid the same and of this they put themselves upon the Country
And the plaintiff doth the like A. C.

(Order of Record June Term 1841)

This day came the parties by their attorneys and there came also a jury of good and lawful men to wit, Jonathan A. Seidel, Abraham Hargis, George Ray, William Davis, Thomas Hill, William Darity, Lipo Hobbs, Joseph Smith, William C. Harrison, Stephen H. Copeland, Thompson A. Grace and Benjamin Flowers who being elected tried and sworn the books to speak upon the issue found upon their oath to say that they find the issue for the plaintiff and do assess the plaintiffs damages according to the detention of his debt to seventeen dollars and thirteen cents besides cost of suit. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of five hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents the debt in the plaintiffs declaration mentioned together with his damages aforesaid in form aforesaid assessed and also the costs herein expended.

James Maxwell

In Debt

William Mayfield Stephen Mayfield & Hardin P. Ogleby

State of Tennessee
To the Sheriff of Carter County, Gretna, you are hereby commanded to summon John Mayfield, Stephen

Appointed and Richard P. Olesby to appear before the Honorable
Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston and the 1st Monday
in February next then and there to answer James Maxwell Clerk
and Att. of the Circuit Court of Carter County for the use
and benefit of James Maxwell Administrator of James
Maxwell Deceased of a plea of Debt that they render unto him
the sum of Seven hundred and fifty nine dollars and
fifty Cents which to him they owe and from him unjustly
detain to his damage Two hundred dollars fail not have
then then this Writ. Return James Maxwell Clerk of said
Court at Office the 5th Monday in October 1840

James Maxwell Clerk
I acknowledge myself the plaintiff Security in the above
Court 19th December 1840
A Cullman

By Jas. Maxwell
Spd 19th Dec^r 1840. He acknowledges the service of the
Writs what this 21st day of December 1840. John Mayfield
J. Mayfield
Came to hand 30th Dec^r 1840 Executed as Olesby 5th January
1841

Spd 30th Dec^r 1840 Twelve months after date we promise to
pay James Maxwell Clerk and Master of the Circuit
Court of Carter County Seven hundred and fifty nine
dollars and fifty Cents for Value Received this 30th day
of December 1839
John Mayfield
Stephen Mayfield
H. P. Olesby

State of Tennessee }
Carter County }
James Maxwell by Attorney Com-
plain of John Mayfield Stephen Mayfield and
Richard P. Olesby Summoned to answer him of a plea
of Debt of \$759.50 which to him they owe and from him
detain to his damage He has that on the 2nd day of
December 1839 in the County aforesaid the said defendants
by their Attorney Olesby of the date aforesaid have
Shewn to the Court promised Twelve months after the
date thereof to pay the plaintiff \$759.50 for Value Recd.
Now the plaintiff avers that the defendants did not
pay him said sum of money Twelve months after the
date of said Writing obligating him to pay the same
as any part thereof they have hitherto wholly failed
though often requested and well paid and refuse to
the plaintiffs damage \$700 therefore he says
A Cullman

And the defendants know by their Attorney and stand
the moving He and his plea say that the plaintiffs ought
not to have and maintain his aforesaid Actions
because they have well and truly paid the same

and of this they put themselves upon the Country. R. L. Givens
and the plaintiff both the like A.C.
Order of Record June Term 1841

This day came the parties by their attorneys and
there came also a Jury of good and lawful men to wit Jonathan
A. Swell Abraham Rogers George Ray William Davis Thomas Hill
William Doby J. P. Roberts Joseph Smith William C. Harmon
Stephen H. Copeland Thompson R. Grace and Bryan and Havers
who being elected tried and sworn the facts to speak upon the
Issue joined upon their oaths do say that they find the Issue for
the plaintiff and do assess the plaintiffs damage occasioned by
the detention of his debt to Twenty five dollars and Eighty and
Cents his costs of suit. It is therefore Considered by the Court
that the plaintiff recover of the defendants the sum of Seven
hundred and fifty nine dollars and fifty Cents the debt in
the plaintiffs declaration mentioned together with his damage
aforesaid in form aforesaid assessed and also the costs herein
expended.

Shawn Cullman assigned of R. Gibson }
John R. Beck and Isaac Stockton }
State of Tennessee

To the the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting Summon
John R. Beck and Isaac Stockton to appear before the Judge
of the Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston and the fourth
Monday of June next then and there to answer Shawn Cullman
of a plea assigned of R. Gibson of a plea of Debt of \$356.50
which to him they owe and from him unjustly detain to
his damage \$250 have you then then this Writ. Return
James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 4th
Monday of February 1841 (James Maxwell)

Security P. H. Armstrong
Spd 5th June 1841. Came to hand 8th June 1841.
Executed as Beck this 17th June 1841. H. P. Olesby

State of Tennessee
To the Sheriff of Carter County Summon Isaac Stockton
to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court at the
Court house in Livingston and the 11th Monday of June
next then and there to answer Shawn Cullman assigned of R.
Gibson of a plea of Debt of \$356.50 which to him he owes
and from him he detains to his damage \$150 have you then
then this Writ. Return James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at
Office the 11th Monday of February 1841 James Maxwell

Spd 5th June 1841
This is the Counterpart of a Writ issued against Isaac Stockton and John
R. Beck to the Sheriff of Carter County James Maxwell

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Executed as Isaac Stockton the 28th of June 1831 and came
to hand the same day executed *Chas. Choate* 4th
p 356th Nashville 10th May 1839

Six months after date we promised to pay R. Gibson
at the Planters Bank of Tennessee in Nashville Three
hundred and fifty six dollars for value received
Beck & Stockton

I assign the within to A. Cullens with out recourse either
in law or equity & Vouch the debt being repaid
Robt. Gibson

State of Tennessee } June Term 1841
Carter County } Shows Cullens assignee of Robert
Gibson by attorney complains of John R. Beck and
Isaac Stockton summoned to answer him of a plea
of Debt of \$356.57. Which to him they owe and from
him demand. For that on the 10th day May 1839 at
Nashville in the County aforesaid the said defendants
by description of Beck & Stockton by this promissory
note of that date him shown to the Court promised
Six months after the date thereof to pay to R. Gibson
\$356.57 at the Planters Bank of Tennessee and afterwards
on the day of the said debt being enforced the
said R. Gibson assigned said note to the plaintiff
which is here shown to the Court now the plaintiff
avows that the defendant did not send him any money
to said R. Gibson nor to the plaintiff six months after
the date of said note at the planters Bank of Tennessee
although the same was duly presented and protested
for non payment by reasons of which the plaintiff
was put to the cost and expense of proving the same
protested, but the said defendants to pay said sum of
money as any part thereof though often requested
have hitherto wholly failed and refused and still fail
and refuse to the plaintiff damages \$150. Therefore he
sues
A. Cullens attor

Order of the Court June Term 1841

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the
defendant, being solemnly called to come into Court and defend
this suit could not but stand default. It is therefore Resolved
by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendants the
sum of three hundred and fifty six dollars and fifty cents
the debt in the plaintiffs declaration mentioned together
with the further sum of thirty six dollars and twenty
five cents damages for the detention thereof and
also the costs herein expended And the plaintiff
agrees that execution shall be stayed for
four months,

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William S. Phillips

Joshua Wright

Appeal

State of Tennessee } To any lawful officer of said County to
Carter County } execute the you will summons Joshua Wright
to appear before some sitting Justice of the peace in and for said
County to answer William S. Phillips upon Order Given under my
hand and seal this the 3rd day of January 1841 *Nelcy Miller*
Executed and set forthal before Nelcy Miller against Gibson
the 13th 1841 *A. Key Court*

In this case at my own house it being the day set for trial the
plaintiff appeared and the defendant not appearing in due time
Wherefore it is considered by me that the plaintiff do recover a
Judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$400 Debt matured
50 cents rendering Judgment 35 cents in all 75 cents Cost Given under
my hand and seal this the said 28th day of February 1841
Nelcy Miller

Now which Judgment the said defendant Joshua Wright
demands an appeal to the next Term of the Circuit Court for Carter
County which is granted to him he having shown bond and security
according to law this the 29th day of February 1841 *Nelcy Miller*
He then answers to William S. Phillips on the sum of Six dollars
to be paid of Joshua Wright who has the day appointed to the next
Term of the Circuit Court for Carter County for a Judgment Nelcy
Miller as Justice of the peace of said County in favor of William S.
Phillips against him for \$4.00 besides costs included now of the
said Wright does prosecute said appeal with effect this bond
to be void otherwise to be in force this the said 29th day of
February 1841
Joshua Wright
John Christianson

Order of the Court June Term 1841

This day came the plaintiff and dismisses her suit
It is therefore Considered by the Court that the defendant go
home thing and recover of the plaintiff the costs herein
expended.

Thomas Chauplin

George Jackson

Sequestrator

State of Tennessee }
to the Sheriff of Carter County Granting. Whereas heretofore to wit
on the 17th day of July 1839 before John Christianson, a sitting
Justice of the peace in and for the County of Carter George
Jackson executed and acknowledged bond to Thomas
Chauplin in the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars
but to be void in condition that David Jackson
should prosecute an appeal by him taken on that day

finds a Judgment rendered against him in favor of the said Thomas Schaumpkins before the same Justice his Justice of the Peace as aforesaid for the sum of One hundred and twenty eight dollars, Debt and Interest besides Cost to the Circuit Court of Carter County to be held at Swingsboro on the fourth Monday in October 1839 with effect as in case he find therein that he should pay the Judgment with costs damages as should be adjudged against him thereon by said Court and whereas afterwards to wit on the 1st day of November 1839 at the October term aforesaid of said Court the said debt was determined when it was rendered by the Court that the plaintiff should recover of the defendant the sum of One hundred and Eighty dollars namely three and three fourths Cents Debt together with the further sum of Fifteen dollars and fifty cents Interest besides Costs of suit as appears to us of Record and whereas afterwards to wit on the 23rd day of May 1840 a writ of Habeas Corpus was issued and said Judgment tested the fourth Monday in February 1840 and placed in the hands of the Sheriff of Carter County whereby he was commanded that of the goods and chattels lands and Tenements of David Jackson he cause to be made the Debt damages and Costs aforesaid upon which writ the said Sheriff received return to the said Sum of One hundred and twenty eight dollars in these words to wit no property found in my County as also appears to us of Record. We therefore Command you that you make known to the said George Jackson the Tenor of this writ and summons him personally to be and appear before the Honorable Circuit Court to be held at the Court house in Swingsboro on the 4th Monday in June next (that and there to show Cause if any he has or knows of why the said Thomas Schaumpkins shall not have execution against him to be levied upon his goods and chattels lands and Tenements for the Satisfaction of the debt damages and Costs aforesaid. Given under the Seal of said Court at Swingsboro on the 17th day of June 1841. James Maxwell Clerk. Spd 17th June 1841. Sealed to James Maxwell Sheriff Executed as herein Commanded 22nd June 1841.

Order of Record June Term 1841

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called to come into Court and defend this writ. Can't not but made default. It is therefore considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of One hundred and thirty Two dollars and fifty cents the amount of the Judgment in the Secrecias mentioned together

and the Cost of the original. With the further sum of thirteen dollars and seventy five cents the amount of the Interest that has accrued on the Judgment in the Secrecias mentioned and the Cost of the original all put together with the Cost by him expended in being out and prosecuting this Secrecias

The State

Appant & Battery

Isaac V. Hooser

State of Tennessee } Preliminary Sum of the Circuit Court
Carter County } Eighteen hundred and forty one

The Grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee do hereby Commanded Summon and charged to appear for the body of the County of Carter aforesaid upon this date pursuant that Isaac V. Hooser you command upon the first day of January Eighteen hundred and forty one with force and arms in the County of Carter in the State of Tennessee and upon and Joseph Flowers in the peace of good and sound said State then and there being an Appant and Battery and that the said Joseph Flowers did then and there beat and wound and ill treat and other wrongs and injuries to the said Joseph Flowers and to his great damages in contempt of the law of the land and against the peace and dignity of the State

Benjamin Flowers Prosecuted. A True Bill George Johnson Foreman of the Grand Jury

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting. You are hereby Commanded to take the body of Isaac V. Hooser it to be present in your County and bind safely keep so that you have him before the honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Swingsboro on the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday in June next. And there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of an Appant & Battery you not have then there this writ libeling James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office the 17th Monday in June 1841. J. P. Maxwell Clerk

Spd 17th March 1841. Executed and appeared David Jackson 10th April 1841. J. P. Maxwell Sheriff

We acknowledge ourselves to and are and stand Indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars each to his lands of and respective goods and chattels lands and Tenements jointly but to his void and Conclusions that Isaac V. Hooser make his personal appearance before the Honorable Circuit Court at the Court house in Swingsboro on the 4th Monday after the 8th Monday in June next there and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a charge of Appant & Battery and not Appant from thence until legally discharged under our hands and seals this 10th day of April 1841. Isaac V. Hooser (and) J. P. Maxwell (and)

(Order of Record June Term 1841.)

This day came the Attorney General as well as the defendant being charged upon the bill of indictment says he is guilty in manner and form as charged therein and for his trial puts himself upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is therefore considered by the Court that for such his offence he make his fine by the payment of Five dollars and that he pay the cost of this prosecution. Whereupon Joseph Barnes in open Court acknowledged himself the defendant being for the fine and costs aforesaid and agrees that execution may issue against his goods and chattels lands and tenements jointly with the defendant for the collection of the same. It is therefore considered by the Court that the State of Tennessee recovers of the defendant and the said Joseph Barnes the fine and costs aforesaid.

The State

vs
Richard Stone
} Overseer of a Road

State of Tennessee } February Term of the Circuit
Carter County } Court Eighteen hundred and
forty and The grand Jurors for the State of Tennessee
Elected empowered Sworn and charged to inquire
for the body of the County of Carter aforesaid upon
their oath present that Richard Stone Yeoman upon
the first day of January Eighteen hundred and forty one
with force and arms in the County of Carter in the State
of Tennessee then and there being the Overseer of a certain
public Road and high way situate in the County and
State aforesaid from the said Road to the Jackson
County line and being said Overseer aforesaid did
then and there permit said public Road of which
he the said Richard Stone is said Overseer as aforesaid
to be and remain out of legal repair for more than fifteen
days together being then and there absconded for all
the time aforesaid together with logs trees galls and
holes Banks Holes roots and mires to the great hinder-
ance of the publick travelling to pass over the same contrary
to the form of the Statute in such case made and
provided and against the peace and dignity of the State.

William Cullowath Esq.

John Carter Prosecuted,

A True Bill. George Cheshead foreman of the Grand Jury
State of Tennessee.

To the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting. You are
hereby commanded to take the body of Richard Stone
up to be found in your County cause him safely keep so

that you have him before the Honorable Circuit Court to be held at
the Court house in Livingston on the first Wednesday after the 8th
Monday in June next then and there to answer the State of
Tennessee upon a charge as an Overseer of a Road having failed and
have then there this last Writings James Maxwell Clerk of said Court
at Office the 18th Monday in February 1841. James Maxwell Clerk
Jas 1st March 1841. Came to hand 4th March 1841. Executed 27th
March 1841.

Wm Donaldson Esq.

State of Tennessee } Know all men by these presents that the said Richard
Carter County } Stone and John Stone do hereby acknowledge and swear to
and stand indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Two
hundred and fifty dollars to be levied upon their goods and chattels lands
and tenements to the said State and Conditions that the said Richard Stone
make his personal appearance before the Honorable Circuit Court of
Carter County at Livingston on the first Wednesday after the 8th
Monday in June next then and there to answer the State of
Tennessee upon a charge as an Overseer of a Road and not defend
himself without leave of the Court Writings and have then this
27th day of March 1841.

Richard Stone
John Stone

(Order of Record June Term 1841)

This day came the Attorney General as well as the defendant
in person and the defendant being charged upon the presentment
says he is guilty in manner and form as charged therein and for his
trial puts himself upon the grace and mercy of the Court. It is
therefore considered by the Court that for such his offence he
make his fine by the payment of one dollar and that he pay
the cost of this prosecution.

Hermin H. Hodges

vs
Alexander Walker

State of Tennessee

To the Sheriff of Carter County Greeting. You are hereby commanded
to summons Alexander Walker to appear before the Honorable
Circuit Court at the Court house in Livingston on the 8th Monday
in February next then and there to answer Hermin H. Hodges
of a plea of Trespass and the case to his damage Five hundred
dollars having failed and have then there this last Writings James
Maxwell Clerk of said Court at Office the 27th Monday in October
1840.

James Maxwell Clerk.

I acknowledge myself to owe and stand indebted to Alexander
Walker in the sum of Five hundred dollars to his use and
Conditions that Hermin Hodges prosecute and recover of Trespass and
the case with effect this day commenced by Hodges in the Circuit
Court of Carter County against the said Walker as and as he
said therein that he pay and satisfy all costs and damages
that may be adjudged against him therein by said Court.

Lived under my hand and seal this 28th day of Oct. 1840.
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Sigs 28th Oct 1840, Came to hand 28th Oct 1840, Executed by same
month H.P. Crothers Off
P.L.S.

The State
vs
Samuel Bunker
Appant & Battery

To the Sheriff of Queen County Greeng. You are hereby commanded
to take the body of Samuel Bonded up to be found in your County
and him safely keep so that you have him fastened before
the Honorable Court and Court now sitting at the Court house in
Livingston then and there to answer the State of Tennessee upon a
Charge of an Assault and Battery for I have heard there there
that went William James Maxwell Clerk of said Court at office
the 4th Monday in June 1841 James Maxwell Clerk
Jno 29th June 1841. (Signed) M.D. Goodlow Jff

This day came the attorney General as well as the defendant in person and the defendant being charged upon the Bill of Indictment says he is not guilty in manner and form as charged and for his trial puts himself upon the Country and the attorney General calls the like and there came also a Jury of good and lawful men to wit, William Hardy, William Daniel, Richard Copeland, Jonathan A. Sweet, Abraham, George Large til King, William Davis, Thomas Kier, William Daily, Jesse Roberts, Joseph Smith and John T. A. Good who being directed and sworn the jurists to speak upon the Issue of Law and Fact upon their oath do say that the defendant is guilty in manner and form as charged in the Bill of Indictment. It is therefore considered by the Court that for such his offer or he make his fine by the payment of five dollars and that he pay the costs of this prosecution whereupon William P. Goodland in open Court acknowledged himself of the defendants security for the fine and costs offered and