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At a Court of Oyer & Terminer Held at the Court
House on Friday the 4th Day of December 1889
On the Trial of said a negro man Slave belonging
to Elisha Kinard of the ^{County of Anson} State of North Carolina
for feloniously ~~breaking~~ breaking & entering the
Store House of John Wright Merchant
of this County on the night of the 15th
Day of November last and taking there
Sundry Goods ^{wares and} to the Value of ^{wares & merchandises} fifty pounds

Present Geo Gurley Wm Hines }
Thomas Ridley Wm Edwards } Justs
Jos. Vick

The Court being then constituted the prisoner
was led to the Bar & charged with the Felony
aforesaid, to which he pleaded not guilty &
divers witnesses being sworn and examined
and the prisoner heard in his own defence
on consideration whereof and the Circumstances
of the Case it is the opinion of the Court
That the prisoner is guilty of the Felony aforesaid
Therefore it is considered by the Court
that he be hung by the neck for the said
Felony till he be dead & it is ordered
That the Sheriff cause Execution of the said
Sentence to be done on the ^{1st} Monday of January
1900: Sometime between the Hours of 12 & 2 o'clock
In the afternoon

Memorandum The Court Value
the above Slave Ned to Forty
Five pounds.