Thursday Morning February 22nd. 1876

Present

The Hon. E. W. Urquhart, Judge

Henry Stephens who stands Convicted of a Felony was again led to the bar in Custody of the gaoler of this Court, and it being demanded of him if anything for himself he had or knew to say why the Court here should not proceed to pronounce judgment against him according to law, and nothing being offered in arrest or delay of judgment, it is Considered by the Court that the said Henry Stephens be ~~imprisoned~~ in the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term Eighteen months the period by the jury in their verdict ascertained.
And it is Ordered that the Sheriff of this County do, as soon as possible, after the adjournment of this Court, receive and safely Convey the said Henry Stephens from the jail of this Court to the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth, there to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner directed by law. And thereupon the said Henry Stephens is remanded to jail.

Sam Long who stands indicted of Burglary was this day set to the bar in Custody of the gaoler of this Court, and being thereof arraigned pleaded not guilty to the indictment, and a panel of Station Bonney, of the twenty four summoned by the Sheriff, were examined by the Court and found free from all legal exception and qualified to serve as jurors according to law. Thereupon the accused peremptorily challenged four of the jurors, and the remaining twelve jurors to wit, C. A. Ricks, John J. Yates, J. H. Rollins, R. C. Davis, G. H. Williams, W. L. Williams, C. C. Bradshaw, B. T. Hundley, Lawson Vaughan, James Bonney, E. W. Canady and E. W. Hedgepeth, were elected tried and sworn, the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having heard the evidence upon their oaths do say "We the jury find the prisoner not Guilty". And thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is, and nothing further appearing or being alleged against the said Sam Long it is Considered by the Court that the said Sam Long be acquitted and discharged of the Burglary aforesaid, and go thence without day.

Nick Higgins, Geo. H. Vick and Jacob Ricks bound in Court, separately and individually acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of one hundred Dollars, to be levied of each of their goods and Chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of the Commonwealth, if they shall make default in the Condition under written.
The above recognizance is such, that if the above Nick Higgins, Geo. H. Vick and Jacob Ricks shall personally personally appear before this Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth against Henderson Stines, who stands indicted of murder and shall not depart thence with the leave of the said Court, then the above recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force and virtue.

The Court certifies that B. S. Thomas, R. A. Preston, J. E. Gillette, J. H. Brooks, Thomas Vaughan, Lewis Hooks, H. A. Dozier, Nathan Johnson, J. E. Rowe, W. S. Bracey, J. F. Branch, R. S. Vincent, A. C. Stuffields, Geo. H. Claud, J. E. Westbrook, Stanley Barham and M. M. Clayton, are entitled to one dollar each for their services, this term, as grand jurors, to be paid out of the County levy.