

Tuesday Morning September 17<sup>th</sup> 1878

Present Hon. J. W. Updegraff Judge

Elbert Branch who stands convicted of felony was again set to the bar in custody of the Jailor of this Court & it being demanded of him if anything for himself he had or knew to say why the Court there should not pronounce judgment against him according to law and nothing being offered or alleged in delay of judgment, it is considered by the Court that the said Elbert Branch be imprisoned in the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of five years the period, by the Jurors in this matter ascertained. And it is ordered that the Sheriff of this County do as soon as possible after the adjournment of this Court remove and safely convey the said Elbert Branch from the Jail of this County to the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth therein to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner directed by law, for the period aforesaid and thereupon the said Elbert Branch is remanded to jail.

The Commonwealth Plaintiffs  
against  
Wm Moore and S. E. Riggie Defendants  
Upon an indictment for  
felony

On motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth and for reason appearing to the Court this case is continued until the first day of the next term, and the defendants are remanded to jail, until they shall enter into recognizance in the sum of ~~One Hundred~~ <sup>Fifty</sup> Dollars each, for their personal appearance before the Court on the first day of the next term (thereof), to answer the Commonwealth of and concerning the felony of which they stand charged.

J. J. Seale, E. B. Ellwreth, P. F. Leland, J. H. Smith, Thomas Maltby, P. G. Thomas, and Thos. A. Harrison have in Court severally acknowledged themselves indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of ~~One Hundred~~ <sup>Five</sup> dollars each of their several goods & chattels, lands & tenements to be lived to the use of the Commonwealth, Upon this condition that if the said, J. J. Seale, E. B. Ellwreth, P. F. Leland, J. H. Smith, Thomas Maltby, P. G. Thomas and Thos. A. Harrison shall make their personal appearance before the Judge of this Court on the first day of the next term, and give such release as they & each of them know on behalf of the Commonwealth against <sup>Wm</sup> Moore & Riggie charged with felony and shall not depart thence without leave of the said Court