Landon Co. Misc Papers - Criminal Cases
1796

Watson, Thomas (Mulatto)

1796-012

Charge - Running away with A
Minor

Nancy Wilding - minor
Complaint - Jacob Wilding - father

Howard Glesson

Watson &c
to
C Wealth
1796 Nov.r 15th Ord.d to
enter Rec.d in £100 & 2
Sec.y in £50 each for
his appr.d at grandjury
to answer Indt &c
R Coleman & Andrew
Lane Sec.y Rec.d &c
1797 March 14th Cont.d
til 2nd Monday June
next

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Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Watson Edward Gleason and Jenston Cleveland of the county of Loudoun and State of Virginia are held and firmly Bound unto George Brook Esq Governor of Virginia Thomas Watson Defendant in the just and full sum of one hundred pounds specia and the said Gleason And Cleveland in fifty pound Each of like Money for which payment will and truly to be made We bind our selves and Each of our heirs Exctrs admrs Or assigns to pay or cause to be paid unto the said Brook Governor on Demand Witness our hands and seals this 3d Day of November seventeen hundred and Ninty six

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas Thomas Watson hath commited abreach Against the peace and Edward Gleson and Jenston Cleveland hath become his security for his appearance at the next court held for Loudoun county now if The said Gleason and Cleveland Shall Deliver the said Watson to the said Court at the time above Mentured then this obligation shall be void or otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

Witness our hand and seals this 3d Day of November seventeen hundred and Ninety six

Thomas Jourdan

Thomas his Watson (Seal)

Edward Mark Gleason (Seal)

Johnston Cleveland (Seal)

found a true bill
George Thaley
foreman

Costs 17 " 99
Ind^t &c 1 " 02
Ext — 40
$19 " 41

Wealth
vs
Watson } Ind^t

1797 June 12^th Ret^d true
bill & cont^d aug^t 14^th
N^l & cont^d 15^th Arthur
Cinkers 7 Days pl^ce
Geo Davis 6 D^o
nov^r
14^th Agreed Deft
pay Costs, 16^th
Thomas Jordan
6 days pl^ce Wealth

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| att^o 8 W^s 18 W^s 18 | | 44 |
| Ord 26 recog 54 | | 80 |
| Cont 26 Ind^t 18 doc 8 | | 52 |
| Cont 26 J^r 18 ord 26 | | 70 |
| Cont 26 W^s 54 Co 54 | | 134 |
| Spt 36 Shff 126 | | 162 |
| W^s 1007 Law 250 | | 1257 |
| | | $17.99 |

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Loudoun County to wit The Jurors for the body of the County of Loudoun & State of Virginia upon their Oaths present that Thomas Watson a Mulatto man laborer of the Parish of Cameron & County ass^d on the twenty fourth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety six & fully deceitfully & subtilly did beguile deceive delude and cozen and entice & induce a certain Nancy Wilding an Infant under the age of eighteen years to clandestinely & privately quit & leave on the day year & place ass^d the house government care & tuition of her Parents certain Jacob Wilding & Cassandre his wife without their knowledge or assent and on the day & year ass^d to repair with him to the house of one John Smith in the Parish & County ass^d & that he the S^d Watson then & there by art deceit false & feigned pretences did prevail on the S^d Nancy to bed & cohabit with him the S^d Watson And to the great Grief & Sorrow of her Parents the ass^d Jacob & Cassandre good & orderly Citizens of this Common wealth by means whereof ~~the~~ the S^d Jacob lost the services of the S^d Nancy ~~—~~ for the space of six days from the day & year ass^d and by means whereof the great anger and resentment of the S^d Jacob & Cassandre was justly excited & raised against him the S^d Watson to the great annoyance & disturbance of the Public peace & tranquility and against the dignity & peace of this Common wealth

Ordered by the Court

C Burns Cl

A Harrison Jr Dep^ty Att^o for the County of Loudoun & Common wealth of Virginia

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Loudoun Sct. To the Keeper of Common Jail of Loudoun County

We send you herewith the Body of Thos. Watson, & John Smith taken & brought before us for receiving sundry stolen goods the property of Jacob Wilding knowing them to be stolen, and other Misdemeanors by them Committed against the peace and you are hereby required, in the name of the Common wealth to receive the said Thos. Watson & John Smith in your Custody, and them safely to keep in the Common Jail, untill they shall procure suffi=cient securities to be bound with them in a Recog=nizance to Geo. Brook Esqr. Governour of Virginia that is to say them selves in the Sum of One hundred pounds & each of the said Securities in the sum of fifty pounds each for their person=nal appearance at the next Court to be held for this County and to do what shall then & there be enjoined them by the said Court or untill they shall be discharged by due course of Law. Given under my hand & Seal this 2nd Day of Novr. 1796

Wm Stanhope Seal

Wm Gunnell Jr Seal

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Sandown County to Wit

Jacob Wilding complains that Thos Watson hath stole his doughter and sundre of her wearing Aparrel and he blever them to be consealed in the Dwelling house of Edward Gleason or in some other house of bad fame these are therefore in the Name of the commonwealth to requeer you to search the s[redacted] and if you find the said girl or any of the good you bring them before me or some other Justice together with the persons that hath the persetion of them to be dealth with As the Law directs Giveing under my hand and seal this 31 day of Oct 1796

To the Constable

Wm Stanhope Seal

Watson
adr
C Wealth } Sp.s
To Nov.r 1797

1st Day

Executed Hm Brown D.S.
for
John Alexander S.M.C.

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THE COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA, to the Sheriff of Loudoun county, greeting: You are commanded to summon Nancy Wilding George White and Margaret White Edd. Gleeson & Thos. Jordan to appear before the Justices of our said county court, at the court-house of the said county, on the first day of november Court next to testify and the truth to say, on behalf of ~~Commonwealth~~ Thos. Watson

in a certain matter of controversy in our said court, before our said Justices depending and undetermined, between the Commonwealth Pltf and said Watson Deft and

And this they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of 100l. each And have then there this writ. Witness Charles Binns clerk of the said court, the 22d day of Septr 1797, in the 22d year of the commonwealth.

Chas. Binns

Executed on Each of them
by Roger Wiggenton Ds
for Chr. Eskridge Sh

Watson
ads
Wealth } Spr.
To Novr. 1796

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The Commonwealth of Virginia To the sheriff of Loudoun County Greeting we command you that you summon Edward Gleeson & Thos. Jordan to appear before the Justices of our said County Court at the Courthouse thereof ~~on the~~ immediately to testify and the truth to say on behalf of Thomas Watson in a certain matter of Controversey in our said Court depending & undetermined between the Wealth and Sd. Watson Deft.

and this they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of £100 and have then there this writ witness Charles Binns clerk of our said Court the 14th day of Novr. 1796

Chas. Binns

Executed S Blincoe D.S.

C Wealth
ver
Watson } Sp.

Ho august 1797

1st day

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the commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Lunaven county greeting We command you that you Summon Nancy Wilding George White & Margaret White to appear before the Justices of our said county court at the Court house on the 1st day of Augt court next to testify and the truth to say on behalf of ~~Thomas Watson~~ C

in a certain matter of controversy in our said court depending and unadjustment between the C Wealth Pltff & Sd Watson Defs

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Anathes they shall in no wise omit on an the penalty of £100 each Anah ave then there Wit Witness Charles Bennsclerk of our said court the 12th day of July 1797 & in the 22d year of the Commonwealth

Chas Bennis

Wealth
ver
Watson } Sp.a
To June 1797

(Wealth)

Ecc.d the within
Thos. Jourden

Executed
P. Thomas Jordon

CW 1796-012

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Loudoun County
Greeting We Command you that you Summon Nancy
Wilding, George White & Margarett White to appear before the
Justices of our said County Court of Loudoun at the Courthouse
of the said County on the 8th day of June Court next to
testify & the truth to say on behalf of Thomas Watson
in a certain matter of Controversy in
our said Court ~~at the Courthouse~~ depending & undetermined
Between The Wealth Pl.ff & Sd Watson
Dep.t & this they Shall in nowise
Omit under the penalty of £100 each And have then there
this Writ witness Charles Binns Clerk of our said court
at the Courthouse Ap.t the 8th day of June 1797 & in the
21st year of the Commonwealth Chas. Binns

Charge - Breach of Peace
Complaint - Jacob Wilding

Loudoun County to wit

Whereas Jacob Wilding hath this day Correplaind Mon oath that he is afraid that Thos Watson will beat wound and Lilly heat him to the grate danger and Risk of his life and also that he will Steel his horses to Convey his doughter Away with that he has Stole of already there are therfore in the Name of the commonwealth to Requeer you to take the said Thos. Whatson and bring him before me or Some other Justice of this County to be dilth with As the law directs

Giveing under my hand this 21 day of Oct. 1796

Wm Stanhope

To the Constable

LOUDOUN

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To the Keeper of the Common Jail of Loudoun

Loudoun Sct.

We send you herewith the Body of Thomas Watson apprehended by a Warrant & brought before us on a Warrant of ~~the Complaint of~~ Jacob Wilding, you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth to receive the said Thomas Watson in your Coustody, & him safely to keep in the common Jail untill he shall procure two sufficient Securities, to be bound with him in a Recognezance to Geo: Brook Esq. Governour of Virginia that is to say himself in the sum of Fifty pounds, & each of the said Securities in the sum of twenty five pounds, ~~for~~ for his personal appearance at the next Court to be held for this County, and to do what shall then & there be enjoined him by the said Court, and in the mean time to be of Good behaviour. Given under my hand & Seal this 2nd Day of Novr. 1796

Wm Stanhope (Seal)

Wm Gunnell Jun. Seal

CW 1796-012

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Watson Edward Gleeson and Johnston Cleveland all of the County of Loudoun and State of Virginia are held and firmly Bound unto Robt. Brook Esqr. Governor of Virginia — Thomas Watson in the sum of Fifty Pounds and Edward Gleeson and Johnston Cleveland in the sum of Twenty Five Pounds Each Lawfull money of Virginia for which payment well & truly to be made we bind our Selves and Each of our Joint and Severally Heirs Exrs. admrs. to pay or Cause to be paid unto the Sd. Robt. Brook or his Successors as Witness our hands & Seals this 3d day Novr. 1796.

The Condition of the Above obligation is such that whereas Thomas Watson hath committed a Breach against the Peace & Edward Gleeson & Johnston Cleveland hath become his Security for Appearance at the Next Court held for Loudoun County now if the said Edward Gleeson & Johnston Cleveland shall Deliver the said Thomas Watson to the said Court at the time above mentioned that then the above Obligation to be Void or Else to Remain in full force Power & Virtue in Law

Signed Sealed & Deld. in Presents of
Thomas Jourdan

Thos. his Watson mark + (Seal)
Edwar his + Mark Gleeson (Seal)
Johnston Cleveland (Seal)

Cwealth
vs
Watson } Wt.
1796 Novr. 15th
Recd. in £100 & 2 Secy
in £50 each good
behaviour Edwd. Gleeson
& Js. Cooney Secy
in £50 each

Attd. 8 Wt. 18 Ord 26 = 52
Recd. 18 Secy 36 — 54
Judt. 94 Const 21 = 115
Law 250 Exr. 40 = 290
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