

Charge - Assault - biting off the ear  
Victim - Lige Kile - Free Black

handover to west,

To the Jailor

You are hereby commended in the name of the  
Commonwealth ~~and~~ to receive and safely keep  
the body of Joe Winters a free black man charged  
before me with feloniously and maliciously biting  
off the ear of Lige Miller a free man of colour  
till he be there discharged by due course of law  
Given under my hand and seal June 19<sup>th</sup> 1823

John McCormick Seal

wealth  
is  
Joe Winters

Mittimus

1023 July 14<sup>th</sup> on  
hearing sent further  
trial - E Hill, Moses  
Daley, Giles Hammett  
Wm Williams  
rec'd in \$100 each &c

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