Commonwealth of Virginia

Prince William County to Wit:

To H. R. Bragg, constable of said county

Whereas, A. W. Smith of the said County has this day made complaint and information on oath before me Wm. T. Wharton a Justice of the said county on the 20th day of May 1896 in said county did unlawfully curse and abuse him the said A. W. Smith against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia. These are therefore in the name of the Commonwealth to command you forthwith to apprehend and bring before me or some other justice of said county the body of the said Eugene Triplett to answer the said complaint and to be farther dealt with according to law. Given under my hand and seal this 20th day of May 1896.

Wm. T. Wharton J. P. (seal)

Defendant found guilty and fined one dollar for the use of the Commonwealth & two dollars 7 forty cents costs, this 20th day of May 1896