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1872 August 16: Bond for witnesses, H. Bowman, Dick Brown, Dick Nelson, and Lewis Gorden, in U.S. v. William C. Falconer, assault with intent to kill; H. J. Falconer, surety; Edward Brooks, commissioner

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Western District of Arkansas.

Know All Men by these Presents,

That we H Bowman, Dick Brown, Dick Wilson & Lewis Gordon as Principal, and as sureties, acknowledge ourselves jointly and severally to owe and be indebted unto the United States of America, in the sum of Two Hundred and fifty (each) Dollars, to be levied of our goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of the said United States, if default shall be made in the condition following, to-wit:

Whereas, The said Mellian C. Falconer has been brought before EDWARD J. BROOKS, a United States Commissioner for the Western District of Arkansas, to answer to the charge of Assault with intent to

Kill in Indian and upon examination had, it appearing to said Commissioner that the offence with which he was charged had been committed, and that there was probable cause to believe him guilty thereof, the said Commissioner ordered said Witnesses to find sufficient bail in the sum of Two Hundred and fifty dollars for their appearance at a District Court of the United States for the Western District of Arkansas, to be holden on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1872, at the U. S. Court room in the city of Fort Smith, in said District, to testify in said cause, and that in default of finding such bail they stand committed.

Now, Therefore, The condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the said Witnesses shall personally appear at the said Court on the first day of the next November Term thereof, at the U. S. Court room in the city of Fort Smith, at 10 o'clock A. M., and then and there testify in said cause, and abide the orders of the Court, and not depart the said Court without leave, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to be in full force and virtue.

H Bowman
Dick Brown
Dick Wilson
Lewis Gordon

Acknowledged and Subscribed before me this
16 day of August, A. D. 1872

Edward Brooks
U. S. COMMISSIONER.

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John D. State

to J. Coover with
to J. Nutt & Pitt

William C. Stalson

Bond for Whittney

Norman Stern

1872