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**Bond, for witness, John R. Lyon, for U.S. v. William Whittaker,
introducing spirituous liquors; Stephen Wheeler, U.S.
commissioner**

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we John R. Lyon
as Principal, and
as sureties, acknowledge ²⁰⁰⁴ ourselves jointly and severally to owe and be indebted unto the United States of America, in the sum of Four Hundred dollars, to be levied of ²⁰⁰⁴ 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, William Spittaker
has been brought before EDWARD J. BROOKS, a United States Commissioner for the Western District of Arkansas, to answer to the charge of Introducing Spirituous Liquors into the Indian Country and upon examination had, it appearing to said Commissioner that the offense 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 Four Hundred dollars for his appearance at a District court of the United States for the Western District of Arkansas, to be holden on the 8 day of November, A. D. 1875, 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 he stand committed.

Now, Therefore, The condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the said witnesses John R. Lyon 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.

John R. Lyon

Acknowledged and Subscribed before me this

4 day of September, A. D. 1875

Stephen Wheeler

U. S. Commissioner.

United States
vs, Introducing &c
William Whittaker

Admiral Bond

Vina October 2^d 1875
Stephen Wheeler
Colonel
P. S. Williams, etc.

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