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**1894 November 5: Writ of arrest, for Richard Smedley, assault;  
G.J. Crump, U.S. marshal; E.L. Drake, deputy marshal; Stephen  
Wheeler, clerk; I.M. Dodge, deputy clerk; Isaac C. Parker, judge**

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United States of America, }

Western District of Arkansas.

The President of the United States of America,

TO THE MARSHAL OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS—GREETING:

WHEREAS, At the District Court of the United States of America, for the Western District of Arkansas, at the Aug. term thereof, begun and holden in Fort Smith, within and for the District aforesaid, on the 24 day of Dec A. D. 1894 the Grand Jurors in and for said District empaneled, brought into the said Court a true bill of indictment against

Richard Smedley

for

Assault

in the Indian Country, against the peace and dignity of the United States, as by the said indictment, now remaining on file and of record in said Court, will more fully appear; to which indictment said

Richard Smedley

has  not yet appeared

or pleaded.

Now, therefore, you are hereby commanded, as you have heretofore been, in the name of the President of the United States of America, to apprehend said

Richard Smedley

and him

to detain and bring before the said

Court at the United States Court-room in Fort Smith, in said District, at the Nov Term thereof, to be held on the 5 day of Nov A. D. 1894 to answer said indictment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Honorable ISAAC C. PARKER,

Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Arkansas, has caused the seal of said Court to be here-

unto affixed this 24 day of Dec

A. D. 1894 and in the 119

year of our Independence.

ATTEST:

Isaac C. Parker Clerk.

By Amos Deputy Clerk.

United States of America

Western District of Arkansas

The President of the United States of America

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UNITED STATES

VERSUS

Rich Smalley

Writ issued 23 day of Oct 1894

Returnable Nov 9 1894

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OFFICE U. S. MARSHAL,  
West. Dist. of Ark.

Fort Smith, Ark., Nov 8 1894

I hereby certify that I served the within  
Writ of Arrest on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of Nov  
1894 at the Wechenfalls  
by then and there taking into my custody the with-  
in named Richard Smalley

whose body I now have before the Honorable  
District Court of the United States for the West-  
ern District of Arkansas.

E. J. Gump

U. S. Marshal.

By

E. L. Drake

Deputy.



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