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1876 April 05: Bond for witness, John Leetcher, witness, in U.S. v. William Withers, passing counterfeit money; John M. Peck, commissioner; Charles S. Hunt, witness to signature

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Western District of Arkansas.

Know All Men by these Presents:

That we

John Letcher

acknowledge ourselves severally to owe and be indebted unto the United States of America, in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars each, 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,

William Withers

has been brought before JNO. M. PECK, a United States Commissioner for the Western District of Arkansas, to answer the charge of

Passing Counterfeit Money

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

John Letcher

to find sufficient bail in the sum of *Three Hundred* Dollars, each, for *his* appearance at a District Court of the United States for the Western District of Arkansas, to be holden on the *8th* day of *May* A. D. 1876, 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

John Letcher shall personally appear at the said Court on the first day of the next *May* 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 Letcher
his mark

*Witness
Chas. Hubbard*

Acknowledged and Subscribed before me this

5th day *April*, A. D. 1876.

John M. Peck
U. S. COMMISSIONER.

Herald Print.

*Morris Rente
Isaac Smith*

United States
vs } Passing Counterfeit
Money

William Withers

Bond for writ of habeas
May Term 1876

Filed April 13/76
Alpheus Wheeler
Clerk

DEPT. OF JUSTICE - U.S. COURT