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1885 March 05: Voucher, U.S. v. Richard Francis, larceny; includes cost of mileage, feeding prisoner, and other services; Stephen Wheeler, commissioner; J.C. Wilkinson, deputy marshal; Perry J. Franklin, posse committas; William Packwood, guard; Grandison Little, James Little, James Lewis, witnesses

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UNITED STATES
vs.

Richard Francis

In the Western District of Arkansas, before United States District
Court Commissioner *Stephen Whelan* Esq.

*The absence of guard certificate to this
is owing to the sudden death of Packwood
at Vanita, Ark. on his return after deputy left
July 27, 1885.*

CHARGE:

Barren

In the Indian Country.

	DOLLARS.	CENTS.
WARRANT dated <i>July 23</i> 1885, served by Deputy Marshal <i>J.C. Wilkinson</i> <i>Snaw Creek</i> <i>Clinton</i> <i>Union</i>		
<i>16</i> <i>18</i> days endeavoring to arrest, from <i>July 1st</i> to <i>18th</i> inclusive		<i>2</i>
Mileage on Writ <i>350</i> miles at six cents per mile, from <i>Ark Smith</i> to <i>Plantfield</i>		<i>36</i>
Actual expenses <i>13</i> days feeding <i>one</i> prisoner from <i>July 19</i> to <i>March 3rd</i>		<i>18 00</i>
Actual expense paid <i>William Packwood</i> for services as a guard from to 1884, days at \$1.50 per day		<i>8 45</i> <i>(25)</i>
Mileage returning prisoner guards and deputy <i>350</i> miles each per mile, from <i>Place of arrest</i> to Fort Smith, Ark.,		<i>55 00</i>
<i>Witnesses</i> <i>Deputy & guard from place of arrest to Vanita</i> <i>100 miles each 1200 miles at 10¢</i>		<i>20</i>
Service of Warrant of Temporary Commitment and Committing to Jail <i>March 4th</i>		<i>2 50</i>
Service of Warrant of Final Commitment and Committing to Jail		
Discharging prisoner <i>March 5th</i>		<i>50</i>
Names of posse com. <i>Perry J. Franklin</i> guard <i>William Packwood</i>		

Subpoenas for Plaintiff's Witnesses served by above-named Deputy.

Date of Subpoena.	Miles to	Place of Service.	Date of Service.	On Whom Served.	
<i>July 23</i> <i>85</i>	<i>240</i>	<i>Nickory Creek</i> <i>Ark</i>	<i>July 18</i> <i>85</i>	<i>Seandison Little</i> <i>James Little</i> <i>James Lewis</i>	<i>1 50</i>
<i>Detained by high water & ice on Cabin Creek July 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, & 13th.</i>					
Total	<i>340</i>	miles to serve the same, at 6 cents per mile.			<i>14 40</i>
Attendance of the above named Deputy	<i>March 5th</i>		1885	before Commissioner	<i>2</i>
Total					<i>127 35</i>
Disallowed as excessive,	<i>2 days endeavoring</i>				<i>4 00</i>
Brought forward,					
Total carried forward,					<i>\$123.35</i>

I do solemnly swear that the above account is true and correct, that the services and travel charged for were actually and necessarily performed as therein stated, and that the expenses charged for guard hire and for feeding said prisoners were actually and necessarily incurred and paid.

Deputy United States Marshal.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 188

Clerk U. S. District Court, West. Dist. Ark.

O. K. Clayton