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**Voucher, U.S. v. William Shelton, introducing spiritous liquors; B.S. Stephens, deputy U.S. marshal; Jacob Yoes, U.S. marshal; William Cole, posse comitatus; Richard Eldridge, Ralph Pearson, Jess Moore, witnesses; Stephen Wheeler, U.S. commissioner; I.M. Dodge, deputy clerk; includes cost of mileage, service and feeding prisoners**

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UNITED STATES

In the Western District of Arkansas before United States District Court

VERSUS  
*Wm Shelton*

Commissioner *Stephen Wheeler* Esq.

CHARGE

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In the Indian Country.

C. H. MAYERS & CO., PRINTERS, BINDERS, AND BLANK BOOK MAKERS, FORT SMITH, ARK.

Warrant Dated *May 3* 1890 Served by Deputy Marshal *B. S. Stephens*  
by arresting the defendant *Wm Shelton*  
at *New Covington, La.* *May 7* 1890  
Mileage on Writ *3* miles at 6 cents per mile, from *Covington, La.* to place of arrest

DOLLARS. CENTS.

*200*  
*18*

Expenses Actually Incurred while Employed in Endeavoring to Arrest.

DATE.	STATE NATURE OF EXPENSE AND WHERE INCURRED.	No. of Voucher.	Amount.
	Maximum allowance for above at \$2 per day		days, at \$2 per day
	Actual Expenses <i>5</i> day's feeding <i>1</i> prisoner's from <i>May 7</i> to <i>May 10</i> 1890		<i>150</i>
	Arriving at Fort Smith, Ark., <i>May 10</i> 1890		
	Mileage returning <i>1</i> Prisoners <del>guards</del> and deputy <i>38</i> miles each <i>176</i> miles at		<i>760</i>
	10 cents per mile from PLACE OF ARREST to Fort Smith, Ark.		
	Service of Warrant of Temporary Commitment and Committing to Jail Prisoners		1890
	Service of Warrant of Final Commitment and Committing to Jail <i>1</i> Prisoners <i>May 17</i>		1890 <i>950</i>
	Discharging Prisoners		1890
	Name of Posse Com. <i>Thos Cole</i> Guard		

Subpoenas for Plaintiff's Witnesses by above-named Deputy:

Date of Subpoena	Miles to	Place of Service.	Date of Service.	On Whom Served.	
<i>May 3/90</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>New Covington, La.</i>	<i>5/9/90</i>	<i>Ralph A. Eldering</i> <i>Ralph Parron</i> <i>Jess Moore</i>	<i>150</i>
	<i>8</i>				

Total *9* miles to serve the same, at 6 cents per mile,

Attendance of the above-named deputy during examination *May 17* 1890, before Commissioner

Total,

Disallowed as excessive,

Brought forward,

Total carried forward,

*574*  
*200*  
*1782*

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 feeding said prisoners and endeavoring to arrest were actually and necessarily incurred and paid

*B. S. Stephens*

Deputy United States Marshal.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *13* day of *May* 1890.

*Stephen Wheeler*  
Clerk U. S. District Court, Western District of Arkansas.  
*By [Signature]*

UNITED STATES

Voucher No. 3  
 Account Current E. No. 3  
 For Half Year Ending June 30<sup>th</sup> 1890  
B. S. Stephens  
 Deputy Marshal.  
 \$ 17.80

Refer to Voucher No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Account Current E.  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_

JACOB YOES,  
 United States Marshal, Western District of Arkansas.

A. H. MAYERS & CO., PRINTERS AND BINDERS, FORT SMITH, ARK.

DUPLICATE.