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Voucher, U.S. v. John Stove, introducing spirituous liquor; includes costs of service as posse comitatus; Ben Poorboy, prisoner; Augustus York, posse comitatus; E.B. Harrison, U.S. commissioner; Stephen Wheeler, U.S. clerk of court; J.M. Dodge, deputy clerk; L.H. Ramey, deputy U.S. marshal; Jacob Yoes, U.S. marshal; Lee Thompson, witness to signature

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

1892

To

Augustus York

Dr:

for 9 days service as posse comitatus, from Aug 8 to Aug 17 1892 both days inclusive, at \$3 per day

Aug 8 to Aug 17

\$

27 00

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Western District of Arkansas.

I,

Augustus York of Fayetteville Ark

of Fayetteville and District aforesaid, being duly sworn, depose and say, that on the 8 day of August 1892 I was employd under and by virtue of the third section of the act of Congress of June 14, 1858, by H. Ransom U. S. Deputy Marshal for said District, at my usual place of residence, as one of his posse comitatus, to assist in executing the following capias writ, to-wit:

Wm John Stone - Intor

issued by E. B. Harrison U. S. Commissioner for the Western District of Arkansas, within the jurisdiction of the said District, returnable to the office of said Commissioner at Fayetteville Arkansas Dec 17 1891 and that as such posse comitatus, I immediately proceeded in company with said Marshal to

Fahlezzuah I. I. 20 miles where we arrested John Stone Aug 11 - 1892 - then to Oaks I. I. 70 miles where we arrested Ben Poor boy Aug 12 1892 - thence returning to Fayetteville

to Abbeville Aug 17/92 before U. S. Commissioner, that no posse comitatus could have been employed at a nearer point to the place where the said Deputy informed me where he expected to find the said defendant, to-wit:

Cherokee Nation I. I.

than my place of residence aforesaid; that I actually traveled from my said residence to said place of arrest, for the purpose aforesaid, 190 miles, and in the transportation of said defendant was actually and necessarily employed 9 days as set out in the foregoing account as posse comitatus, solely in the execution of said processes and transportation of said defendant as aforesaid; that I furnished the means of or actually paid for my own travel or transportation; that I have never received or been paid, or agreed to receive, or expected to be paid for any other compensation, remuneration or consideration, whatever, for said expenses and day's services from any other person or persons, or sources, whatever; so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of Aug 1892

Augustus York

Augustus York

who personally appeared and was by me known to be the identical person he represents himself.

Steph Wheeler

Clerk U. S. District Court, Western District of Arkansas

Posse Com

Deputy

Sub-voucher Voucher

By Woodrow

I, L. H. Ramey do solemnly swear that I am duly and regularly commissioned as a Deputy U. S. Marshal for said District; that the employment of a posse comitatus at Fayetteville Ark under the Act of Congress of June 14, 1858, was actually and indispensably necessary to enable me to serve the warrants in my possession, and that I could not without great peril have attempted to serve the warrants entrusted to me without the assistance of a posse comitatus; that I have examined the within account and certify that the services were performed and actually rendered as therein stated, and that the amount charged therefor is just, and that I have no interest in the same.

L. H. Ramey Deputy U. S. Marshal.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18 day of Aug A. D. 1892 by the above-named L. H. Ramey who personally appeared and was by me known to be the identical person he represents himself.

Stephens Wheeler
Clerk U. S. District Court Western District of Arkansas.

I, JACOB YOES, U. S. Marshal for the Western District of Arkansas, do certify that I have carefully inquired into the matters as set forth in the foregoing affidavits, and that the matters and things therein set forth are true, and the services of the posse comitatus employed by my Deputy were absolutely necessary to the due and proper service and execution of said warrants for the period of 9 days; and that a posse comitatus could not have been obtained any nearer than the place said posse comitatus was employed, and this account is approved for \$ 27.00

Jacob Yoes
U. S. Marshal, Western District of Arkansas.

Receive payment of JACOB YOES, United States Marshal for the Western District of Arkansas, in the sum of Twenty Seven dollars in full of the within account.

Augustus York
& Wm Lee Thompson