To his Excellency Jos. Desha governor of the Commwth of Kentucky,

Your Petitioner Thomas Hutcherson states that during the sitting of the Court at the Courthouse in Green County at August Term last he was attacked by a certain Will. Durham at or near the door of the Court house with a clubb on which occarsion Your Petitioner did nothing more than defend himself, upon which the Judge had both Durham and Your Petitioner brought into Court, a hasty examination was had and your Petitioner not knowing who saw the transaction was at a loss to find out any or all who saw it and was unable, fully to justify his conduct owing to the speedy examination which was made, in consequence of which the Judge, as Your Petitioner thinks, to hastily fined your Petitioner in five dollars which your Petitioner prays may be remitted and Your Petitioner as in duty bound will pray &c. Octo. 20th 1825.

Thos Hutcherson

D11-18

Green County Set

W. B. Hutcheson this day came before me a Justice of the peace for the aforesaid County and being first sworn, deposeth and saith, that at the August Circuit Term for the Green Circuit during the sitting of the Court, he was standing in the Courthouse with Thomas Hutcheson when William Durham came up to where we were standing and said something to Thomas Hutcheson which he did not hear, upon which he said Durham went out of the house and took up a rock and attempted to throw it at T. Hutcheson through the window and was prevented, we then walked up the street, Durham pursued us and stripped off his clothes and gave Hutcheson abusive language and stated publicly that T. Hutcheson had sworn to a lie and he would whip him, after which T. Hutcheson returned to the Courthouse where the affray commenced but did not see the beginning of the ~~title~~ affair afterwards, and further saith not

sworn to before me this 29th October 1825.

James Allen J.P. Gale

D11-19

T. Hutcheson

Petitioner

Remitted

To his Excelency Joseph Desha Gover of Kentucky

Your petitioner John Landers would represent to your Excelency that at the 18 of the Logan Circuit Court he was fined by said Court ten Dollars for running a horse on the County road that said fine & costs now amounts to $

That your petitioner was ignorant of the law in that respect, and is poor & has a family of small Children & no one to assist him in making a support for them that he has been unfortunate and never did knowingly Violate the laws of his Country therefore he prays your Excelency to remit the fine & costs, by so doing it will save that amount of his Labour to the support of his small motherless Children. he would also state he is a carpenter to trade he prays your Excelency to remit the fine and costs aforesaid & he in duty bound will ever pray &c

your obedient friend

John Sanders

October 31st 1825

D11-20

John Sanders

Rejected

1825

His Excellency
Joseph Alesh a
Govr.
Comdt. Eng

Pr. Mr. J. Nelson

Ohio Circuit Court Sct October Term 1825

Commonwealth Pltff
&
Michiel Myers Deft

On a presentment for obstructing the public Bridge

This day came as well the attorney for the Commonwealth as the Defendant in his proper person and thereupon Sundry Witnesses ~~were~~ being Sworn & Examined and the Defendant fully heard in his Defence It is considered by the Court that the Deft make his fine with the Commonwealth by the payment of three dollars that he pay the costs in this behalf Expended & may be taken &c

A Copy Test
Ch Henderson Clk

Ohio Circuit Court Sct July Term 1825

Commonwealth Pltff
&
Michiel Myers Deft

On a presentment for obstructing the public Bridge &c

This day came as well the attº for the Commonwealth as the Defendant in his proper person and thereupon Sundry Witnesses being sworn & Examined and the Said Defendant fully heard in his defence on motion of the attorney for the Commonwealth It is Considered by the Court that the Deft make his fine with the Commonwealth by the payment of Two Dollars that he pay the Costs of this prosecution & may be taken &c

A Copy Test Ch H Henderson Clk

DII-22

To His Excellency Joseph Desha Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky your Petitioners would represent that some few years ago a bridge was built across Cany Creek that afterwards the County Court of Ohio County entered into an arrangement with Michael Myers and authorised him by an order of said Court to charge tolt at the Bridge that he proceeded to charge travellers a small fee for crossing on it that altho he was authorised by the County Court to charge the tolt yet the grand Jury Indicted him for obstructing the bridge and at the Oct Term 1825 the said Myers was fined in Two Cases as will appear by the Copy of the Judgments within. Now your Petitioners would State that Michael Myers is a verry aged man and of correct deportment. Needing every assistance from his friends & relations to make him Comfortable in this world and your Petitioners believing that said Myers has not obstructed the bridge since he was indicted pray that the two fines named in the Judgments of which the within is a Copy may be remitted and will ever pray &c

Rejected

Michael Myers Rejected

L Rogers
Christopher F. Jackson
James L Neale
Robt Rinder
Thos Taylor
Jesse Meseley
Chris Jackson

Wm. Davis
Richard Stevens
Thos Ponder
W. E. Probert
Jesse Miller
J Rumsey Jr