

Minutes of a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery holden at Elizabethtown in and for the District of Johnstown on Monday, the 18th August, 1817

[Present:] The Honourable William Dummer Powell, Chief Justice, Solomon Jones, Joel Stone, Esqs.

Opened the Court. The Grand Jury called and sworn ^a:

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| 1. Hugh Monro, Esq., foreman | 12. Sylvester Wright |
| 2. Abraham Dayton | 13. Peter Fraser |
| 3. Hiram Spafford | 14. John McDonell |
| 4. Walter F. Gates | 15. David Breakenridge |
| 5. Justus Marven | 16. Richard Arnold |
| 6. John Simpson | 17. Reuben Sherwood |
| 7. Roderick Easton | 18. Alexander Morris |
| 8. Adiel Sherwood | 19. Bartholomew Carley |
| 9. Thomas Smith | 20. Duncan Carley |
| 10. Jonathan Fulford | 21. John Grant |
| 11. John McLean | 22. Joseph Lambert |

The Chief Justice delivered the charge to the Grand Jury, who retired.

The Court adjourned until tomorrow [at] 9 o'clock.

19th [August, 1817]

The Court met pursuant to adjournment. [Present:] The Honourable William Dummer Powell, Chief Justice, Solomon Jones, Joel Stone, Esqs.

The Grand Jury called into Court and delivered:

The King vs. John McAuley	grand larceny	a true bill
The King vs. Ulysses Fitzmaurice	assault with intent to commit a rape	a true bill
The King vs. W. McKinney	larceny	no bill
The King vs. John Monk	grand larceny	no bill

The Court adjourned until tomorrow at 8 o'clock.

20th [August, 1817]

The Court met pursuant to adjournment. [Present:] The Honourable William Dummer Powell, Solomon Jones, Joel Stone, Esqs.

^a The handwriting in this session is particularly difficult to read.

On motion of Mr. Attorney General, John McAuley was put to the bar and arraigned.

CASE	The King vs. John McAuley	
CHARGE	grand larceny	
PETIT JURY	1. H[erman] Hurlburt 2. J[ohn] Swart 3. P. Mosher 4. J. Burton 5. W[illiam] Swart 6. F. Hamblin	7. J. Henny ^a 8. S. Smades 9. J[ohn] McNeil 10. J. Alills [?] 11. H. Fraser 12. D. Nettleton
PLEA	not guilty	
WITNESSES for CROWN	George Hayle, Daniel Mixter, John Campbell	
WITNESSES for PRISONER	James Schofield, Wellesly Richey	
VERDICT	not guilty.	

On motion of Mr. Attorney General, Wm. Coulton was put to the bar and arraigned.

CASE	The King vs. Wm. Coulton	
CHARGE	larceny	
PETIT JURY	1. Wm. Osborn 2. D[aniel] Mixter 3. D. Paynn 4. J[oe] Crouch 5. E. Doke 6. I[saiah] Wiley	7. J[ohn] Walter 8. D[avid] Fell 9. F[rederick] Rood 10. T[imothy] Street 11. T[imothy] Hodge 12. J[ohn] C. Swennings
PLEA	not guilty	
WITNESSES for CROWN	Thomas Waind, Wm. Murphy	
VERDICT	not guilty.	

The Grand Jury came into Court and delivered:

The King vs. Reuben Lamb	sheep stealing	a true bill
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^a This is possibly the J. Henry who is listed in a later jury.