

Monday Morning after the Murder of Harvey  
he went home from the evaporator changed  
his clothes caught his horse. The 8 Charles  
Lapsrott started to town and he heard  
a noise like a woman in distress in the  
direction of Nettie this was in 15 minutes  
after Harvey's evaporator - when he was at  
left the evaporator Bill King & his two  
Sisters were there, Louisa & Mary were that  
heard none of them say anything about  
Harvey when there they did not call  
Harvey's name. Went rapidly towards  
the river, when he got near he saw  
Louisa King a sister of Harvey & William  
running through the meadow with her  
baggage off <sup>seemingly</sup> ~~seemingly~~ to be in distress  
heard some one else (hallorway & saying  
do run here, they went to the place and  
saw William King weeping over the dead  
body of his brother Harvey. and a horse  
standing by. This place about 3/4 of a  
mile from the Sugar mill or evaporator  
as it is called and witness lives about  
300 yards South of evaporator The dead  
body was in the woods. Witness was asked  
Coroner inquest heard nothing, say he  
saw Harvey on Sunday morning in  
the direction of the evaporator, when he had  
laid down the fence in that direction

to burn sawe turn sawe stack out of his  
 Corv field. He went to the waporator and  
 the pump to look after him back of  
 which are in the junction where the  
 dead body was found, but beyond them  
 he was present. when Abraham Cline was  
 arrested. Abe said he had sent Bill King  
 patrol house on Monday morning. Found  
 Abe between two feather bed. asked his brother  
 William lying on him. His father called  
 Abe and witness heard same and answer  
 some noise in the room. Abe was in - The  
 old man went in the room after lighting  
 a candle and said that Abe was not  
 there. The supposed the noise heard  
 was made by Bill, discovered the  
 body on the bed. the bed seemed too  
 much elevated and they looked and  
 found Abe Cline between the bed. &  
 Bill on him. When Abe was pulled out  
 and told they had come to arrest him  
 for the murder of Henry King he said  
 if he had known they were arrested  
 him for that they never would have done  
 it. He lives near the Cline's. that  
 known them intimately, he went with  
 Officer & a search Warrant and found  
 the things shown Clothy sack & things  
 many so. identifies a fatal head wound

and says it was shown to him by Mr. Perkins on Tuesday morning after Henry King was killed. It was proved, or the stock and had blood on it. King stated, he had handed it to Abner Owen on Saturday evening and that Bill Owens brought it to him on Monday morning and that he thought that was what killed his brother, noticing at the time the spring part and blood. he said he had not noticed the blood until that morning and that he meant to prosecute Abe Owens for killing Henry. That his brother was killed because Owens body had done some meanings. and Henry was in possession of it. and they had done it to put some him out of the way. Says he helped to arrest the prisoners and expects if they are convicted that he will get a part of the reward to gather with others. Says that while Mr. King was waking over his brothers body he said he wished they had killed him instead of his brother, Saw how when he came up and King took him off. I have a promise to talk with him on log near Henrys dead body.

George D. Shapp. Saw the goods here shown Bate & Co. sent, Part of Kenton package



About 1/4 Ten O'clock

We got there between 8. and 9 o'clock. A lot of Mr Thompsons about 10 or 12 O'clock went in the direction of Seathville, while at Mr Thompsons (which left I went in the direction towards Charlie Smiths (another of the prisoners) was gone about one half or three quarters of an hour returned and then left in the direction of Seathville.

That he is acquainted with the General Character of Stephen Cornwell has heard some bad reports. That Stephen Cornwell had had several intercourse with animals most of the people believed to be true.

Mr W R Dwyer States I was at Thomas Hays the former owner of the negro boy prisoner on trial. on the morning of the day it is said Harvey Lloyd was killed stayed there the night before. After breakfast Mr Hays & myself went down to the creek while there heard two shots it was near. Nine O'clock some fifteen minutes or 1/2 after hearing the two shots the boy (as Harvey) doing by where we were at riding a field of Mr Hays crossed the creek went in nor the western direction towards Mr Hays May the boy (as Lloyd) was leaving at Mr Hays at that time came from

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 a northern direction I saw Bob at the house  
 before breakfast & left him there, when Mr May  
 & myself started, to the Creek, the boy-Pole  
 Noddy. Came from May's as directed nearly  
 opposite that of the reports of the shooting  
 I heard such. I saw Bob as expected  
 with Stephen Cornwell I live within two miles  
 of him I know his general Character it is  
 very bad I don't think he is worthy of  
 belief -

Forrell - James Forrell States I know nothing  
 of Stephen Cornwell's Character I lived within  
 2 1/2 miles of him for seven years.

Cotton - Thomas Cotton States. Stephen Cornwell's  
 Character had heard of several papers he  
 had gotten into, I would not believe him on  
 oath, I am not on good terms with Cornwell  
 I lived on a piece of land belonging to  
 Cornwell's Mother, on the Sunday before  
 he was killed I was at John Smith's with  
 her. Mrs. Jones was there I was with  
 her from about one hour of some  
 that morning until about two o'clock  
 Mr. Cornwall States. Says I know the  
 General Character of Stephen Cornwell he is  
 a bad boy. I don't think him entitled to be  
 believed.

May - Mr. May knew him about three quarters of a  
 mile from Stephen Cornwell his Character is

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was bad and was so before the robbery of L.A.  
I don't think he is killed to be believed  
on oath.

John Cowan Character not good, from my  
knowledge of him I would not believe  
him on oath.  
J. J. Maghen. Says. Stephen Cornwell  
was accused in my trial. Character and from  
his base immoral conduct. I would  
not be willing to take his evidence  
against me from report John Cowan.

Character is not good but bad if the  
reports be true of course I would not believe  
him I have not been in his Company.  
R. B. Quack Says. I am acquainted with  
the general Character of Stephen Cornwell  
Character It is bad. He is not to be believed  
on oath. I saw Abe Devens on the day  
of the Murder of Harvey Ains, between 10  
& 10 1/2 O'clock. at a distance about 2 1/2  
miles from Devens father in Company with  
John Forster. It was about 2 miles from  
where the body was found. I am a brother  
in law to Abby, Kings sister once my wife  
is now dead.

R. B. Quack Says I live on Lick Creek. near  
New Cornwell for 10 years. the Character of  
Stephen Cornwell was bad before this case came  
up. I would not believe him on oath.  
Mr. Green was at my house in the morning

Quack

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Man, Price was killed. He came directly after breakfast. Remained until about 10 o'clock. Tom Cotton was there at the time he (Cotton) was living with me, Mr. Ann left my house and went in the direction of home. Tell Ann frequently Anne to my house without seeing him. Brother in Law to Tell Ann & Cardin in law to Mary Ann 11th John W. Says I live close to Dick. Recall the general talk about Stephen Cornwell must be a bad Character. I have heard several say they would not believe him on oath. From what I have heard of John Evans his Character is not good and he is not worthy of belief Evans resided near a disturbance among some negroes. Evans said he ask them for some Green Backs.

Spear. 12th Jacob Spear. States I live 3 or 4 miles from Stephen Cornwell I have heard some bad rumors about him I saw Weston Ann at my house on the morning Nancy Davis decided to see Anne then after breakfast, I left before dinner, Her called in to see the Seal 18th Aaron Mahew. Says I am acquainted with the general Character of Stephen Cornwell It is not good. I would not believe him on oath.

Payne 14th Mary Payne Says I saw the mother of Joseph -



Payne = I was at home on the morning  
Harvey's killing was killed. I was there. His  
sister was sick; He was the only man about  
the house. I was not at home on the night  
of the robbery - I left Jo at home when I  
returned. I do not recollect that Jo was

there. I staid all night at Mrs Hollands  
15th Mrs Patney Ann Says - I am the mother  
of Mrs Ann on the morning Henry they was  
killed Mrs Anne to our house early in the  
morning little after Sun up. left with his  
father & Bro. and went towards John Linds  
Mansett & Cornewell were at our house that  
morning they got there about 9 or 10 Oclock  
16th Daniel Ann Stated. I am the father  
of Mrs

On the morning they got there about 9 or 10 O'clock  
 16th Daniel Gurns stated, I saw the father  
 of Mr Gurns William Cawce to our house a  
 little after sunrise on the morning Harvey  
 King was killed. I went with my son to  
 look, the body of Harvey King was found  
 about 4 1/2 miles from where the train was  
 thrown off the track & the passengers were  
 our line to go the road it would be 4 miles  
 Nassau & Stephen Cornwell were I think at my  
 house that morning about 9 or 10 O'clock!

the Quakers  
 J. W.

we rose in the morning about 7 or 10 o'clock.  
 my the William Brewster. I said I and the brother  
 of Abraham and Abner Quary I was at home on  
 the Sunday that Henry King was killed also  
 at home over the night before and slept  
 with Abraham me and Abner feeds of  
 mornings. We fed on that Sunday

morning but not until after breakfast. Mother wakes me up that morning. From the house to the stable the ground is level. We have to pass the crib in going to the stable, from the house. The crib is nearer the house than the stable. The crib does not obstruct the view of the stables from the house. I remained at home on that

Sunday until about 9 o'clock or a little after. Mother got up for breakfast. She went off with John Prather. After I came to the house together while at the stable we carried the horses. I saw Prather's horse at the fence before we got to the house we found Prather in the house sitting down. I examined

on the night that Abe was arrested father forgot came to the bed. he asked. where was Abram I was not fully awake. I gave no answer. he then said to Mr Wright he may not be here father ask me again while in Abram. The first time I knew Abram was under me. I saw one turned me over in the bed. Griff Wright ask Abe for Bill Kings trial. He said he had sent it home. I told them that I had taken it home on Monday morning on Sunday morning. Mrs. Abe made some Cigars at the barn. Wright ask me where Abe was on Sunday.

Morning. I told him he was at home Wright then ask me if Abe did not come in the direction of Moses Kings. I told him that Abe came from thro the field.

Re accompanied by Alfred Attorney When I first saw Edith Wright in the road, he drew his pistol he had 3 pistols. A Holland had two pistols I told them I was going to look at. When Wright said he guess I wouldnt, they took me back to the house, said if I didnt tell where the things were they would have him in Louisville before tomorrow night. The kitchen is separate from the other rooms. The house set east & west. Kitchen on north side. The new Barn is east of the house the Kings we cut tobacco with at the barn, was not there.

Bredwell 18<sup>th</sup> of A Bredwell. State the Character of Stephen Cornwell is bad. I wouldnt believe him or oath, Character bad. from his bad and immoral conduct. as having Carnation with animals. I was at Kings Spear on the day which it is said Harvey, King was killed William King was there & until about 10 O'clock AM It was 2 1/2 or 3 miles from scene of Murder. Cross Examined I heard the reports about Cornwell at Simpson at a wheat thrashing. I am Confident I heard it before the robbery I also heard

it is Anna Lucas. Jack, Wilson, & others were present  
 Thursday 19th Dr. Thompson States Charles Smith was  
 on my premises from early in the morning  
 until after 12 o'clock John Backus came  
 to my house with West Kirby between 4 &  
 5 o'clock that morning remained about 2  
 hours while there he went with me to see  
 a sick man. We left my house in the  
 direction of Scottsville - I am a practicing  
 Physician I have been attending for Mrs.  
 Payne. Sister to Jo Payne, Jo came to  
 my house after medicine on the night before  
 Henry King was killed. The general Char-  
 -acter of John Evans and Stephen Cornwell  
 any thing but good I saw the Kings in  
 the possession of Riley Low & Taylor.  
 Little Boy. He is 9 and the Kings that  
 Riley Low got from Henry King  
 D. O. M. M. L. A. Speas. States. Westly Harris &  
 wife came to our house on the morning  
 Henry King was killed they left about  
 9 o'clock. We all went to Jacobs Speas.  
 remained until about 11 o'clock. The  
 Owens came to our house Saturday  
 night West Jinn was there he eat supper  
 there. Riley Low recalled by light stated  
 that he had. Conversation with Bill Bays  
 He said I ought to have a portion of the  
 reward. As I had brought the idea first

Speas

I did not tell him that I expected to get a portion of the reward or that I intended to employ a lawyer to get it for me or that I believed that men were trying to cheat him out of his portion of the reward.

Biggs

Q 1st Mr Biggs says. I had chat with Alvey Low on yesterday one week ago. also on last Sunday. Low said he expected to get a part of the reward. offered by the R R Co. as he had been instrumental in detecting a part of those who robbed the train. He also said he intended to employ a lawyer and would give him half to attend to it and get it for him. Low has.

noted my house, I went to see him about getting possession of the place. he was leaving or I first said to Low that he ought to have part of the reward -

Payne

Q D<sup>ns</sup> Mrs P Payne says. I am the sister of the prisoner Ja Payne my sister Emeline Payne has been sick for some time & was sick on the night of the Saturday before and on the Sunday of the murder of Henry Hines - Brother Jo was at home on the night before the murder. of Hines all night except when she was gone after medicines at Dr Thompsons. I saw him the next morning a little after sun up - he remained at home

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until, about 3 o'clock, in the morning, Seals  
was sick - on the night, the brain was labored,  
myself, and my Sister Susan & Susan &  
my brother Jo. was at home, was at home  
on that night the brain was labored we  
set up with Sister Sabina, until between  
11 & 12 o'clock & was up with her  
again during the night. Between 12  
& 1 o'clock I heard brother Jo. up stairs  
where he slept, he asked if we wanted  
him to go after the doctor. During that  
night I went up stairs where my brother  
was, and got some tobacco & put it  
in his pants pocket, then Jo went to bed  
he left his shoes sitting on the hearth in  
room. where we were sitting up. They were  
there the next morning, I moved them before he  
came down. He was there the next morning  
for breakfast. Cross examined On Sunday  
Harvey King was killed when Jo left he did  
was going to brother Alon. Thursday after  
Sabina Jo stayed at home - except what  
time. He was at meeting at Shady Grove  
Heard heard my brother on other night's but  
don't know which. Reexamined by Refe-  
My attention was called to these things  
by the fact of my brother being arrested  
My Mother was not at home on that night  
Jo had no other shoes.

23<sup>rd</sup> Mrs Mather Reader, the prisoner Mr P  
 King is my son in law. He lived at my  
 houses, on Saturday evening before Harry  
 King was killed on Sunday. He and  
 his wife went to see his mother, they return-  
 ed about 8 o'clock. Saturday night  
 next morning they went off very early  
 and returned in a few minutes after 8  
 o'clock. remained in at home until  
 after 2 o'clock I and the mother of  
 Mr Reader, most told me that she  
 was at home on the night of the robbery  
 but did not say to what time all night  
 24<sup>th</sup> R C Hays I was acquainted  
 with the general character, this bad  
 wanted believe him on oath, Head Corner  
 station with W P King about robbing a  
 train at Kings gap station, he said  
 suppose we get up some men and a  
 passenger train force of these might  
 that he could get some 10 or 12 to go  
 into it that he King was out of money  
 that to have some and did not know  
 how to get it otherwise this was some two  
 weeks before the train was robbed I  
 declined

25 John A Hays says the general fact of  
 Stephen Cornwell is bad would believe him  
 on oath.

26 W C Hays says - Character of Stephen

Hays

Carver, 4 kids. I wanted, believe him or not.

2nd Mrs Ruth Hall. Abe Quiver was at my house one day or so before the robbery. Said Quiver had no mustache. (Abe Quiver: John Quiver was at my house about 3 weeks one day Henry King was killed he then had no mustache -

28th Mrs Bill Hall. Says. She knows Abe Quiver. he was at Mathias before the robbery of the train and yet R R he had no mustache. he was: also. at Mathias on the Sunday Henry King was killed he then had no mustache -

29th Dr Thompson Recalled - Says - On Monday prior to the train Robbery Charlie Smith gathered persons until about dinner time

Both Law Reeder. Says he was at Mrs. Mathias Reeder on the morning it is said Henry King was killed. Bill King in the same room with my self. While there I went out to see about my horse which was about to break loose. was out about five minutes while out heard three shots it was about 9 o'clock. went into the house. King was still there, I went from there to the Baptising, saw Abe Quiver. there I was out the time the Captains commenced



John Plather was with him, & soon my  
Aunt to where the dead body was  
found. & about two miles I heard the  
Shute while there I was satisfied that  
Bill King was in the house at the  
time, three Shute in the direction of  
where Harvey was found, John Plather  
crossed the Creek at Baptising  
with Ahe Ameron. I got to Mrs. Reddy about  
8 o'clock. left about 5 minutes after hearing  
the Shute, Baptising about 9 or 10 o'clock  
we went in a group most of the way -  
Baptist W. O. Lambert. Says - I saw Charlie  
Smith on the day of Harvey King was  
killed he came to my house in the morning  
he eat dinner at my house. I think I  
saw John Lambert that morning at Dr. Thompson's  
Smith remained at my house until about  
2 or 3 o'clock. in the evening Smith &  
I went to Elmer. he was sick & partially  
dressed -

demanded -  
 32<sup>th</sup> John Lynch Saldier says - I am a  
 Federal Saldier I am private ~~repeated~~  
 known. Cornwall - they ~~have~~ <sup>are</sup> in  
 the 2 N. S. infantry I am on duty here -  
 at the Jail thru our Lewis Cornwall they  
 were kept separate from the other prisoners  
 I had communication with them, we had two  
 guards, where I first went, our guard

ask Evans. what he was in here for, he said for being connected with the train business; He said if any man could get him he thought he ought to get. a part of it. He said he expected to get some of it. Evans frequently said the same & so did Evans & I have heard Evans say so for himself. Does. Examination Heard Cornwell and Evans say so about two days after we got there. Cornwell & Evans have said in my presence that they expected to be connected and sent to the penitentiary. I said in the Bankers Shop. If I was brought up I would not do the case. much good!

B3<sup>rd</sup> Medwick Richards says.

I saw a private soldier in C. G. 2<sup>nd</sup> S. Reg. infantry and saw on duty at this place. I was in jail I slept in the room with Evans & Cornwell we had no double guards that night. I ask them what they were in there for they said for being in the train robbery that they turned state evidence & they would get some money for so doing; didn't say how much Cornwell was the one who said it. Both Evans & Cornwell were present. Examined

60 I was here 2 days, I slept in the room  
first night I was on guard next  
two weeks on guard. Melak was present  
but a little drunk. Sergeant Morgan  
was on duty had charge of the  
guard, I ask why. he was not below  
he said he had turned state evidence  
& suspected - to get some of the reward

Journal  
By the Mrs. Martin Auer. Says I am the mother  
of Abe & Horner Auer. on night of Robbery  
I was at home until it was getting dark  
I then went to Mrs. Haeberlein who was sick  
I shall select for me we returned about 11  
o'clock On the morning Nancy Chies in  
said to have been killed, she & Billy fed  
the stables the stables in not more than 100  
yards from the house had few near  
the houses than the stables. Corn is  
put up in stacks, it is usual for them  
to attack the corn when they feed.  
Auer was not well that morning I think  
he was at home until after 10 o'clock  
John Feather came there about 8 o'clock  
he & Abe went to baptizing, they  
preach was on the fire place that morning  
I left before the fatal my self I took a  
brown Sunday. The bed I sit with Margaret  
thence by Billy Monday morning -

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 Mrs Maden Cullen. Stated that She was the  
 Mother of Abraham & Abner Cullen. That their  
 slaid at home Saturday night before Henry  
 King was killed. on Sunday that she  
 waked up her son that Sunday morning  
 for breakfast. Breakfast is later on Sunday  
 than other days. After Iully went to feed  
 after breakfast got the sack to carry the  
 Corn in out of the kitchen went to the  
 Chick about 25 yards from the house.  
 they got the Corn and went to the barn to  
 feed About 50 yards from Chick I saw  
 them going to the barn did not see them  
 while at the barn but saw them again  
 when coming to the house. They fed  
 the horses. Sheep & catering hags. That  
 morning. we did not. then have a  
 Caring Corn. when they got to the house  
 John Prather was there they were not  
 gone to feed longer than 10 or 15  
 minutes I cant be positive as to  
 precise time Abner was in well that  
 morning and Sept. until 10 o'clock  
 I was attending to my horse work do  
 my own Cooking and milking. I  
 dont recollect when I milked that

morning  
 John Prather States that he came to  
 Mr Cullen on the Sunday that Henry