

## Transcript of Civil Cases from Justice's Court of

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County, Ala.

| ATTORNEYS                                | NAMES OF PARTIES  | CAUSE OF ACTION      | ITEMIZED BILL OF COST  |
|--|---|----------------------|--|
| J.W. Howell<br>A Epperson<br>John Drexel | R. E. Stacey<br>vs.<br>L. B. Gross  | Unlawful<br>Detainee | Justice's Fees<br>Issuing Summons ..... \$ 50 50<br>Issuing Alias Summons ..... 50<br>Issuing Subpoena for each witness ..... 15<br>Issuing Execution and Taxing Cost ..... 50<br>Issuing Summons to Garnishee and<br>defendant - <i>John Drexel</i> ..... 50 50<br>Issuing Attachment Writ ..... 50<br>Attachment Bond and Affidavit ..... 1 50<br>Garnishment Bond and Affidavit ..... 50<br>----- Appeal or Certiorari, including Bond 1 00 1.00<br>Bond ..... 50<br>Administering Oath and certifying same ..... 50<br>----- Certificate not otherwise provided for ..... 25<br>Docketing Cause ..... 10<br>Judgment on Forthcoming Stay or Replevin<br>Bond ..... 50<br>Judgment on Summary Proceeding ..... 75<br>Issuing Venire Facias ..... 50<br>Transcript of Proceeding ..... 50<br>Attending Trial or Right of Property ..... 1 00<br>Sci. Fa. or notice in nature thereof ..... 50<br>Making Return of Certiorari ..... 50<br>----- Notice to Defendant ..... 15<br>Release <i>John Drexel</i> ..... 25 2.00<br>SHERIFF'S FEES<br>Civil Cases <i>Joe</i><br>Serving Summons ..... 1 00 1.50<br>Serving Summons on each Witness ..... 25<br>Serving Garnishment ..... 25<br>Levying Execution under \$50.00 ..... 1 00<br>Levying Attachment under \$50.00 ..... 1 00<br>Making Money, 3 per cent. not less than ..... 75<br>Serving Notice, etc. on each party therein ..... 25<br>Serving Sci Fa. or other like Notices ..... 50<br>Taking Bail or other Bond ..... 50<br>Keeping Property Levied on .....<br>WITNESS' FEES<br>Witness Days ..... 50<br>Garnishee's Fee .....<br><br><i>W. R. Howell Jr.</i> |
|  |   | DISPOSITION OF CASE  |  |
|  | Bond and Affidavit Filed  |                      |  |
|  | Summons and Complaint Issued Ret. <i>May 1st 1965</i>   |                      |  |
|  | Ret. Executed By <i>J.W. Howell</i>   |                      |  |
|  | <i>Trial was had and a<br/>judgment was rendered<br/>against L.B. Gross,<br/>for Unlawful Detainer<br/>He appealed the case to<br/>the next term of the Circuit<br/>Court Baldwin County.</i> |                      |  |

M. R. HOWELL  
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
Baldwin County  
P. O. BOX 254  
Foley, Alabama

9-12-65

Miss Alice Johnson Baggett the Alabama  
Dear Miss Duvall.

This is the L. o. w. in the case  
of R. E. Slaney vs S. B. Fussell  
that I sent you manuscript  
in gray. I might have sent one  
to you, if I didn't here it is  
the case comes up for trial  
this coming week.

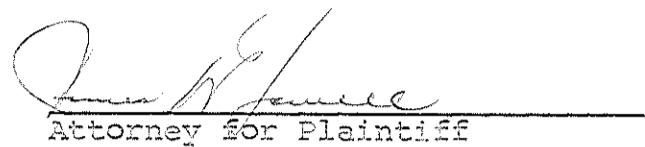
Yours truly  
M. R. Howell

ROBERT E. STACEY, ) IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF  
                    ) M. R. HOWELL  
PLAINTIFF ) JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
vs                 )  
L. B. GUESS,      )  
DEFENDANT        )

The Plaintiff avers, that he was, before the commencement of this suit to-wit: on the 17th day of November, 1964, seized and possessed of a certain tenement building, with appurtenances, situated in the County of Baldwin, State of Alabama, to-wit:

That certain building or buildings facing East on South McKenzie Street in Foley, Alabama, comprising what is now known as the GATEWAY HOTEL AND RESTAURANT, and after such possession accrued and while so possessed, the Defendant lawfully entered into possession of said tenement, to-wit: on the 17th day of November, 1964, under a certain Lease and Agreement with Plaintiff attached hereto as Plaintiff's "Exhibit A" and specifically incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference and under a certain note and chattel mortgage, by and between the Defendant, L. B. Guess, and Plaintiff's Assignor, C. B. Perry, also attached hereto as Plaintiff's "Exhibit B" and specifically incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference, together with said assignment attached hereto and made a part hereof and marked as Plaintiff's "Exhibit C". And Plaintiff further avers that the possessory interest of the Defendant in said premises terminated on the 16th day of March, 1965, and before the commencement of this suit and after termination of said possessory interest to-wit: on the 20th day of March, 1965, the Plaintiff demanded in writing the possession of said premises, and the Defendant refused to deliver the possession thereof to the Plaintiff.

Wherefore, the Plaintiff sues to recover possession of said tenement together with \$99.00 for the detention thereof, and prays that process be issued according to law.

  
James H. Janice  
Attorney for Plaintiff

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

LEASE AND AGREEMENT

THIS LEASE AND AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between ROBERT E. STACEY, hereinafter referred to as the LESSOR and L. B. GUESS, hereinafter referred to as the LESSEE, executed in duplicate this the 17th day of November, 1964.

WITNESSETH:

That the LESSOR does hereby lease and rent to the LESSEE, and the LESSEE does hereby lease and rent from the LESSOR, the following described real property and premises, to-wit:

That certain building or buildings facing East on South McKenzie Street in Foley, Baldwin County, Alabama, comprising what is now known as the GATEWAY HOTEL AND RESTUARANT being the intent to demise that part of the building or buildings presently used in the businesses of the Gateway Hotel and Restaurant.

for and in consideration of the hereinafter contained covenants, agreements and terms as follows:

1. That the term of this lease shall be for a period of Five years beginning on the First day of December, 1964 and terminating on the 30th day of November, 1969.

2. That the rental consideration for said buildings and premises shall be as follows: One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$125.00) on the First and Fifteenth day of each of the first six months that this lease and agreement is in force and effect and Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) on the First day of the Seventh month and Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) on the First day of each successive month that this lease and agreement is in force and effect.

3. That the LESSEE shall have the option to renew this Lease and agreement for two consecutive terms by giving sixty (60) days written notice prior to the expiration of each term to the LESSOR of the LESSEE'S intention to renew this lease and agreement for another term. The exercise of the two options by the Lessee will put this lease and agreement in force and effect for a total of Fifteen years from December 1, 1964.

4. That the LESSOR agrees as a part of the consideration for

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this lease and agreement with the LESSEE to make the following improvements immediately to the interior of the buildings to the approval and satisfaction of the LESSEE :

1. Build Barbecue pit as specified by Lessee.
2. Vent rest rooms in restaurant and remodel entrance to rest rooms to improve appearance and meet regulations of State Health Department.
3. Install new floor covering in main dining room and redecorate inside walls of main dining room.
4. Remodel private dining room by installing false ceiling, new lighting and paint floor and inside walls.

or at the election of the LESSOR to make available immediately to the LESSEE either credit or cash for making said improvements.

The LESSEE hereby agrees to repay to the LESSOR one-half of the cost of the above improvements in monthly installments of Forty Dollars (\$40.00) each, including principal and interest at the rate of one half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%) per month on the unpaid part of the debt owed by the LESSEE to the LESSOR for the above improvements, the first installment to be paid on the First day of May, 1965 and subsequent installments on the First day of each subsequent month until this debt and interest is paid in full. It is fully understood and agreed that the LESSOR is to furnish all of the financing for said improvements and stand one half of the cost with the remaining one half of the cost to be paid for by the LESSEE as agreed above. This paragraph shall not be included in nor be made a part of any renewal of this lease and agreement.

5. That the LESSOR will pay all ad valorem taxes and assessments legally levied on said buildings and property belonging to the LESSOR.
6. That the Lessee will pay all taxes and assessments legally made on the business operated in or on said premises and the personal property located in the restaurant part of the buildings.
7. That the LESSOR will keep and maintain the roof, outside walls, doors and windows in good repair and condition and repaint as needed.
8. That the LESSEE will keep and maintain the floor, inside walls, doors and toilet facilities in good repair and condition, however

"Plaintiff's Exhibit D"

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any major repair or replacement shall be the obligation of the  
LESSOR.

9. That in the event of destruction of the buildings or  
damage to the buildings so that the same cannot logically be used  
for the operation of business, then at the option of the LESSEE  
this lease and agreement may immediately after such destruction  
or damage be cancelled and voided by the LESSEE.

10. In the event of the death of either the LESSOR or LESSEE  
while this lease and agreement or any renewal thereof is in force  
and effect or both of them, the covenants and agreements herein  
contained are binding upon his or thier heirs, legatees, administrators  
or executors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the LESSOR and the LESSEE have hereunto  
set thier hands and seals on this the day and year first above set  
forth.

R.E. Stacey  
L.B. Guess

(SEAL)

(SEAL)

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Arthur C. Epperson, a notary public in and for the State  
of Alabama, at large, hereby certify that Robert E. Stacey as Lessor  
and L. B. Guess, as Lessee, whose names are signed to the foregoing  
lease and agreement and who are known to me, acknowledged before me  
on this day, that being informed of the contents of said lease and  
agreement, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same  
bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 17th day of  
November, 1964.

Arthur C. Epperson  
Notary Public, State of Alabama  
at large.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
COUNTY OF BALDWIN )

TO L. B. GUESS:

You are hereby commanded to be and appear before  
me, at my office, on the 1st day of April  
1965, to answer to, and make defense against, a complaint  
exhibited to me against you by Robert E. Stacey, for unlaw-  
ful detainer.

WITNESS my hand this 10 day of April, 1965.

EX-4-21-65

M. R. Howell  
Justice of the Peace

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Received 2/1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1965  
and on 2/1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1965  
I served a copy of the within Notice  
on L.B. Guess

By service on L.B. Guess

TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff

By J.M. Eastman D.S.  
Foley, Ala.

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

APPEAL BOND

We, L. B. Guess, John V. Duck, and Arthur Epperson are bound unto Robert E. Stacey in the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of May, 1965.

The condition of the above obligation is such that, on the First day of May, 1965, M. R. Howell, a justice of the peace in and for said County, rendered a judgement in favor of Robert E. Stacey against L. B. Guess for unlawful detainer but awarding no damages to the said Robert E. Stacey and court costs of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) from which judgment the said L. B. Guess, has applied for and obtained an appeal to the next term of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama; if the said L. B. Guess, shall prosecute said appeal to effect, or, if he fail in said appeal, shall pay such judgment as may be rendered against him by the said Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, then in either of said events, this be obligation to void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

L B Guess \_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)  
Arthur C Epperson \_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)  
John V Duck \_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)

Taken and approved this  
the 10 day of May, 1965.

M R Howell  
Justice of the Peace

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Baldwin County, Alabama

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PLAINTIFF         ) JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
vs                 )  
L. B. GUESS         )  
DEFENDANT         )

Came the above named parties, the Plaintiff and the Defendant on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 1965, and upon the evidence, I do find that the said L. B. GUESS, the Defendant, is guilty of unlawful detainer as complained against him by the said Plaintiff and I therefore order and adjudge that the said Defendant, L. B. GUESS, do restore to the said ROBERT E. STACEY, the Plaintiff, the possession of the said tenement building, with appurtenances sued for and described in the cause as follows:

That certain building or buildings facing East on South McKenzie Street in Foley, Alabama, comprising what is now known as the GATEWAY HOTEL and RESTAURANT,

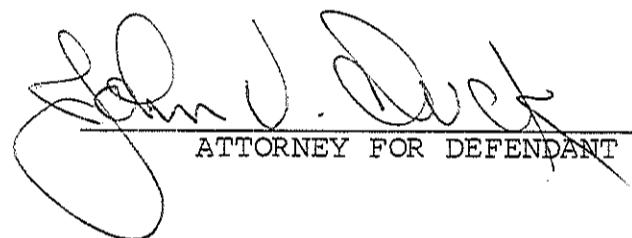
and pay the costs of this proceeding, for which let a writ of restitution and execution issue.

M. R. Howell  
Justice of the Peace

ROBERT E. STACEY, ) IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF  
Plaintiff, ) M. R. HOWELL, FOLEY,  
-vs- ) ALABAMA  
L. B. GUESS, )  
Defendant. )

Comes now the Defendant in the above styled cause and appeals the verdict of the Court, and as for grounds therefor, says:

1. That the Judgment is contrary to the law.
2. That the Judgment is contrary to the evidence.
3. That the Judgment is contrary to the law and evidence.

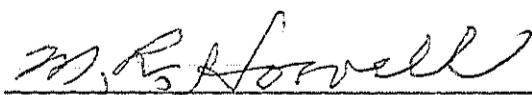


John J. Duck  
ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANT

Notice of Appeal to Appellee

TO: Robert E. Stacey,  
Foley, Alabama

You are hereby notified that L. B. Guess, the defendant in the above entitled case, has prayed an appeal from the judgment rendered therein by me; and, having complied with the requirements of the law in such cases, the same has been granted, to the next term of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to be held for said County.



M. R. Howell

M. R. Howell, Justice of the Peace

The above notice of appeal executed by leaving a copy of the same with Jas 25 Howell.

Witness this the 10 day of May, 1965.

Deputy Sheriff