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My name is Robert White, I am twenty three years old and I live with my mother at 1011 Adam St. in Mobile. I came to Summerdale about 3 weeks ago last Saturday. I went to work for Mr. Charlie Suble picking up potatoes and cutting corn. We were sleeping upstairs in Mr. Suble's barn. Last Thurs. - June 22, 1950 about 5:30 P.M. just before dark I went down to Mrs. Elaise Mintz and I got me a cool drink of water out of the pump then I went to the kitchen window, took knife and slipped stick out of the window, opened the window and I went in and looked in the kitchen cabinet and found some fruit in jars and I took it out and put it in three sacks then I took it out one sack at the time. I hid it in the bushes away from the house.

I ate one pint of peaches in barn. I was planning on getting Leonard Fountain to help me carry the fruit away. Mrs. Suble asked us if we had taken the fruit out of Mrs. Elaise Mintz house and we told her we did not know anything about the fruit. When Mr. Steelham came over to Mr. Suble's today we found fruit where I hid it in the bushes.

Leonard Fountain told me he would help me get the fruit and he said he would take some of it to his children and we were gonna eat all of the rest.

I am making this statement on my own free will and accord. I have not been threatened in any way or given any hope or reward, knowing that

it may be used against me in a
court of law.

(Signed) Robert White

(Signed) H. J. Hall

(Signed) Edleigh Steadman

STATE OF ALABAMA)
BALDWIN COUNTY)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

STATE OF ALABAMA)
Vs.)
ROBERT WHITE)

CRIMINAL DOCKET

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Now, therefore, I, KENNETH COOPER, Solicitor for Baldwin County, Alabama, under and by virtue of the provisions of Code of Alabama, 1940, Title 15, Section 260, do aver and allege that within the past twelve months in Baldwin County, Alabama, the said Robert White did, with intent to steal, break into and enter an uninhabited dwelling house, the property of Elouise Mintz, in which goods, wares, merchandise or other valuable household goods, to-wit canned fruits and vegetables, were kept for use, sale, or deposit, against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

Kenneth Cooper

Solicitor of the Circuit Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama, 28th Judicial Circuit

STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

Before me, ORA S. NELSON, a notary public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Kenneth Cooper, known to me and who by me being first duly sworn on oath, say: That he is the solicitor for Baldwin County, Alabama and that the foregoing statement and allegations are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Kenneth Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of July, 1950.

Ora S. Nelson
N.P. State of Ala at Large

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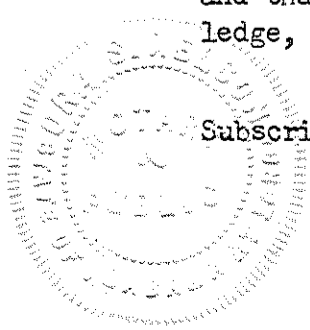
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TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JR., OF THE CIRCUIT
COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA:

Comes your petitioner, ROBERT WHITE, and respectfully represents that he is confined in the County Jail of Baldwin County, Alabama, under a commitment issued by the Justice of the Peace Court, Mr. T.C. Hand, of Bay Minette, Alabama, charged with the offense of burglary, 2nd degree, and said offense occurred and he has been committed for more than fifteen days; and that he has not employed an attorney, and that he desires to plead guilty to said offense in said Circuit Court before indictment under the provisions of Code of Alabama, 1940, Title 15, Section 260.

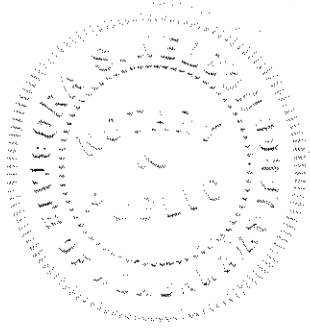
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Robert White

Petitioner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of July 1950.

Oran J. Nelson
N. P. State of Ala at Large



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR
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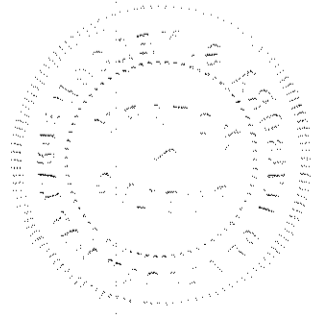
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Special Agent in Charge

Approved: _____



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BALDWIN COUNTY)

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Geo. S. Nelson
N.P. State of Ala. at Large

STATE OF ALABAMA)

BALDWIN COUNTY)

STATE OF ALABAMA)

Vs.)

ROBERT WHITE)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

CRIMINAL DOCKET

Kenneth Cooper, as Solicitor of Baldwin County, 28th Judicial Circuit of Alabama, having this day preferred and filed in court his information under oath against the above named defendant, accusing the said defendant, Robert White, with the intent to steal, break into and enter an uninhabited dwelling house, the property of Elouise Mintz, in which goods, wares, merchandise and other valuable household goods, to-wit canned fruits and vegetables, were kept for use, sale, or deposit, against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama, it is

Considered, ordered and adjudged by the court that the 13th day of July, 1950, at 3:00 P, M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the date for the said defendant, Robert White, to formally make and enter his plea of guilty in open court which date is not within fifteen days after the arrest of the said defendant, nor within three days after the defendant's notice to the Court of his intention to plead guilty.

Considered, ordered and adjudged by the court further that a copy of this order be served forthwith by the sheriff upon the defendant and upon his counsel, and that the clerk hand a copy of this order to the solicitor.

Considered, ordered and adjudged by the court further that a summons issue to the witnesses against defendant to be and appear before the Court at the time hereinabove named.

Considered, ordered and adjudged by the Court further that this order be entered upon the minutes of the Court.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1950.

Jasper A. Madhewy, Jr.
Circuit Judge

Filed 7-10-50
Alice J. Welch
Clerk

BY SAID CLERK AT
COURT HOUSE
CITY OF ST. LOUIS

Executed July 11 ~~Writ~~ 1950
by serving copy of within Summons and
Complaint on

M. Stone
R. W. Pitts

Jaylor W. Wilkins Sheriff
by D. D. Gage Deputy Sheriff

to the effect that the defendant has failed to appear in court as required by the writ of habeas corpus and that the writ of habeas corpus is hereby dissolved and the defendant is committed to the custody of the sheriff of the county of St. Louis, Missouri, until he shall appear in court as required by the writ of habeas corpus.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the writ of habeas corpus and that the same was filed in the office of the clerk of the court on the date and at the place hereinabove stated.

Jaylor W. Wilkins
Sheriff

ORIGINAL—STATE SUBPOENA

Moore Printing Co., Bay Minette, Ala.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT

Sub No. _____

Case No. 1228

Term July, 1942

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:

You are hereby commanded to Summon

W. F. Hall

Clara Mentz and

personally to be and appear before the Circuit Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at the Court House thereof, in Bay Minette, on the 13th day of July, 1942, at 3:00 8:30-a. m., and from day to day of said term, and from term to term thereafter until discharged, to give evidence and the truth to speak in behalf of THE STATE in a prosecution now pending in said Court, wherein the State

of Alabama is Plaintiff and

Robert White

Defendant, and have you then and

there this Writ, with your endorsement thereon.

Witness my hand this

11th

day of

July

A. D. 1942

Mrs.

R. S. DUCK, Clerk.

Received in office _____, 194

Executed this 7-11, 194

By Person in Jail

ORIGINAL

For _____

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The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

THE STATE
Vs.

Robert White

STATE SUBPOENA

Issued this 11th day of

July, 1948

W. J. Welch
Clerk.

W. J. Welch
Sheriff

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

JULY SPECIAL HEARING

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contrary to law and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

Kenneth Cooper
Solicitor.

RECORDED

No. 1228

STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY.

CIRCUIT COURT

THE STATE

vs.

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CHARGE:

BURGLARY, 2nd DEGREE

COMPLAINT

Filed 13 July 19 50

Benjamin J. ...
Clerk

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Alice J. White
Clerk

AFFIDAVIT

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STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Baldwin County. }

In the Justice Court of T. C. H A N D

T. C. H A N D,

Justice of the Peace

Before me, _____ who, being
in and for said County, personally appeared H. F. Hall
duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that he has probable cause for believing and does believe that in said County, on

or about 22 June 1950 that one Robert White
did with the intent to steal break into and
entered a house owned by Louise Mintz in
which food & household goods were kept.

_____ against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26

day of June A. D., 1950
P. Sand, J. P.

H. F. Hall

WARRANT

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BALDWIN COUNTY }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Robert White

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge
Burglary

_____ and have you then and there this writ with your return thereon _____

Witness my hand this 26 day of June, 1950
P. Sand, J. P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County.

JUSTICE COURT OF
T. C. HAND

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
vs.

Robert white

Witnesses for the State :

H. F. Hall
Edleigh Steadham
Elouise mintz.

Justice Court of
Baldwin County

WARRANT of ARREST

The State of Alabama,
vs.

Robert white

Executed this 26 day of June 1950

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him

in jail

Jayla Wilkins, Sheriff

D. D. J. J., Deputy Sheriff

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

JUSTICE COURT OF T. C. HAND
Precinct 4, Bay Minette, Ala.

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:
You Are Hereby Commanded to Summon

H. F. Hall, Edleigh Steadham

Elaine Mintz

personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the
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Defendant, and have you then and
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Witness my hand this 26 day of June, A. D. 1950

J. P. Land

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4

Executed in full, this the

28 day of
June, 1950

Layla Wilkins
Sheriff.

V. F. Hall
Deputy Sheriff.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
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Considered, ordered and adjudged that Kenneth Cooper, as Solicitor of the 28th Judicial Circuit of Alabama, the prosecuting officer of Baldwin County, Alabama, do forthwith prefer and file against the said defendant on information under oath, accusing the said defendant with the said charge of burglary, 2nd degree; or said information may be under the oath of some witness having knowledge of the said offense.

Let the clerk hand a copy of this order to the said solicitor.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1950.

Jeffair G. Maddox, Jr.
Circuit Judge

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Let the clerk hand a copy of this order to the said solicitor.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1950.

Jeffrey J. Madaleno, Jr.
Circuit Judge

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
ALABAMA, TARRANT COUNTY,
CRIMINAL DOCKET

STATE OF ALABAMA
TARRANT COUNTY
vs
JOHN T. BROWN

For the above named defendant, ROBERT W. BROWN, and clerk to the
Court, it is hereby certified that the indictment in the title of said
a indictment issued by the Justice of the Peace Court of Tarrant County,
Tarrant County, Alabama, charged with the offense of burglary, and
the said indictment further states that he has been convicted to jail for
more than 90 days; the court having ascertained that the defendant has not

Walter B. Brown

expressly consented to removal from jail, and therefore
a warrant of the law of this Court, to remove the defendant JOHN T. BROWN
on the finding of said Justice and that he desires to waive indictment by
this Court, and that he has been convicted of said offense charged against him. It is
therefore

do hereby order and adjudge that said defendant, as petitioner of the
said Court, be removed from the custody of the Sheriff of Tarrant County,
Alabama, to the custody of the Sheriff of Tarrant County, Alabama, for
under bond, according to the said indictment and the charge of burglary, and
subject to said indictment and be taken to the jail of the said County
to await the trial of the said offense.

and the clerk has a true and correct copy of this order.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 10th day of June, 1930.

Walter B. Brown

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Transcript of Criminal Cases from Justice Court of Baldwin County, Ala.

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
	THE STATE OF ALABAMA	
No. <i>1207</i>	Vs. <i>Robert White</i>	<i>Burglary.</i>

	DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEES	AMOUNT
	Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>H. F. Hall.</i>	JUDGE'S FEES Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	<i>75</i>
	Returnable <i>Grand jury</i>	Bond at 50c, Sci. Fa. at 50c	
	Witness—For State <i>H. F. Hall.</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	<i>75</i>
	<i>Edleigh Steadham</i>	Subpoena or Notice at 25c	
	<i>Elouise Mientz</i>	Continuance at 25c	
<i>7 July 1950</i>	<i>Def. was brought before me and after hearing evidence in case was bound over to Grand jury. Bond was set at \$1,000.</i>	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	<i>25</i>
	<i>Def. being unable to make bond was ordered committed to jail.</i>	Mittimus at 25c	<i>25</i>
		Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
		Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	<i>25</i>
		Execution of costs at 25c	<i>25</i>
		CONSTABLE'S FEES	
		Subpoena or Notice at 25c	
		Carrying Defendant before Justice, each mile for himself and guard at 10c	
		Arrest, 50c	
		SHERIFF'S FEES	
		Arrest, \$2.00; Bond \$1.00; Sci. Fa., 50c	<i>4.00</i>
		Guard, \$1.00; Releasing, \$1.00	<i>2.00</i>
		Subpoenas at 25c	<i>1.50</i>
		Days Board, at 30c	<i>6.00</i>
		<i>50c</i> WITNESS FEES <i>60 miles 10c</i>	
		Days at 50c	<i>50</i>
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		DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
		Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
		Subpoenas at 25c	
		Executing Subpoenas	
	<i>P. J. Lacy</i> <i>Justice of Peace</i>		

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