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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, FALL Session, 1953

The Grand Jury of said County charge that before finding this indictment Norman Thompson, whose name is to the Grand Jury otherwise unknown, did operate a motor vehicle, to wit a passenger vehicle, on a highway of Baldwin County, Alabama, at a speed greater than sixty (60) miles per hour during the hours of daylight,

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

*Kenneth Cooper*  
Solicitor of the Twenty-Eighth Judicial Circuit.

RECORDED

No. ....

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court

FALL SESSION Term, 1953

THE STATE

Vs.

NORMAN THOMPSON

INDICTMENT

SPEEDING.

No. Prosecutor.

WITNESSES:

Homer S. Walters

W.S. Wharton

GRAND JURY NO. 58

A TRUE BILL

*Clyde G. Gittle*  
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court and in the presence of  
the Grand Jury on the 17 day of  
September, 1953.

*Alvin J. ...* Clerk.

Presented in open Court to the presiding  
Judge by the Foreman of the Grand Jury, in

the presence of 17 other Grand Jurors.

*Alvin J. ...* Clerk.

Bail fixed \$ 200.00

*J. M. ...*  
Judge.

AFFIDAVIT

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State Of Alabama, }  
Baldwin County. }

In the Justice Court of T. C. HAND

Before me, T. C. HAND, Justice of the Peace

in and for said County, personally appeared Samuel Walters who, being  
duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that he has probable cause for believing and does believe that in said County,

on or about 25 Aug 1953 that one Norman Thompson  
drives a motor vehicle, on the  
highway of Alabama at a speed  
which is not allowed by law. Exceeding  
70 mi per hr.

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25

day of Aug, A. D., 1953.

T. C. Hand, J. P.

Samuel A. Walters

WARRANT

State Of Alabama, }  
Baldwin County. }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Norman Thompson and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

speeding car.

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

Witness my hand this 25 day of Aug, 1953.

T. C. Hand, J. P.

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**The State of Alabama,**  
Baldwin County.

JUSTICE COURT OF

T. C. HAND

**AFFIDAVIT**

The State of Alabama,  
vs.

*Norman Thompson*

Witnesses for the State:

*Homer S. Wether*  
*W. S. Wharton*

Justice Court of  
Baldwin County

**Warrant of Arrest**

The State of Alabama,  
vs.

*Norman Thompson*

Executed this *25* day of *Aug* 195*3*

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him

*under bond*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sheriff

*Homer S. Wether*  
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

*Domenic S. Walter*  
*W. J. Wharten*

personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the

*29* day of *Aug*, 195*3*, 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

*Merman Thompson*

Defendant, and have you then and there this Writ, with your endorsement thereon.

Witness my hand this *25* day of *Aug*, A. D., 195*3*

*T. C. Hand*

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4

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Executed in full, this the

26 day of

Aug, 195<sup>3</sup>

Taylor Wilson  
Sheriff

Deputy Sheriff

What time of day  
or night was  
Thompson caught?

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PLEA OF GUILTY

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT  
In the ~~COUNTY~~ Court of  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Comes now NORMAN H. THOMPSON

and enters this his written plea of guilty to Speeding

as charged in the Indictment

and agrees to a fine of \$ 25.00 and costs; to be paid Immediately.

Witness my hand this the 21st day of September 1953.

Norman H. Thompson  
Defendant

WITNESS:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

State of Alabama,

Baldwin County.

THE STATE

VS.

Norman H. Thompson

Plea of Guilty

CHARGE:

SPEEDING

Filed 21 September, 1953

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State of Alabama  
Plaintiff  
Vs  
Norman Thompson  
Defendant



In the Justice Court of  
T. C. Hand.  
Beat 4

Now comes the Defendant in the above styled cause,  
by his Attorney, Reuben F. McKinley, and makes known to  
the Court that he awaits the action of the Grand Jury  
in this matter.

*Reuben F. McKinley*  
Attorney for the Defendant.

State of Alabama

Plaintiff

Vs

Norman Thompson

Defendant

Notice to the Court

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Appearance Bond

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The State of Alabama, {  
Baldwin County }

We, Norman Thompson, as

principal, and undersigned as sureties agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of  
One / hundred DOLLARS

unless the said Norman Thompson appears at the  
2 / Aug Term, 1953 of the Justice Court of Baldwin County, Alabama  
and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of

speeding car.

We hereby waive as to all amounts that may become due hereunder the benefit of all laws exempting personal property from levy and sale under execution or other process for the collection of debt by constitution or laws of the State of Alabama, and we hereby severally certify that we have property over and above all debts, liabilities, exemptions and this bond to the amount of: real property of the value of \$2,000.00 and personal property of the value of \$1,000.00.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the

[Signature] L. S.  
\_\_\_\_\_ L. S.

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 195\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ L. S.

\_\_\_\_\_ Baldwin County, Ala.

\_\_\_\_\_ L. S.

Taken and approved this the 25 day of Aug 1953.

[Signature], Sheriff  
By Justice of Peace, Deputy Sheriff

No. -----

The State of Alabama,  
Baldwin County.

\_\_\_\_\_ Court

Sheriff's Office

THE STATE

VS.

Sheriff's Appearance Bond

Amount of Bond, \$ -----

Filed -----, 195

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk

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**CAPIAS**

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:

An indictment having been found against

Norman Thompson

at the Fall Term, 1953, of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

Speeding

you are, therefore, commanded forthwith to arrest the said Defendant and commit him

to jail, unless he give bail to answer said indictment, and that you return this Writ according to law.

Dated this 17th day of September, 1953

*Alvin J. ...*  
Clerk Circuit Court of Baldwin County.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

We, \_\_\_\_\_, as principal and

the other undersigned as sureties, agree to pay the State of Alabama \_\_\_\_\_

Dollars, unless the said \_\_\_\_\_ appears

at the \_\_\_\_\_ Term of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, and from Term to

Term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of \_\_\_\_\_

In signing the above bond we and each of us hereby waive all legal rights of exemptions allowed us by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Alabama.

Witness our hands and seals this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

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(L. S.)

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(L. S.)

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(L. S.)

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(L. S.)

Taken and approved \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sheriff of Baldwin County.

**CAPIAS**

No. 58

THE STATE

vs.

NORMAN THOMPSON

Bail Fixed in This Case in Open Court at

\$ 200.00

By H. M. Hall  
Judge Presiding.

Attest: Alice J. Duck  
Clerk.

Executed this 19 day of Sept, 1933

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in Jail

Jay Lov Walker, Sheriff

John Sellers, Deputy Sheriff

State of Alabama  
Plaintiff  
Vs  
Norman Thompson  
Defendant

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In the Justice Court of  
T. C. Hand  
Beat 4

Now comes the Defendant in the above styled cause by his Attorney, Reuben F. McKinley and pleads in abatement of this cause that

1.

He was arrested by a Game Warden, who has no authority in this matter and is unlawfully in this Court, Contrary to decided cases by the Supreme Court of the State of Alabama.

*Reuben F. McKinley*  
Attorney for the Defendant.





State of Alabama

Plaintiff

Vs

Norman Thompson

Defendant

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State of Alabama

Plaintiff

Vs

Norman Thompson

Defendant

Plea in Abatement

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
NORMAN THOMPSON, Defendant.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
NORMAN THOMPSON, Defendant.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
NORMAN THOMPSON, Defendant.

State of Alabama  
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State of Alabama

Plaintiff

Vs

Norman Thompson

Defendant

Notice to the Court

Approved for the Defendant

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,

I, the undersigned,

do hereby certify that

the foregoing is a true and

correct copy of the

original on file in

the office of the

clerk of the court.

Witness my hand and

seal this 1st day of

February, 1968.

At the City of

Montgomery, Alabama.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Court

State of Alabama

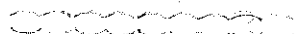
Montgomery

W. O. King,

Attorney at Law,

Montgomery, Alabama.

In the Justice Court of



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Appearance Bond

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The State of Alabama, {  
Baldwin County }

We, Norman Thompson, as

principal, and undersigned as sureties agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of Two hundred & 00/100 DOLLARS

unless the said Norman Thompson appears at the Fall term Circuit Term, 1953 of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of

Speeding

We hereby waive as to all amounts that may become due hereunder the benefit of all laws exempting personal property from levy and sale under execution or other process for the collection of debt by constitution or laws of the State of Alabama, and we hereby severally certify that we have property over and above all debts, liabilities, exemptions and this bond to the amount of: real property of the value of \$2,000.00 and personal property of the value of \$1,000.00.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 195\_\_\_\_

Norman Thompson L. S.  
Walter James L. S.  
\_\_\_\_\_ L. S.  
\_\_\_\_\_ L. S.

\_\_\_\_\_ Baldwin County, Ala.

Taken and approved this the 19 day of Sept 1953

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff  
By Robert Lee, Deputy Sheriff

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this the

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 195\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Baldwin County, Ala.

Norman Thompson L. S.

[Signature] L. S.

Walter James L. S.

\_\_\_\_\_ L. S.

Taken and approved this the 19 day of Sept 1953

James Smith, Sheriff

By [Signature], Deputy Sheriff

No. 1709

The State of Alabama,  
Baldwin County.

Court

Sheriff's Office

THE STATE

vs.

**Sheriff's Appearance Bond**

Amount of Bond, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 195\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk



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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
No. 5181	THE STATE OF ALABAMA,	
Ruben W. Kinley	Vs. Norman Thompson	Speeding Car

Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>Homer S. Walters</i>	Judge's Fees	
Returnable <i>Grand Jury.</i>	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Witness—for State <i>Homer S. Walters</i>	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa. at 50c	
<i>W. S. Wharton</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
	Subpoenas or notice at 25c	
	Continuance at 25c	
	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	
	Mittimus at 25c	
	Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
	Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	
	Execution of costs at 25c	
	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	3.00
	Guard \$2.00, Finger Printing 10c	
	Subpoenas at 50c, Mileage	
	Witness Fees	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
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	Days at 50c	
	Defendant's Costs	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 50c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

31 Aug 53

Def. attorney filed motion to dismiss case. Motion was denied by Court. Def attorney then filed waiver to Grand Jury.

*J. L. Land*  
Justice of Peace.

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