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The State of Alabama, }

Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

Spring Session

Term, 19 *55*

On Appeal From ~~County~~ Court

THE STATE vs.

Otis D. Hoffa

The State of Alabama, by its Solicitor, complains of

Otis D. Hoffa

that

in said county and within twelve months before the commencement of this prosecution he did,

*while intoxicated, drive a motor vehicle
upon a highway of Baldwin County,
Alabama,*

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

Kenneth Cooper, Solicitor.

No. 1937

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

The State

vs.

Otis D. Hoffa

Charge:

Driving While
Intoxicated

COMPLAINT

Filed

March 5, 1955

Annie J. French
Clerk.

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The court charges the jury that there is a legal presumption of innocence which is to be regarded as a matter of evidence by the jury to the benefit of which the accused is entitled, and as a matter of evidence it attends the defendant until his guilt is, by the evidence, placed beyond a reasonable doubt.

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Not Guilty

~~Not Guilty~~
Insufficient

Evidence

Winn Martin

Foreman

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The court charges the jury, the defendant is presumed to be innocent until the evidence convinces the jury beyond all reasonable doubt that he is guilty, and if upon a consideration of all the evidence the jury have a reasonable doubt growing out of all the evidence, they must acquit the defendant.

[Handwritten signatures and initials]

Given Charges

State

vs

Oris W. Hobbs

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def. Statement.
Adis cell 1/10/37.

did not remember
meeting Patrol but
Scene was sounded
Had not been drunk
did not tell officer
he had been drinking
Came by prison for

Floyd white.
In car with def.
with def all day
did not take any
drinks in prison.

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The State of Alabama, {
Baldwin County.

Justice Court of T. C. HAND

Precinct 4, Bay Minette, Alabama

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:

You are hereby Commanded to Summon

Paul C. Lewis, R. J. Genger,
W. D. Taylor, Charlie Meadows
personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the

18 day of Sept., 1931, 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

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

Witness my hand this 12 day of Sept. A. D., 1931

T. C. Hand
Justice of the Peace

Executed in full, this the

13 day of

Sept. 1954

Taylor Wilkins
Sheriff


Deputy Sheriff

[illegible]

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 Paul C. Sims 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 11 Sept 54 that one this well 1 1954

and owns a motor vehicle on the highway
while under the influence of alcohol, upon
highway or street.

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11

day of Sept, A. D., 1954

J. P.

WARRANT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest this well 1 1954

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

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

Witness my hand this 12 day of Sept, 1954

J. P.

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The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

JUSTICE COURT OF

T. C. HAND

AFFIDAVIT

The State of Alabama,
vs.

Otis Bell Hobbs

Witnesses for the State:

Paul C. Sims

R. J. Granger

W. D. Taylor

Charlie Meadows

Justice Court of
Baldwin County

Warrant of Arrest

The State of Alabama,
vs.

Otis Bell Hobbs

Executed this *11* day of *Sept* 195*7*

By arresting the within

named Defendant

Otis Bell Hobbs

and placing him

in jail

Sheriff

Paul C. Sims *DDP*
Deputy Sheriff

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County.

We, Otis Bell Hobbs, as
principal, and undersigned as sureties agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of
Three Hundred DOLLARS
unless the said Otis Bell Hobbs appears at the
next Term, 1954 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

Driving while intoxicated

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 constitu-
tion 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_____

Baldwin County, Ala.

Otis O. Hobbs L. S.
Amos Garrett L. S.
Harry Piggard L. S.
_____ L. S.

Taken and approved this the 25 day of September 1954

By [Signature] Sheriff
By [Signature] Deputy Sheriff

Defendant demands trial by jury
Otis O. Hobbs

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County.

We, Otis Hobbs, as
principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of
Three hundred, 300-00 DOLLARS
unless the said Otis Hobbs appears at the
Sept 18 Term, 1954 of the Justice T. Court Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of
Driving While Intoxicated

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 constitu-
tion 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_____

_____ Baldwin County, Ala.

Taken and approved this the

12

day of

Sept

1954

Taylor Welkins

, Sheriff

By Charlie Deader

, Deputy Sheriff

> Otis Hobbs L. S.

BROADUS, PIERCE & DICKERSON
BONDING COMPANY L. S.

Harvey Dyer L. S.

By: _____ L. S.

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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
	THE STATE OF ALABAMA,	
No. 6653.	Vs.	
	Otis Nell Hobbs	A. W. I.

	Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
	Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to Paul C. Sims	Judge's Fees	
	Returnable Circuit Court	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
	Witness—for State Paul C. Sims	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa. at 50c	
	R. J. Granger.	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
	W. S. Taylor.	4 Subpoenas or notice at 25c	1.00
	Charlie Meadows.	1 Continuance at 25c	25
18 Sept 54	Care continued to 25 Sept 54	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	1.00
25 Sept 54	after hearing evidence in case	Mittimus at 25c	25
	he was found guilty and fined	Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
	\$100.00 plus cost.	Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	1.00
	sy. appealed Circuit Court with	Execution of costs at 25c	
	request of trial by jury.	Constable's Fees	
	sy posted bond	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	2.10
		4 Subpoenas at 50c, Mileage	2.00
		Witness Fees	
		Days at 50c	50
		Days at 50c	50
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Defendant's Costs	
		Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
		Subpoenas at 50c	
		Executing Subpoenas	

Cl. faced
Justice Court

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