

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of said County:

The jurors of the Commonwealth of Virginia in and for the body of said county of Rockingham and now attending said Court at its August term, 1930, upon their oaths do present that Elmer B. Thompson, on June 26, 1930, in said county, did unlawfully operate an automobile while under the influence of ardent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of *W. T. Woolfrey* ✓ ~~S. F. Newman~~, Mrs. R. R. Hisey, ✓ Mariam Isaacs, ✓ and Blanche Bagby, ✓ witnesses sworn in Court and sent before the grand jury to give evidence.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,
COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, No. 113:
In the Circuit Court of said County:

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v
Elmer B. Thompson

Misdemeanor
August term, 1930

A True Bill:

J. Brown, Trobrough
Foreman

Sept 15th

*We the jury find
Elmer B. Thompson not
guilty.*

W. A. Myers Foreman

D. W. Earman
Commonwealth's Attorney

In Court and sent before the Grand Jury to give evidence.

Arrest Warrant

Commonwealth of Virginia, } To-Wit:
Rockingham County, }

To The Sheriff or, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, W. J. Wolley Traffic Officer of the said County, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, J. P. [Seal] a Justice of the said County, that Elmer B. Thompson

of the said County, on the 26th day of June, 1930, in the said County, did

Unlawfully and recklessly operate one automobile on road 11 in violation of the Traffic laws of this Commonwealth

These are therefore, in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, to command you forthwith to apprehend and bring before, me or some other Justice of the said County, the body of the said Elmer B. Thompson to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon

to appear and give evidence in behalf of the Commonwealth, on the examination touching the said offence.

Given under my hand and seal this 27 day of June, in the year 1930

J. P. [Seal] J. P. [Seal]

STATE OF VIRGINIA - COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM - TO-WIT:

JUDGMENT

JUDGMENT

Upon the examination of the within charge,
I find the accused *Guilty*
Fine imposed \$20.00 and
Costs Amounting to \$23.78
Given under my hand this the
27th day of June 1930

H. J. Angerlight, J. P.
Fine - - - - - \$ 20.00
Clerk's Fee - - - - - \$ 1.25
Justice's Fee - - - - - \$ 3.00
Arrest - - - - - \$
Summoning Witness *3/-* \$ 5.50
Witness Attendance and Mileage \$ 2.00
Commonwealth's Attorney - - - - - \$ 10.00
Jail Fees - - - - - \$ 1.70
Total - - - - - \$ 43.95
60
44.55
H. J. Angerlight
Justice of the Peace.

Commonwealth
vs. } Arrest Warrant
Eleanor B. Thompson

Executed the within warrant by arrest-
ing and delivering the body of

before _____
a justice of Rockingham County, and by sum-
moning the within named witnesses in person
this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Constable of Rockingham County

STATE OF VIRGINIA—COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, TO-WIT:
I, _____, a Justice of the Peace in and for the
County of Rockingham, Virginia, do hereby certify that _____ and
_____ have this day acknowledged themselves indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of _____ Dollars (\$ _____) to be made and levied of their goods and chat-
tels, upon this condition: That the said _____ shall appear before the under-
signed or the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, on the _____ day of _____, 19 _____,
and not leave hence without leave of the said Court, to answer the charge in this warrant, or to await the
action of the Grand Jury of the said County upon the within charge.
Given under my hand this, the _____ day of _____, 19 _____, J. P.

Arrest Warrant

Commonwealth of Virginia, } To-Wit:
Rockingham County,

To The Sheriff or, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, _____ of the said County, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, A. J. Argue Light a Justice of the said County, that Elmer B. Thompson of the said County, on the 26 day of June, 1930, in the said County, did unlawfully operate an automobile in Rockingham County, Va under the influence of ardent spirits

These are therefore, in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, to command you forthwith to apprehend and bring before, me or some other Justice of the said County, the body of the said Elmer B. Thompson to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon _____

to appear and give evidence in behalf of the Commonwealth, on the examination touching the said offence.

Given under my hand and seal this 27th day of June in the year 1930.

A. J. Argue Light J. P. [Seal]

STATE OF VIRGINIA—COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM—JULY 11

JUDGMENT

STATE OF VIRGINIA—COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, TO-WIT:

I, _____, a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Rockingham, Virginia, do hereby certify that _____ and _____ as his suret, have this day acknowledged themselves indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of _____ Dollars (\$ _____) to be made and levied of their goods and chattels, upon this condition: That the said _____ shall appear before the undersigned or the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and not leave hence without leave of the said Court, to answer the charge in this warrant, or to await the action of the Grand Jury of the said County upon the within charge.

Given under my hand this, the _____ day of _____, 19____.

J. P.

JUDGMENT

Upon the examination of the within charge, I find the accused _____

Probably guilty and send the accused to the Grand Jury. Given under my hand this the 27th June 1930
W. J. Longmire

Commonwealth

vs.

Arrest Warrant

Edwin D. Thompson

Fine - - - - -

Clerk's Fee - - - - - \$

Justice's Fee - - - - - \$ *3.50*

Arrest - - - - - \$

Summoning Witness - - - - - \$

Witness Attendance and Mileage \$

Commonwealth's Attorney - - - - - \$

Jail Fees - - - - - \$

Total - - - - - \$

Executed the within warrant by arresting and delivering the body of _____

before _____

a Justice of Rockingham County, and by summoning the within named witnesses in person

this _____ day of _____, 19____

Constable of Rockingham County

Justice of the Peace.

Commonwealth of Virginia,
Rockingham County, To-Wit:

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on the 28 day of June, 1930,
E. B. Thompson, principal and Chas. A. Hamme
surety, who justified to his sufficiency, came before me, Shepley L. Deever,
Bail Commissioner, of the said County of Rockingham,

(J. P. or Bail Commissioner)

and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia each in the sum of
Five Hundred no Dollars, (\$ 500.00),
to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, for the use of the Common-
wealth of Virginia rendered, and they each severally waived their homestead exemption to their re-
cognizance; yet upon this condition:

That if the said E. B. Thompson shall personally appear before
the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Courthouse of said County, on the 1st day of the
August-1930 term thereof, being the 18th day of August,
1930, and at such other time or times to which the proceedings may be continued or further
heard, and before any court or judge hereafter having or holding any proceedings in connection with
the said charge, and then and there answer the Commonwealth of Virginia concerning a certain
misdemeanor whereof the said E. B. Thompson stands
charged, and be bound under said recognizance until the charge is finally disposed of or until it is
declared void by order of a competent court, then the above recognizance shall be null and void; other-
wise to remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my signature this 28 day of June
1930.

Shepley L. Deever
(J. P. or BAIL COMMISSIONER)

Commonwealth of Virginia,
Rockingham County, To-Wit:

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on the 28 day of June 1930
E. B. Thompson, principal and
[Signature] came before me,
[Signature], of the said County of Rockingham,
and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia each in the sum of

Five hundred Dollars (\$500.00)
to be levied of their respective goods and chattels and tenements, for the use of the Common-
wealth of Virginia rendered, and they each severally waived their homestead exemption to their re-
spective obligations; yet upon this condition:
That if the said [Signature]
the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Courthouse of said County, on the 18th day of
August 1930, and at such other time or times to which the proceedings are referred, shall be
heard, and before any court or judge hereafter having or holding any proceedings in connection with
the said charge, and then and there answer the Commonwealth of Virginia, and pay to her certain
sums of money, which the said [Signature]

E. B. Thompson
\$500.00
To wit day
August 1930
L. C. [Signature]

charged, and be bound under said recognizance until the charge is finally disposed of or until it is
declared void by order of a competent court, then the above recognizance shall be null and void; other-
wise to remain in full force and effect.
In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my signature this 28 day of June 1930.

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

Com - Elmer B. Thompson

S. J. Chiles

J. C. Ammentant

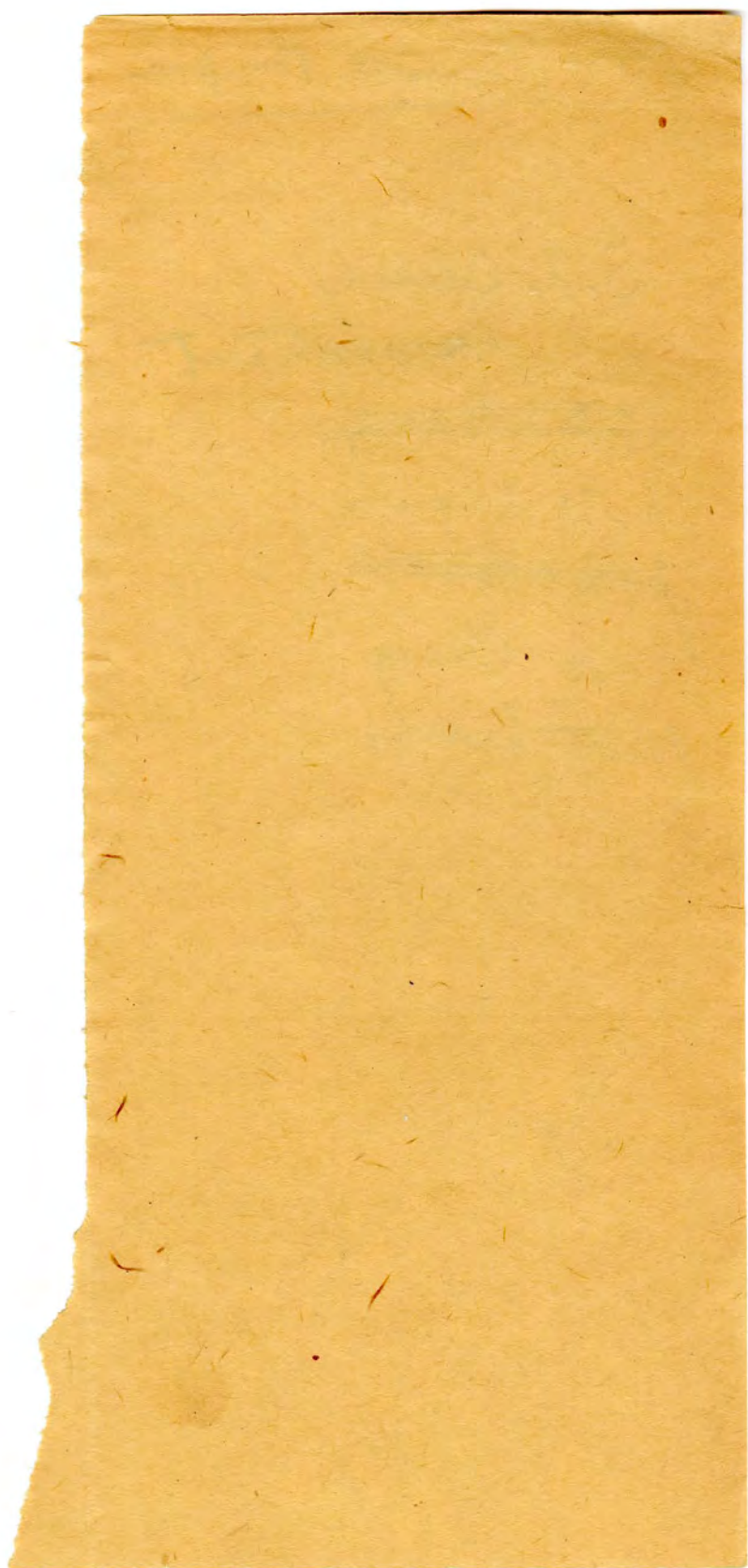
~~H. P. Berry~~

W. H. Wyles

~~J. E. Stone~~

C. A. Berry

Walter Sellers



Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Mrs R R. Hisey
Mariam Isaacs & Blanche Bagby

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *21st* day of *Aug* 19*32* to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth before the GRAND JURY

vs. Elmer B. Thompson

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this *they* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. ROBERT SWITZER, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the *19th* day of *Aug* 19*32*, and in the 15*th* year of the Commonwealth.

J. Robert Switzer, Clerk

Executed Aug 20 -1933 by delivering a true copy of the

within Summons to

..... In person.

Mrs R R King, Marion, Laas & E
Blanch Botey

A. P. Morrison an delictor
C. R. Stanley delictor

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v.

Elmer B. Thompson

1930

Aug. 21

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

Alleghany

To the Sheriff of ~~Rockingham~~ County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Harry Tappin
Counton

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *15th* day of *Sept.* 19*30*,

to testify and the truth to say in BEHALF OF THE COMMONWEALTH against

Elmer B. Thompson

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this *he* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. ROBERT SWITZER, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the *11th* day of *Sept.* 19*30*, and in the 15 *5th* year of the Commonwealth.

J Robert Switzer, Clerk

Harry Tappin

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia
To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

For my duty commanded to summon

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court in Rockingham County at the Court House
located at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 12th day of July 1907
in order to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony, to-wit: murder
And this I shall not seal under the penalty of £100. And have I have
and there this Writ.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth of Virginia
this 12th day of July 1907.

Clk

Robert Switzer

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

Alleghany

To the Sheriff of ~~Rockingham~~ County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

George Singler
Covington

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *15th* day of *Sept.* 19*30*, to testify and the truth to say in BEHALF OF THE COMMONWEALTH against

Elmer B. Thompson

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this *he* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. ROBERT SWITZER, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the *11th* day of *Sept.* 19*30*, and in the 15 *5th* year of the Commonwealth.

J. Robert Switzer, Clerk

Geo. Singley.

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia
To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

you are hereby commanded to summon

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House
thereof, at 10 o'clock a.m. on the _____ day of _____
to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth against

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony, with intent
that not only under the penalty of \$100. And pay them

Witness, J. ROBERT SWITZER, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the _____
day of _____ 19____, and in the _____ year of the Commonwealth.

Clerk

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia: *Alleghany*
To the Sheriff of ~~Rockingham~~ County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

L. W. Palmer
Covington

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *15th* day of *Sept.* 19 *30*, to testify and the truth to say in BEHALF OF THE COMMONWEALTH against

Edmund B. Thompson

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this *he* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. ROBERT SWITZER, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the *11th* day of *Sept.* 19 *30*, and in the *15 5th* year of the Commonwealth.

....., Clerk

J. Robert Switzer

S. N. Bolmer

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P. H. Tyler

S. A. C.

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia: *Alleghany*
To the Sheriff of ~~Rockingham~~ County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon *George Singler,*

Harry Tappin and S. V. Balmer

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the *15th* day of *Sept.* 19 ~~30~~,
to testify and the truth to say in BEHALF OF THE COMMONWEALTH against

Elmer B. Thompson

who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this *they* shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. ROBERT SWITZER, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the *11th* day of *Sept.* 19 ~~30~~, and in the 15 *5th* year of the Commonwealth.

J. Robert Switzer, Clerk

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In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia
w
Edmund B. Thompson

1930
Sept. 15

S. J. Glue
J. C. Armentrout
M. H. Myers
C. A. Berry
Walter Sellers

with J. M. Stover

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AUG 1930

COMMONWEALTH

VS.) Misdr. (Pro.)

ELMER B. THOMPSON

Sept 16
Not guilty



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