

In the name and by the authority of the State of Texas,

At a Term of the District Court of Lewis County, State of Texas,

Begun and held on the tenth Monday after the first Monday in  
September, A. D., 1866, the Grand Jurors, good and lawful

men of said State and County, then and there duly elected, tried, empaneled, sworn and

charged to enquire within and for the body of the County aforesaid on their oaths present, that

Perry Thompson

late of the county aforesaid, with force and arms in the county aforesaid, on the thirty second  
day of September, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and sixty

six, did then and there exhibit a gaming table  
for the purpose of gaming

against the peace and dignity of the State.

James A Thompson

Foreman of the Grand Jury.



~~1800~~ 1802

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State of Texas

vs

Billy Chapman

Indictment for  
Exhibiting a gaming  
table

Filed on 25<sup>th</sup> / 1802  
at Brown / OK  
By Cullen act

Witness for state  
Wm Roberts

Sept 1802



STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_,

Know all Men by these Presents:

THAT WE,

*Wm Thompson*

as principal, and

*D. W. Levell*

*R. E. Carrington*

as

*his*

securities, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Texas in the sum of

*Five*

*hundred Dollars*

for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind

ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Signed with our hands, and

sealed with our seals (using scrawls for seals), this *24th* day of *December*, A. D. 18*67*

The conditions of the above obligation are such, that whereas, the above bounden

*Wm Thompson*

was this day arrested by

*J. M. Reed Dept*

Sheriff of

*Travis*

County, by virtue of a Writ of Capias issued out of the District Court

of said County, commanding said Sheriff to take into his custody the BODY of the above bounden

*Wm Thompson*

and to have the same, the body

of the said

*Wm Thompson*

before the Honorable

District Court of

*Travis*

County, to be begun and holden

*on the first*

*Monday in March A. D. 1868*

to answer an indictment preferred against him by the Grand Jurors of

*Travis*

County, at the

*Fall* Term, A. D., 18*66*, for

*exhibiting a gaming table*

*for the purpose of gaming*

whereby the said

*Wm Thompson*

stands charged.

Now, if the above bounden

*Wm Thompson*

shall

appear

*in person*

before the Honorable District Court of said County to answer said charge, at the

time and place above named, and there remain from day to day, and from term to term of said Court, and shall not depart thence

without leave of said Court, then this OBLIGATION to be null and void—otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

*Wm Thompson* [SEAL.]

*D. W. Levell*

[SEAL.]

*R. E. Carrington*

[SEAL.]

Received and approved this

*24th* day of *December*, A. D., 18*67*

*R. Platt*

Sheriff

*Travis*

County.

*per J. M. Reed Dept*



STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF

Known all taken by these Presents:

That we

as intended and

as

for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind

and severally, jointly and severally, signed with our hands and

in

the above

was this

of said County

and to have the same

of the said

District Court of

County in

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Term A. D. 18

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[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]

[SEAL]



The State of Texas,  
COUNTY OF TRAVIS.

*or any Constable*  
The State of Texas to the Sheriff of said County of Travis--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Summon

*Albert Roberts*

if to be found in your County, to be and personally to appear before the Honorable the District  
Court for Travis county, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in Austin, on *first*  
*Monday in March* A. D. 1867, then and there to

testify and the truth to speak on behalf of the *Peff* in a certain cause in  
our said Court pending, wherein *The State of Texas*

is Plaintiff, and

*Billy Thompson* is Defendant,

and there to remain from day to day, and from term to term, until discharged.

And this you shall in no wise omit, under the pains and penalties of the law in such  
cases made and provided.

Given under my hand, and official signature and  
the seal of said Court, on this the *23* day of  
*Dec* A. D. 1867.

*A. H. Cullen*  
Clerk, District Court Travis County.



File No. 1802

State

vs. } Subpoena.

City of Thompson

Albert Roberts

Served Decr 23. 1867

Attorney at Law

Dated Jan 27 1868

Attendant Clerk.

Went to hang same day found and executed  
paying 3<sup>rd</sup> of 1868 by reading the subpoena within the  
hearing of the miller named Roberts (Albert Roberts)  
R Plat Sheriff of  
for J. M. Thompson Deft



The State of Texas,  
County of Travis.

or any Constable Travis County  
The State of Texas to any Sheriff of said State—Greeting.

In the Name and by the Authority of the State of Texas, You are hereby  
commanded to arrest and seize the body of *Billy Thompson*

and him safely and securely keep, so that you have him personally  
to be and appear before the Honorable District Court for said County  
of Travis, \_\_\_\_\_ at the Court House  
thereof, in the City of Austin, on the *first* Monday after  
the \_\_\_\_\_ Monday in *March*, 1867. Then and there to  
answer the charge of *exhibiting a gaming table*  
*for the purpose of gaming*  
preferred against him by Indictment of the Grand Jury of said  
County of Travis, at the *Fall* Term of said Court, A.D.  
1866.

Herein fail not, but of this Writ, together with your services  
thereon endorsed, make due return as the Law directs.

In Testimony Whereof, I, FRANK BROWN, Clerk of  
the District Court in and for the County  
of Travis, and State aforesaid, have  
hereunto set my hand and placed my  
official signature and seal of office,  
\_\_\_\_\_ in the City of Austin, on  
this the *23* day of *Dec*  
A. D. 1867

*Frank Brown*

Clerk District Court Travis County.

By

*O. H. Culley* Deputy.



File *Mo 1867*

THE STATE OF TEXAS

VS.

CAPIAS.

*Wm Thompson*

Issued

*Dec. 20. 1867*

*Attestm clerk*

Clerk

Filed

*Dec 21 1867*

*Attestm clerk*

Clerk

*Paid \$ 5.00*

I have to hand Dec 28 1867 and ordered to be 29th 1867 by issuing the within named *Wm Thompson* and placing him under time for his appearance at the next term of the District Court of Travis.

Fee Capias \$1.00  
Bond  $\frac{1.00}{2.00}$

*P. H. A. & M. J. G.*  
*for Andrew Dept*



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thereof, in the City of Austin, on the *first* Monday after  
the ~~Monday~~ in *September*, 18*67*. Then and there to

answer the charge of *Exhibiting banking game*

preferred against him by Indictment of the Grand Jury of said  
County of Travis, at the *fall* Term of said Court, A.D.  
18*66*.

Herein fail not, but of this *hapias*, together with your services  
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the District Court in and for the County  
of Travis, and State aforesaid, have  
hereunto set my hand and placed my  
official signature and seal of office,  
\_\_\_\_\_ in the City of Austin, on  
this the *29* day of *May*  
A. D. 18*67*.

*F. Brown*

Clerk District Court Travis County.

By *M. Cullen*, Deputy.



Seems to have been  
a 1868 not to be  
found in this County

Joseph H. H. H.  
by J. H. H.  
Squire

File 1021127

THE STATE OF TEXAS

VS. } CAPIAS.

Willie Thompson

Issued May 29/67

Attorney at Law Clerk

Filed July 4/67

Attorney at Law Clerk

Bail \$300

Bryan Co.

