

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 Taylor Wilkins 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 14 Jan 1950 that one Sam Pratt

did bet on horse and money at a ~~gam~~ gam  
opist track in a public place or outdoor  
where people resort for pleasure

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14

day of Jan A. D. 1950  
T. C. Hand, J. P.

Taylor Wilkins

WARRANT

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

To any lawful officer of said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Sam Pratt

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

Gambling

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

Witness my hand this 14 day of Jan, 1950

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.

Sam Pratt

WITNESSES FOR THE STATE:

Jaylor Wilkins

H. F. Hall

Edleigh Steadman

Justice Court of  
Baldwin County

**WARRANT OF ARREST**

The State of Alabama

vs.

Sam Pratt

Executed this 14 day of Jan 1950

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in Jail

Jaylor Wilkins, Sheriff

H. F. Hall, Deputy Sheriff

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

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
No. 866	THE STATE OF ALABAMA Vs. Sam Pratt	Gambling

	DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEEES	AMOUNT
	Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>Jaylor Wilkins</i>	JUDGE'S FEES	
	Returnable <i>Grand Jury</i>	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
	Witness—For State <i>Jaylor Wilkins</i>	Bond at 50c, Sci. Fa. at 50c	50
	<i>H. F. Hall</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
	<i>Edleigh Steadham</i>	Subpoena or Notice at 25c	75
		Continuance at 25c	25
		Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	
		Mittimus at 25c	25
		Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	10
		Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	
		Execution of costs at 25c	25
		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, \$3.00; Bond \$1.00; Sci. Fa., 50c	3.00
		Committing, \$2.00; Releasing, \$1.00	2.00
		Subpoenas at \$1.00 & Day's Board at 30c	1.00
		WITNESS FEES	
		Days at 50c	50
		" 50c	50
		" 50c	50
		" 50c	50
		" 50c	50
		" 50c	50
		" 50c	50
		DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
		Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
		Subpoenas at 25c	
		Executing Subpoenas	

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Def. appeared before me and requested that leaving he wanted to Grand Jury. Bond was set at \$300.00. Def. being unable to make bond at time was ordered committed to jail. Def. later made bond which was accepted by the Court.

*J. L. Ford*  
Justice of the Peace

# THE STATE OF ALABAMA

## Baldwin County

We, Sam Pratt, as

principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of -----

One Hundred & Fifty DOLLARS

unless the said Sam Pratt appear at the

Jan. 21st Term, 19 50 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

Gambling

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 -----, 19-----

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----- Baldwin County, Ala.

Sam Pratt (Seal)

C. H. Giff (Seal)

----- (Seal)

----- (Seal)

Taken and approved this the 14th day of January, 1950

Taylor W. W. W. W., Sheriff

By Joe Dickman, Deputy Sheriff

**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

*Lall* *Edley* *Steadman*  
personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the  
*21* day of *Jan*, 19*50*, 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 *Sam Pratt*

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

Witness my hand this *14* day of *Jan*, A. D. 19*50*  
*J. T. Hand*  
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4

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Executed in full, this the

14 day of

Jan, 1950

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Taylor Walker  
Sheriff.

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Deputy Sheriff.

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }**  
**Baldwin County**

We, Sam Pratt, as  
 principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of  
Three Hundred DOLLARS  
 unless the said Sam Pratt appear at the  
Spring Term, 1950 of the Grand Jury Court of Baldwin County, Alabama,  
 and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of  
Gambling.

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 \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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

Sam Pratt (Seal)  
C. T. Griffin (Seal)  
A. C. Thelbert (Seal)  
H. B. Cuckett (Seal)

Taken and approved this the 21 day of Jan, 1950

P. S. Lewis Justice of Peace, Sheriff

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Sheriff