

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ALABAMA, {  
BALDWIN COUNTY }

In the Justice Court of CHAS C. HAND

Before me, CHAS. C. HAND, Justice of the Peace  
in and for said County, personally appeared Willis W. Anderson 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 9 1946 that one CC Higgins

did unlawfully and with malice aforethought, did assault Rodney Nairn  
Seaman (Farm Worker) British Subject. Contract No. 11132. Loxley Labor Camp.  
with the intent to murder him

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9  
day of May 1946 A. D. 1946  
Charles C. Hand, J. P.

Willis W. Anderson

WARRANT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, {  
BALDWIN COUNTY }

TO ANY LAWFUL OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY, GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to arrest CC Higgins

and bring him  
before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

Assault to murder

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

Witness my hand this 9 day of May, 1946

Charles C. Hand J. P.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court of

*Pro Anderson*

AFFIDAVIT

The State of Alabama,  
vs.

*CC Higgins*

WITNESSES FOR THE STATE:

*Stafford Taylor*  
*Otis Wilson*  
*Owen Rossing*  
*Helen Mattei*  
*Willis H. Anderson*

JUSTICE COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY

WARRANT OF ARREST

The State of Alabama  
vs.

*CC Higgins*

Executed this 7 day of May, 1946

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him *in jail*

Sheriff

Deputy Sheriff

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, {  
BALDWIN COUNTY

No. 20

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA—GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to summon

*Stafford Taylor*

if to be found in your county, at the instance of the State of Alabama, to appear before the Circuit Court  
of Baldwin County, at the Court House thereof, in said County, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of

November, 1946, and from day to day thereafter, until discharged, to give evidence  
and the truth to speak before the Grand Jury of said county, concerning certain matters to be investigated  
by the said Grand Jury.

Herein fail not, and have you then and there this Writ.

Witness my hand this

9<sup>th</sup>

day of

October

A. D., 1946

Attest:

*R. S. Duck*

, Clerk

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
Baldwin County.

No. 20

TO Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama — Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon Stafford Taylor, Otis Wilson, Owen Rossing.

Helen Mattei & Willis W. Anderson

to be and appear on the 4th day of November 1946 before the Grand Jury of  
said County, at the Court House thereof, then and there to testify and give evidence on behalf of the State  
of Alabama. Herein fail not, and make due return of this writ with your endorsement thereon.

Witness my hand this 9th day of October A. D., 194 6

Clerk.

ORIGINAL

No. 20

## GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

I have executed this Subpoena by serving  
a copy thereof on the following persons,  
to-wit:

Otis Wilson

Owen Rossing

Helen Matter

this 26 day of Oct 1946

B. E. Harris, Sheriff

W. H. P. S.

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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
	THE STATE OF ALABAMA,	
No. 3664	Vs.	
	C. C. Higgins	Assault to Murder

Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>Hillis W Anderson</i>	Judge's Fees	
Returnable	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Witness—for State	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa at 50c	
<i>Shepard Taylor</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
<i>Olis Wilson</i>	Subpoena or notice at 25c	
<i>Dwan Rossing</i>	Continuance at 25c	
<i>Helen Mattei</i>	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	
<i>Hillis W Anderson</i>	Mittimus at 25c	25
	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	
	Committing \$1.00, Releasing \$1.00	
	Subpoenas at 25c Day's Board at 30c	
	Witness Fees	
	Days at 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 25c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

5-9-46- Defendant waived hearing to  
next term of Baldwin County  
Grand Jury and bond fixed  
at Seven Hundred fifty Dollars

*Procedural*  
(B)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County }We, C. C. Huggins, asprincipal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of Seven  
Hundred Fifty DOLLARSunless the said C. C. Huggins appear at theFall Term, 1946 of the Grand Court of Baldwin County, Alabama,

and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of

Assault with Intent to Murder

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 \_\_\_\_\_, 194\_\_\_\_\_

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

C. C. Huggins (SEAL)George Minor (SEAL)Th. Kuffer (SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_, (SEAL)

Taken and approved this the 9 day of May, 1946C. E. Garrett, SheriffBy J. L. Davis, Deputy Sheriff

NO. 3664

**The State of Alabama**  
BALDWIN COUNTY

COURT

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

**The State**

VS.

*C. C. Higgins*

**Sheriff's Appearance Bond**

Amount of Bond, \$

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# BALDWIN COUNTY

## Criminal

STATE OF ALABAMA

THE STATE

VS.

C. C. HUGGINS

CHARGE:

Assault to Murder

C.C. H.

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