

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

In the Justice Court of FRANK P. PROPST

Before me, FRANK P. PROPST, Justice of the Peace

in and for said County, personally appeared O. L. Murphy 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

March 17 - 1948 that one J. J. Smith unlawfully but without malice or intention to kill - killed Aubrey H. Noble by negligently striking him with a truck

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17

day of March A. D. 1948

Frank P. Propst, J. P.

O. L. Murphy

WARRANT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY LAWFUL OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY, GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to arrest

J. J. Smith

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

man slaughter

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

Witness my hand this 17 day of March, 1948

Frank P. Propst, J. P.

MITTIMUS OR COMMITMENT

TO THE JAILER OF BALDWIN COUNTY:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

On complaint of

O. L. Murphy

charging

J. J. Smith

with the offense of

man slaughter

it appearing that such offense has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe that

he

has been guilty thereof, you are therefore commanded to receive him into your custody, and detain him until he is legally discharged.

Dated this 17 day of March, 1948

Frank P. Propst

Justice of the Peace.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

Baldwin County

JUSTICE COURT OF

FRANK P. PROPST

Bay Minette, Ala.

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

vs.

J. J. Smith

Witnesses for the State:

O. L. Murphy

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

WARRANT OF ARREST

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

J. J. Smith

Executed this 18 day of Mar

1948

By arresting the within
named Defendant

and placing him under Bond

O. L. Murphy, Sheriff

AHP

, Deputy Sheriff

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

JUSTICE COURT OF

FRANK P. PROPST

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

J. J. Smith

MITTIMUS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

I, _____
a Justice of the Peace in and for said State and
County, do and hereby certify that _____

the Defendant, is required to give bail in the sum of

\$ _____ for his appearance at the

194____ Term of the _____

Court of _____ County, Ala.

Given under my hand this the _____

day of _____, 194____

_____, J.P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court of FRANK P. PROPST, Notary
Public, Ex-Officio Justice of the Peace. Precinct 4,
Bay Minette, Alabama

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:
You Are Hereby Commanded to Summon

Taylor Wilkins

W. L. Allen

personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the

18 day of *March*, 19*48*, 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

J. G. Smith

Defendant, and have you then and

there this Writ, with your endorsement thereon.

Witness my hand this

17 day of *March*, A.D. 19*48*

Frank P. Propst

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4

Executed in full, this the

17 day of

March, 1948

Taylor Wilkins
Sheriff.

W F Hall
Deputy Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S APPEARANCE BOND

Moore Printing Co., Bay Minette, Ala.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin CountyWe, J. T. Smith, as
principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of -----Five Hundred DOLLARS
unless the said J. T. Smith appear at theApril Term, 1948 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 ofManslaughter Second Degree

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____

____, Baldwin County, Ala.

J. T. Smith (Seal)J. T. Smith (Seal)J. T. Smith (Seal)J. T. Smith (Seal)Taken and approved this the 18 day of March, 1948By Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff
Freddie B. Griffin, Deputy Sheriff

No. _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

_____ COURT

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

THE STATE

VS.

Sheriff's Appearance Bond

Amount of Bond, \$ _____

Filed _____, 19 _____

_____, Clerk

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

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
No.		
J. B. Blackburn	THE STATE OF ALABAMA	
	Vs.	
	J. T. Smith	Man slaughter

DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEES	AMOUNT
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to O. L. Murphy	JUDGE'S FEES	
Returnable J. P. Court	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Witness—For State O. L. Murphy - W. L. Allen	Bond at 50c, Sci. Fa. at 50c	
Taylor Wilkins.	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
	Subpoena or Notice at 25c	75
	Continuance at 25c	
	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	1 00
	Mittimus at 25c	25
	Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
	Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	
	Execution of costs at 25c	2.75
	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	
	3 Days at 50c	150
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 25c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

On March 18-1948 appeared the defendant - He waived his preliminary hearing and was bound over to the Grand Jury - 1948 Spring Term of Circuit Court under \$1500.00 bond.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Baldwin County.

No. 36

TO Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama — Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon

W. L. Murphy, W. L. Allen,
Jaylow Wilkins

to be and appear on the 13th day of April 1945 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 2nd day of April A. D., 1945

Miss J. [Signature] Clerk.

ORIGINAL

No. 36

GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

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

D. L. Murphy
W. L. Allen Jr
Taylor Wickens

this 5 day of April 1948

Taylor Wickens, Sheriff

John B. Guffin D.S.

Grand-Jury
No. 36

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BALDWIN COUNTY Criminal

STATE OF ALABAMA

THE STATE

vs.

J. T. SMITH

CHARGE:

Manslaughter

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J. P.

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March 17-1948 that one J. J. Smith unlawfully but without malice or intention to kill kill W. C. Holloway by negligently striking him with a truck

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17

day of March A. D. 1948

Frank P. Propst, J. P.

O. L. Murphy

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BALDWIN COUNTY

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Manslaughter

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with the offense of

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it appearing that such offense has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe that

he

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of, you

are therefore commanded to receive him into your custody, and detain him until he is legally discharged.

Dated this 17 day of March, 1948

Frank P. Propst

Justice of the Peace.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

Baldwin County

JUSTICE COURT OF
FRANK P. PROPST

Bay Minette, Ala.

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the Defendant, is required to give bail in the sum of

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194____ Term of the _____

Court of _____ County, Ala.

Given under my hand this the _____

day of _____, 194____

, J.P.

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BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court of FRANK P. PROPST, Notary
Public, Ex-Officio Justice of the Peace. Precinct 4,
Bay Minette, Alabama

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:
You Are Hereby Commanded to Summon

O. L. Murphy - W. L. Allen
Taylor Watkins

personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the
18 day of March, 1948, 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 J. J. Smith

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

Witness my hand this 19 day of March, A. D. 1948

Frank P. Propst

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4

Executed in full, this the

17 day of

March, 1948

Taylor Wilkins
Sheriff.

W F Hall
Deputy Sheriff.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Baldwin County.

No. 37

TO Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama — Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon

W. L. Murphy, W. L. Allen,
Taylor Walkers

to be and appear on the 13th day of April 1945 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

2nd day ofApril A. D., 1945Alfred J. Welch Clerk.

ORIGINAL

No. 37.

GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

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

O. L. Murphy
W. J. Allen Jr.
Taylor Wilkin

this 5 day of April 1948

Taylor Wilkin, Sheriff
Zollie B. Griffin cl. S.

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

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
No.		
J. B. Blackburn	THE STATE OF ALABAMA	
	Vs.	
	J. J. Smith	Man Slaughter

DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEES	AMOUNT
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	CONSTABLE'S FEES	2 75
	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	15 00
	3 " 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 25c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

In March 18-1948 appeared the defendant - He waived his preliminary hearing - and was bound over to Grand Jury 1948 Spring Term of Circuit Court under \$500.00 bond

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

We, J. T. Smith, as
principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of Five Hundred DOLLARS
unless the said J. T. Smith appear at the
April Term, 1948 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

Manslaughter Second Degree

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____

_____, Baldwin County, Ala.

J. T. Smith (Seal)
H. H. Haver (Seal)
W. W. Langston (Seal)
_____, (Seal)

Taken and approved this the 18 day of March, 1948

Gayle Wilkins, Sheriff
By Zollie B. Griffin, Deputy Sheriff

BALDWIN COUNTY
Criminal

STATE OF ALABAMA

THE STATE

vs.

J. T. SMITH

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