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THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
Baldwin County

We, Sherman Wilson, as

principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of \$2,000.00

Two Thousand DOLLARS

unless the said Sherman Wilson appear at the

next Term, 1948 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 assault 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 _____, 19_____

_____, Baldwin County, Ala.

X Sherman Wilson (Seal)

M. Dixon (Seal)

A. D. Berglin (Seal)

_____ (Seal)

Taken and approved this the 11 day of June 1948

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

By Zollie 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

AFFIDAVIT

Moore Printing Co., Bay Minette, Ala

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 H. F. Hall 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 May 23 1948 that one Shurman Wilson

Unlawfully and with Malice aforethought, did
assault & murder Arnold Hunter, with the intent
to murder him, by shooting him with a
pistol.

_____ against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23
day of May A. D. 1948
Frank P Propst, J. P. H. F. Hall

WARRANT

STATE OF ALABAMA }
BALDWIN COUNTY }

TO ANY LAWFUL OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY, GREETINGS:

You are hereby commaded to arrest Shurman Wilson
_____ 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 23 day of May 1948
Frank P Propst, J. P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

JUSTICE COURT OF
FRANK P. PROPST

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
vs.

Sherman Wilson

WITNESSES FOR THE STATE:

Willie Wilson
Leonard Wilson
Chester Wilson
Arnold Hunter
H. F. Hall

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

WARRANT OF ARREST
THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Sherman Wilson

Executed this 5 day of June, 1948

By arresting the within

named Defendant

Sherman Wilson

and placing him in jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

Zellie B. Luffin, Deputy Sheriff

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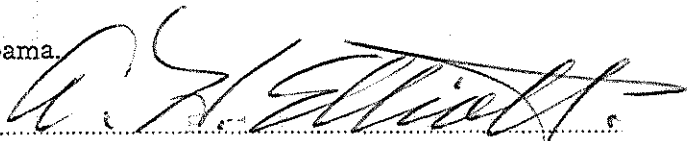
THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, Fall Session ~~Term~~, 1948

The Grand Jury of said County charge that before finding this indictment Sherman Wilson, unlawfully and with malice aforethought, did assault Arnold Hunter, with the intent to murder him,

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.


Solicitor of the Twenty-First Judicial Circuit.

RECORDED

No.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court

Fall Session ~~XXXX~~ 194 8

THE STATE

Vs.

Sherman Wilson

INDICTMENT

Assault to Murder

No Prosecutor.

WITNESSES:

Chester Wilson

Arnold Hunter

H. F. Hall

Maack Baldwin

GRAND JURY NO. 30

A TRUE BILL

W. M. Miller
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court and in the presence of
the Grand Jury on the 4th day of
Nov, 1948.

David J. Leach Clerk.
Presented in open Court to the presiding
Judge by the Foreman of the Grand Jury, in
the presence of 17 other Grand Jurors.

David J. Leach
Clerk.

Bail fixed \$ 1000⁰⁰

F. W. Hare
Judge.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
BALDWIN COUNTY.

No. 30

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon *Willie Wilson, Leonard Wilson, Chester Hilson, Arnold Hunter, H. F. Hall*

to be and appear on the *2nd* day of *November*, 19*48*, 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 the *8* day of *Oct.*, 19*48*.

Alice J. Wicks Solicitor.
clerk

Fairhope

ORIGINAL

No. *30*

GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

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

By serving in full

this *22* day of *Oct* 19*48*

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff
W. F. Hall

D. S.

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

allan Johnson Willie Wilson - Leonard Wilson - Mack Boland
Chester Wilson - Arnold Hunter - N. F. Hall

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

11 day of June, 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 Sherman Wilson

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

Witness my hand this 7 day of June, A. D. 1948

Frank P. Propst

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4.

Executed in full, this the

10

day of

June, 1948

Taylor Wickins
Sheriff.

Fannie B. Guffin
Deputy Sheriff.

STATE OF ALABAMA }
BALDWIN COUNTY }

No. 7 533

Case No. 1053
The State of Alabama

IN THE Justice COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

vs.

Sherman Wilson

Before me, F P Propst

Clerk of the Circuit Court of

Baldwin County, Alabama, personally appeared Taylor Wilkins
who being duly sworn deposes and says:

I am the Sheriff of Baldwin County, Alabama. In the case of the State of Alabama vs. Sherman Wilson
in the above mentioned court, in executing the warrant
of arrest or in arresting the said defendant, I or one of my duly authorized deputies, traveled 70 miles
by the most direct route to the point of arrest and return, and I am entitled to mileage at ten cents per mile
to be taxed as costs in the case.

Point of Arrest

Fairhope

Taylor Wilkins
Sheriff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May 1948

Disposition of Case

Tried and found guilty in Justice Court
Remand over to Circuit Court Fall Term
48 months 2000 bond

Frank P Propst Jr
Clerk Circuit Court

After considering the above affidavit made by the sheriff of Baldwin County, Alabama, I, as the trial
Judge of said court, do hereby approve the claim for mileage in the sum of \$ 7.00 incurred in the
making of the arrest or executing the warrant of arrest in the above styled cause and I hereby order the clerk
of the court to tax the said sum as part of the costs in said case.

This the 10 day of June, 1948.

Frank P Propst
Judge of the above named court

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

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
	THE STATE OF ALABAMA	
No.	Vs. <i>Sherman Wilson</i>	<i>Assault to murder</i>

DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEES	AMOUNT
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>H. J. Hall</i>	JUDGE'S FEES Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Returnable <i>J. P. Couart</i>	Bond at 50c, Sci. Fa. at 50c	
Witness—For State <i>Willie Wilson, Leonard Wilson, Chester Hilson, Arnold Heenter - H. J. Hall.</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c Subpoena or Notice at 25c	12.5
	Continuance at 25c	
	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	1.00
	Mittimus at 25c	.25
	Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
<i>Came before me June 11 - 1948 - Plea of "Not guilty". From the evidence presented before me - defendant found guilty and was bound over to grand jury. Fall Term of Circuit Court Order 2000⁰⁰ bond</i>	Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	3.75
	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, \$1.00; Bond \$1.00; Sci. Fa. 300	4.00 2.00
	Committing, \$1.00; Releasing, \$1.00	1.00
	Subpoenas at 50c Day's Board at 30c	2.50
	WITNESS FEES 5 Days at 50c	7.00
	50c	1.00
	50c	.50
	50c	.50
	50c	.50
	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	

10.50 / 2.25 / 12.75

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Received in office 11-17, 1948

Executed this 11-26, 1948

By Leaving Copy With

Chester Hilson

Carroll Hunter

H. J. Hall

Mack Baldwin

Taylor Wilkins
Sheriff

Edleigh Steadman

Fairhope

ORIGINAL

For _____

No. 1044 Page _____

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

THE STATE
Vs.

SHERMAN WILSON

STATE SUBPOENA

Issued this 16th day of

Nov., 1948

ALICE J. DUCK

Clerk.

ORIGINAL—STATE SUBPOENA

Moore Printing Co., Bay Minette, Ala.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }

BALDWIN COUNTY }

CIRCUIT COURT

Sub No. _____

Case No. 1011 Term FALL, 1949

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:

You are hereby commanded to Summon CHESTER ^H WILSON, ARNOLD HUNTER, H. F. HALL,

MACK BALDWIN.

personally to be and appear before the Circuit Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at the Court House thereof, in Bay Minette, on the 1st day of Dec., 1949, at 8:30 a. m., 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 SHERMAN WILSON

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

Witness my hand this 16th day of Nov. A. D. 1949 Mrs. R. S. DUCK, Clerk.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
Baldwin County - Circuit Court }

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA — GREETING:

Whereas, at a Term of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, held on the
..... FIRST Monday in APRIL , 1949., in a cer-

tain cause in said Court wherein THE STATE OF ALABAMA

..... Plaintiff, and CARNIS LASSITER

..... Defendant, a judgment was rendered against said

..... CARNIS LASSITER

to reverse which JUDGMENT, the said CARNIS LASSITER

..... applied for and obtained from this office an APPEAL, returnable to the NEXT

Term of our COURT OF APPEALS Court of the State of Alabama, to be held at Montgomery,

on the day of, 194..... next, and the necessary bond

having been given by the said CARNIS LASSITER

..... with R. J. LASSITER, JOE B. HARDY, ED DREW, W. J. BRAY, sureties,

Now, You Are Hereby Commanded, without delay, to cite the said

..... STATE OF ALABAMA or KENNETH COOPER

....., attorney, to appear at the NEXT Term of our

County Appeals
said ~~Supreme~~ Court, to defend against the said Appeal, if THEY think proper.

Witness, ALICE J. DUCK, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, this 7th
day of April, A. D., 194..... 9

Attest:

..... *Alice J. Duck*, Clerk.

I, hereby accept service
this 7th day of April, 1949.

Kenneth Cooper
Solicitor, 28 Judicial Circuit
Baldwin County, Alabama.

CIRCUIT COURT
Baldwin County, Alabama

Vs. } Citation in Appeal

Issued day of, 194.....

State of Ala. vs. Carnis Cassiter
 JURY LIST, SECOND WEEK

Spring Term, April 4th, 1949

No.	Name	Occupation	Address
1	W. H. Fletcher,	postal Clerk,	Bay Minette
2	Edmond Clay McGowan,	farmer,	Latham S ²
3	D. D. Little,	farmer,	Lottie S ³
4	W. J. McKenzie,	farmer,	Magnolia Springs S ⁴
5	Turpin Bankester,	railroad emp.,	Robertsdate S ⁴
6	Riley Weeks,	carpenter,	Foley S ¹³
7	Wallace Parker,	mill,	Stockton S ²
8	Charles Coghlan,	logging,	Latham S ¹
9	Frank E. Sanders,	banker,	Foley S ¹⁰⁴
10	Louis Lysek,	carpenter,	Magnolia Springs
11	Ernest M. Howell,	Utilities,	Foley
12	John P. Bertolla,	farmer,	Loxley S ¹⁰⁷
13	Thomas Hawkins,	bookkeeper,	Bay Minette S ¹⁰⁴
14	Hurley Ard,	farmer,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰⁵
15	Silas D. Powers,	farmer,	Bon Secour S ¹⁰²
16	Claude Ruple,	farmer,	Bay Minette S ¹⁰⁷
17	Brad Neimier,	merchant,	Fairhope
18	Eugene Koehle,	car dealer,	Foley
19	J. Douglas Waters,	farmer,	Gateswood S ¹⁰⁵
20	John Keifer,	merchant,	Elberta S ¹⁰⁰
21	Holly Rains,	farmer,	Daphne S ¹⁰⁵
22	William J. Russell,	mechanic,	Daphne
23	Floyd Marshall,	farmer,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰⁶
24	Charles L. Mathews,	F. C. A.,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰⁹
25	Howard Brooks,	barber,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰²
26	John Murphy McMillan,	mill man,	Stockton
27	Harry Still,	dealer,	Bay Minette S ¹¹⁴
28	Peter Malbis,	farmer,	Daphne
29	Louis B. Underwood,	farmer,	Summerdate S ¹⁰⁷
30	Mike Kaiser, Sr.,	farmer,	Elberta S ¹¹²
31	Walter Krueger,	Butane Dist.,	Foley
32	Jim Henderson,	carpenter,	Fairhope S ¹⁰⁸
33	John Gottler,	farmer,	Elberta S ¹¹⁴
34	M. C. Cooper,	carpenter,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰¹
35	William Gullledge,	farmer,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰³
36	Sam Faircloth, Jr.,	turpentine,	Lillian
37	Henry Miller,	farmer,	Bay Minette S ¹⁰⁸
38	John Norris, Jr.,	farmer,	Foley
39	Bernard Dykema,	Magnolia Springs S ¹¹³	
40	Clarence Hand,	farmer,	Foley S ¹¹²
41	Adrian Talbot,	filling station,	Bay Minette S ¹¹²
42	Dougal Taylor,	laborer,	Bay Minette S ¹⁰²
43	W. Darrington Hastie,	timberman,	Stockton S ¹⁰¹
44	Edd Hall,	saw mill,	Rabon S ¹⁰¹
45	Phil Cooper,	farmer,	Rosinton S ¹⁰¹
46	Frank Dusek,	Defense,	Lillian S ¹¹¹
47	Bertram Rhodes,	Dairyman,	Bay Minette
48	Alva Loughan,	Farmer,	Robertsdate S ¹⁰⁶
49	Ray Klein,	Garage,	Fairhope
50	Ellis Steadham,	Navy Yard,	Foley S ¹⁰⁹
51	W. T. Cannon,	Merchant,	Loxley

- (11) Ernest M. Howell, Utilities, Foley
~~12 John P. Bertolla, farmer, Loxley~~ 19³
~~13 Thomas Hawkins, bookkeeper, Bay Minette~~ 19⁴
~~14 Hurley Ard, farmer, Robertsdale~~ S⁶
~~15 Silas D. Powers, farmer, Bon Secour~~ S¹⁰
~~16 Claude Ruple, farmer, Bay Minette~~ 19⁷
 (17) Brad Neimier, merchant, Fairhope
 (18) Eugene Kochle, car dealer, Foley
~~19 J. Douglas Waters, farmer, Gateswood~~ 19⁵
~~20 John Keifer, merchant, Elberta~~ 19¹⁰
~~21 Holly Rains, farmer, Daphne~~ 19⁵
 (22) William J. Russell, mechanic, Daphne
~~23 Floyd Marshall, farmer, Robertsdale~~ S⁶
~~24 Charles L. Mathews, F. C. A., Robertsdale~~ 19⁹
~~25 Howard Brooks, barber, Robertsdale~~ 19²
~~26 John Murphy McMillan, mill man, Stockton~~
~~27 Harry Still, dealer, Bay Minette~~ 19¹⁴
 (28) Peter Malbis, farmer, Daphne
~~29 Louis B. Underwood, farmer, Summerdale~~ S⁷
~~30 Mike Kaiser, Sr., farmer, Elberta~~ S¹²
 (31) Walter Krueger, Butane Dist., Foley
~~32 Jim Henderson, carpenter, Fairhope~~ S⁸
~~33 John Gottler, farmer, Elberta~~ S¹⁴
~~34 M. C. Cooper, carpenter, Robertsdale~~ 9¹
~~35 William Guledge, farmer, Robertsdale~~ 12³
 (36) Sam Faircloth, Jr., turpentine, Lillian
~~37 Henry Miller, farmer, Bay Minette~~ 9⁸
 (38) John Norris, Jr., farmer, Foley
~~39 Bernard Dykema, Magnolia Springs~~ S¹³
~~40 Clarence Hand, farmer, Foley~~ 19¹²
~~41 Adrian Talbot, filling station, Bay Minette~~ 19²
~~42 Dougal Taylor, laborer, Bay Minette~~ 19²
~~43 W. Darrington Hastie, timberman, Stockton~~ 19¹
~~44 Edd Hall, saw mill, Rabon~~ 19¹
~~45 Phil Cooper, farmer, Rosinton~~ 19¹
~~46 Frank Dusek, Defense, Lillian~~ S¹¹
~~47 Berttram Rhodes, Dairyman, Bay Minette~~
~~50 Alva Loughan, Farmer, Robertsdale~~ S⁶
 (51) Ray Klein, Garage, Fairhope,
~~52 Ellis Steadham, Navy Yard, Foley~~ S⁹
~~53 W. T. Cannon, Merchant, Loxley~~
~~54 Francis Harrel, Farmer, Robertsdale~~
~~55 Percy J. Poss, Carpenter, Fairhope~~ 19³
~~56 Arthur Robertson, Farmer, Bay Minette~~ 19⁰
~~57 Frank Osborne, Machine Oper, Foley~~
~~58 J. Carlisle Childress, Merchant, Foley~~ 19⁹
~~59 Norvin Dubrock, Ship Yard, Fairhope~~ 19¹¹
~~60 B. W. Anderson, Farmer, Silverhill~~
 61. Lamar Irwin, Produce Buyer, Foley

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