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**INDICTMENT**

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**THE STATE OF ALABAMA**  
**Baldwin County.**

**Circuit Court, Spring Session, 1953**

The Grand Jury of said County charge that before the finding of this indictment FLORENCE HINES, alias FLORENCE HINOTE, alias ETTA COSLAR, whose name is to the Grand Jury otherwise unknown, unlawfully, and with malice aforethought, killed Leslie Gee, by shooting him with a rifle, against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

2. The Grand Jury of said County further charge that before the finding of this indictment FLORENCE HINES, alias FLORENCE HINOTE, alias ETTA COSLAR, whose name is to the Grand Jury otherwise unknown, unlawfully, and with malice aforethought, killed Leslie Gee, by cutting him with a knife, against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

3. The Grand Jury of said County further charge that before the finding of this indictment FLORENCE HINES, alias FLORENCE HINOTE, alias ETTA COSLAR, whose name is to the Grand Jury otherwise unknown, unlawfully, and with malice aforethought, killed Leslie Gee, by some means to the Grand Jury unknown,

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

WILLIAM R. LAUTEN  
Solicitor of the Twenty-Eighth Judicial Circuit.

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No. **RECORDED**

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY**

**Circuit Court**

Spring Session, 1953

**THE STATE**

Vs.

FLORENCE HINES, alias FLORENCE HINGTE,

alias ETTA COSLAR

**INDICTMENT**

Murder, First degree

No Prosecutor.

**WITNESSES:**

Taylor Wilkins

Jim Gee

Nelson Grubbs

J. B. Mitchell

GRAND JURY NO. 63

A TRUE BILL

*Robert E. Stapleton*  
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court and in the presence of  
the Grand Jury on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of  
Mar, 1953.

*Archie French* Clerk

Presented in open Court to the presiding  
Judge by the Foreman of the Grand Jury, in

the presence of 17 other Grand Jurors.

*Archie French* Clerk.

Bail fixed \$5000  
*W. H. Miller*  
Judge.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
Baldwin County

We, Florence Hines, as principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of Five Thousand 2 DOLLARS unless the said Florence Hines appears at the next Term, 1953 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 First Degree 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 -----, 195-----

----- Baldwin County, Ala.

Florence Hines L. S.

James Spivey L. S.

E. L. Kelly L. S.  
W. P. H. Hines L. S.

Taken and approved this the 16th day of March, 1953

James Walker, Sheriff  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Sheriff

No. \_\_\_\_\_

The State of Alabama,  
Baldwin County.

\_\_\_\_\_ Court

**Sheriff's Office**

**THE STATE**  
VS.

**Sheriff's Appearance Bond**

Amount of Bond, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 195\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
Baldwin County

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:  
An indictment having been found against

FLORENCE HINES, alias FLORENCE HINOTE, alias ETTA COSIAR

at the SPRING Term, 19453, of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of  
Murder, First degree

you are, therefore, commanded forthwith to arrest the said Defendant and commit her  
to jail, unless she give bail to answer said indictment, and that you return this Writ accord-  
ing to law.

Dated this 12th day of March, 19453.

*Denis J. ...*  
Clerk Circuit Court of Baldwin County.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
Baldwin County

We, \_\_\_\_\_, as principal and  
the other undersigned as sureties, agree to pay the State of Alabama \_\_\_\_\_  
Dollars, unless the said \_\_\_\_\_ appears  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ Term of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, and from Term to  
Term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of \_\_\_\_\_

In signing the above bond we and each of us hereby waive all legal rights of exemptions al-  
lowed us by the Constitution and Laws of Alabama.

Witness our hands and seals this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 194\_\_\_\_\_.

- \_\_\_\_\_ (L. S.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ (L. S.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ (L. S.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ (L. S.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ (L. S.)

Taken and approved \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 194\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sheriff of Baldwin County.

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**CAPIAS**

No. 63

**THE STATE**  
vs.

FLORENCE HINES, alias FLORENCE HINOTE

alias ETTA COSLAR

Bail Fixed in This Case in Open Court at

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By HUBERT M. HALL  
Judge Presiding.

Attest:     
Clerk.

Executed this 12 day of March, 1943

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in Jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

Peter Sells, Deputy Sheriff