

1954

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Kenneth Cooper
Solicitor of the Twenty-Eight Judicial Circuit.

No. _____

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Circuit Court

SPRING SESSION Term, 19 55

The State

vs.

JACK R. JONES

INDICTMENT

RAPE

NO. Prosecutor

WITNESSES:

~~W#~~ CLEO ANN CECIL
MRS. CHESTER BROWN

PAULINE ~~#####~~ ETHEL
LT. J. J. BRYAN

GRAND JURY NO. 1

A TRUE BILL

~~Carl L. Bloxham~~

Foreman Grand Jury.

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the Grand Jury on the 16th day of
March, 1955

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Clerk.

Presented in open Court to the presiding
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AFFIDAVIT

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State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

1954

In the Justice Court of _____

Before me, MR. Howell, Justice of the Peace

in and for said County, personally appeared Cleo Ann, Cecil 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 Oct 31st that one Jack Jones

did assault Cleo Ann, Cecil. By force he
had intercourse with her against her will
in violation of Sec 395 of Title 14

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31

day of Oct, A. D., 1954

MR. Howell, J. P.

Miss Cleo Ann Cecil

WARRANT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest

Jack Jones

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

Rape

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

Witness my hand this 31st day of Oct, 1954

M. R. Howell, J. P.

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County

JUSTICE COURT OF

AFFIDAVIT

The State of Alabama,
vs.

Witnesses for the State:

Chester Brown
Mr " "

Justice Court of
Baldwin County

Warrant of Arrest

The State of Alabama,
Vs.

Jack Jones.

Executed this 1 day of Nov 1955

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him

in jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

Phillip Steadman, Deputy Sheriff

Foley

1954

STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

Case No. 1

No. 6022

The State of Alabama
vs.

In the Cir Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama

Jack L. Jones

Before me, Walter Dusk, Clerk of the Cir 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 above case, 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 22 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 Foley Taylor Wilkins Sheriff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of March, 1955

Disposition _____ 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 \$ _____ 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 _____ day of _____, 195_____

J
Judge of the above named court

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

We, Jack Jones, as principal, and undersigned as sureties agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of Fifteen hundred DOLLARS unless the said Jack Jones appears at the Next Term, 1955 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

Rape

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____

Jack R. Jones
x Ernest Gullidge L. S.
Amos Garrett L. S.

L. S.

Baldwin County, Ala. L. S.

Taken and approved this the 21st day of March, 1955

Ray W. Wilkins, Sheriff
By _____, Deputy Sheriff

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }

Baldwin County

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:

An indictment having been found against

Jack R. Jones

at the Spring Term, 1954, of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

Rape

you are, therefore, commanded forthwith to arrest the said Defendant and commit him to jail, unless he give bail to answer said indictment, and that you return this Writ according to law.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1954

Reece V. ...

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 allowed us by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Alabama.

Witness our hands and seals this _____ day of _____, 19_____.

(L. S.)

(L. S.)

(L. S.)

(L. S.)

Taken and approved _____ day of _____, 19_____.

Sheriff of Baldwin County.

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CAPIAS

No. 1

The State

vs.

Jack R. Jones

Executed this 19 day of Mar, 1954

By arresting the within

named Defendant

Jack R. Jones

Bail fixed in this Case in Open Court at

\$ _____

By _____
Judge Presiding

Attest: _____
Clerk.

and placing him in Jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

~~W. H. ...~~, Deputy Sheriff

Callie Steadham

Carole Phillips

Foley aka

1954

STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

Case No. Howell

No. 5737

The State of Alabama
vs.

In the Justice Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama

Before me, M. L. Howell, Clerk of the Justice 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 above case, 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 22 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 John

Taylor Wilkins Sheriff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of Nov, 1954

Disposition _____ 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 \$ 7.20 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 3 day of Nov, 1954

M. R. Howell
Judge of the above named court

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BALDWIN COUNTY

We Jack Jones, as principal and
the undersigned Ernest Bullidge, Bona Merchant

as sureties, agree to pay to the State of Alabama, the sum of \$2,000.00 DOLLARS

unless the said Jack Jones appears at the

West Term, 1954 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 Rapes

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.

Jack R. Jones L. S.
Ernest Bullidge L. S.
Bona Merchant L. S.
L. S.

Taken and approved this the 5 day of Nov 1954

Taylor Watkins
By Geo. Pumphrey Constable

No. _____

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County

_____ Court

Sheriff's Office

THE STATE
VS.

Jaerl Jones

APPEARANCE BOND

Amount of Bond, \$

2000/00

Filed _____

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_____, Clerk

1954

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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
C. S. Chason	THE STATE OF ALABAMA,	Rape.
No.	Vs.	
	Jack Jones	

Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to Sheriff	Judge's Fees	
Returnable 11-3-54	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Witness for State	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa. at 50c	
Cleo Ann. Cecil Foley Ala	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
Pauline Ethel " "	Subpoenas or notice at 25c	50
H. J. Bryan, U.S.N. Pensacola Fla	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	
	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	4.00
	Guard \$2.00, Finger Printing 10c	2.10
	Subpoenas at 50c, Mileage	7.90
	Witness Fees	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
	Days at 50c	
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	Defendant's Costs	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 50c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

According to the evidence I believe the defendant guilty. He is bound over to the Circuit Court next term 1955. To the action of the Grand Jury. Bond set at \$2000.00

M. R. Howell

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