

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

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
No. 1144	THE STATE OF ALABAMA <i>vs.</i> <i>Sam Washington</i>	<i>Assault to Murder</i>

	DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEES	AMOUNT
	Affidavit made and Warrant issued to <i>W.R. Stuart</i> Returnable Witness--for State <i>W.A. Astor</i> <i>Geo. Thompson</i> <i>Sam Foster</i> <i>John W. Davis</i> <i>Willie May Gaud</i>	<p style="text-align: center;">JUDGE'S FEES</p> Warrant at 50c Affidavit at 25c ..... <i>75</i> Bond at 50c Sci Fa at 50c ..... Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c ..... Subpoena or notice at 25c ..... <i>1.00</i> Continuance at 25c ..... Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00 ..... <i>1.00</i> Mittimus at 25c ..... Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 50c ..... Taking Bond, etc. on Appeal at \$1.00 ..... Execution for Costs at 25c ..... <p style="text-align: center;">CONSTABLE'S FEES</p> Subpoena or Notice at 25c ..... Carrying defendant before Justice, each mile for himself & guard at 10c ..... Arrest 50c ..... <p style="text-align: center;">SHERIFF'S FEES</p> Arrest \$4.00 Bond \$1.00 Sci Fa 50c ..... <i>4.00</i> Committing \$2.00 Releasing \$1.00 ..... <i>2.00</i> Subpoenas at 25c Days's Board at 30c ..... <p style="text-align: center;">WITNESSES FEES</p> 5 Days at 50c ..... <i>2.50</i> " 50c ..... " 50c ..... " 50c ..... " 50c ..... " 50c ..... " 50c ..... <p style="text-align: center;">DEFENDANT'S COSTS</p> Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c ..... Subpoenas at 25c ..... Executing ..... Subpoenas .....	

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STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
BALDWIN COUNTY }

IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF

(654)

Before me, W.E. Cooney

in and for said County, personally appeared W.A. Osborne 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 Jan 26 - 1943 that one Sam Washington  
did assault with intent to Murder him

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27<sup>th</sup>

day of Jan A. D. 1943  
W.E. Cooney J. P.

W.A. Osborne

WARRANT

STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
BALDWIN COUNTY }

TO ANY LAWFUL OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY, Greetings

You are hereby commanded to arrest Sam Washington

and bring him

before me Instantly 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 27<sup>th</sup> day of Jan 1943

W.E. Cooney J. P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

JUSTICE COURT OF

W.E. Cooney

AFFIDAVIT

The State of Alabama

vs.

Sam Washington

WITNESSES FOR THE STATE

W.A. Osborn  
Geo Thompson  
Sam Foster  
John K. Davis  
Willie May Gause

JUSTICE COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Warrant of Arrest

State of Alabama

vs.

Sam Washington

Executed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Jan 1943

By arresting the within

named Defendant

Sam Washington

and placing him

in jail

W.R. Stewart

Sheriff

By John R. Davis

D. S.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

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

Case No. 654. Term. April. 1943

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are Hereby Comanded to Summon Alonzo Jackson.  
Hattie Knight. Kizer Knight. Hulie McCoy, Willie Jones, Bill M C Coy.

*Call*

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 26th day of April., 1943 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 DEFENDANT in a prosecution now pending in said Court, where in the State of Alabama is Plaintiff and Sam Washington.

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

Witness my hand this 22 day of April. A. D., 1943. R. S. DUCK, Clerk.

Received in office \_\_\_\_\_, 193

Executed this 4/23, 193<sup>43</sup>

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For \_\_\_\_\_

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court

THE STATE

Vs.

Sam Washington.

STATE SUBPOENA

Issued this 22 day of

April., ~~1954~~ 43

W. R. Stewart.

Sheriff.

Clerk.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }  
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

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

Case No. 671

Term, April

19343

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are Hereby Commanded to Summon George Thompson, Willie Mae Thompson,

Sam Foster, John R. Davis, W. A. Orsborne, Grady Rigsby

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 26 day of April, 19343 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 SAM WASHINGTON

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

Witness my hand this 15th day of April A. D., 19343

R. S. DUCK, Clerk.

Received in office \_\_\_\_\_, 193

Executed this 4/23, 19343

By W. R. Stuart

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For \_\_\_\_\_

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court

THE STATE

Vs.

SAM WASHINGTON

STATE SUBPOENA

Issued this 15th day of

April, 19343

W. R. Stuart  
Sheriff.

Clerk.

Received in Sheriff's Office

this 16 day of April, 1943

W. R. STUART, Sheriff



THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County

No. 23

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA—GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to summon

W. A. Osborne, George Thompson,  
Sam Foster, John R. Davis, Willie  
Mae Gaud

to be and appear on the 13 day of April, 1943, 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 8 day of April A. D., 1943

R. S. Duck

Clerk.

from Washington

JB

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Washington

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No. 23

GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

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

W. A. Osborne

George Thompson

Sam Foster

John R Davis

Willie Mae Goube

this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1943

W. R. Street, Sheriff

By John C. Lane

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA** } CIRCUIT COURT, Spring TERM, 1943  
**Baldwin County** }

The Grand Jury of said County charge that before the finding of this indictment  
Sam Washington, unlawfully and with malice aforethought, did assault  
George Thompson, with the intent to murder him;

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

*Ralph L. Jones*

Solicitor of the Twenty-first Judicial Circuit.

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

GRAND JURY NO. 23

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

A TRUE BILL.

Henry Bryan  
Foreman Grand Jury.

CIRCUIT COURT

Spring Term, 1943

Filed in open Court and in the presence of  
the Grand Jury on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
April, 1943.

THE STATE

vs.

Sam Washington

R. Duck, Clerk.

INDICTMENT

Assault to murder

No Prosecutor

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

WITNESSES:

R. Duck, Clerk.

George Thompson

Willie Mae Thompson

Sam Foster

John R. Davis

W. A. Osborne

Grady Rigsby

Bail fixed at \$500<sup>00</sup>

J. N. Hare  
Judge