

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County

We, Benjamin F. Graham, as

principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of  
Five Hundred DOLLARS

unless the said Benjamin F. Graham appear at the

Dec 3 Fall Term, 1945 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

Forgery First 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

Benjamin F. Graham (SEAL)

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 194\_\_\_\_\_

[Signature] (SEAL)

Charles B. Snyder (SEAL)

B. F. Payton (SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_, Baldwin County, Ala.

Taken and approved this the 10 day of Sept, 1945

[Signature], Sheriff

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Sheriff

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

The State of Alabama,  
BALDWIN COUNTY

\_\_\_\_\_ COURT

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

THE STATE

vs.

*Benjamin F. Graham*

Sheriff's Appearance Bond

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

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 194\_\_\_\_\_

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

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, { To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:  
Baldwin County } An indictment having been found against

Benjamin Graham

at the Fall Term, 1945, of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

Forgery, First Degree

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 7th day of November, 1945

[Signature]  
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 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. 12

THE STATE  
vs.

BENJAMIN GRAHAM.

Bail Fixed in This Case in Open Court at

\$ 500.00

By F.W. Hare  
Judge Presiding.

Attest: R.S. Duck  
Clerk.

*no bond*

Executed this 9 day of Nov. 1945

By arresting the within

named Defendant

Benjamin F. Graham

and placing him in Jail

C. E. Garrett Sheriff.

W. D. Taylor Deputy Sheriff.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }  
Baldwin County }

Circuit Court, Fall Session Term, 194 5

The Grand Jury of said County charge that before the finding of this indictment

Benjamin Graham, whose name to the Grand Jury is otherwise unknown, with intent to injure or defraud, did alter, forge, or counterfeit a certain check or draft, which was in substances as follows:

"Bay Minette, Ala., 6/15 1945 No. \_\_\_\_\_

BALDWIN COUNTY BANK 61-258

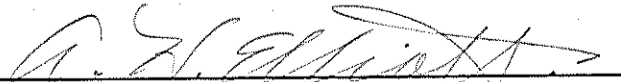
Pay to the Order of B. F. Graham \$25.00

Twenty Five and no/100 Dollars

W. T. Graham";

or with intent to injure or defraud did utter and publish as true the said falsely altered, forged, or counterfeited check or draft, knowing the same to be so altered, forged or counterfeited,

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.



Solicitor of the Twenty-first Judicial Circuit.

No. 12

RECORDED

The State of Alabama,  
BALDWIN COUNTY  
CIRCUIT COURT

Fall Session Term, 1945

THE STATE  
vs.  
Benjamin Graham

INDICTMENT

Forgery First Degree  
no Prosecutor.

WITNESSES:

L. D. Owens

C. L. White

W. T. Graham

GRAND JURY NO. 12

A TRUE BILL

*W. D. Bryan*  
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court and in the presence of the

Grand Jury on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of

January, 1945

*R. D. [unclear]*  
Clerk

Presented in open Court to the presiding  
Judge by the Foreman of the Grand Jury, in  
the presence of 12 other Grand Jurors.

*R. D. [unclear]*  
Clerk.

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

*J. N. Hare*  
Judge.

IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF

CHAS. C. HAND

STATE OF ALABAMA }  
BALDWIN COUNTY }

Before me, CHAS. C. HAND, Justice of the Peace

in and for said County, personally appeared L. D. Owen 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 June 15-1944 that one Benjamin F. Graham

with intent to injure or defraud, did alter, forge or counterfeit a certain  
check which was in substance as follows: Bay Minette, Ala. 6/15-1944  
Baldwin County Bank - Pa. to the order of T. F. Graham \$20.00 - Traveler's  
+ No. Dallas. Signed H. P. Graham - known to some to be an attorney,  
George or Counterfeit.

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22

day of June A. D. 1944

Chas. C. Hand, J. P.

L. D. Owen

WARRANT

STATE OF ALABAMA }  
BALDWIN COUNTY }

TO ANY LAWFUL OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY, GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Benjamin F. Graham

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

Forgery

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

Witness my hand this 22 day of June, 1944

Chas. C. Hand, J. P.

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA**  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court of

C. W. Samston

**AFFIDAVIT**

The State of Alabama  
vs.

B. F. Graham

WITNESSES FOR THE STATE:

L. D. Owens  
C. L. White

JUSTICE COURT OF  
**BALDWIN COUNTY**  
**Warrant of Arrest**

The State of Alabama  
vs.

Benjamin F. Graham

Executed this 9 day of July 1945

By arresting the within  
named Defendant

Benjamin F. Graham

and placing him in jail

C. E. Garner, Sheriff

W. D. Tuzo, Deputy Sheriff



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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

BALDWIN COUNTY

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama:

You Are Hereby Commanded to Summon

Justice Court of Civilization

Precinct No 4, Bay Minette Ala.

L N Owens

C L White

personally to be and appear before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the 14 day of July 1945; 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, wherein the State of Alabama is Plaintiff, and B H Graham

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

Witness my hand this 9 day of July 1945

Civilization

NOTARY PUBLIC AND EX-OFFICIO J. P.

Executed in full, this the

14 day of

July, 1943

C. G. Hammett  
Sheriff.

Deputy Sheriff

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County

We, B. F. Graham, as principal, and undersigned as sureties, agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of

Five Hundred DOLLARS

unless the said B. F. Graham appear at the

Fall Term, 1945 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

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this B. F. Graham (SEAL)

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1945 J. W. X. Braggette (SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_, Baldwin County, Ala. \_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)

Taken and approved this the 14 day of April, 1945

[Signature], Sheriff

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Sheriff

Executed Aug 7 19 45

~~Complaint on~~ By arresting

B. F. Graham

and placing him

in jail

C. E. Garrett Sheriff

by H. H. Hall Deputy Sheriff

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

The State of Alabama,  
BALDWIN COUNTY

\_\_\_\_\_ COURT

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

THE STATE

VS.

B. F. Graham

Sheriff's Appearance Bond

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

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 194 \_\_\_\_\_

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

7-15-45





BAY MINETTE, ALA.,

*6/15*

19 *45* No.

# BALDWIN COUNTY BANK

61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

*B. F. Hall*

*Twenty*

*\$ 25,00*

100 DOLLARS

*PAID TO ORDER OF B. F. HALL  
CHECK NO. 1000  
BY J. J. SHAW*

Printed against fraudulent alteration  
also 1000 61-258 6-15-45

SIGNATURE

Pay to the order of  
BALDWIN COUNTY BANK  
Prior endorsements guaranteed

28 6 Gas. Oil & Supply CORRECT 28



THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County }

No. 12

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA—GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to summon L. D. Owens, C. L. White  
C E Garret, W D Taylor

to be and appear on the 5th day of November, 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 19th day of Oct A. D., 1945

R S Duck

Clerk.



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ORIGINAL

No. ~~111~~ 12

GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

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

*Executed by  
serving the within*

*[Large handwritten X mark]*

this *24* day of *Oct*, 194*5*

*C. E. Garrison*, Sheriff

Moore Printing Co., Bay Minette, Ala.

*W. D. Taylor D.S.*

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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
	THE STATE OF ALABAMA,	
No.	Vs.	
254	B. J. Graham	Forgery

Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>C. E. Garrett (Sheriff)</i>	Judge's Fees	
Returnable	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Witness—for State	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa at 50c	50
<i>L. D. Owens</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
<i>C. L. White</i>	Subpoena or notice at 25c	
	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	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	6 10
	Committing \$1.00, Releasing \$1.00	
	Subpoenas at 25c Day's Board at 30c	
	Witness Fees	
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	" 50c	
	DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 25c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

*Date: 8-14-45*

*9.60*