

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, Spring Session ~~194~~ 194 8

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

Buster Finklea, whose name is to the Grand Jury otherwise unknown, did assault Frank Curry, Jr., and cut him with a knife,

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

[Signature]
Solicitor of the Twenty-First Judicial Circuit.

RECORDED

No. 26

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court

Spring Session ~~Ferry~~, 1948

THE STATE

Vs.

BUSTER FINKLEA

INDICTMENT

ASSAULT WITH A WEAPON

NO Prosecutor.

WITNESSES:

ROOSEVELT STANTON

LENA STANTON

EVANS STANTON

FRANK CURRY, JR.

H. F. HALL

ZOLLIE GRIFFIN

GRAND JURY NO. 26

A TRUE BILL

H. T. James
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court and in the presence of
the Grand Jury on the 13th day of

April, 1948
Alice J. Duck, Clerk.

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

the presence of 17 other Grand Jurors.

Alice J. Duck
Clerk.

Bail fixed \$

Judge.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County

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

Buster Imblee

at the Spring Term, 1948, of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

Assault with a Weapon

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 accord-
ing to law

Dated this 13th day of April, 1948.

Alice J. Duck
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.

CAPIAS

No. 26

THE STATE

vs.

Buster Franklin

Bail Fixed in This Case in Open Court at

\$ _____

By _____
Judge Presiding.

Attest: _____
Clerk.

Executed this 14 day of April, 1948

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

Zellie B. Guffin, Deputy Sheriff

O. Miers

AFFIDAVIT

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

Feb-14-1948 that one Buster Finklea Did unlawfully and with Malice aforethought Assault Frank Curry Jr with intent to murder him by cutting him with a knife against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14

day of Feb A. D. 1948

Frank P Propst, J. P.

WARRANT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY LAWFUL OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY, GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Buster Finklea

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 14 day of Feb, 1948

Frank P Propst, J. P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County

JUSTICE COURT OF
FRANK P. PROPST

Bay Minette, Ala.

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
vs.

Buster Finklea

Witnesses for the State:

H. F. Hall

Jollie Guffin

Roosevelt Stanton

Jena Stanton

Hank Curry Jr

Erans Stanton

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

WARRANT OF ARREST
THE STATE OF ALABAMA
vs.

Buster Finklea

Executed this 14 day of Feb.
194____

By arresting the within
named Defendant

and placing him in Jail

Loyla Wilkins, Sheriff

H. F. Hall, Deputy Sheriff

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

Justice Court of Frank P. Pugh
Precinct No. 4, Bay Minette, Ala.

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are Hereby Commanded to Summon Roosevelt Stanton ^{Frank Curry Jr.}
H. T. Hall Jollie B. Crippin Sena Stanton

~~Personally to appear~~ before the Justice Court, to be holden for Baldwin County, at my office on the
21 day of Feb, 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 Buster Fumbla

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

Witness my hand this 16 day of Feb, A. D., 1948

Frank P. Pugh
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. _____

Executed in full, this the

16 day of

Feb., 1948

Taylor Wilkins
Sheriff.

H. F. Hall
Deputy Sheriff.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Baldwin County.

No. 26th

TO Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama — Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon Roosevelt Stanton, Lena Stanton, Evans Stanton,
Frank Curry Jr., H. F. Hall, Zollie Griffin

to be and appear on the 13th day of April 194⁸ 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 29th day of March A. D., 194⁸

Alice J. Duck Clerk.

ORIGINAL

No. 26

GRAND JURY SUBPOENA

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

Rosewell Stanton

Lena Stanton

Evans Stanton

Frank Curry Jr

H. F. Hall

Zecie B. Griffin

this 2 day of april 1918

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

Zecie B. Griffin D.S.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

SUB. No. _____

Case No. 977 Term, Spring, 1934⁸

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are Hereby Comanded to Summon ~~BUSTER FINKLEA~~ ROOSEVELT STANTON, LENA STANTON, EVANS STANTON, FRANK DURRY JR., H. E. HALL, ZOLLIE GRIFFIN

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 28th day of APRIL, 1934⁸, 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 BUSTER FINKLEA

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

Witness my hand this 20th day of April, A. D., 1934⁸.

ALICE J. DUCK
R. S. DUCK, Clerk.

Received in office 4-20, 19348

Executed this April 22, 19348

By Serving ind full

ORIGINAL

For _____

No. 977 Page _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court

THE STATE
Vs.

BUSTER FINKIEA

STATE SUBPOENA

Issued this 20th day of

April, 19348

Taylor Wilkins
W. J. Hall Sheriff.

W. J. Hall Clerk.

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

ATTORNEYS	CASE	CHARGE
H. M. Hall, Co. Sol.	THE STATE OF ALABAMA	
No.	Vs.	Assault with Intent to Murder
	Buster Finklea	

DISPOSITION OF CASE	FEE'S	AMOUNT
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>H. F. Hall -</i>	JUDGE'S FEES Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Returnable <i>J. P. Court</i>	Bond at 50c, Sci. Fa. at 50c	
Witness—For State	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
<i>Roosevelt Stanton - Lena Stanton -</i>	Subpoena or Notice at 25c	150
<i>Wans Stanton - Frank Curry Jr.</i>	Continuance at 25c	
<i>H. F. Hall - Zollie Griffin.</i>	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	100
	Mittimus at 25c	25
	Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
	Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	
	Execution of costs at 25c <i>Docketing</i>	10
	CONSTABLE'S FEES	3.60
	Subpoena or Notice at 25c	
	Carrying Defendant before Justice, each mile for himself and guard at 10c	
	Arrest, 50c	
	SHERIFF'S FEES	5.00
	Arrest, \$1.00; Bond \$1.00; Sci. Fa., 50c	200
	Committing, \$2.00; Releasing, \$1.00	300
	Subpoenas at 50c Day's Board at 30c	500
	WITNESS FEES <i>50 miles</i>	15.00
	Days at 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	" 50c	
	DEFENDANT'S COSTS	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 25c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

On March 9-1948 appeared the defendant - he waived his preliminary hearing and was bound over to the Grand Jury - 1948 Spring Term of Circuit Court under \$1000 bond

Frank P. Perfect Justice of the Peace Plaintiff

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