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RECORDED

Grand Jury No. 58

A TRUE BILL

Ernest Bullidge
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court on the 14 day of

May, 1958

in the presence of the Grand Jury.

Leece J. Heneck
Clerk.

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

presence of 17 other Grand Jurors,

and filed by order of Court this 14

day of *May*, 1958

Leece J. Heneck
Clerk.

Bail fixed at \$500.00

this 14 day of *May*, 1958

W. D. ...

Judge Presiding.

No. _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

SPRING Session, 1958

STATE OF ALABAMA
vs.

ALLEN WOODROW WILSON,
HUBERT HUEY ARDIS, and
CURTIS HURD

DISTILLING
INDICTMENT

No Prosecutor.

WITNESSES:

A. C. McDONALD ,75

LOUIS FISHER

Alcohol & Tobacco Tax

Birmingham, Alabama
February 12, 1958

CASE: Ala. S-3328 (STATE)

Report examined, approved and
recommended for prosecution
February 11, 1958
cc: Circuit Solicitor
Baldwin County
Bay Minette, Alabama

W. H. Hurd
Supervisor in Charge
Alcohol & Tobacco Tax

United States Attorney
Mobile, Alabama

This report relates to alleged violations of the internal revenue laws by ALLEN WOODROW WILSON and others named as defendants herein, arrested for operating an unregistered distillery on February 4, 1958, in open woods 29 miles south of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Southern Judicial District of Alabama.

Arrested: WILSON, Allen Woodrow
To be apprehended: ARDIS, Hubert Huey
HURD, Curtis (NMI)
Date of violation: February 4, 1958
and Arrest: February 4, 1958 - as to Wilson

Charges:
Violation of: Section 5008(b) IRC - Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd possessed distilled spirits, the immediate containers thereof not having stamps affixed as required by law: (Exh. 1 thru 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)
Section 5174 IRC - Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd did possess a still without having registered same as required by law; (Exh. 1 through 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)
Section 5180 IRC - Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd did carry on business of distiller without having posted sign as required by law; (Exh. 1 through 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; (Cont'd)

Charges:

Violation of:

Section 5180 IRC (cont'd)
Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)

Section 5216 IRC - Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd did make and ferment mash fit for distillation of spirits on premises other than a registered distillery; (Exh. 1 through 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)

Section 5606 IRC - Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd did carry on business of distiller without having given bond as required by law; (Exh. 1 through 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)

Section 5626 IRC - Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd did carry on business of distiller with intent to defraud the United States of revenue; (Exh. 1 through 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)

Section 5686(b) IRC - Allen Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd possessed property for the purpose of violating the provisions of the internal revenue laws; (Exh. 1 through 5 as to Wilson; Exh. 1 and 4 as to Hurd; Exh. 1, 4 and 5 as to Ardis)

Disposition of prisoners: February 4, 1958 - Defendant Wilson was placed in the County Jail, Bay Minette, Alabama, pending making bond. State warrants were issued for Ardis and Hurd on February 5, 1958 by Justice T. C. Hand, Bay Minette, Alabama.

Search Warrant: None used; violation occurred in open woods.

Seizures: 1 - 633-gallon "pot" still, complete and set up with one condensor; 30 - 60gallon fermenting drums; 8 - 5-gallon cans; 35 gallons fuel oil; 1 - 30-gallon pressure fuel tank, lines and burners; 37 - 5-gallon jugs; 1 tire pump; one monkey wrench; 2 shovels; 1 hatchet; 1 hoe; 2 funnels; 50 feet of 3" hose; 30 feet 1" hose; one hammer.

73 gallons non-taxpaid whiskey
1,351 gallons sugar & rye mash
1,320 pounds damaged sugar (wet)

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Disposition and
value of seizures:

Entire seizure, valued at \$205.00, with exception
of 1 pint sample of mash, destroyed at time and
place of seizure.

Statistical Data:

Value before destruction:	\$205.00
Value after destruction:	None
Daily producing capacity:	51 gallons
Operating period:	30 days
Utilized capacity of fermenters:	1800 gallons
Total mash seized:	1351 gallons
Type of mash:	Sugar & Rye
Fermenting cycle of mash:	7 days
Total spirits seized:	73 gallons
Type of location:	Rural

Samples:

One pint sample mash retained for chemical
analysis; stored in A&T Office, Mobile, Alabama.

Premises & Ownership:

In open woods, 29 miles south of Bay Minnette,
Baldwin County, Alabama. Land owned by
International Paper Company, Mobile, Alabama.
Mr. L. F. Dantzler, Area Forest Superintendent,
International Paper Company, was interviewed
regarding this violation. Report of this inter-
view is shown as Exhibit No. 6 of this report.
Investigation and interview fails to disclose
evidence that owner is involved. Forfeiture of
property is not contemplated.

Previous violations;
premises:

None known

Personal History
of Defendants:

WILSON, Allen Woodrow

Aliases: None known

Address: General Delivery, Gonzales, Florida

Description: White male, American-born citizen;
age 43 (Born November 5, 1914 in Okaloosa
County, Florida) Height 6'1"; weight 150
pounds; slender build; gray hair; green eyes;
ruddy complexion; right thumb missing; married
(Separated from wife) no dependants; road
machine operator.

Criminal record: Claims one previous arrest for
transporting by Florida Beverage Agents, several
years ago.

Financial responsibility: Owns no property
Capacity in current case: Distiller

ARDIS, Hubert Huey

Aliases: None known

Address: Unknown (cont'd)

Personal History
of Defendants:

ARDIS, Hubert Huey (cont'd)

Description: White male (no further description available at this time)
Criminal record: None known
Financial responsibility: None known
Capacity in current case: Still hand

HURD, Curtis (NMI)

Aliases: None known
Address: Pensacola, Florida
Description: Negro male (No further description available at this time)
Criminal record: None known
Financial responsibility: None known
Capacity in current case: Still hand

Witnesses:

Louis F. Fisher, Inv. A&TT, Mobile, Ala.
Zoran Konda, Inv. A&TT, Mobile, Alabama
Peter Willemoes, Inv. A&TT, Mobile, Ala.
Richard H. Dickinson, Inv. A&TT, Mobile, Ala.
A. C. McDonald, ABC Agent, Bay Minette, Ala.

Exhibits

- No. 1. Statement: Louis F. Fisher
2. Statement: Zoran Konda
3. Statement: Peter Willemoes
4. Statement: Richard H. Dickinson
5. Statement: A. C. McDonald
6. Report of Interview: L. F. Dantzler

Statement of Facts

On February 4, 1958, at 12:45 PM, Allen Woodrow Wilson, Hubert Huey Ardis and Curtis Hurd operated an illicit distillery at a point approximately twenty-nine (29) miles south of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama. Wilson was arrested at the distillery. Ardis and Hurd escaped and a State warrant was issued for their arrest. Wilson declined to make a written statement.

Testimony of Witnesses

Statements of witnesses, in proof of the foregoing statement of facts, attached and made a part of this report.

Tax Data

Ownership: See "Premises and Ownership"
Financial responsibility: See "Personal History of Defendants"
Occupational taxes: 73 gallons non-taxpaid whiskey
1,331 gallons Sugar-Rye mash

Conclusion and Comment

(Continued)

Conclusion and Comment

This is a Florida operation which moved just over the line into Baldwin County, Alabama. It is believed that all persons actively connected with the operation have been arrested, or are to be arrested.

PETER WILLEMOES
Investigator - A&TT

LOUIS F. FISHER
Investigator - A&TT

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United States) Violation: 2-4-58
V) Seizure : Distillery
Allen W. Wilson) non-taxpaid spirits
et al)

Statement of

Louis F. Fisher, Investigator
Alcohol and Tobacco Tax
Mobile, Alabama, made at
Mobile, Alabama, February 10, 1958.

On February 4, 1958, I accompanied A&TT Investigators Zoran Konda, Peter Willemoes and Richard H. Dickinson; and ABC Agent Albert McDonald to the vicinity of a previously located distillery. Dickinson and I were to make the initial raid down the still path with the remaining officers to get oposite us to receive ang violators who ran.

As Dickinson and I approached the still, I saw a young white male make a trip to some bushes and carry a bulky object toward the still. At about 12:45 PM, I went to a point about twenty feet from the still. There I saw a colored male working among the mash barrels; a yound white male walking in the still yard and an older white male working around the condenser spout. The yound white male started out the still trail with a burlap bag in his hand and saw us. He ran through the still yard and the other workers joined him in flight. Allen Wilson was arrested and brought to the still. He stated the young white male who escaped was Hubert Ardis and the colored male was Curtis Hurd.

I examined the still and found it to be a 633 gallon pot still, 30-60 gallon fermenters containing 1,351 gallons mash, complete and in operation with 73 gallons non-taxpaid distilled spirits. Wilson stated to me this was the third operation of the still and he was receiving \$1.00 per barrelk for assisting in operating it. He stated he did not know who owned the operation but Hubert Ardis had hired him.

The distillæery and equipment was destroyed. Allen Wilson was placed in Baldwin County Jail, BayMinette, Alabama pending presecution in state court. State arrests warrant were issued for Hubert Ardis and Curtis Hurd. On February 8, 1958, at Pensacola, Florida, I viewed Curtis Hurd, and identify him as being the colored male who escaped from the still.

Wilson declined to give a written statement.



Louis F. Fisher

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United States)	Violation: 2/4/58
v)	Seizure : illicit distillery.
Allen Woodrow Wilson)	
et al.)	

STATEMENT OF

Zoran Konda, Investigator,
Alcohol and Tobacco Tax,
Mobile Alabama, made at
Mobile Alabama on February 7, 1958.

This report relates to the seizure of an illicit distillery located in open woods about 29 miles south/east of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama; The arrest of Allen Woodrow Wilson, General Delivery, Gonzales Florida, complaint filed and warrants of arrest issued for Curtis Hurd, Pensacola Florida, and Hubert Haey Ardis, address unknown.

On February 4, 1958, I accompanied A&T Investigators Louis F. Fisher, Richard Dickinson, Peter Willemoes and ABC. Agent A.C. McDonald to a point about 29 miles south/east of Bay Minette in Baldwin County, Alabama, to the site of an illicit distillery.

Approaching the still site on foot I saw a white man walking on the still path going away from the still, I then went above the still to act as reciever, I then heard the still being raided but no violators came my direction. I returned to the still and saw Wilson in custody, Wilson stated in my presence that he was hired to operate the still by ~~an~~ Hubert Ardis, who was at the still and escaped along with a colored male known as Curtis who lived in Pensacola Florida, further investigation revealed this to be one Curtis Hurd. Wilson also stated that this was the third time that he had operated the still and that he was hired just to run the still and had no interest in it whatsoever, he was paid one dollar per barrel of mash.

The distillery consisted of one 633 gallon pot still with copper vapor lines and a double wall condenser in a cooling tank; 30 60-gallon durm fermenters; 1351 gallons of fermented mash; 73 gallons of whiskey; 37 five gallon glass jugs; 1-30 gallon pressure tank with oil burner; 1320 pounds of wet sugar and miscellaneous minor equipment. I assisted in searching the woods in an attempt to apprehend the two violators that had escaped, but with no success.

The distillery was destroyed and the whiskey was dumped at the place of seizure. Wilson was placed in the Baldwin County jail at Bay Minette Alabama, for action in state court. Wilson freely admitted his actions in the violation but declined to sign a statement. On February 5, 1958, complaints were filed against H.H. Ardis and Curtis Hurd before Justice of the Peace T.C. Hand, Bay Minette, Alabama, and warrants of arrest were issued the same date.

Zoran Konda

United States)
 V)
 Allen Woodrow Wilson)
 Et Al)

Violation: 2-4-58
 Seizure: Distillery, Whiskey, Sugar.

Statement of

Peter Willemoes, Investigator
 Alcohol and Tobacco Tax
 Mobile, Alabama, Made February 6, 1958,
 at Mobile, Alabama.

On February 4, 1958 I assisted A&TT Investigators Louis F. Fisher, Zoran Konda, and Richard H. Dickinson, and ABC Agent A.C. McDonald in an investigation of a violation of the Internal Revenue Laws and the State liquor laws at a point twenty-nine miles South of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama. This investigation resulted in the seizure and destruction of an unregistered distillery consisting of 1-633 gallon pot still, complete and set up with one condenser, 30-60 gallon fermenting drums, 1,351 gallons fermenting mash, 73 gallons non-taxpaid whiskey, 1,320 pounds damaged (wet) sugar, 8-5 gallon cans, 35 gallons fuel oil, 1-30 gallon pressure fuel tank, lines and burners, 37-5 gallon jugs, 1 tire pump, 1 monkey wrench, 2 shovels, 1 hatchet, 1 hoe, 2 funnels, 50 feet of 3 inch hose, 30 feet 1 inch hose, and 1 hammer. Allen Woodrow Wilson, General Delivery, Gonzales, Florida was arrested in connection with the violation. State arrest warrants were issued on February 5, 1958 for Hubert Huey Ardis, address unknown, and Curtis Hurd, Pensacola, Florida in connection with this violation.

On February 4, 1958 at 12:45 PM I observed the subject distillery. I saw an unidentified white man working at the catch bucket-catching whiskey. I also saw an unidentified negro male working on the opposite side of the still yard. At this time the still was raided. I saw Investigator Dickinson arrest Allen Woodrow Wilson, white male. The other white man and the negro man escaped.

Wilson stated to me that the white man was Hubert Ardis and that the negro man had the first name of Curtis and that he didn't know his last name but that he knew exactly where Curtis lived. Wilson then described how to get to the place where Curtis lived. A check with authorities in Pensacola revealed that Curtis Hurd, negro male, lived at the residence described. State arrest warrants were issued against Curtis Hurd and Hubert Huey Ardis. Prosecution is to be in Baldwin County, Alabama.

Wilson was left in the custody of the Sheriff, Baldwin County, Alabama, for prosecution in that County. Wilson declined to sign a written statement.

Peter Willemoes

 Peter Willemoes, Inv., A&TT

Case: United States)
v)
Allen Woodrow Wilson)
et al)

Violation: 2-4-58
Seizure: Distillery,
Non-taxpaid whiskey,
Sugar

Statement of

Richard H. Dickinson, Investigator,
Alcohol and Tobacco Tax,
Mobile, Alabama, Made at
Mobile, Alabama, on February 7, 1958.

This report relates to the seizure of one (1) 635 gallon box-type still; 1551 gallons of sugar & rye mash; thirty (30) 60 gallon fermenters; 75 gallons of non-taxpaid whiskey; 1320 pounds of damaged (wet) sugar; one (1) complete cooling system, consisting of hollow wall condenser and vapor lines; one (1) 30 gallon pressure fuel tank, complete with copper lines and burner; 35 gallons of fuel oil; eight (8) 5 gallon cans; thirty-seven (37) 5 gallon jugs; one (1) tire pump; one (1) monkey wrench; two (2) shovels; one (1) hatchet; one (1) hoe; two (2) funnels; 50 feet of 3 inch hose; 30 feet of 1 inch hose; and one (1) hammer. Allen Woodrow Wilson, white male, was arrested at the still site; State arrest warrants were issued on February 5, 1958, for Hubert Huey Ardis, white male, address unknown, and Curtis Hurd, colored male, Pensacola, Florida, in connection with this violation. This arrest and seizure occurred at a point approximately 29 miles southeast of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama. Officers participating in this case were: Louis F. Fisher, A&TT, Mobile, Alabama; Zoran Konda, A&TT, Mobile, Alabama; Peter Willemoes, A&TT, Mobile, Alabama; A. C. McDonald, State AEC Agent, Bay Minette, Alabama, and myself.

On February 4, 1958, I assisted the above officers on a still investigation and seizure, at the above point, in an effort to obtain Raw Materials information and apprehend violators. I, along with Investigator Fisher, was assigned to raid the subject distillery. In approaching the still path, I observed an unknown young white boy come out the still path and go to a point off the still path and carry hidden materials back to the still. Investigator Fisher and I then went down the still path behind the white boy to make the raid. Upon reaching approximately twenty feet from the still, I observed the same white boy working at the still, along with another older white man and an unknown colored male. The white boy continued working approximately four minutes and then came out the main still path and walked out to approximately ten feet from Fisher and me and then saw us lying in the the still path and turned and fled back through the still yard, at the same time giving an alarm. I ran through the still yard and across the creek chasing both white men. I apprehended the older white man and questioned him as to the identity of the other two who had fled. He stated his own name as Allen Woodrow Wilson and stated that the white boy who escaped was Hubert Ardis, who had hired him to cook at the still and the colored man was Curtis Hurd, Pensacola, Florida. Wilson stated that this was the third time he had run the still and was receiving one dollar per barrel for running.

The complete distillery was destroyed, along with the whiskey, at the time and place of seizure. On February 5, 1958, complaints were filed for the apprehension of Hubert Ardis and Curtis Hurd before Justice of the Peace T. C. Hand, Bay Minette, Alabama, and warrants of arrest were issued the same date. This is to be a state prosecuted case.

Richard H. Dickinson
Richard H. Dickinson

United States)
 v)
 Allen Woodrow Wilson)
 et al)

Violation: 2/4/58
 Seizure : Illicit Distillery.

STATEMENT OF

A.C.McDonald, ABC Agent,
 State of Alabama, made at
 Bay Minette, Alabama on
 February 7, 1958.

On the morning of February 4, 1958, I accompanied A&TT Investigators Louis F. Fisher, Richard Dickinson, Peter Willemoes and Zoran Konda to a point about 29 miles south/east of Bay Minette in Baldwin County Alabama, to the site of an illicit distillery in open woods.

Approaching the still on foot I saw a white male on the still path that I recognized as Hubert Ardis, he was on the path going away from the still, I then went above the still and concealed myself and waited for Fisher and Dickinson to raid. I heard them raid and no violators came my way. I then returned to the still site and saw Allen Woodrow Wilson under arrest.

The distillery consisted of 1-633 Gallon box still with copper steam lines and double wail condenser; 30-60 gallon drum fermenters containing about 1351 gallons of fermented mash; 37 five gallon glass jugs; 73 gallons of whiskey; 1320 pounds of sugar; one pressure tank with burner.

Wilson stated in my presence that he was hired to operate the still by Ardis, that Ardis came to his house one night and hired him to run the still for one dollar a barrel, he said that this was the third time that he had run the still and that Ardis and a colored man known only by the name of Curtis helped him at the still.

The distillery was destroyed, Wilson was taken to the Baldwin County jail and was detained pending action in state court. I filed a complaint with Justice of the Peace T.C.Hand in Bay Minette on 2/5/58 and warrants of arrest were issued for Hubert Ardis and Curtis Hurd.

A. C. McDonald

United States)
V)
Allen Woodrow Wilson)
Et El)

Violation 2-4-58
Seizure: Distillery, Whiskey, Sugar.

Report of Interview

With Mr. L.F. Dantzler, Area Forrest Superintendent, International Paper Company, Mobile, Alabama on February 7, 1958 by Investigator Peter Willemoes, A&TT. Mr. Dantzler stated as follows:

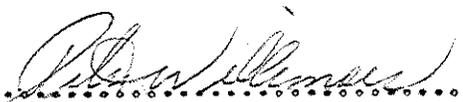
I am L.F. Dantzler. I am Area Forrest Superintendent for this area. International Paper Company Headquarters for this area is Mobile, Alabama.

International Paper Company has millions of acres of timberland and of course it is impossible for us to know and account for all activities on this land.

I understand that our caretaker located this distillery and notified the Sheriff of Baldwin County, Alabama.

We are always happy to cooperate with authorities in these matters, but our cooperation must be kept private because of the possibility of woods fires set by moonshiners.

I certify that the above is a true and correct account of an interview made to me by Mr. L. F. Dantzler, Mobile, Alabama, on February 7, 1958.


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Peter Willemoes, Inv., A&TT

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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
No. 11086.	THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Vs. Curtis Hurd.	Distilling

Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to <i>Jaylor Welkins</i>	Judge's Fees	
Returnable <i>Grand Jury</i>	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	75
Witness—for State <i>A.C. Mc Donald</i>	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa. at 50c	
<i>L.F. Fisher A + T.T.</i>	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	
<i>Z. Konda " " "</i>	Subpoenas or notice at 25c	
<i>P. Wellemoer " " "</i>	Continuance at 25c	
<i>R. H. Dickerson " " "</i>	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	
<i>Jaylor Welkins</i>	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 \$1.00, Bond \$1.00, Sci Fa. 50c	5.00
	Guard \$2.00, Finger Printing 10c	2.10
	Subpoenas at 50c, Mileage	
	Witness Fees	
	Days at 50c	2.00
	Days at 50c	
	Defendant's Costs	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 50c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

20 Feb 58

waved Grand Jury
 Bond set @ 750.00
 Re Committed to jail
 sup. later made bonds.

20 Feb 58

(Signature)
 Justice Court

APPEARANCE BOND

Printed by Moore Ptg. Co.

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County

We, CURTIS HEARD, as principal, and undersigned as sureties agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY AND 00/100 (\$750.00) * * * DOLLARS

unless the said CURTIS HEARD appears at the SPRING Term, 1958 of the ~~Circuit~~ GRAND JURY of Baldwin County, Alabama

and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of DISTILLING

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 _____, 19____

Curtis Heard L. S.
Mobile Printing Co L. S.
Harvey Page L. S.
_____ L. S.

Baldwin County, Ala.

Taken and approved this the 20 day of Feb, 1958

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff
By Bannan, Deputy Sheriff

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State of Alabama
Baldwin County

_____ Court

Sheriff's Office

The State
vs.

Sheriff's Appearance Bond

Amount of Bond \$ _____

Filed _____, 19____

_____, Clerk

*Feb 19-58
John A M - Donald*

AFFIDAVIT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

In the Justice Court of T. C. HAND

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

in and for said County, personally appeared Taylor Wilkins 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 4 February 1958 that one Curtis Hurd
a person, firm or corporation did within the State of Alabama, distill, or make or
manufacture alcoholic, spirituous, malted or mixed liquors or beverages a part of
which is alcohol

_____ against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18

day of February, A. D., 1958

T. C. Hand

, J. P.

Taylor Wilkins

WARRANT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Curtis Hurd

_____ and bring him
before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge
Distilling

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

Witness my hand this 18 day of February, 1958

T. C. Hand

, J. P.

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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court Of

T. C. HAND

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Curtis Hurd *Heard*

Witnesses for the State:

- A. C. McDonald
- L. F. Fisher A & T T
- Z. Konda " " " "
- P. Willemoes " " " "
- R. H. Dickinson " " " "
- Taylor Wilkins

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

Warrant Of Arrest

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Curtis Hurd

Executed this the ¹⁹~~20~~ day of *Feb* 1958

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him

in jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

J. P. Homan, Deputy Sheriff

AFFIDAVIT

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a person, firm or corporation did within the State of Alabama, distill, or make or
manufacture alcoholic, spirituous, malted or mixed liquors or beverages a part of
which is alcohol

_____ against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5
day of February, A. D., 19 58
T. C. Hand, J. P.

Taylor Wilkins

WARRANT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Allen Wilson

_____ and bring him
before _____ me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

Distilling

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Witness my hand this 5 day of February, 19 58

T. C. Hand, J. P.

The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court Of

T. C. HAND

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Allen Wilson

Witnesses for the State:

A. C. McDonald

L. F. Fisher A& T T

Z. Konda A& T T

P. Willemoes " " "

R.H. Dickinson " " "

Taylor Wilkins

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

Warrant Of Arrest

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Allen Wilson

Executed this the 4 day of Feb. 1958

By arresting the within

named Defendant

Allen Wilson

and placing him

in jail

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

_____, Deputy Sheriff

*Barineau Park Bridge
60 mi*

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<i>Z. Konda.</i>	Subpoenas or notice at 25c	
<i>P. Wilkerson</i>	Continuance at 25c	
<i>R.H. Dickinson</i>	Trial of Misdemeanor at \$1.00	
<i>Jaylar wilkins</i>	Mittimus at 25c	<i>25</i>
<i>5 Feb. 58</i> waived <i>Grand Jury</i>	Judgment on Forfeited Bond at 25c	
<i>Mand set \$750.00</i>	Taking Bond, etc., on Appeal at \$1.00	
<i>by posted mand</i>	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 \$4.00, Bond \$1.00, Sci Fa. 50c	<i>5.00</i>
	Guard \$2.00, Finger Printing 10c	<i>2.10</i>
	Subpoenas at 50c, Mileage <i>60</i>	<i>6.00</i>
	Witness Fees	
	Days at 50c	
	Defendant's Costs	
	Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
	Subpoenas at 50c	
	Executing Subpoenas	

P. Land
Justice Court

(2571)

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

An indictment having been found against

Allen Woodrow Wilson

at the Spring Term, 1958 of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

distilling

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 14 day of Mar, 1958

[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 the State of Alabama.

Witness our hand and seal 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. 58

The State

vs.

Allen Woodrow Wilson

Bail fixed in this case in open Court at

\$ 500⁰⁰

By H. M. Hall
Judge Presiding.

Attest: _____
Clerk.

Executed this 21 day of May, 1958

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in Court

Jay W. Wilkins, Sheriff

J. Horn, Deputy Sheriff
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STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

Case No. 11040

No. 9232

The State of Alabama
vs.

In the Justice Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama

Allen Wilson

Before me, Q. C. Stand, 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 60 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 Barineau Park Bridge Myself Sheriff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of Feb, 1958

Disposition Warrant Grand Jury Q. C. Stand 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 \$ 6.00 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 5 day of Feb, 1958

Q. C. Stand
Judge of the above named court

MITTIMUS OR COMMITMENT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

To the Jailer of Baldwin County:

On complaint of Taylor Wilkins

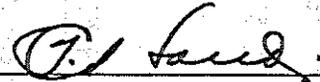
charging Hubert Huey Ardis

with the offense of Distilling

it appearing that such offense has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe that

Hubert Huey Ardis has been guilty thereof, you are therefore commanded to receive him into your custody, and detain him until he is legally discharged.

Dated this 5 day of February, 19 58.



Justice of the Peace.

Criminal Docket No.-----

No. 2571 Page-----

The State Of Alabama,
Baldwin County

JUSTICE COURT OF
T. C. HAND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
vs.

Hubert Huey Ardis

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The State of Alabama
Baldwin County

I,-----
a Justice of the Peace in and for said State
and County, do and hereby certify that-----

the Defendant; is required to give bail in the
sum of \$----- for his appearance at the
195----- Term of the-----

Court of----- County, Ala.

Given under my hand this the-----
day of----- 195-----

----- J. P.

APPEARANCE BOND

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The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County

We, Allen Wilson, as principal, and undersigned as sureties agree to pay THE STATE OF ALABAMA, the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty \$750.00 DOLLARS

unless the said Allen Wilson appears at the Next Term, 19 58 of the Grand Jury Court of Baldwin County, Alabama and from term to term thereafter until discharged by law, to answer a criminal prosecution for the offense of

Distilling

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 _____, 19____

_____ Baldwin County, Ala.

Taken and approved this the 5 day of

February 1958

Allen Wilson L. S.
Mobile Banking L. S.
Harold [unclear] L. S.
_____ L. S.

Jasper Wilkins, Sheriff

By m Dill, Deputy Sheriff

2-4-58

G.C. McDonald

Williamson

Konda

Fisher

Dickinson

No. 2571

State of Alabama
Baldwin County

Court

Sheriff's Office

The State
vs.

Sheriff's Appearance Bond

Amount of Bond \$

Filed , 19

, Clerk

AFFIDAVIT

Printed by Moore Printl.,

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

In the Justice Court of T. C. HAND

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

in and for said County, personally appeared Taylor Wilkins 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 4 February 1958 that one Hubert Huey Ardis

~~a person, firm or corporation did within the State of Alabama, distill, or make or
manufacture alcoholic, spirituous, malted or mixed liquors or beverages a part of
which is alcohol~~

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5

day of February, A. D., 19 58

T. C. Hand, J. P.

Taylor Wilkins

WARRANT

State Of Alabama, }
Baldwin County. }

To Any Lawful Officer of Said County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to arrest Hubert Huey Ardis

and bring him

before me to answer the State of Alabama on a charge

Distilling

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

Witness my hand this 5 day of February, 19 58

T. C. Hand, J. P.

Received in Sheriff's Office
This _____ day of _____, 191
TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff

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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

Justice Court Of

T. C. HAND

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Hubert Huey Ardis

Witnesses for the State:

A. C. McDonald
L. F. Fisher A& T T
Z. Konda A& T T
P. Willemoes " " "
R.H. Dickinson " " "
Taylor Wilkins

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

Warrant Of Arrest

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

vs.

Hubert Huey Ardis

Executed this the _____ day of _____ 195

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him

_____, Sheriff

_____, Deputy Sheriff

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

An indictment having been found against

Curtis Surd

at the Spring Term, 1958 of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

distilling

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 14 day of Mar, 1958

[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 the State of Alabama.

Witness our hand and seal this _____ day of _____, 19____

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(L. S.)

(L. S.)

(L. S.)

Taken and approved _____ day of _____, 19____

Sheriff of Baldwin County

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CAPIAS

No. 58

The State

vs.

Curtis Hurd

Bail fixed in this case in open Court at

\$ 500⁰⁰

By H. M. Stoll
Judge Presiding.

Attest: _____
Clerk.

Executed this 21 day of March, 1905

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in J. Court

Jay W. Williams, Sheriff

J. H. ..., Deputy Sheriff
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The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

An indictment having been found against

Hubert Huey Ardis

at the spring Term, 1958 of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

distilling

you are, therefore, commanded forthwith to arrest the said Defendant and commit Ardis

to jail, unless he give bail to answer said indictment, and that you return this Writ according to law.

Dated this 14 day of May, 1958

Ardis J. J. J. 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 allowed us by the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama.

Witness our hand and seal 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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By H. M. Hall
Judge Presiding.

Attest: _____
Clerk.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 19____

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him _____

_____, Sheriff

_____, Deputy Sheriff