

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, Spring Session, 1959

The Grand Jury of said County charge that before finding this indictment John W. Knowles, alias John Knowles, whose name is to the Grand Jury otherwise unknown, with intent to injure or defraud, did alter, forge or counterfeit a certain check, which was in substance as follows:

Foley, Alabama Feb. 16. 1959 No. 182

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK

Pay To The
Order Of

John Knowles

\$ 109,2

Ten an $\frac{92}{1.00}$

Dollars

Keep a Record of Every Transaction
For

John A. Engle

The Bank of Friendly Service

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

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

James G. Hendrix
Solicitor of the Twenty-Eighth Judicial Circuit.

RECORDED

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No. _____

The State of Alabama

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court

SPRING Term, 1959.

The State

vs.

JOHN W. KNOWLES, ALIAS JOHN KNOWLES

FORGERY

INDICTMENT

No Prosecutor

WITNESSES:

W. L. HAMMOND

HAM HALL

CARLISLE CHILDRESS

John R. English 1-70-4125

GRAND JURY NO. 85

A TRUE BILL,

R. G. Burkhardt
Foreman Grand Jury.

Filed in open Court and in the presence of
the Grand Jury on the 12 day of

March, 1959
Alvin French
Clerk.

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

Boyd Arhison
Clerk.

Bail fixed \$ 500

J. M. Mc
Judge.

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FOLEY • ALABAMA

Feb. 11, 1939

No. 59

182

Farmers & Merchants Bank

PAY TO THE
ORDER OF

John R. Ramey

\$ 199.22

John

199.22

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK

DOLLARS

KEEP A RECORD OF EVERY TRANSACTION

FOR

John A. Engle

THE BANK OF FRIENDLY SERVICE

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 16 February 1959 that one John W. Knowles
did attempt to cash a check drawn on Farmers & Merchants Bank, Foley, Alabama for \$ 10.92
by forging John A. Engle's name to said check that was payable to John Knowles

against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18
day of February A. D., 19 59
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 John W. Knowles

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 18 day of February, 19 59

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.

John W. Knowles

Witnesses for the State

W. L. Hammond

Jayla Wilkins

JUSTICE COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY

Warrant Of Arrest

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
vs.

John W. Knowles

Executed this the 17 day of Feb. 1959

By arresting the within

named Defendant

John W. Knowles

and placing him

in jail

Jayla Wilkins, Sheriff

Hammond, Deputy Sheriff

_____, Highway Patrol

John

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

Attorneys	Case	Charge
No. 12420	THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Vs. John W. Knowles	Vargens

	Disposition of Case	Fees	Amount
	Affidavit made and Warrant Issued to Taylor welkins	Judge's Fees	
	Returnable Grand Jury	Warrant at 50c, Affidavit at 25c	25
	Witness—for State Taylor welkins	Bond at 50c, Sci Fa. at 50c	
	W.L. Hammond	Witnesses' Recognizances at 25c	25
		Subpoenas or notice at 25c	
		Continuance at 25c	
		Trial of Misdemeanor at \$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 \$5.00, Bond \$1.00, Sci Fa. 50c	5.00
		Guard \$2.00, Finger Printing 10c	2.00
		Subpoenas at 50c, Mileage 7.2	7.20
		Witness Fees	2.00
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Days at 50c	
		Defendant's Costs	
		Witnesses' Recognizance at 25c	
		Subpoenas at 50c	
		Executing Subpoenas	

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waived Grand jury
Bond set \$750 do
Re Committed to jail

*At said
Justice Court*

STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

Case No.

No. 10250

The State of Alabama

In the Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama

Before me, [Signature] Clerk of the 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 72 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 [Signature] Sheriff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Feb, 1959

Disposition waved Grand jury 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 21 day of Feb, 1959

[Signature]
Judge of the above named court

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

An indictment having been found against

John W. Knowles, alias John Knowles

at the Spring Term, 1959 of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, for the offense of

Forgery
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 12 day of May, 1959

Alvin J. Smith
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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No. 85

The State

vs.

John W. Knowles

Bail fixed in this case in open Court at

\$

By Judge Presiding.

Attest: Clerk.

Executed this 13 day of May, 1954

By arresting the within

named Defendant

and placing him in jail

Jay W. Wain, Sheriff

John W. Wain, Deputy Sheriff