

**CERTIFICATE OF JUDGMENT**

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**THE STATE OF ALABAMA,**  
**Baldwin County**

**CIRCUIT COURT,..... Term, 19.....**

WILLIE MAE BARNES, a minor by.....

Harry Barnes, her next Friend.....

Plaintiff....

Vs.

Sherill Oil Company, A Corporation.....

Fred Griffin and Alex Barnes.....

Defendant....

I, Alice J. Duck....., Clerk of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County,

Alabama, do hereby certify that on the 5th day of March....., 19 48,

a Judgment was rendered by said Court in the above stated cause, wherein.....

WILLIE MAE BARNES.....

was Plaintiff and.....

SHERILL OIL COMPANY, a Corporation..... was Defendant, in

favor of the said Plaintiff and against the said Defendant for the sum of.....

Two thousand, five hundred and No/100 DOLLARS

and for the sum of Nine and 55/100 DOLLARS,

the costs in said suit, and that C. G. Chason.....

.....are the Attorneys of record for the Plaintiff  
in said cause.

Witness my hand this 5th day of March....., 19 48

Clerk, Circuit Court, Baldwin County, Alabama.

WILLIE MAE BARNES, a minor,  
by HARLEY BARNES, her next  
friend,

Plaintiff  
vs.

SHERRILL OIL COMPANY, a  
corporation, FRED GRIFFIN  
AND ALEX BARNES,

Defendants

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

LAW SIDE

AGREED STATEMENT OF FACTS

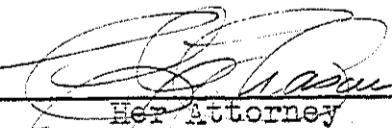
Now comes the Plaintiff and the Defendants in the above styled cause and agree that the following is a true and correct statement of facts in said case:

That on the 24th day of December, 1947, Harley Barnes purchased a container of a liquid from Alex Barnes, an oil and petroleum dealer; that he requested kerosene; that the liquid was delivered to him as kerosene; that the liquid contained approximately 10% of gasoline which is a more inflammable liquid than kerosene; that the liquid was used by the Plaintiff in igniting wood in a wood stove; that in the process of pouring the liquid into the stove, the container from which the liquid was being poured exploded; that the Plaintiff was burned and injured by this explosion; that the liquid was delivered by the Refinery to the Sherrill Oil Company; that at the time of its delivery, it was not contaminated by gasoline but met all specifications for the petroleum product known as kerosene; that it was transferred by the Sherrill Oil Company to Fred Griffin, a dealer in petroleum products; that it was transferred by Fred Griffin to Alex Barnes, a petroleum products dealer and was conveyed by the said Alex Barnes for use by the Plaintiff; in the transfer, it became contaminated by the introduction of gasoline, a highly inflammable petroleum product;

The above being the true and correct statement of the facts in this case is hereby agreed upon as such by the parties thereto.

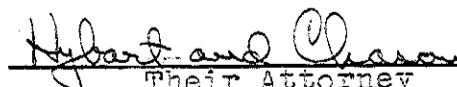
Willie Mae Barnes, a minor,  
by Harley Barnes, her next friend,  
Plaintiff

By

  
Her Attorney

SHERRILL OIL COMPANY, a corporation, Fred Griffin and Alex Barnes, Defendants,

By

  
Their Attorney

agreed  
Statement of facts  
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Clerk

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
LAW SIDE

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Sherrill Oil Company, a corporation, Fred Griffin and Alex Barnes to appear within thirty (30) days from the service of this writ in the Circuit Court to be held for said County at the place of holding the same, then and there to answer the complaint of Willie Mae Barnes, a minor, by Harley Barnes, her next friend, AND GUARDIAN.

WITNESS my hand this 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1948.

*Alice J. Wurts*  
Clerk

COMPLAINT

WILLIE MAE BARNES, a minor,  
by HARLEY BARNES, her next  
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COUNT I

The Plaintiff avers that on to-wit: December 24, 1947, her husband, Harley Barnes purchased from the Defendant Alex Barnes, a quantity of a fluid designated by the said Alex Barnes as kerosene which said fluid was for her use in kindling fires but which said fluid, through the negligence of the Defendants, the Sherrill Oil Company, Fred Griffin and Alex Barnes, contained approximately 10% gasoline, which is a more inflammable material and as a proximate result of the negligence of the Defendants, as aforesaid, while the substance was being poured from the container, for the purpose of kindling a fire, the container exploded, injuring the Plaintiff to

the damage of the Plaintiff in the sum of ~~Two Thousand Five Hundred~~ <sup>TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED</sup> ~~Three Thousand Dollars~~ <sup>Three Thousand Dollars</sup> ~~(2,500)~~ <sup>(2,500)</sup> ~~(75,000)~~ which said sum the Plaintiff claims of the Defendants.

*B. Johnson*  
Attorney for Plaintiff

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS, PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS, PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS, PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS, PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS,

BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, PLAINTIFF, AND THE STATE OF ALASKA, DEFENDANT.

Plaintiffs and defendants, respectively, hereby consent to the filing of the above cause of action in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

Plaintiffs and defendants, respectively, hereby consent to the filing of the above cause of action in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

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Alice J. Clark  
Clerk

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Defendants

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LAW SIDE

Comes the Defendants in the above styled case, by their  
attorney, and accept service of summons and complaint on this  
the 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1948.

Hulbert and Olson  
Attorney for Defendants

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APR 20 1968 BY THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RECEIVED A LETTER FROM COMPTON SUBDIVISION, TELLING THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

REGARDING THE PROPOSED PROJECTS ON THE PROJECTS IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

LETTER OF APR 20 1968 STATES THAT THE PROJECTS ARE BEING CONSIDERED AS PART OF THE

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Comes the Defendants in the above styled cause, separately  
and severally, and for answer to the Complaint, sayeth that they  
are not guilty of the matters alledged therein.

Hylant and Chason  
Attorneys for Defendant

Willie Mae Barnes, a  
minor, by Harley Barnes,  
her next friend, and guard-  
ian, Plaintiff

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Alice J. Wicks  
Clerk

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C. G. C.

J. L. Johnson  
Attorney for Plaintiff

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Willie Mae Barnes

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