



Hulda M. Lawrence et. al.  
Complainants.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama.

versus

In Equity.

No. 303.

Eloi Fontenot, et als. Defendants.

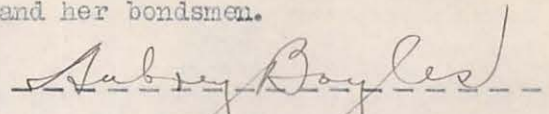
In the above styled cause, comes Hulda M. Lawrence, Receiver  
Lawrence, Receiver, appointed by the Court to "collect all debts due the corporation, sell all the property, real and personal, of the corporation, pay the debts thereof ratably or in full, as the funds realized may admit, and divide the residue after debts and costs are paid, among the several classes of stockholders according to the amount owned by each and according to preferences, if any, of the several classes, as provided in the Certificate of Incorporation," and reports:

That the total fund realized from the sale of all the property of the corporation and the collection of all debts owed it and from any and all assets of any and every kind, amounted to \$1945.63, which was expended and distributed as follows;

Rosson, Smith and Frichard, check #3, bill attached	\$ 10.00
Court costs, " 5, " "	55.77
Receiver's fee, including postage expense " 1,	101.00
Attorney's fee, " 2,	100.00
Fee for the taking of testimony 4,	5.00
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	\$271.77

The sum of \$1673.86, was distributed among the stockholders, according to the charter of the corporation which provides that where there is a final distribution of the proceeds from all the property and assets of the corporation, as in this case, and the sum distributed is not sufficient to pay to the holders of preferred stock the par value of said stock, which was true of the above fund, it should all be distributed among said preferred stockholders according to the amount owned by each. Of the checks issued in payment of said stockholders a number aggregating the sum of \$390.50 have been returned unclaimed, leaving a balance of that amount in bank, a check to cover which is drawn in favor of the Register in Chancery of this Honorable Court and herewith turned over to said Court, together with all vouchers, books, papers and other records of said corporation and this receivership.

Having complied with the orders of this Honorable Court in connection with said receivership, said Receiver does hereby pray that your Honorable Court will accept this as the final accounting and forthwith discharge said Receiver and her bondsmen.

  
Attorney for complainants.

Sept 23/1921

Hon J. W. Richardson,  
Bay Minette, Ala

Dear Mr. Richardson:

Enclosed find  
decree appointing Mrs Stella M.  
Lawrence, as receiver of Home Garden  
Land Co. I am also enclosing  
bond in the \$2000<sup>00</sup>, which I feel  
sufficient under the circumstances.

If the bond and the sureties thereon  
are sufficient, then you can  
approve same. This will leave  
the matter to be closed up by Mrs  
Lawrence and I will get Mr.  
Boyles to prepare the decree  
winding up the matter. With very  
best wishes and warm personal  
regards, I am

Sincerely your friend  
John D. Leigh

M. R. McLELLAN  
Judge of Probate Court  
ESCAMBIA COUNTY  
BREWTON, ALABAMA

C. W. BEALL, CHIEF CLERK

Sept. 15th. 1921.

Hon. Aubrey Boyles  
Mobile Ala.,

Dear Sir:

In: Re: Hulda M. Lawrence versus Eloi Fontenot  
et al's.

Your letter of July 6th, 1921 inclosing file of papers and addressed to Hon. T.W. Richerson at BayMinette Alabama, was forwarded to my office but arrived at a time when I was in Mobile attending the bedside of my father who died in your city on August 12th. At the time that this file of papers reached my office my stenographer filed the same away with a number of other files I had in my office from Monroe County and for that reason I did not locate this file until to-day when Mrs. Lawrence called at my office. I am giving you the above facts so you may understand why the delay in attending to this particular case. My father was carried to Mobile and operated on by Dr. Rush on June 27th, and from that time until his death I spent most of my time in Mobile. While I was away my stenographer resigned and was married and for this reason this matter was not called to my attention by her.

I have gone over all of the papers as well as the evidence and have signed the decree prepared by you dissolving the Home Garden's Land Company, a corporation. In view of the fact that Mrs. Lawrence owns more than two thirds of the capital stock I have appointed her as receiver as provided for under Section 3511 of Code 1907. I have taken into consideration the fact that Mrs. Lawrence owns a great book of stock in the corporation and as there is about two thousand dollars cash on hand and no other property real or personal I have fixed her bond at \$2000.00 which I think will protect all of the stock holders aside from stock owned by Mrs. Lawrence.

While in the office this afternoon Mrs. Lawrence stated to me she had the consent of practically all of the stock holder for her to be appointed receiver so if you will please go through the formality required under Section of the Code above referred to and draft a decree accordingly I will be glad to sign same & return promptly.

I am returning all papers by this mail to Hon. T.W. Richerson and sending him a copy of this letter.

I regret exceedingly this matter has been delayed and I am sorry that Mrs. Lawrence has been put to so much trouble  
Yours truly,  
John D. Leigh

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Name H. M. Lawrence Receiver

Address High Ala

IN ACCOUNT WITH

**BALDWIN COUNTY BANK**

Bay Minette, Alabama

NOV 30 1921

IS THE ABOVE YOUR  
CORRECT ADDRESS?

Statement of your Account to \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE EXAMINE AT ONCE. IF NO ERROR IS REPORTED IN TEN DAYS THE ACCOUNT WILL BE CONSIDERED CORRECT.

MADE BY BAKER-VAWTER CO.

MACHINE BOOKKEEPING STATEMENT PAPER

DATE	CHECKS IN DETAIL	DATE	DEPOSITS
	BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD	OCT 31	922.85
NOV 1	66.66 LST		
NOV 2	10.58 -		
NOV 3	5.29 -		
NOV 4	52.90 LST		
NOV 5	55.77 -		8.46 -
NOV 7	42.32 LST		
NOV 9	51.84 -		3.17 -
NOV 10	101.00 -		10.58 -
NOV 12	3.17 -		
NOV 14	21.16 -		
NOV 16	5.29 -		10.58 -
NOV 19	4.23 -		
NOV 23	21.16 -		
	<b>BALANCE</b>	NOV 30	<b>432.82</b>

This statement is furnished you instead of balancing your pass book. It saves you the trouble of bringing your pass book to the bank and waiting for it to be balanced. These statements will be found very convenient to check up and file. All items are credited subject to final payment.

USE YOUR PASS BOOK ONLY AS A RECEIPT BOOK IN MAKING DEPOSITS.

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No. 55

*Noty*

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

191

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

*Rev. C. N. Williams*

~~\$4~~<sup>23</sup>

*Four* <sup>23</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

*Hulda M. Lawrence*

*Receiver*



No. 76

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

191

**Baldwin County Bank**

61-258

10058

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Roscoe Spaulding

~~\$10<sup>58</sup>~~

Ten + 58/100

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 1571

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

192

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

*J. J. Merhammer*

\$ 5<sup>29</sup>

*Two*  $\nabla$   $\frac{29}{100}$

DOLLARS

*Hulda M. Lawrence*  
Receiver



No. 16

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF R. E. Gillespie

\$ 21<sup>16</sup>

Twenty One & <sup>16</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

*not paid*

Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver



No. 39

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 21 1921 1911

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Carl O. Meinke

~~\$3.<sup>17</sup>~~

Three & 17/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence

No. 137

BAY MINETTE, ALA. Jan 18 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

H. J. Nelson



~~\$ 10<sup>58</sup>~~

Ten & 58/100

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 1

BAY MINETTE, ALA. Sept. 30, 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Hulda M. Lawrence

\$ 101.00

One hundred, one and

not  
100

DOLLARS

Including postage of

Hulda M. Lawrence

Receiver.

372

No. 72

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 23 1921 1911



# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

J. F. Schilling

\$5<sup>29</sup>

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS



Hilda M. Lawrence

Receiver

No. 5

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

Sept. 30, 1921

# Baldwin County Bank 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Y. W. Richardson Receiver

\$ 55<sup>44</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Fifty-five and

44/100

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver.

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1 0.5 8

5.2 9

1 0.5 8

1 0.5 8

1 0.5 8

5.2 9

5 2.9 0\*

No. 156

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

192

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

*C. M. Gregory*

~~\$10<sup>58</sup>~~

*Ten & <sup>58</sup>/<sub>100</sub>*

DOLLARS

*Hilda M. Lawrence*  
Receiver



No. 65

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 191

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Jas. S. Gallagher

\$ 5<sup>29</sup>

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 7

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

191

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Albert B. Smith

\$ 10<sup>58</sup>

Ten & 58/100

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 111

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

*255* 28 1921

192

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

H. W. Dean

\$ 10<sup>58</sup>

Ten + 58/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence

Receiver

No.

107

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

192

# Baldwin County Bank 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

*J. B. Lindley*

\$10<sup>58</sup>

*Ten + 58/100*

DOLLARS



*Hilda M. Lawrence*  
Receiver

No. 143

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

192

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

529

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

E. J. Worl

\$ 5<sup>29</sup>

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

BAY MINETTE, ALA. June 20, 1925 No.

**BALDWIN COUNTY BANK** 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF T.W. Wilson, \$ 10.58

Ten and 58/100 DOLLARS

for 10 shares  
preferred Stock  
Home Gardens Land Co.

*T.W. Robinson*

No. 63

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

191

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Mrs. Edith C. Risk

\$3<sup>17</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Three & 17/100

DOLLARS

Halda M. Lawrence

Receiver

No. 148

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

John M. Green

~~\$51<sup>84</sup>~~

Fifty Ones <sup>84</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

Wanda M. Lawrence  
Receiver



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5.29

5.29

1 0.58

1 0.58

5.29

5.29

4 2.32\*

No. 149

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

W. H. Johns

\$ 5<sup>29</sup>

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 119

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

192

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Mrs. H. E. McLaughlin

\$5<sup>29</sup>

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 87

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 | 1911

# Baldwin County Bank 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF W. J. Brown



\$ 10<sup>58</sup>

Ten & <sup>58</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

NOT PAID

Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 58

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1911

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

*John W. Collins*

\$ 10<sup>58</sup>

Ten & 58/100

DOLLARS

*Hilda M. Lawrence*

*Receiver*

No. 128

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF Ed. M. Smith

\$5<sup>29</sup>

Five & <sup>29</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 53

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

191

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

529

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Ms. Annie Roenig

~~\$5~~

Five & <sup>29</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

Hellda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 13

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Albert A. Lindstrom

\$ 8<sup>46</sup>

Eight<sup>46</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver



No. 126

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

W. H. Stokes

5.29 \$ ~~5.00~~

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence

Receiver

No. 95

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

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191

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

A. W. Phair

\$ 10

<sup>58</sup>

Ten & 58/100

DOLLARS



Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 22

BAY MINETTE, ALA. FEB 28 1921 191

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Fred J. Filer

\$10<sup>58</sup>

Ten & 58/100

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence

Receiver

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5.29

5.29

3 1.74

5.29

5.29

1 0.58

2.12

1.06

6 6.66 \*

No. 49

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1911

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Emil M. Jasman

\$ 5<sup>29</sup>

Five & <sup>29</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver



No. 89

BAY MINETTE, ALA. FEB 28 1921 19129

# Baldwin County Bank 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

Samuel C. Folkes

~~\$50<sup>29</sup>~~

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS



Hilda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 57

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1917 1917

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Julian Newton

\$ 31<sup>74</sup>

Thirty One <sup>74</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS



Hulda M. Lawrence  
Receiver

No. 5-7

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1911

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Eloi Fontenot

\$ 5<sup>29</sup>

Five & 29/100

DOLLARS

Hulda M. Lawrence

Receiver



No. 120

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

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**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

*Alexander Vondrel*

\$5<sup>29</sup>

*Five & 29/100*

DOLLARS

*Hilda M. Lawrence*  
Receiver

No. 11

BAY MINETTE, ALA. SEP 28 1921 1921

**Baldwin County Bank** 61-258

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

*John C. McKee*

\$ 10<sup>58</sup>

*Ten & 58/100*

DOLLARS

*Hulda M. Lawrence*  
Receiver



No. 30

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 28 1921

191

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

O. H. C. Becken

\$ 2<sup>12</sup>

Two<sup>12</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

Hilda M. Lawrence

Receiver

No. 44

BAY MINETTE, ALA.

SEP 23 1921

191

# Baldwin County Bank

61-258

PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

*Will G. Ross*

NO PRO

88-694

\$

<sup>06</sup>

*One* <sup>06</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS



*Halda M. Lawrence*

*Receiver*

STATE OF ALABAMA,

COUNTY OF MOBILE.

Deposition of Hulda M. Lawrence, a witness sworn on the 30th day of June, 1921, at 611 City Bank Bldg. Mobile, in said State and County, under and by virtue of a commission issued out of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama in a certain cause therein pending between Hulda M. Lawrence et al, the plaintiff and Elci Fentonot, et als. defendant. The said Hulda M. Lawrence, being first duly sworn to speak the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, deposes and says as follows:

That Mr. John M. Green of Baldwin County, Alabama, one of the plaintiffs in this case, is now absent from the State, but that she knows he owns only one share of common stock of the Home Gardens Land Company, a corporation, and that she owns twenty-three thousand nine hundred ninety one (23,991) shares of common stock of said corporation and that the said 23,992 shares of stock owned by the plaintiffs in this case are more than two-thirds in value of the capital stock of said corporation, which consists of 28,939 shares of common stock that have been issued.

Said Hulda M. Lawrence further deposes and says that the plaintiffs in this case still desire a dissolution of said corporation, on the grounds that all of its business has been completed and nothing remains but to divide the proceeds from the assets already converted into cash, among those who are entitled to receive it.

Hulda M. Lawrence

I, the undersigned Commissioner in said commission named, hereby certify that I am not of counsel or of kin to any of the parties to this cause, nor in any manner interested in the result thereof; that I am personally acquainted with said witness, Hulda M. Lawrence and know her to be the identical person named in said commission; that she was sworn and examined as above stated; and that her evidence was taken down, as near as might be, in her own language, and was subscribed by her in my presence on the 30th day of June, 1921, at the place above stated.

Leon Fromsot

Commissioner.

Baldwin

# The State of Alabama, ~~Mobile~~ County

Hulda M. Lawrence  
and John M. Green

Complainant

Baldwin

Circuit Court of ~~Mobile~~ County

No. 503

vs.

Eloi Fontenet, et al.

Defendant

IN EQUITY

The Complainant

requests the oral examination of the following named witness

on behalf, viz.:

Hulda M. Lawrence  
John M. Green

said witnesses reside in the County of Baldwin

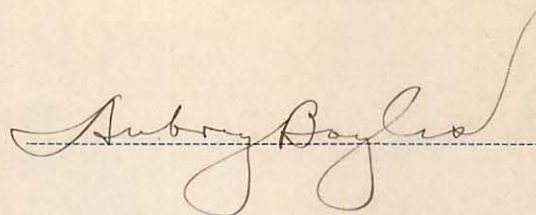
State of Alabama.

Leon Levinsohn,

who reside at Mobile, Alabama

is suggested as a suitable person to be appointed Commissioner to take the depositions of said

witnesses on such oral examination



Solicitor for Complainant.