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TENNANT M SMALLWOOD

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY

STACY LANE VS HOLLEN CRIM JR

DEFENDANT

CRIM HOLLEN JR
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PARTY'S ATTORNEY:

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I, ANNE-MARIE ADAMS , CLERK OF THE ABOVE NAMED COURT HEREBY
CERTIFY THAT ON 05/16/2002 PLAINTIFF, LANE STACY RECOVERED
OF DEFENDANT IN SAID COURT A JUDGEMENT WITHOUT WAIVER OF EXEMPTIONS FOR THE
SUM OF \$750,000.00 DOLLARS PLUS \$200.00 DOLLARS COURT COSTS, AND
THAT THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY(S) OF RECORD WAS: BURNICK DANIEL J

05/16/2002 JUDGMENT IS RENDERED IN FAVOR OF THE PLAINTIFF AND
AGAINST THE DEFENDANT. ORDER PER SEPARATE PAPER SEE ATTACHED.

JUDGE SMALLWOOD

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS DATE 08/09/2002

Anne-Marie Adams

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA

STACY LANE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

HOLLEN CRIM, JR.

Defendant.

CIVIL ACTION NO. CV 99-6114

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ANNE-MARIE ADAMS
Clerk

ORDER

FILED IN OPEN COURT

This 13th day of May 2002

Tennant M. Smallwood, Judge

On February 20, 2002, this Court entered Summary Judgment in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendant on the liability portion of this case; and reserved assessment of damages for a jury. On March 15, 2002, the Defendant, citing the emotional aspect of the hearing and expressing a desire to avoid any further anguish to the Plaintiff, agreed for the Court to conduct the damage hearing without a jury. The Plaintiff had previously waived a jury. The Court proceeded to hear the evidence.

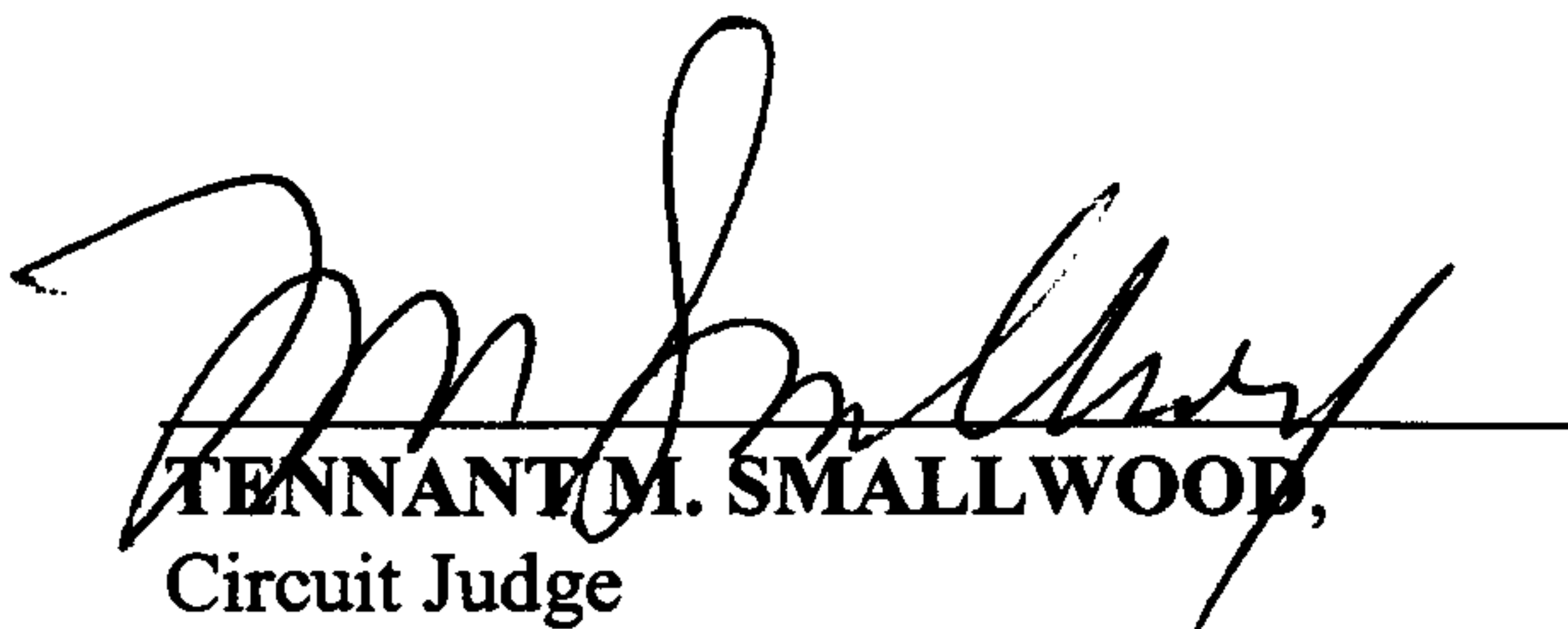
The Defendant testified to the act resulting in the injury to the Plaintiff and expressed great remorse. The Plaintiff testified that after an argument the Defendant threw a heavy glass ashtray which struck the Plaintiff in the eye. The Plaintiff received emergency room treatment and subsequently had two surgeries in an attempt to save her eye, a third surgery to remove the eye and a fourth surgery to improve the appearance of the area around the eye. She now utilizes an artificial eye which costs around \$1,800.00 every two years to replace. She also has to do daily cleaning procedures presumably to prevent infection.

The Plaintiff has moved to Nashville and obtained new employment. She could no longer work at the job she had because of the reading requirements. The Plaintiff has also had counseling to deal with the emotional aspect of her injury. Her medical expense thus far is \$70,568.32 and she testified that she has to go to San Francisco, California every two years to replace her artificial eye.

The Defendant has expressed great remorse and regret. The Plaintiff has obvious permanent injuries and substantial emotional anguish. Continued medical expenses will extend into the future. While the Plaintiff's left eye cannot be replaced nor can her mental anguish be undone, Judgment will be entered as required by the law. Compensatory damages will be awarded and punitive damage not only to punish but to deter others from similar conduct.

Judgment is hereby entered in favor of the Plaintiff, Stacy Lane and against the Defendant, Hollen Crim, Jr., in the amount of THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND 00/100 (\$300,000.00) compensatory and FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND AND 00/100 (\$450,000.00) punitive plus costs of Court.

DONE AND ORDERED on this the 13th day of May, 2002.


TENNANT M. SMALLWOOD,
Circuit Judge

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