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DIVORCE DECREE

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Josephine Coleman, Complainant

vs.

Timothy Coleman, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso on Answer and Waiver and Testimony as noted by the Register, and upon consideration thereof, the Court is of the opinion that the Complainant is entitled to the relief prayed for in said bill.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the Complainant and Defendant be, and the same are hereby, dissolved, and that the said

Josephine Coleman is forever divorced from the said Timothy Coleman for and on account of

Voluntary Abandonment.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that neither party to this suit shall again marry except to each other until sixty days after the rendition of this decree, and that if appeal is taken within sixty days, neither party shall again marry except to each other during the pendency of said appeal.

It is further ordered that the Complainant and Respondent be, and they are hereby permitted to again contract marriage upon the payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that Defendant, Timothy Coleman the Respondent pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which execution may issue.

This 4 day of August, 1954

Hubert M. Hall

Judge Circuit Court, In Equity.

I, Alice J. Duck, Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original decree rendered by the Judge of the Circuit Court in the above stated cause, which said decree is on file and enrolled in my office.

Witness my hand and seal this the _____ day of August, 1954

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ALICE L. BOCK, Register

To the

HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA: IN EQUITY:

Comes JOSEPHINE COLEMAN, by this her bill of complaint,
presented against TIMOTHY COLEMAN, and respectfully shows:

FIRST: Complainant is twenty years of age and Defendant
is over the age of twenty-one years and both are now and have been
for more than three years next preceding the filing of this bill of
complaint bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, Complainant
living at Point Clear and Defendant living at Battles Wharf, both in
Baldwin County, Alabama.

SECOND: Complainant and Defendant were married in Pasca-
goula, Mississippi, on or about the 23rd day of December, 1952.

THIRD: That Complainant and Defendant have lived together
as husband and wife up until on or about the 24th day of April, 1953,
but have not lived together since. That on or about the 23rd day of
April, 1953, the Defendant voluntarily abandoned the bed and board
of this Complainant and said abandonment has been continued since that
time.

FOURTH: There have been no children born to this marriage.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Complainant prays that Timothy
Coleman be made party defendant to this bill of complaint by proper
process and required to plead, answer or demur to this bill within
the time prescribed by law.

Complainant further prays that upon a final hearing of
this cause a decree be rendered forever divorcing her from the said
Timothy Coleman and granting her the right to remarry and change her
name should she so desire, and to such other, further or different
relief as to equity may seem meet.

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By: 

E. G. Rickarby, Jr.,
Solicitor for Complainant.

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Defendant

Bill of Complaint

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Complainant

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BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
INBEQUITY

-vs-

TIMOTHY COLEMAN,
Respondent

ANSWER AND WAIVER

Comes TIMOTHY COLEMAN, Respondent in the above styled cause, and for answer to the bill of complaint says he denies each allegation of same.

Respondent hereby waives notice of demand for oral examination of Complainant's witnesses; of the issue of commission to take testimony; of the time and place set for taking same and of the right to introduce evidence in his own behalf.

Respondent further agrees that this cause may be submitted for final decree at any time on the pleading and Complainant's evidence as noted by the Register.

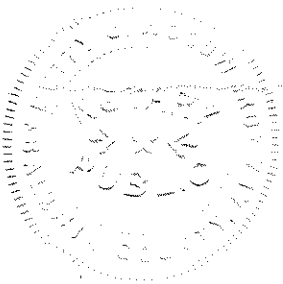
Timothy Coleman
Respondent.

STATE OF ALABAMA:
COUNTY OF BALDWIN:

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared Timothy Coleman, who is known to me, to be the Respondent above named and who acknowledged that he executed the foregoing answer voluntarily with knowledge of its contents.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this the 29 day of July, 1954.

Beetie J. Woodward
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.



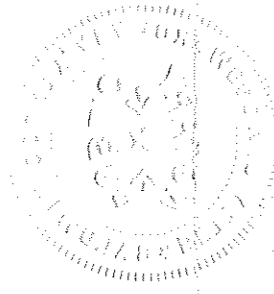
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Answer and Waiver



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FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

ELLIOTT G. RICKARBY
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E. G. RICKARBY, JR.

2 August 1954

Mrs. Alice J. Duck
Clerk, Circuit Court
Bay Minette, Ala.

Dear Mrs. Duck:

Re: Josephine Coleman
Vs: Timothy Coleman

With this we are handing you original bill, answer and waiver, testimony, note of evidence and decree in the Josephine Coleman vs. Timothy Coleman divorce case.

Please process and oblige. Am also enclosing check for \$15.00 costs.

Yours very truly,



E. G. Rickarby, Jr.

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Encls.

Mrs. Duck: Could you send down a few notes of evidence at your convenience? Thanks.

My name is Josephine Coleman and I am filing this bill for divorce against Timothy Coleman. I am 20 years old and was born and have lived in Baldwin County all my life. My husband was born and raised here too. I am now living at Point Clear and my husband is living at Battles Wharf. Both of us have been living here in Baldwin County for the last three years and are still living here. We were married over in Pascagoula, Mississippi, on the 23rd of December, 1952, and lived together up until about the 23rd of April, 1953, when he left me. On or about the 23rd of April, 1953, he left me and we have been living separate and apart since that time, and this abandonment has lasted over a year. We have had no children and I am asking for a divorce from Timothy Coleman. I am not asking him for any support.

Josephine Coleman

My name is Anderson Quaites and I live at Point Clear. I have known Josephine Coleman and her husband, Timothy Coleman, for all their lives. They have been both living here in Baldwin County all their lives and are still living here in Baldwin County. They married about 2 years ago and on about last April, 1953, Timothy Coleman left his wife, Josephine Coleman. They have been living separate and apart since that time. Both of them are now residents of Baldwin County.

Anderson Quaites

I, Martha W. McReavy, acting as Commissioner by agreement of parties, do hereby certify that in a case pending in the Equity side of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, wherein Joseph Coleman is Complainant and Timothy Coleman is Defendant, I caused the witnesses, namely, Josephine Coleman and Anderson Quaites, who were made known to me, to come to my office in the Bank Building in the City of Fairhope, Alabama, where the said witnesses after being first duly sworn by me, upon examination by E. G. Rickarby, Jr., Esq., of Counsel for Complainant, testified as hereinable written.

And that their testimony was by me reduced to writing as given by them, as near as might be in their identical language, and after being so reduced to writing, was read over by the said witnesses, who assented to and signed the same in my presence.

I further certify that I am not of counsel or kin to either of the parties to the cause, or anywise interested in the results thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal as commissioner, this the 31st day of July, 1954.

Martha W. McReavy
Commissioner

Josephine Coleman,
Complainant

-VS-

Timothy Coleman,
Respondent.

Testimony and
Certificate of Commissioner.

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NOTE OF EVIDENCE

At the hearing of this cause the following note
of evidence was taken, to-wit:


FOR COMPLAINANT:

Bill of Complaint; testimony of Anderson Quaites,
Josephine Coleman, witnesses for Complainant,

FOR RESPONDENT.

Answer and waiver.

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

By: 
E. G. Rickarby, Jr.,
Solicitor for Complainant.

Alice J. Smith
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