

8581 NOTE OF TESTIMONY

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Earlie D. Donaldson,

vs.

Nora Milstead Donaldson

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN EQUITY,
CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY.

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complainant upon the original Bill of Complaint,-----
and testimony of Earlie D. Donaldson and R. M. Donaldson

and in behalf of Defendant upon answer and waiver or agreement

Sam A. Stone

Register.

No. _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN EQUITY,
CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY.

EARLIE D. DONALDSON

VS

NORA MILSTEAD DONALDSON

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this 30th

day of October 1933 192

M. C. Starnes
Register

8550 REQUEST FOR DECREE IN VACATION.

MOORE PTC CO.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

No. Term, 192

Earlie D. Donaldson, Complainant...

vs.

Nora Milstead Donaldson, Defendant...

To M. A. Stone, Register :

In the above stated cause a Answer and waiver having been filed by
~~Defendant, and evidence having been taken, and the cause being ready for submission for final decree, and no~~
defense having been interposed, the Complainant, by Beebe & Hall

..... Solicitors of record, now files with the Register of this Court
this written request to deliver the papers in this cause to the Judge for final decree in vacation.

..... *Beebe & Hall*
Solicitor for Complainant.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

VS.

REQUEST FOR DECREE IN
VACATION

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M. H. S. Stone
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Earlie D. Donaldson,
Complainant,

vs

Nora Milstead Donaldson,
Defendant

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

IN EQUITY

And now comes the defendant, Nora Milstead Donaldson,
and waives notice of the time of taking testimony on the part
of the Complainant, the right to cross examine witnesses on
behalf of the Complainant, and agrees that matter may be sub-
mitted for final decree forthwith without further notice.

Nora Milstead Donaldson

Ernie D. Donaldson

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Kora Nieland Donaldson

Hawaii

Free Oct. 30. 1931

Repts.

Earlie D. Donaldson,
Complainant,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

vs

Nora Milstead Donaldson
Defendant

IN EQUITY

And now comes the Defendant, Nora Milstead Donaldson,
and for answer to the bill of complaint in this cause and to
each paragraph thereof says:

That she denies each and every allegation contained
therein and demands strict proof of the same.

Nora Milstead Donaldson

Charlie D Donaldson

is

Wm Donaldson

Account

Given Oct 30, 1931

Wm. H. Allen
Legate

The State of Alabama }
Baldwin County

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama,
(In Equity)

EARLIE D. DONALDSON

COMPLAINANT

vs.

NORA MILSTEAD DONALDSON

RESPONDENT

I, M. A. Stone

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Earlie D. Donaldson and R. M. Donaldson

witnesses named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 30 day of October, 1933

19 , at the office of

in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said witness to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Earlie D. Donaldson

doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Earlie D. Donaldson. I am the Complainant in the above cause. I am a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, over twenty-one years of age, and have been such resident for more than three years next preceding the filing of the bill of complaint in this cause.

The respondent, Nora Milstead Donaldson, is a resident of Baldwin county, Alabama, and over twenty-one years of age; that she has been a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, more than three years next before the filing of the bill of complaint in this cause.

That the Complainant and the said Nora Milstead Donaldson were married at Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, on the early part of April 1931.

That they lived together as man and wife in Baldwin County, Alabama, until the latter part of April 1931, when the said Nora Milstead Donaldson, voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of the Complainant and has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time; that they were living in Baldwin County, Alabama, at the time the said Nora Milstead Donaldson left him.

Earlie D. Donaldson

R. M. Donaldson a witness for the Complainant being first duly sworn deposes and says:

That his name is R. M. Donaldson; that he is the father of the Complainant in the above cause; that his son has lived with him all the boys life; that he was living with him at the time he married the defendant;

That soon after they were married the said Nora Milstead Donaldson left the Complainant~~xxxxxx~~ voluntarily and remained away from him voluntarily and continuously since that time

That he has discussed the matter with the said Nora Milstead Donaldson and she states that she will never ~~live~~ live with his son.

That they were both living in Baldwin County, Alabama at the time the Defendant left the Complainant.

R. M. Donaldson

ORAL EXAMINATION

I, M. A. Stone, as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition s on Oral Examination was taken down in writing by me in the words of the witness es and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself _____ at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness es or had proof made before me of the identity of said witness es; that I am not of counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said cause, or any manner interested in the result thereof.

I enclose the said Oral Examination in an envelope to the Register of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal, this 30th day of October, 1933.

M. A. Stone (L. S.)

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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Maria Milbrand Knudsen

COMPLAINANT

vs.

Charles R. D. Knudsen

RESPONDENT

ORAL DEPOSITION

Filed _____, 19____

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Circuit Court, Baldwin County, Ala.,

9886 IN EQUITY.

Carlie D. Donaldson

PLAIN

VS.

Nora Mildred Donaldson DEFEND.

BILL OF COST

Fees of Register	Dollars	Cts.	AMOUNT BROUGHT FORWARD	\$
Filing each bill and other papers <i>5</i>	10	50	For receiving, keeping and paying out or distributing money, etc. 1st \$1,000 1 per ct.; all over \$1,000 and not over \$5,000, 3-4 of 1 per ct.; all over \$5,000 and not exceeding \$10,000, 1-2 of 1 per ct.; all over \$10,000, 1-4 of 1 per ct.	5
Issuing each Subpoena	50	50	Receiving, keeping and paying out money paid into court, etc., 1-2 of 1 per ct. of amount received.	
Issuing each copy thereof	30	30	Each Notice Sent by Mail to Creditors	15
Entering each return thereof	15	15	Filing, Receipting for and Docketing each Claim, etc.	25
For each Order of Publication	1 00		For all entries on Subpoena Docket, etc.	50
Issuing Writ of Injunction	1 50		For all entries on Commission Docket, etc.	50
For each Copy thereof	50		Making Final Record, per hundred words	15
Entering each return thereof	15		Certified Copy of Decree	1 00
Issuing Writ of Attachment	1 00		Report of Divorce to State Health Office Acts 1915	50
Entering each return thereof	15		Total Fees of Register	9.15
Docketing each case	1 00	1 00		
Entering each Appearance	25	25		
Issuing each Decree Pro Confesso on personal service	1 00			
Issuing each Decree Pro Confesso on publication	1 00			
Each Order Appointing Guardian	1 00			
Any other order by Register	50			
Issuing Commission to Take Testimony	50	50		
Receiving and Filing	10	10		
Endorsing each package	10	10		
Entering Order Submitting Cause	50	50		
Entering any other Order of Court	25			
Noting all Testimony	50	50		
Abstract of Cause, etc.	1 00			
Entering each Decree	75	75		
For Every Hundred Words Over Five Hundred	15			
Taking Account on Reference	3 00			
Taking Testimony, etc.	15			
Each Report, Five Hundred Words or less	2 50			
For every Hundred Words Over Five Hundred	15			
Amount Claimed, Less than Five Hundred Dollars, etc.	2 00			
Issuing each Subpoena	25			
Witness Certificate, each	25			
Issuing Execution, each	75			
Entering each Return	15			
Taking and Approving Bond, each	1 00			
Making Copy of Bill, etc.	15			
Each notice not otherwise provided for	50			
Each Certificate or Affidavit, with Seal	50			
Each Certificate or Affidavit, no Seal	25			
Hearing and passing on application for Receiver or Trustee	3 00			
Each Settlement with Receiver or Trustee	3 00			
Examining each Voucher of Receiver or Trustee	10			
Examining each Answer on Exception	3 00			
Recording Resignation or Suggestion of Death of Trustee	75			
Entering each Certificate to Supreme Court	50			
Taking Questions and Answers, etc.	25			
For all other service relating to such proceedings	1 00			
For service in proceeding to relieve minors, etc. same fee as in similar cases.				
Commission on sales, etc.: 1st \$100, 2 percent; all over \$100, and not exceeding \$1000, 1 1-2 per cent; all over \$1,000 and not exceeding \$20,000, 1 per cent; all over \$20,000, 1-4 of 1 per cent.				
Sub Total Carried Forward		5 15		19.30
			extra copy done	1.00
				20.30

Received payment this _____ day of _____ 193_____

NOTE: Unless the above costs in this cause are paid within ten days of the present date, execution will be issued and placed in the hands of Sheriff for collection, creating more costs.

Register

Circuit Court, Baldwin County, Ala.
In Equity.

No. _____

VS.

Cost Bill

Paid _____, 193_____

Register.

The State of Alabama, } Circuit Court of Baldwin County, In Equity.
Baldwin County.

To any Sheriff of the State of Alabama—GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Nora Milstead Donaldson

of Baldwin County, to be and appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, exercising Chancery jurisdiction, within thirty days after the service of Summons, and there to answer, plead or demur, without oath, to a Bill of Complaint lately exhibited by Earlie D. Donaldson

against said Nora Milstead Donaldson

and further to do and perform what said Judge shall order and direct in that behalf. And this the said Defendant shall in no wise omit, under penalty, etc. And we further command that you return this writ with your endorsement thereon, to our said Court immediately upon the execution thereof.

WITNESS, M. A. Stone Register of said Circuit Court, this 6th day of

October 1933

M. A. Stone Register

N. B.—Any party defendant is entitled to a copy of the bill upon application to the Register.

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SERVE ON Nora Milstead Donaldson

Circuit Court of Baldwin County
In Equity.

No. 9886

SUMMONS

Earlie D. Donaldson

vs.

Nora Milstead Donaldson

Lottie, Ala.

Beebe & Hall

Solicitor for Complainant

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

Received in office this _____

day of _____ 192

Sheriff.

Executed this 14th ~~7th~~ day of

October 1923

by leaving a copy of the within Summons with

Nora Milstead Donaldson

Defendant,

Sheriff.

By F. F. Little

Deputy Sheriff.

EARLIE D. DONALDSON,

Complainant,

vs.

NORA MILSTEAD DONALDSON,

Respondent.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

IN EQUITY.

This cause coming on to be heard, was submitted upon the original bill of complaint on behalf of the complainant, answer and agreement of the respondent, 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 the respondent be and the same are hereby dissolve and the complainant is forever divorced from the respondent on the ground of abandonment.

It is further ORDERED that the said Earlie D. Donaldson be and he is hereby permitted to again contract marriage upon the payment of the costs of court in this cause.

It is further ORDERED that the said Earlie D. Donaldson pay the costs herein taxed, for which execution may issue.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the said Earlie D. Donaldson shall not again marry, except to the said Nora Milstead Donaldson, until sixty days after this date, and that if an appeal is taken within sixty days, he shall not marry again, except to the said Nora Milstead Donaldson, during the pendency of the appeal.

It is further ORDERED that the said Nora Milstead Donaldson be and she is hereby permitted to again contract marriage, upon the payment of the costs of court in this cause.

2nd Dated at Monroeville, Monroe County, Alabama, this the
day of Nov, 1933.

F. W. Hall

Judge of the Circuit Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama.

RECORDED
G.A.

EARLIE D. DONALDSON

VS

NORA MILSTEAD DONALDSON

FINAL DECREE

TO HONORABLE F. W. HARE, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA. SITTING IN CHANCERY.

Your Complainant, Earlie D. Donaldson, humbly complaining against the Defendant, Nora Milstead Donaldson, respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor as follows:

FIRST

That both your complainant and the Defendant are bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, over twenty-one years of age; that they have been such residents for more than three years next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint.

SECOND

That your Complainant and the Defendant are husband and wife having intermarried at Bay Minette, in Baldwin County, Alabama, in April 1931.

THIRD

That they lived together as husband and wife in Baldwin County, Alabama, until on to-wit the latter part of April 1931, when the Defendant voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of your Complainant; that she has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time; that they were living in Baldwin County, Alabama at the time the Defendant abandoned your Complainant.

WHEREFORE the premises considered your Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper process make the said Nora Milstead Donaldson party Defendant to this bill of complaint requiring her to plead, answer or demur to the same within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

Your Complainant further prays that upon a final hearing of this cause your Honor will give and grant to him a

decree of absolute divorce forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between him and the said Nora Milstead Donaldson. Your Complainant further prays that your Honor will give and grant unto him such other, further, different or general relief as he may be in equity and good conscience entitle to receive, and as in duty bound your Complainant will ever pray.

Beebe & Hall
Solicitors for Complainant

FOOT NOTE

The Defendant is required to answer each and every allegation contained in the foregoing bill of complaint in paragraphs FIRST to THIRD, inclusive, but not under oath, oath being hereby expressly waived.

Beebe & Hall
Solicitors for Complainant

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EARLIE D. DONALDSON

VS

NORA MILSTEAD DONALDSON

*Filed Oct. 6, 1933
m. a. Stone
Register*

BILL FOR DIVORCE

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Filed this the 6th day of
October, 1933