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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS, Complainant
vs.

RENIE MELVENE ADAMS, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Decree Pro Confesso~~ 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 CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS is forever divorced from the said RENIE MELVENE ADAMS for and on account of

ABANDONMENT

~~IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the custody of Charles Stephen Adams, the minor child of the parties hereto, be and is hereby awarded to the respondent, Renie Melvene Adams, but this shall not relieve the complainant of the legal obligation to maintain and support said child.~~

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 CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS the COMPLAINANT pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which execution may issue.

This 8th day of December, 1953

Hubert M. Hall
Judge Circuit Court, In Equity.

I, _____, 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 _____, 19____

Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

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The State of Alabama
Baldwin County

In Circuit Court, In Equity

Complainant

vs.

Respondent

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)Charles Leslie Adams

Complainant

VS.

Renie Melvene Adams

Respondent

I, Madeline S. Bryarsas Register and Commissionerhave called and caused to come before me Charles Leslie Adams and Alton Grimes

witnesses named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 5 day of December 1949, at the office of Floyd G. Swearingen in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witnesses to speak the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Charles Leslie Adams and Alton Grimes doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Charles Leslie Adams. I am complainant in that certain suit for divorce pending in the Circuit Court in equity of Baldwin County, Alabama, against Renie Melvene Adams. I am 24 years of age and she is 23 years old. We are both residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, where we were residing at the time of our marriage and where we have resided continuously since. We were married in Lucedale, Mississippi April 26, 1949. We lived together as husband and wife until April, 1952 when she voluntarily abandoned me without just cause or reasonable excuse and has remained away continuously since. We have one child, Charles Stephen Adams, I have plead with her dozens of times and have written her numerous times asking her to return to me as my wife. She has consistantly and continues to refuse to come. We have agreed between us that custody of Charles Stephen Adams be awarded to her by stipulation attached to my deposition marked Exhibit A.

Charles Leslie Adams

My name is Alton Grimes. I am a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, where I have resided continuously for approximately 17 years. I have known Charles Leslie Adams and Renie Melvene Adams for more than ten years continuously. They were married in Lucedale, Mississippi on April 26, 1949 and lived together until April, 1952 when she voluntarily abandoned him. They have not lived together as husband and wife since that date. I am not related to either of them.

Alton B. Grimes

ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Madeline S. Brvars, as ~~Register~~ and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing depositions on Oral Examination was taken down by me in writing in the words of the witnesses and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself and Floyd G. Swearingen at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witnesses or had proom made before me of the identity of said witnesses; 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 5 day of Dec, 1945

Madeline S. Brvars (L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

vs. Complainant

Respondent.

Oral Deposition

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"Exhibit A"

CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS

COMPLAINANT

VS

RENIE MELVENE ADAMS

DEFENDANT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

It is agreed between the parties in the above styled cause that the custody of Charles Stephen Adams, whose age is three years, the child of the parties to this cause, be awarded to its mother, Renie Melvene Adams, and that the court so decree in the event decree of divorce is granted.

Charles Leslie Adams

Renie Melvene Adams

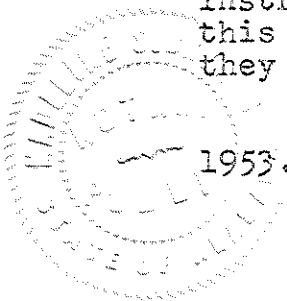
STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Madeline L. Burns, a Notary Public in and for said State and County, hereby certify that Charles Leslie Adams and Renie Melvene Adams, whose names are signed to the foregoing instrument, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this date that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal this the 5 day of Dec, 1953.

Madeline L. Burns
Notary Public, State of Ala. at large.



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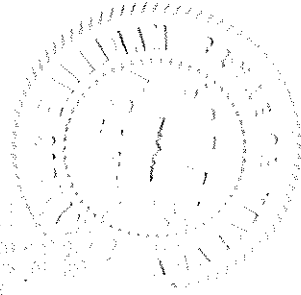
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Complainant

VS

Rene Melvane Adams
Defendant

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Charles Leslie Adams

vs.

Renie Melvene Adams

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

IN EQUITY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complaint upon the original Bill of Complaint, _____

deposition of complainant and exhibit thereto attached, and
deposition of Alton Grimes,

and in behalf of Defendant upon answer and waiver

Edward A. Lawrence
Attorney for Complainant
Alvin F. Smith
Register.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

IN EQUITY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County

Charles Leslie Adams

vs.

Renie Melvane Adams

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

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CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS

COMPLAINANT

VS

RENIE MELVENE ADAMS

DEFENDANT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

And now comes the defendant in her own proper person and accepts service of the summons and complaint in the above styled cause, and denies each and every allegation contained in the bill of complaint, and demands strict proof of the same.

The defendant waives notice of the demand for oral examination, notice of the time of taking testimony on behalf of complainant, the right to cross-examine complainant's witnesses, and agrees that this cause be submitted forthwith for final decree without notice.

Renie Melvane Adams
Defendant

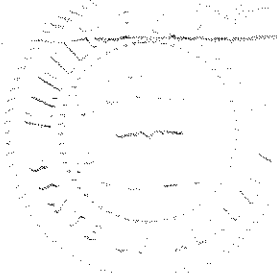
STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Madeline L. Bynum, a Notary Public in and for said State and County, hereby certify that Renie Melvane Adams, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that being informed of the contents of the instrument, she, executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal this the 5 day of Dec, 1953.

Madeline L. Bynum
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Ala.



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Defendant

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CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS

COMPLAINANT

VS

RENIE MELVENE ADAMS

DEFENDANT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

Comes the complainant in the above styled cause and requests the oral examination of Charles Leslie Adams and Alton Grimes, as witnesses for the complainant, who both reside in Baldwin County, State of Alabama, at Bay Minette, and suggests Madeline S. Bryars of the Town of Bay Minette, as a suitable person to act as commissioner to take the deposition of the said witnesses.

Witness my hand this the 5 day of Dec, 1953

Thos G. Swearingen
Solicitor for Complainant.

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Charles Leslie Adams
Complainant

VS
Linnell Melvane Adams
Defendant

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COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

TO: Madeline S. Bryars

KNOW YE: that we, having full faith in your prudence and competency, have appointed you Commissioner, and by these presents do authorize you, at such time and place as you may appoint, to call before you and examine Charles Leslie Adams and Alton Grimes

as witnesses in behalf of complainant in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein

Charles Leslie Adams, Complainant
and

Renie Melvene Adams Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon oral examination to take and certify the depositions of the witnesses and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 5 day of Dec, 1958

Wm. J. Newkirk
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$ none

Witness' Fees, \$ _____

No. _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

Charles Leslie Adams

Complainant—

vs.

Renie Melvane Adams

Defendant—

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER

WITNESSES:

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA, GREETINGS:

WE COMMAND YOU, that you summon, Renie Melvene Adams, to be and appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, 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 Charles Leslie Adams against the said Renie Melvene Adams and further to do and perform what said Judge shall order and direct in that behalf, and this the Defendant shall in no wise omit, under penalty of the law; and we further command that you return this writ with your endorsement thereof, to our said court immediately upon the execution thereof.

WITNESS, Alice J. Duck, Register of said Circuit Court, this the ____ day of _____, 19__.

Register

CHARLES LESLIE ADAMS
COMPLAINANT

VS

RENIE MELVENE ADAMS
DEFENDANT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

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

And now comes your complainant, Charles Leslie Adams, and humbly complaining against Renie Melvene Adams, defendant, respectfully shows unto your Honor:

First: That your complainant and the said Renie Melvene Adams, are each over the age of twenty-one years and are residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, where they resided at the time of their marriage and have resided continuously since.

Second: That your complainant and the said Renie Melvene Adams, are husband and wife, having intermarried at Lucedale, Mississippi April 26, 1949, and they lived together as husband and wife until April 1952, when the said Renie Melvene Adams voluntarily abandoned this complainant without just cause and reasonable excuse; that the said Renie Melvene Adams and this complainant have not

lived together for more than twelve months next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint;

Third: That there was born to this complainant and the said defendant one child, Charles Stephen Adams, who is three years of age and in the custody of the defendant.

WHEREFORE your complainant prays that this Honorable Court will take the jurisdiction of the cause made by this bill of complaint and make the said Renie Melvene Adams party defendant hereto and by appropriate process require her to plead, answer or demur to the same within the time and under the pains and penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

Complainant further prays that upon the final hearing of this cause this Honorable Court will make and enter a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between this complainant and the said defendant and complainant prays for such other, further or different relief as in equity and good conscience he shall be entitled to receive in the premises.


Solicitor for Complainant