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The State Of Alabama, Baldwin County  
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

MINNIE MILDRED SELF

Complainant

VS

VIRGIL ANDREW SELF

Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Decrees 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 here-  
tofore existing between the Complainant and Defendant be, and the same are hereby, dissolved,  
and that the said Minnie Mildred Self  
is forever divorced from the said

Virgil Andrew Self

for and on account of Voluntary Abandonment

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that Complainant may resume the  
use of her maiden name, Minnie Mildred Bice, should she so desire

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 either party hereto  
be, and \_\_\_\_\_ hereby permitted to again contract marriage upon the payment of the cost of  
this suit.

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

This 3rd day of April, 1944.

J. W. Hurd  
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\_\_\_\_

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**The State Of Alabama**

Baldwin County

In Circuit Court, In Equity

vs. Complainant.

Respondent.

**DIVORCE DECREEE**

To the Honorable Frances W. Hare, Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Sitting in Equity:

Comes Minnie Mildred Self and by this, Her Bill of Complaint, presented against Virgil Andrew Self, respectfully shows unto Your Honor:

First: Complainant and Respondent herein intermarried on January 3rd 1941 at Talledega, Alabama, and both parties have resided in Alabama ever since, complainant residing presently in Baldwin County, Alabama.

Second: Both parties hereto are of legal age.

Third: Respondent voluntarily abandoned Complainant on November 23rd 1942 and has continued said abandonment ever since with total neglect of the marital covenant on his part to be performed.

Fourth: Complainant's maiden name was Minnie Mildred Bice.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Complainant prays that Virgil Andrew Self, the said Respondent, be made defendant to this Bill and, by appropriate process, be required to answer the same within the time prescribed by law and to obey all orders and decrees in the premises made.

COMPLAINANT FURTHER PRAYS that, upon hearing of this cause, a decree be rendered forever divorcing Complainant from said Virgil Andrew Self, granting her the right to resume the use of her maiden name should she so desire, granting either party the right to remarry, and granting such other, further and different relief as may seem proper in the premises.

  
Solicitor for Complainant.

Minnie Mildred Self  
Complainant

vs

Virgil Andrew Self  
Respondent

In Equity


Circuit Court

Baldwin County

Alabama.

Comes Virgil Andrew Self, Respondent in the above styled cause, and for answer to the Bill of Complaint says that he denies each and every allegation contained therein.

Respondent further waives notice for demand for oral examination of Complainant's witnesses, the issue of formal commission to take testimony, notice of the time and place of taking same and the right to cross examine or introduce evidence in his own behalf and agrees that this cause may be submitted for final decree at any time without further notice to him on the pleadings and Complainant's evidence as noted by the Register.

  
Virgil Andrew Self, Respondent.

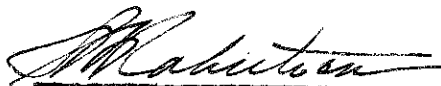
Signed in presence of:

Lt. Comdr. S. P. Robertson  
Designate official rating.

State of U. S. Naval  
Construction Battalion.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

Personally appeared Virgil Andrew Self, who is known to me, and he acknowledged that he voluntarily executed the foregoing answer and waiver with full knowledge of its contents.

Given under my hand and official seal this 20 day of March 1944.

  
S. P. ROBERTSON-LT.COMDR.CEC-USNR.  
EXECUTIVE OFFICER.

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

Minnie Mildred Self

COMPLAINANT

vs.

Virgil Andrew Self

RESPONDENT

I, Frances G. Crawford

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me

Minnie Mildred Self and Adele Browning

witnesses named in the requirement for Oral Examination, on the 29th day of March

1944, at the office of E. A. Gramer, Attorney

in Fairhope, Alabama, and having first sworn said witnesses to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Minnie Mildred Self

doth depose and say as follows:

Virgil Andrew Self and I were married on January 3rd 1941 at Talledega, Alabama. I am past 20 years of age and he is past 21. I have lived in Baldwin County, Alabama, for some months and we both have lived in Alabama ever since our marriage. On November 23rd 1942, he left me and has never made any attempt since then to resume living with me or to give me any support. My maiden name was Minnie Mildred Bice and, if I am given a decree of divorce, I should like the right to resume the use of my maiden name.

*Minnie Mildred Self*

And the said Adele Browning doth depose and say as follows:

I have known Mrs. Self for more than one year and I know that she has lived in Alabama and in Baldwin County during that period. I also know that her husband has not lived with her at any time during the time since I met her.

*Adele Browning*

I, Frances G. Crawford as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition 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 and each other 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 29 day of March 1944.

Frances G. Crawford. (L. S.)

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**THE STATE OF ALABAMA,**  
 BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Self

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VS.

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**ORAL DEPOSITION**

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, Register.

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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 Minnie Mildred Self, and Adele Browning  
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and in behalf of Defendant upon \_\_\_\_\_ Answer and Waiver.  
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\_\_\_\_\_ *R. H. [Signature]* Register.

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The State of Alabama,  
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN EQUITY

CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY

Self

VS.

Self.

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this 1st.

day of April. 1944



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