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DIVORCE DECREE

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

Erica Delane Garney, Complainant
vs.
Shwonda Rene Garney, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso, on Answer & 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 Erica Delane Garney is forever divorced from the said Shwonda Rene Garney for and on account of

Cruelty
It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Complainant be and she is hereby awarded the care, custody and control of the said minor child, Shwonda Rene Garney.

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 Erica Delane Garney the Complainant pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which execution may issue.

This 24 day of August, 1954
Robert 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

ETNA DELWEE GANEY

Complainant

vs.

GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY

Respondent

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: Evelene Nixon

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 Bernice Delores Gentry and Obelia Landley

as witnesses in behalf of Emma Delene Gentry in a cause pending in our
Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein _____

Wesley Delano Garney

Complainant_____

and

George Arthur Garvey

Respondent____

on oath, to be by you administered, upon.

to take and certify the deposition5 of the witness___ and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 20th day of May, 1954

Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$_____

Witness' Fees, \$_____

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

EMMA DELANE GANEY Complainant
VS.
GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY Respondent

I, Lurleane Nixon
as Register and Commissioner
have called and caused to come before me Emma Delane Ganey and Obelia

witness named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 20th day of August
1954, at the office of C. LeNair Thomasen
in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness to speak the
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Emma Delane Ganey and Obelia
doth depose and say as follows:

That my name is Emma Delane Ganey, I am over 18 years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama; the Respondent, George Arthur Ganey, is over the age of 21 years and also a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, though temporarily in the Navy aboard the U.S.S. Renshaw. We were married on July 12, 1952, at Lucedale, Mississippi, and lived together as husband and wife until our separation the latter part of December, 1953, caused by his mistreatment of me, when he came home on furlough the latter part of December he abused me so that I was in fear of my life or health, but delayed obtaining a divorce since he left me and went back in service until our baby was born, she is Shwonda Rene Ganey, age about 3 months old. I am afraid to live with him as his wife anymore because when he is mad he is dangerous and I respectfully ask the court, because of the way he mistreated me and abused me, especially when he is drinking, that it will grant me a divorce. I have had the care, custody and control of our infant child since her birth and I submit to this Honorable Court that I am a fit, suitable and proper person to have the permanent care, custody and control of her, I respectfully ask this Honorable Court to grant me the care, custody and control of our baby daughter. I do not ask for alimony for myself and while my finances are sufficient for me to maintain and support my baby daughter I do not ask support for her. There is no property to be divided.

Emma Delane Ganey

That my name is Obelia Langley I know both parties to this cause, they are both residents of Baldwin County, Alabama and the Complainant is about 18 years old while the Respondent is over the age of 21 years. They were married in Lucedale, Mississippi, on July 12, 1952, and Emma Delane Ganey the Complainant, was forced to leave her husband while they were in Baldwin County about Christmas of 1953 the reason for the separation being that the Respondent, when drinking, is very violent and dangerous, and at the time of the separation he mistreated your Complainant so badly that she became in fear of her life and health so that she was afraid to live with him anymore as his wife. They now have a baby daughter, Shwonda Rene Ganey, age about three months old. I respectfully submit to this Honorable Court that the Complainant is a fit, suitable and proper person to have the care, custody and control of this baby daughter. At the present she is financially able to maintain and support the child. There is no property to be divided.

Obelia Langley

ORAL EXAMINATION

I, Lurleene Nixon, as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition...on Oral Examination was taken down by me in writing in the words of the witness ES and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself and C. LeMair Thompson

at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness ES or had proom 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 20th day of August, 1954
Lurleene Nixon (L. S.)

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EMMA DELENE GANEY

vs.

GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin CountyIN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complaint upon the original Bill of Complaint,
Testimony of witnesses, Emma Delene Ganey and Obelia Langley

and in behalf of Defendant upon Answer & Waiver

*C. Letitia Thompson**Deirdre H. H. H.*

Register.

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summon GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY to appear and plead, answer or demur within thirty days from the service hereof to the bill of complaint filed in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in equity, by EMMA DELANE GANEY, as Complainant and against GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY, as Respondent.

Witness my hand this ____ day of August, 1954.

Register

EMMA DELANE GANEY,

COMPLAINANT,

VS

GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY,

RESPONDENT.

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:

Your Complainant, Emma Delane Ganey, respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

1.

That your Complainant and the Respondent are both bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama; that the Complainant is over the age of 18 years and the Respondent is over the age of 21 years.

2.

That your Complainant and the Respondent married in Lucedale, Mississippi, on July 12, 1952, and lived together as husband and wife until the latter part of December, 1953.

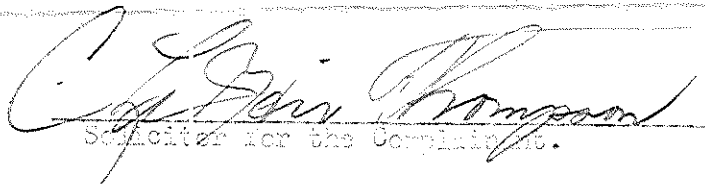
3.

That on, to-wit, December 26, 1953, and on several occasions prior thereto the Respondent threatened and abused the Complainant and threatened to do actual violence to her person which would necessarily endanger her life and health. The conduct of the Respondent was such as to give the Complainant every reasonable apprehension to believe and she did actually believe that if she continued to live with him he would carry out his threats and do actual violence to her person, which would necessarily endanger her life and health.

There was born as fruit of this marriage between the Complainant and the Respondent, one child, Shwonda Rene Ganey, age about three months. That the mother of said child is a suitable, fit and proper person to have the care, custody and control.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper procedure take the said George Arthur Ganey ~~that Respondent to this bill or complaint~~ requiring him 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.

That your Complainant be awarded the custody, care, and control of the minor child, Shwonda Rene Ganey, age three months; and that upon a final hearing of this cause, that your Honor will grant to her an absolute divorce forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between your Complainant and Respondent; and that upon a final hearing of this cause that your Complainant be awarded such other, further different or general relief as she may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive.


Solicitor for the Complainant.

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EMMA DELIAE GANEY,

COMPLAINANT,

VS

GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY,

RESPONDENT.

Bill of Complaint

C. LeNoir Thompson
Attorney At Law
Day Minette, Alabama

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ALICE J. DUCK, Clerk.

ARTHUR GANEY,

RESPONDENT.

comes the Respondent and accepts service of the summons and
t in this cause.

Respondent admits the allegations as to ages and marriage
dence, but denies all other allegations contained in the bill
aint, and demands strict proof of the same.

Respondent waives notice of the time of taking of testimony
f of the Complainant, the right to cross-examine Complainant's
s; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree
further notice.

George Arthur Ganey

TERRITORY OF HAWAII

LT, JAMES A. PAYNE, USN, a Notary Public, in and for
nty, in said State, hereby certify that George Arthur Ganey, whose
signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me,
dged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of
eyance, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears

en under my hand and seal on this the 28th day of May, 1954.

James A. PAYNE,
Notary Public,
Acting Commanding Officer
U.S.S. Renshaw

By Minute, V. J. Renshaw
Attorney at Law
C. Renoir Thompson

Answer & Waiver

RESPONDENT.

GEORGE ARTHUR GANEY,

AS

COMPLAINANT.

George Arthur Ganey
James A. Payne
U.S.S. Renshaw