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DIVORCE DECREE

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

Teresa Ann Vinson, Complainant

vs.

Norman E. Vinson, 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 Teresa Ann Vinson is forever divorced from the said Norman E. Vinson 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 minor child, Avis Adair Vinson, now two years of age, with the right of the Respondent to visit the child at reasonable times, and to have the child visit him for reasonable periods of time.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, by the court, that the Respondent pay to the Complainant the sum of \$10.00 per week for the support and maintenance of the minor 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 payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that Norman E. Vinson the Respondent pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 2nd day of August, 1955

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

TERESA ANN VINSON

Complainant

vs.

Norman E. Vinson

Respondent

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TERESA ANN VINSON
COMPLAINANT
VS
NORMAN E. VINSON
RESPONDENT

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

Now comes the Respondent, in his own proper person, and admits the allegations contained in the bill of complaint filed in the above styled cause as to ages, residences, marriage and children, but denies all other allegations therein contained and demands strict proof of the same.

The Respondent waives notice of the time of taking of testimony on behalf of the Complainant; the right to cross examined Complainant's witnesses; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree without further notice.

Norman Vinson

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Ray J. Wilting, A Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Norman E. Vinson, 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, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date. Given under my hand and seal on this the 2 day of August, 1955.

Ray J. Wilting
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama



No 3583

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TERESA ANN VINSON

COMPLAINANT

VS

NORMAN E. VINSON

RESPONDENT

ANSWER AND WAIVER



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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
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IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

Teresa Ann Vinson

vs.

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NOTE OF TESTIMONY

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vs.

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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, answer and waiver of Respondent, agreement between both parties, and testimony of Teresa Ann Vinson and Avis Johnson

and in behalf of Defendant upon

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by Alan J. Walters
Clerk for Complainant

Walter
Register.

ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Evelyn Watts, 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 Harry J. Wilters Jr.

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 2nd day of August, 194 55

Evelyn Watts (L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

Teresa Ann Vinson

vs. Complainant

Norman F. Vinson

Respondent.

Oral Deposition

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

Teresa Ann Vinson Complainant

VS.

Norman E. Vinson Respondent

I, Evelvn Watts

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Teresa Ann Vinson and Avis Johnson

witness ^{es} named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 2 day of August

194 55, at the office of Harry J. Wilters Jr.

in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness ^{es} to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Teresa Ann Vinson and Avis Johnson doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Teresa Ann Vinson, and I am the Complainant in this court action. I am 18 years of age and a resident of Baldwin County and have been for the past ten years. Norman Vinson is a resident of Baldwin County and he is 20 years of age. Norman Vinson and I were married at Leaksville, Mississippi, on March 9, 1952, and lived together as husband and wife in this county until July 30, 1955. On that day and various times prior to that time Norman cursed, and abused me and threatened to do actual violence to me. This would have endangered my life and health if he had actually carried out his threats. I believe that from his conduct that he will do actual harm to me if I continue to live with him which would endanger my life and health.

During our married life we had one child, Avis Adair Vinson, who is now two years old and she is living with me. I am a suitable and fit person to have her care, custody and control.

Teresa Ann Vinson

My name is Avis Johnson and I am Ann Vinson's aunt. I have known Ann and Norman all their married life. I know that they live in the same house with me and I know that they have been having considerable amount of difficulties and that they have some pretty loud fusses. It is my opinion that it is impractical for them to live together as husband and wife and I believe that it is to the best interest of both of them that they be separated. Ann is the suitable and proper person to have the custody of their little girl.

Avis Johnson

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: Evelyn Watts

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 Teresa Ann Vinson and Avis Johnson

as witnesses in behalf of Complainant in a cause pending in our
Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein Teresa Ann Vinson is

and Norman E. Vinson is, Complainant

Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon Teresa Ann Vinson and Avis Johnson
to take and certify the deposition of the witness and return the same to our Court, with all
convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 2 day of Aug, 1945

Avis J. Bennett
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$ _____

Witness' Fees, \$ _____

No. 2583

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

Teresa Ann Vinson

Complainant

vs.

Norman E. Vinson

Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

Evelyn Watts

WITNESSES:

Teresa Ann Vinson

Avis John

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TERESA ANN VINSON

COMPLAINANT

VS

NORMAN E. VINSON

RESPONDENT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That whereas, the Complainant and the Respondent were married at Leaksville, Mississippi, on March 9, 1952; and

WHEREAS the parties have one child, Avis Adair Vinson, now two years of age; and

WHEREAS the parties have decided and concluded that it is impossible for them any longer to live together as husband and wife; and

WHEREAS on July 30, 1955, they separated and have since that time lived separate and apart; and

WHEREAS, the parties have reached a full and complete agreement as to the custody, maintenance and support of the minor child, Avis Adair, Vinson.

Now, therefore, it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

1. That the Complainant, Teresa Ann Vinson, shall have the custody, care and control of the minor child, Avis Adair Vinson.
2. That The Respondent shall have the right to visit the said child at reasonable times and to have the child to visit him for reasonable periods of time.
3. That the Respondent will pay to the Complainant the sum of TEN (\$10.00) DOLLARS per week for the support and maintenance of the said minor child.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals, in duplicate, this 2 day of August, 1955.

Teresa Ann Vinson (SEAL)

Norman Vinson (SEAL)

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

W. J. Wilkins, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Teresa Ann Vinson and Norman E. Vinson, whose names are signed to the foregoing instrument, and who are known to me, acknowledged before on this day 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 on this 2 day of August, 1955.

W. J. Wilkins
Notary Public,

No 3583

TERESA ANN VINSON

COMPLAINANT

VS

NORMAN E. VINSON

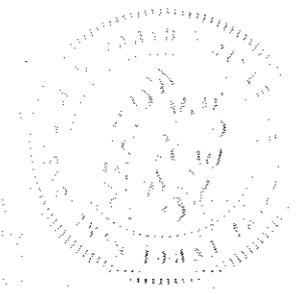
RESPONDENT

AGREEMENT

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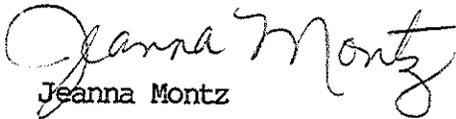
Eunesce G. Tindal
P. O. Box 489
Bay Minette, Alabama

RE: Our File No. 86-329
~~Divorce Proceedings Nos. 3584~~
Dated August 25, 1955
Baldwin County, Alabama

Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$1.25 (one dollar and twenty five cents) in order to obtain a certified copy of the above mentioned divorce.

Your help in obtaining this would be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,


Jeanna Montz

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EUNICE G. TINDAL
REGISTER

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summons NORMAN E. VINSON, 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 Teresa Ann Vinson, as Complainant and against Norman E. Vinson, as Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this the _____ day of August, 1955.

Register

TERESA ANN VINSON	↓	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
COMPLAINANT	↓	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,
VS	↓	IN EQUITY
NORMAN E. VINSON	↓	
RESPONDENT	↓	

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

Your Complainant, Teresa Ann Vinson, respectfully represents unto Your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

1.

That your Complainant is a bona fide resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, and over eighteen years of age; that your Respondent is a bona fide resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, and over twenty years of age.

2.

That Your Complainant and the Respondent married at Leaksville, Mississippi, on March 9, 1952, and lived together as husband and wife in Baldwin County, Alabama, until on to-wit, July 30, 1955.

3.

That on to-wit, July 30, 1955, and on various occasions prior thereto the Respondent cursed, threatened and abused your complainant and threatened to do actual violence to her person, which would necessarily endanger her live and health; that the conduct of the Respondent was such as to give your Complainant every reasonable apprehension to believe and she did actually believe that if she continued to live with the Respondent he would do actual violence to her person, which would necessarily endanger her life and health.

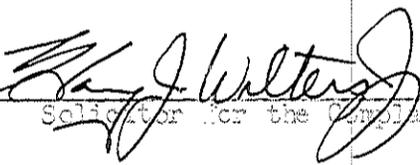
4.

That there was born to the marriage between your Complainant and the Respondent, one child, Avis Adair Vinson, now two years of age, who is now and has been all of her life with her mother, the Complainant; that your Complainant is a suitable, fit and proper person to have her care, custody and control.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Complainant prays that Your Honor will by proper process make the said Norman E. Vinson, party Respondent to this bill of 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.

Your Complainant further prays that upon a final hearing hereof, Your Honor will enter a decree forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between your Complainant and the Respondent; that your Complainant be awarded the permanent care, custody and control of the minor child, Avis Adair Vinson; Your Complainant prays for such, other, further, different or general relief as she may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive.

Walters & Brantley

BY: 
Solicitor for the Complainant