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## Circuit Court, In Equity

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JAMES T. ALLIMS

Complainant

VS.

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Respondent

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

JAMES T. ALLUMS, Complainant

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JOHNNIE LAVERNE ALLUMS, Respondent

This case is submitted on the original bill, answer and testimony of the complainant and one witness for the complainant, Dale Raddcliffe.

RICKARBY & RICKARBY, Solicitors for Complainant

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JAMES T. ALLUMS, Complainant

EQUITY IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF EALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

JOHNNIE LaVERNE ALLUMS, Respondent

Comes JOHNNIE LaVERNE ALLUMS, Respondent in the above styled cause, and for answer to the Bill of Complaint says she denies each and every allegation of same.

Respondent hereby waives notice of demand for oral examination of Complainant's witnesses; of the issue of commission to take testimony; of the time and place set for taking same and of the right to introduce evidence in her own behalf. She further agrees that this cause may be submitted for final decree at any time on the pleading and Complainant's evidence as noted by the Register.

STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF BALDWIN

Before me, the undersigned Notary, personally appeared JOHNWIE LaVERNE ALLUMS who is known to me to be the Respondent above named and who acknowledged that she executed the foregoing answer voluntarily with knowledge of its contents.

Witness my hand and official seal this the

Baldwin County,

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ALICE J. DOCK, Register

#### CERT IF ICATE

I, Maureen Scott, acting as commissioner by appointment by the Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, hereby certify that in the case of James T. Allums versus Johnnie LaVerne Allums, pending on the Equity side of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, I caused James T. Allums, the Complainant, and Dale A. Raddcliffe to appear before me at my office in the Bank Building, Fairhope, Alabama, and where, after being duly sworn, upon examination by the solicitor for the Complainant, they testified as heretofore written, and their testimony, after being reduced to writing, was read over and signed by them.

I further certify that I am neither of counsel nor of kin to either party to the cause or in anywise interested in the result thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal as commissioner, this the tenth day of August, 1951.

Correissioner

My name is DALE A. RADDCLIFFE and I have known JAMES T. ALLUMS for two years. He was working here as manager of Greer's Store and went into the Army in about October, 1950. He married last year in about June, 1950, and he and his wife were living here in Fairhope, Baldwin County, Alabama up until the time he went into the service.

Mrs. Allums is now living here in Fairhope and working in Greer's Store. When they were first married, they seemed very happy, but lately she has started drinking and is drinking to excess; I do not know exactly the extent of her drinking. Pale A, Galeleffe

My name is JAWES T. ALLUMS and I am filing suit for divorce against my wife, JOHNNIE LAVERNE ALLUMS. We were married on June 11, 1950, and in October, 1950, I left for camp. Before I left for camp we were living here in Fairhope and had bought a place and I thought we were happily married. I have been stationed at Camp Rucker, Alabama, and have come home on passes about once every two weeks.

After I had been away for a while I noticed my wife started drinking regularly, which she had not done when we were first married. I cautioned her several times about drinking heavily but she persisted in doing it and has gotten drunk and passed out on several occasions and about every day she insists on drinking, and conditions being as they are, we cannot live together happily.

We have divided up our property and I have deeded her the home and all the furniture and she is making no claim for alimony.

I am a bona fide resident of Fairhope and have been living here six years and she came here about 18 months ago and is now living here in Fairhope. Both of us are over the age of twentyone years. Flemes T. allem

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FAIRHOPE ALABAMA 14 August, 1951

E. G. RICKARBY, Jr.

Mrs. Alice Duck Clerk of the Circuit Court Bay Minette, Alabama

Re: James T. Allums

Vs: Johnnie LaVerne Allums

Dear Mrs. Duck:

With this we are handing you depositions in the case of Allums vs. Allums, together with note of testimony.

Please submit this case and get the judge to sign one of the decrees if he sees it proper.

Yours very truly,

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

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ELLIOTT G. RICKARBY

FAIRHOPE. ALABAMA 6 August, 1951

E. G. RICKARBY, JR.

Mrs. Alice Duck Register in Chancery Circuit Court Bay Minette, Alabama

Dear Mrs. Duck:

With this we are handing you divorce bill, answer and waiver in the case of Allums vs. Allums, together with a check for \$12.50 for costs.

Please issue commission to take testimony in the name of Maureen Scott, who is my secretary, and get it to me as soon as possible. Give me a ring just as soon as you've issued it and I'll go ahead and get the testimony taken.

Yours very truly,

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

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EGRjr:ms Encs: 1251 TO THE HONORABLE TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA; IN EQUITY.

Comes JAMES T. ALLUMS, and by this his Bill of Complaint, presented against JOHNNIE LaVERNE ALLUMS, respectfully shows:

of twenty-one years; that both are now and have been for five years, next preceding the filing of this Bill of Complaint, bona fide residents of the State of Alabama, and complainant has been a bona fide resident of Baldwin County for over three years, next preceding the filing of this bill, and respondent has been a bona fide resident of Baldwin County for over eighteen months, next preceding the filing of this bill.

SMCOND: That complainant and defendant were married in Mississippi on the 11th day of June, 1950, and lived together in Fairhope until he left for the army in October, 1950, and the complainant came to Fairhope to see his wife approximately every two weeks on passes and that to this marriage no children have been born.

dicted to habitual drunkenness, which condition has gone from bad to worse until the present time when complainant came home and realized her condition, and since August 3rd, 1951, they have lived separate and apart.

Complainant also shows that while living in Fairhope they purchased a home in their joint names and that they have divided up their personal effects in a manner satisfactory to both parties and he has deeded to her his interest in their home and all their furniture, in lieu of all alimony.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, complainant prays the JOHNNIE LaVERNE ALLUMS be made party defendant to this cause, and by proper process required to answer this Bill within the time prescribed by law.

Complainant further prays that upon the hearing of this cause a decree be rendered forever divorcing him from said JOHNNIE LAVERNE ALLUMS, granting them both the right to marry again should they so desire, and authorizing defendant to resume her former name.

Solicitor for Complainant



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