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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

Circuit Court, In Equity

JAMES HOWARD WILSON VIVIAN, JR., Complainant  
vs.

DORIS CURRY VIVIAN, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso on Doris Currie Vivians 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.

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Voluntary abandonment.

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 James Howard Wilson Vivians, Jr. the Complainant pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which execution may issue.

This 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1952

Julian J. Madibury, Jr.  
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

~~James Howard Wilson~~

Vivians, Jr.  
Complainant

vs.

Doris Currie Vivians

Respondent

**DIVORCE DECREE**

*Filed 2-11-52  
Alice H. H. H.  
H. H. H.*

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Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

JAMES H. VIVIANs,

Complainant

- vs -

CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY,

ALABAMA

DORIS CURRIE VIVIANs,

Defendant

I, the commissioner hereinafter named, certify that by virtue of the attached commission, I caused MARY BROOKS and CURLEY BROOKS, witnesses for complainant, to appear in my office in the Bank of Fairhope Building, Fairhope, Alabama, where, having been first duly sworn to tell the truth upon examination by counsel for complainant, they testified as follows:

MARY BROOKS

I am the grandmother of JAMES VIVIANs and raised him from boyhood. I live in Daphne, which is the town from which he was drafted and know of my personal knowledge that he has been all his life a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama. He was married on December 9, 1947 to DORIS CURRIE and lived with her as husband and wife up to the middle of December, 1949, when he left and went to Jasper, Texas, where he could get work. In the following February, 1950, after he had gotten settled in a place to live, he sent his wife a bus ticket for a fare to come there, but instead of her using this to go there as was agreed, she tried to cash the ticket and since then has refused to go back to live with him. For a while she has been working in Mobile and it has been reliably reported to me that she is living with another man over there. At any rate she has not come back to her husband, and they have lived separate and apart since December, 1949, without any resumption of married life together. Had they gone back together, my relations with her family are such that I would have known it at once. Both James Vivians and his wife are over the age of twenty-one years. She has relatives in Baldwin County and still regards this county as her home.

Mary Brooks

CURLEY BROOKS

I am the step-grandfather of James Vivians and have known him all of his life. Mary Brooks, who has just testified, is my wife, and I know that all she has said is true. James Vivians has been badly treated by his wife and is doing well to get rid of her.

Curley Brooks

vs

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JAMES H. W. VIVIAN, Complainant

DEPOSITIONS OF:  
CURLEY BROOKS and  
MARY BROOKS,  
Witnesses for Complainant

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN,  
Complainant  
-vs-  
DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN,  
Defendant  
DEPOSITIONS OF:  
CURLEY BROOKS and  
MARY BROOKS,  
Witnesses for Complainant

*Filed*  
11-7-51  
*Arice Henck*  
*Regulator*

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

TO: Florence Copeland

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 Curley Brooks and Mary Brooks

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

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN

\_\_\_\_\_, Complainant  
and \_\_\_\_\_

DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN, Defendant

\_\_\_\_\_, ~~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 27th day of October, 1951.

W. J. French

Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$3.00

Witness' Fees, \$ \_\_\_\_\_



No. \_\_\_\_\_

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN

Complainant—

vs. \*

DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN

Defendant—

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER

Florence Copeland

WITNESSES:

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN'S  
Complainant,  
VS.  
DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN'S  
Respondent.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY  
NO. ....

DEMAND FOR ORAL EXAMINATION.

COMES the Complainant, by attorney, and represents to the Court as follows :

1. That the following named witnesses reside within one hundred miles from  
Bay Minette, ....., in the County of Baldwin  
Alabama, the place of trial of said cause, to-wit: Curley Brooks and Mary Brooks,  
Witnesses for Complainant

2. That said complainant requires an oral examination of said witnesses before a commis-  
sioner appointed by the Register of this Court.

*Rick L. L. L. L.*  
Solicitors for Complainant.

NOTE:

Complainant suggests the name of Florence Copeland  
as a suitable and competent person to act as commissioner upon the examination of said witnesses.

*Rick L. L. L. L.*  
Solicitors for Complainant.

DEMAND FOR ORAL EXAMINATION.

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN  
Complainant,

Vs.

DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN  
Respondent.

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

Filed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Nov  
1947.

W. J. Jensen  
Register.

DEMAND FOR ORAL EXAMINATION

Respondent

DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN

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Complainant

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN

Complainant

NO RECORD PURSUANT TO THE  
ALABAMA VIVIAN VIVIAN  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

LAW OFFICES

RICKARBY & RICKARBY  
FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

ELLIOTT G. RICKARBY

E. G. RICKARBY, JR.

8 October 1951

Mrs. Alice J. Duck  
Register  
Bay Minette, Alabama

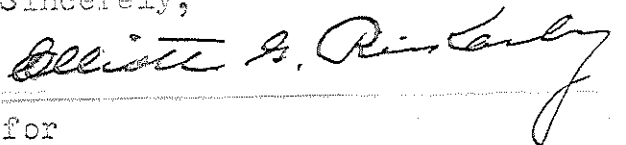
Dear Mrs. Duck:

VIVIANS VS VIVIANS: With this find Interrogatories to be propounded to Complainant as a witness for himself in this cause and for which please issue commission addressed to:

Captain Henry C. DeJarnette  
Office of Staff Judge Advocate  
Fort Eustis, Virginia.

We will send Captain DeJarnette the necessary form for taking depositions in this case.

Sincerely,



for  
RICKARBY & RICKARBY

EGR:fc  
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LAW OFFICES

ELLIOTT G. RICKARBY

RICKARBY & RICKARBY  
FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

E. G. RICKARBY, JR.

7 August 1951

Mrs. Alice J. Duck  
Register  
Bay Minette, Alabama

Dear Mrs. Duck:

VIVIANS VS VIVIANS: With this please find Bill in duplicate for the case on which I paid you \$12.00 costs when at Bay Minette last Thursday.

We have just located the Defendant and it may be she will sign an answer and waiver, so do not put the papers in the Sheriff's hands until you hear from me further.

Sincerely,

*Elliott G. Rickarby*  
for  
RICKARBY & RICKARBY

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Enc: 2

ELLIOTT G. RICKARBY

LAW OFFICES  
RICKARBY & RICKARBY  
FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

E. G. RICKARBY, JR.

5 November 1951

Mrs. Alice J. Duck  
Register  
Bay Minette, Alabama

Dear Mrs. Duck:

VIVIANS VS VIVIANS: By this mail we are sending you depositions of the two local witnesses in this case taken last Monday, October 29th but without the issue of commission for which we now apply asking you to date it October 27th to anticipate the testimony.

We have also filled out the commission and will be glad to have you put this with the testimony but do not submit until we notify you as the Complianant has become somewhat reticent as to the balance of our fee, which omission will have to be rectified.

Sincerely,

*Elliott G. Rickaby*

for  
RICKARBY & RICKARBY

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COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

TO: Florence G. Capeland

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

Ella L. Sellers  
James H. Vivians

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

James H. Vivians

\_\_\_\_\_, Complainant  
and Donie Currie Vivians

\_\_\_\_\_, Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon Thurs

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

Witness 2nd day of October, 1951

Archie J. Benson  
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Witness' Fees, \$ \_\_\_\_\_



No. 2696

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA**  
**Baldwin County**

**CIRCUIT COURT**

James H. W. Phillips

Complainant—

**VS.**

Flores Currie Phillips

Defendant—

**COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION**

COMMISSIONER

Florence H. Capeland

WITNESSES:

OFFICE OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE  
FORT EUSTIS, VIRGINIA

12 October 1951

Clerk  
Circuit Court, Baldwin County  
Bay Minette, Alabama

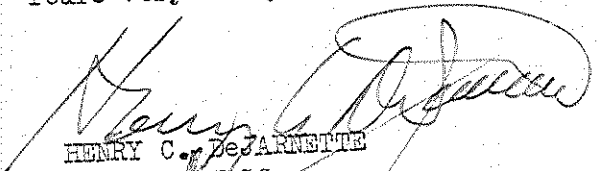
Re: Interrogatories James H. W. Vivians.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed are Interrogatories of James H. W. Vivians which have been duly taken this date on behalf of the said James H. W. Vivians to be read as evidence in the Chancery cause pending in your court in the style of Vivians v. Vivians in accordance with the commission to take depositions which is attached to the Interrogatories.

It is hoped that the Interrogatories are in proper form.

Yours very truly,

  
HENRY C. DeJARNETTE  
Captain, JAGC  
Legal Assistance Officer

2 Incls.  
#1 - Notice to Take Dep  
#2 - Dep of J. H.W.Vivians

cc.

Messrs Rickarby & Rickarby  
Attorneys At Law  
Fairhope, Alabama

James H W Vivians  
Complainant,  
VS.  
Doris Currie Vivians  
Respondent.  
*Defendant.*

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY  
NO. 2696

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Alabama, the place of trial of said cause, to-wit: .....

Ella Lett Sellers

James H W Vivians

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Rin Carly & Rin Carly  
Solicitors for Complainant.

NOTE:

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Rin Carly & Rin Carly  
Solicitors for Complainant.

DEMAND FOR ORAL EXAMINATION.

James H W Vivians  
Complainant,

Vs.

Doris Currie Vivians  
Respondent.

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

Filed this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October  
1947.....

Alice J. French  
Register.

DEMAND FOR ORAL EXAMINATION

306 S. OX  
LA MOBILE

ALABAMA, JAMES H. VIVIAN  
JUDGE W

COMPLAINT

LAW OFFICES

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

ELLIOTT G. RICKARBY

FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

E. G. RICKARBY, JR.

1 February 1952

Mrs. Alice J. Duck  
Register  
Bay Minette, Alabama

Dear Mrs. Duck:

VIVIANS VS VIVIANS: With this we are handing you three copies of the decree and note of evidence, duly signed.

From Father's file I think that there should be testimony of Vivians and two other local residents in Daphne, but as I am not familiar with the file I would rather you would note this testimony so I am leaving this list on testimony blank for you to fill in.

Please notify as soon as this case is ruled on by the Judge.

Yours very truly,

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

By: 

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No. ....

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

IN EQUITY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County

James Howard Wilson Vivians, Jr.

vs.

Doris Currie Vivians

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this .....

day of ....., 194.....

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James Howard Wilson Vivians, Jr.

vs.

Doris Currie Vivians

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, \_\_\_\_\_

and in behalf of Defendant upon \_\_\_\_\_

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

By:

Attorneys for Complainant

Register.

TO

DORIS CURRIE VIVIANS

You are hereby notified to appear and plead, answer or demur, within thirty days from the receipt hereof, to the Bill of Complaint filed in this Court at Bay Minette, Alabama, against you as Defendant by JAMES HOWARD WILSON VIVIANS, JR., Complainant.

Witness my hand and seal this *9th* day of August, 1951.

*Alice French*  
Register, Circuit Court

TO THE HONORABLE TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JR., JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA: IN EQUITY

Comes JAMES HOWARD WILSON VIVIANS, JR., and by this his Bill of Complaint, presented against DORIS CURRIE VIVIANS, respectfully shows:

FIRST: That Complainant and Defendant are both over the age of twenty-one years and are both are now and have been for more than three years next preceding the filing of this bill, bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama.

SECOND: That Complainant and Defendant were married at Daphne, Alabama, on December 29, 1947, but have not lived together since February 15, 1950.

THIRD: That Defendant has lived separate and apart from Complainant ever since she voluntarily abandoned his bed and board in the month of February, 1950 which abandonment has continued to the present date.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Complainant prays that he 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 the said Doris Currie Vivians, granting him the right to marry again should he so desire, and to have such other, further or different relief as to equity may seem meet.

*Richard H. Beck*  
Solicitors for Complainant  
*Richard H. Beck*



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EQUITY NO.

JAMES HOWARD WILSON VIVIAN, JR.

VS

DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN

BILL

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ALICE J. DICK, Register

RICKARBY & RICKARBY

Solicitors

8-29-51  
Summons and  
Complaint on

Doris Currie Vivian

Taylor Wilkins Sheriff

By G. F. Hall Deputy Sheriff

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

CIRCUIT COURT IN EQUITY.

James H. W. Vivians

Vs.

Loris Currie Vivians

DECREE PRO CONFESSO ON  
PERSONAL SERVICE.

Issued 10-1 1927

Miss J. Seaver  
Register.

The State of Alabama, }  
Baldwin County.

No. 2696

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

James Howard Wilson Vivians

Complainant

vs.

Doris Carrie Vivians

Defendant

In this cause it appears to the

Register

that a Summons requiring the Defendant

Doris Carrie Vivians

to appear and demur, plead to or answer the Bill of Complaint in this cause within thirty days after the service of said  
Summons upon her

was served upon her by the Sheriff of Baldwin County County, Alabama, on the  
29th day of August 1927

And the said Defendant having failed to demur, plead to or answer the said Bill of Complaint to this date,  
it is now, therefore, on motion of Complainant

ordered and decreed that the said Bill of Complaint in this cause be and it hereby is in all things taken as confessed  
against the said Doris Carrie Vivians

Defendant aforesaid.

This 1st day of October

1927

Alice J. Leach

Register.

**The State of Alabama,**

Baldwin County.

{ No. 2696 CIRCUIT COURT IN EQUITY.

JAMES HOWARD WILSON VIVIANS, JR.

Complainant

vs.

DORIS CURRIE VIVIANS

Defendant

Motion is hereby made for a Decree Pro Confesso against

DORIS CURRIE VIVIANS

Defendant

in the above stated cause, on the ground that more than thirty days have elapsed since service of summons upon said Defendant; and that said summons was duly served according to law, and that said Defendant has failed to demur, plead to or answer the Bill of Complaint in this cause to this date.

This 1st day of October 19 51

 Solicitor.

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**The State of Alabama,**  
Baldwin County.

**CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY**

JAMES HOWARD WILSON VIVIAN'S JR.

vs.

DORIS CURRIE VIVIAN'S

**MOTION FOR DECREE PRO  
CONFESSO ON PERSONAL SERVICE**

Filed 10-1-51 19

*W. J. Rust*  
Register.

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*W. J. Rust*  
Register.

STATE OF VIRGINIA )  
: COUNTY OF WARWICK ) SS:  
: (FORT EUSTIS) )

The Interrogatories of James H. W. Vivians taken before me, Henry C. DeJarnette, Captain, JAGC, 02059155, Assistant Staff Judge Advocate, Fort Eustis, Virginia, on this the 12th day of October 1951, to be read on behalf of said James H. W. Vivians in a certain suit in equity pending in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, under the style of James H. W. Vivians, Complainant, vs Doris C. Vivians, Defendant (Equity No. 2696), pursuant to commission of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, State of Alabama, dated 9 October 1951, which said commission and attached interrogatories is hereto attached.

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The witness, JAMES H. W. VIVIANS, having been duly sworn, deposes as follows:

INTERROGATORY ONE: State your age and that of the defendant and in what county has been the residence of both of you for three years prior to August 8, 1951?

ANSWER: My name is JAMES H. W. VIVIANS, and my age is 21, and DORIS C. VIVIANS is about 23 years of age. The defendant and I have both been residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, for the three years prior to 8 August 1951.

INTERROGATORY TWO: State when and where you were married and when you stopped living together?

ANSWER: I was married in Daphne, Alabama on December 29, 1947. The defendant and I last cohabited together in the latter part of November 1949 at Daphne, Alabama.

INTERROGATORY THREE: In December 1949 when you left Baldwin County to work in Jasper, was it not agreed with you and your wife that she would follow you there as soon as you could get located and sent her the money?

ANSWER: Yes, that is correct.

INTERROGATORY FOUR: In the early part of February 1950, did you or not write your wife to join you and send her a ticket for her bus fare to Jasper?

ANSWER: Yes, I did.

INTERROGATORY FIVE: Did your wife join you when you sent her the transportation? Have you been able to get her to live with you since that date? What did she do with the bus ticket?

ANSWER: She failed to come to Jasper. Instead of using the ticket to come to live with me, she turned the ticket into the bus company, and tried to collect the cash from it. To my knowledge, she never made any effort to use other means of transportation to join me in Jasper, Texas.

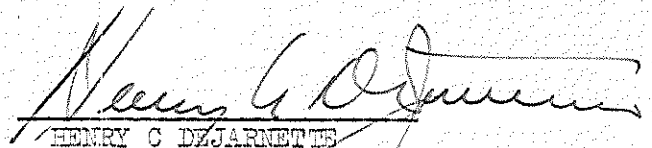
INTERROGATORY SIX: Did your wife have any legal reason for not joining you since February 1950 and have you and she at any time lived together since then or seen anything of each other?

ANSWER: There was no legal reason for her not joining me since 1950 and we have not lived together since that time nor have I seen anything of her.

Further deponent sayeth not.

*James H. W. Vivians*  
JAMES H. W. VIVIAN

I, HENRY C. DEJARNETTE, Captain, JAGC, Assistant Staff Judge Advocate, Fort Eustis, Virginia, do hereby certify that JAMES H. W. VIVIANS, whose name is signed to the foregoing deposition, personally appeared before me on the date above stated and after having been duly sworn did answer the questions propounded to him as set forth above. I do further certify that the said James H. W. Vivians is a person known to me to be in the military service of the United States and that I am a person authorized to administer oaths in accordance with Article 136, Uniform Code of Military Justice, and Public Law 506, 81st Congress.

  
HENRY C. DEJARNETTE  
Captain, JAGC  
Asst Staff Judge Advocate



COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

TO: Captain Henry C. DeJarnette  
Office of Staff Judge Advocate,  
Fort Eustis, Virginia

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Complainant  
and DORIS C. VIVIAN

Respondent

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

Witness 9th day of October, 1951

Alvin J. French  
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN'S  
Complainant

EQUITY No. 2696

vs

DORIS C. VIVIAN'S,  
Defendant

CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

DEPOSITIONS TO BE PROPOUNDED TO JAMES H. W. VIVIAN'S, WITNESS FOR  
COMPLAINANT:

INTERROGATORY ONE: State your age and that of the Defendant and  
in what county has been the residence of both of you for three years  
prior to August 8, 1951?

TWO: State when and where you were married and when you  
stopped living together.

THREE: In December 1949 when you left Baldwin County to  
work in Jasper, was it not agreed with you and your wife that she  
should follow you there as soon as you got located and sent her the  
money?

FOUR: In the early part of February 1950 did you or not write  
your wife to join you and send her a ticket for her bus fare to Jas-  
per?

FIVE: Did your wife join you when you sent her the transpor-  
tation? Have you been able to get her to live with you since that  
date? What did she do with the bus ticket?

SIX: Did your wife have any <sup>legal</sup> reason for not joining you since  
February 1950 and have you and she at any time lived together since  
then or seen anything of each other?

*Rickarby & Rickarby*  
Solicitors for Complainant.

Complainant ~~being duly sworn~~ says that he is now in Military  
service in Camp Eustis, Virginia more than one hundred miles from the  
place of trial of this cause and that his testimony is essential in the  
present suit. He suggests the name of Henry C. DeJarnette, a Captain  
in the service of the Army of the United States stationed at Camp Eustis,  
as a suitable person to act as commissioner in taking testimony for the  
Complainant in this cause.

JAMES H. W. VIVIAN'S

By: *Rickarby & Rickarby*  
Solicitors for Complainant

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public, <sup>appeared</sup> Elliott G. Rickarby,  
who being sworn says that he is of counsel for Complainant in this cause  
and that he is informed and believes that the foregoing statement is true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me <sup>the 8th day of October, 1951.</sup>

*E. G. Rickarby*  
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

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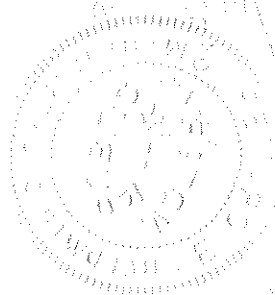
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This cause is submitted in behalf of Complaint upon the original Bill of Complaint, \_\_\_\_\_

*Testimonies of Complainant James Howard  
Wilson Vivians Jr. Currie Brooks and  
Mary Brooks*

and in behalf of Defendant upon \_\_\_\_\_

*Answer and Confession*

RICKAREY & RICKAREY

By: *[Signature]*  
Attorneys for Complainant

*[Signature]*

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Interrogatories to Take Complainant's testimony at  
Camp & Fort Custis Virginia will follow Monday.

Please get out some blanks for application for decrees  
pro confesso on personal service so I can get them when  
I come up Tuesday afternoon. And remind me to get  
them as I may be busy and preoccupied then - Yours & Grace.

Yours,  
E. L. R.