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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

DOROTRY LOUISE BUZ EE

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DOROTHY LOUISE BUZ NEE

Complainant

VS.

LESLIE BUZBEE

Respondent

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
RALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.
IN EQUITY.

NO. ____.

TO THE HONORABLE TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JR., JUDGE OF THE 28th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN EQUITY SITTING:

Comes the Plaintiff in the above styled cause, which cause being at issue, and moves the Court to have the said cause set down for final submission at such time and place as your Honor may determine.

Attorney for Complainant,

DOROTHY LOUISE BUZBEE
Complainant
Vs.
LESLIE BUZBEE
Respondent

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA IN EQUITY. NO. 2390

REGISTER'S REPORT

TO HOW. TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JR., JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Whereas, by a decree of this court and enrolled in the above entitled cause on the 22nd day of July 1950 and amended on the 15th day of August, 1950, it was ordered and decreed as follows:

- 1. That the Register of this Court hold a reference according to law and under the rules of this Court, to ascertain and report to this Court what reasonable amount should be allowed for maintenance and support of complainant, Dorothy Louise Buzbee during pendency of this suit. (Amended to read "What will be a reasonable amount to be allowed to the complainant, Dorothy Louise Buzbee, for maintenance and her support, and for support and maintenance of the minor children)
- 2. What will be a reasonable attorneys fee for the Petitioners attorney.

 Now, therefore, having held a reference for the purpose of ascertaining the matters called for in the said decree of reference and having heard testimony of both parties, I report as follows:
- 1. I find and report that \$10.00 per week as a reasonable amount to be paid to the complaint for maintenance and support of said complainant and minor children.
- 2. I find that \$75.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee to be allowed to Mr. C. Le Noir Thompson, the solicitor for the petitioner.

All of which is respectfully submitted this l6th day of August, 1950.

Register in Chancery

DOROTHY LOUISE BUZBEE

Complainant | IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

Vs | BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

LESLIE BUZBEE | IN EQUITY

Respondent |

This day came Dorothy Louise Buzbee and filed herein her verified petition praying for an order upon Leslie Buzbee to show cause why he should not be punished as for a contempt; a true and verified copy of the petition being herein attached, and now upon consideration of the same, it is

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court:

- (1) That the said Leslie Buzbee do appear before the Court in his own proper person at Bay Minette, Alabama, at 10:00 o'clock a.W. on the 16 day of September, 1950, then and there to show cause, if any he have, why he should not be punished as for a contempt of Court for and on account of the matters and things set out in the verified petition of the said Dorothy Louise Euzbee.
- (2) That the Sheriff of Baldwin County, Alabama do forthwith cause to be served upon the said Leslie Buzbee a copy of this Order and a copy of the petition and make due return thereof.

Done this 9th day of Butterber, 1950.

Telfair A. Mashbury gr.

| DOROTHY LOUISE BUZBEE | | Ĭ | |
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| LESLIE BUZBEE | | X | IN EQUITY |
| | Respondent | X | |

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

Now comes the Complainant and respectfully shows to the Court that by order of this Court made and entered on to-wit, August 16th, 1950, the Respondent was ordered to pay to the Complainant the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for maintenance and support of Joyce Marie Buzbee and Ellen Louise Buzbee; that said Respondent has wilfully failed to pay said sum; that Complainant is entirely without funds for her support.

WHEREFORE, she respectfully prays that the Court make and enter an order requiring Respondent to show cause if any he has why he should not be adjudged guilty of contempt of this Court for failure to obey order of this Court requiring him to pay to the Complainant thesum of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars each week for the maintenance and support of Joyce Marie Buzbee and Ellen Louise Buzbee.

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STATE OF ALABAMA & BALDWIN COUNTY &

Before me, C. LeNoir Thompson, a Notary Public in and for said county, personally appeared Dorothy Louise Buzbee, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that she has knowledge of the facts stated in the above petition and that same are true.

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RECORDER

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AMENDED ORDER

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Upon consideration of the Petition of Dorothy Louise Buzbee filled in this cause, the same being duly read, considered and understood by the Court, it is, therefore, the judgment of this Court, and it is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Register of this Court hold a reference according to law, and under the rules of this Court, and ascertain and report to this Court what will be a reasonable amount to be allowed to the Complainant, Dorothy Louise Buzbee, for maintenance and her support and for the support and maintenance of the minor children; Ellen Louise Buzbee and Joyce Marie Buzbee, during the pendency of this suit, and that a proper attorney fee for the Petitioner's attorney be determined, and that the Register of this Court give notice of holding of said reference according to law.

Done this the 15th day of August, 1950.

Jelfair J. Masheru Ar.

AMENDED ORDER

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TO THE HONORABLE TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JR., JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

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Done this the 12th day of August, 1950.

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Done this the ____ day of August, 1950.

| Circuit Judge |
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DOROTHY LOUISE BUZBEE

Complainant

Vs

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

LESLIE BUZEEE

Respondent

Respondent

TO THE HONORABLE TELFAIR J. MASHBURN, JR., JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

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Done this the 22 day of July, 1950.

Telfair J. Malibierre gr.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

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| Cnree Wilson | doth depose as | nd say as follows: | | |

That my name is Dorothy Louise Buzbee, I am over the age of 16 and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama and have been all of my life. The Respondent is over the age of 21 and is also a resident of Baldwin County and has been all of his life. We were married at Bay Linette on August 21, 1946 and lived together as husband and wife in Baldwin County until on or about June 16, 1949 at which time the Respondent mistreated me by striking me abusing me and placing me in fear of my life or health which caused our separation. On Cotober 15, 1949 the Respondent came to my mothers home where I was staying and threatened me with a pistol and placing me in fear of my life or health so that I was afraid to live with him further and we have not lived together as husband and wife since our separation in June, 1949.

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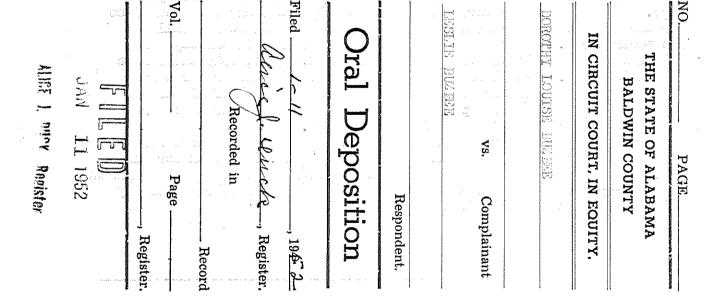
There was born as fruits of our marriage two children Joyce Marie
Buzbee about four years of age and Ellen Louise Buzbee about three years
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their birth and they have remained with me constantly and continually
since their birth. Their father has not supported them in any way nor
provided for their maintenance since our separation June, 1949 and I have
looked after them. I believe that I am a fit suitable and proper person
to have their permanent care oustody and control and respectfully ask
the court to grant to me the permanent care custody and control of our
children Joyce Marie and Ellen Louise named above.

I feel that the father should provide maintenance and support for our children and have agreed to accept the sum of \$25.00 a month for the maintenance and support of these shildren. I asked the court in my complaint that the Respondent pay my attornay fee in this cause and do respectfully petition at this time for that payment.

That my name is Onree Wilson, I know both parties to this cause; that the Complainant is over the age of 18 and that the Respondent is over the age of 21 years. They have both been residents of Baldwin County all of their lives. They were married at Bay Minette on August 21, 1946 and they lived together as husband and wife in Baldwin County until the middle of June 1949 at which time Dorothy had to leave the Respondent because of the way he treated her and when she came home at this time she was carrying a bruise on her face caused by one of his licks. The Respondent came to our house on the night of October 15th and threatened Dorothy's life with a pistol. There were nine present when this happened. I know that Dorothy could not live with him because of the danger to her life or health. She has had the continual care custody and control of the two children burn as fruits of this marriage and I believe that she is a fit suitable and proper person to have the permanent care custody and control of these children specially do I believe this since their father has not contributed to their support since their separation.

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| counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said | cause, or any manner interested in the result thereof |
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DOROTHY LOUISE BUZEEE

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LESLIE BUZBEE

Respondent

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY.

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Petitioner.

STATE OF ALABAMA DALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, C. LeNoir Thompson, a Notary Public in and for said county, personally appeared Dorothy Louise Duzbee, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that she has knowledge of the facts stated in the above petition and that same are true.

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DOROTHY LOUISE BUZBEE

Complainant

VS

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Respondent

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

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Done this 50 day of Decuber 1951.

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| RESPONDENT | |

Now comes the Respondent and for answer to the Complainant's complaint says:

He admits the allegations contained in paragraphs one and two.

He denies the allegations contained in paragraph three and demands strict proof of the same.

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He admits the allegations contained in paragraph four as to the children and that the Complainant is the suitable, fit and proper person to have their care, custody and control; that he is able and agrees to pay toward the maintenance and support of the children TWENTY FIVE (\$25.00) DOLEARS per month; that he denies all other allegations contained in paragraph four.

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.

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STATE OF ALABAMA BALDWIN COUNTY

I, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Lexlie Euzbee, whose name is signed to the foregoinginstrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of said instru-

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

Dorothy Louise Ruzbee

Complainant

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Leslie Buzbee

Respondent

In the Circuit Court of Ealdwin County, Alabama In Equity. No. 2390

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This cause is submitted for a decree upon the report of the register filed herein on the <u>lóth</u> ray of <u>August</u>, <u>1950</u>, and ordered to lie over three days for exceptions, and is now appearing that no objections or exceptions have been filed thereto, upon consideration thereof, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court as follows:

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That the report of Register be and it is hereby in all things ratified and confirmed.

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That the Respondent pay over to the Complainant the sum of Q10.00 per week as altmony pendente lite.

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That the Respondent way to the solicitor for the Complainant the sum of 075.00 as solicitor's fees perdente lite for representing her in this cause.

Done and ordered, this the _____ day of _____, 19 ...

Otherwis Judge, in Equity Sisting.

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAME:

You are hereby commanded to summon Leslie Buzbee, 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 Dorthy Louise Buzbee, as Complainant and against Leslie Buzbee, as Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this Ath day of November, 1949.

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| DORTHY LOUISE | BUZBEE | Ŏ. | IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF | |
| COMPLAINANT | | Ø | BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA | |
| VS | | Ø | IN EQUITY. | |
| LESLIE BUZBEE | | Ŏ | | |
| RESPONDENT | | Ŏ | | |

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

Your Complainant Dorthy Louise Buzbee, respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as Follows:

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That your complainant is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and is Nineteen Years of age; that the Respondent is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and is Twenty Three years of age.

2.

That your Complainant and Respondent married at Bay Minette, Alabama, on August 21, 1949; that they lived together; that they lived together as husband and wife, in Baldwin County, Alabama, until on to-wit, June 16, 1949.

3.

On June 16, 1949 the Respondent committed actual violence to the person of the Complainant by beating her, abusing her person and misusing her generally, hense they seperated; subsequently to that date on to-wit October 15, your Respondent threatened your Complainant's life with a pistol; all of which endangered your Complainant's life of health; that the conduct of the Respondent was such to give your Complainent every reasonable apprehension to believe that if she continued to live with the Respondent he would do further violence to her person which would necessarily endanger her life a and health.