

The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Faye C. Carter, Complainant

vs.

Charles H. Carter, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Answer and Waiver~~ 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 Faye C. Carter is forever divorced from the said Charles H. Carter for and on account of

Voluntary abandonment

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that Complainant may resume the use of her maiden name, Faye Countryman;

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

This 5th day of October, 1950.

Julia J. Mashburn
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

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Complainant

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Respondent

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT

TO: Mrs. Frances G. Crawford

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 Faye C. Carter and Lynda Hunter

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

and CHARLES H. CARTER, Complainant

Respondent
on oath, to be by you administered, upon them

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

Witness 25th day of September, 1950

Alfred H. Smith
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$ NONE

Witness' Fees, \$ NONE

No. _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

Faye C. Carter

Complainant—

vs.

Charles H. Carter

Defendant—

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER

WITNESSES:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

Faye C. Carter

Complainant

VS.

Charles H. Carter

Respondent

I, Brances G. Crawford

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Faye C. Carter and Lynda Hunter

witnesses named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 27 day of SEPTEMBER
1950, at the office of E. A. Cramer, attorney.
in Fairhope, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witnesses to speak the
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Faye C. Carter
doth depose and say as follows:

Charles and I were married on October 14th 1948 at Lucedal, Mississippi. We are both 22 years old, now. I have lived in Fairhope, Baldwin County, Alabama, for ten (10) years. Charles was in the Marine Corps when we were married and we had known each other only a few weeks at the time of our marriage. We stayed in Fairhope as husband and wife till May 29th 1949, during which time, he went back to his base at Cherry Point, North Carolina and then returned here. On May 29th 1949, he left here and, the next thing I knew I received a letter from him that he did not intend to come back to me and that he did not want me to go to him. He said that he considered our marriage a "spur of the moment" affair. He has not come back to me nor have we lived together at any time since May 29th 1949. We have no children nor any property. If I am granted a divorce, I would like the right to resume the use of my maiden name, Faye Countryman.

Faye C. Carter

And the said Lynda Hunter doth depose and say as follows:

I am Faye's sister and have lived in Fairhope about ten years. I know that Charles and Faye have not lived together since May of 1949 and that she has continued to live in Fairhope, Alabama, during that time. I know that he wrote her that he had no intention of living with her again. My name is Lynda Hunter and I am 26 years old.

Lynda Hunter

ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Frances G. Crawford, 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 witnesses and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself _____

at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness ~~es~~ as ~~on had a room made before me of the identity of said witness~~; 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 27 day of SEPTEMBER, 1950, 194

Frances G. Crawford (L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

Faye G. Carter

vs. Complainant

Charles H. Carter

Respondent.

Oral Deposition

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W. J. Hensley, Register.

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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:

Faye C. Carter

Lynda Hunter

2. That said Complainant requires an oral examination of said witnesses before a Commissioner
appointed by the Register of this Court.


Solicitor for Complainant

NOTE:

Complainant suggests the name of Mrs. Frances G. Crawford
as a suitable and competent person to act as commissioner upon the examination of said witnesses.


Solicitor for Complainant

DEMAND FOR ORAL EXAMINATION

Complainant

vs.

Respondent

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN REPLY

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Faye C. Carter
Complainant

vs

Charles H. Carter
Respondent

Circuit Court
Baldwin County
Alabama
En Equity

To The Honorable Telfair J. Mashburn, Jr., Judge of said Court,
sitting in Equity:

Comes Faye C. Carter and exhibits this her Bill of Complaint against
Charles H. Carter and shows unto Your Honor as follows:

First: Complainant, whose age is 22 years, and Respondent, whose age is 22 years, intermarried October 14th 1948 at Lucedale, Mississippi.

Second: Complainant has been a resident of Fairhope, Baldwin County, Alabama, for ten years or more and continues to be a resident thereof.

Third: On May 29th 1949, Respondent did voluntarily abandon Complainant and has continued said abandonment ever since with total neglect of the marital covenant on his part to be performed.

The premises considered, Complainant prays that said Charles H. Carter be, by appropriate legal process, made party Defendant to this action, that he be compelled to answer, plead or demur to the within Complaint within the time prescribed by law and that he be compelled to abide and obey all orders and decrees made in the premises.

Complainant prays, upon a hearing of the within cause, that a decree be granted forever divorcing her from said Charles H. Carter and granting her such other, further and different relief as, to Your Honor, may seem meet and proper.


Solicitor for Complainant

Faye C. Carter

vs.

Charles H. Carter

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,

Testimony of Faye C. Carter and Lynda Hunter

and in behalf of Defendant upon Answer and Waiver

E. A. Cramer

Alice J. Duck

Register.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

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NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this 4th

day of Oct, 19450...

Amie J. Duck
Register.

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Faye C. Carter
Complainant

vs

Charles H. Carter
Respondent

Circuit Court

Baldwin County

Alabama

In Equity

Comes Charles H. Carter, Respondent in the above titled cause, and, for answer to the Bill of Complaint therein, says that he denies each and every allegation therein contained.

Respondent hereby waives the right to demand for oral testimony, the right to cross examine Complainants' witnesses or to introduce evidence in his own behalf and agrees that this cause may be submitted for final decree, without further notice to him, upon Complainants' pleadings and evidence as noted by the Register.

Charles H. Carter

Charles H. Carter

State of North Carolina

County of Craven

Before me, Rachel B. Hancock, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Charles H. Carter, known to me, and he acknowledged that he executed the foregoing answer and waiver VOLUNTARILY with full knowledge of the contents thereof.

Given under my hand and official seal this 21 day of September 1950.

(Notarial)
(Seal)

Rachel B. Hancock

Notary Public

My commission expires July 17, 1952

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Faye C. Carter

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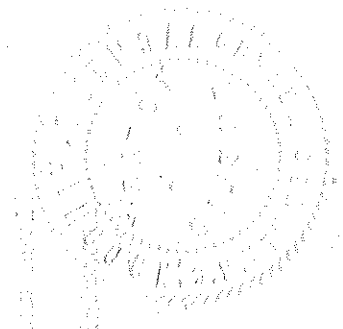
Charles H. Carter

ANSWER and WAIVER

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register



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