The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

Circuit Court, In Equity

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It is therefore ordered, adj	udged and decreed	by the Cour	t that the bo	nds of matrimony heretofore
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Mrs. Martha Spei	nd nothing but the .eht depo	ose and say as	follows:	·			
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My name is Mary Lourse Henry. I am a resident of Foley, Baldwin County, Alabama, and over twenty-one years of age. The Respondent, Robert L. Henry is over twenty-one years of age, a residnet of the State of Alabama, living in Montgomery at the present time.

The Respondent and I married in Montgomery, on Aprilk 13, 1950, and we lived together as husband and wife until on to-wit, July 20, 1951.

The Respondent and I have no children and no community property. The Respondent soon after our marriage began mistreating, abusing and threatening me and often threatened to do violence to my person which would necessarily endanger my life and health. This condition grew worse from time to time until to-wit, July 20, 1951. I found that it was impossible for us to any longer live together as husband and wife, and I was, by the conduct of the Respondent toward me, forced to abandoned living with him.

Mrs. Martha Speight, a witness for the Complainant being first duly sworn, deposes and says: I live at Foley, in Baldwin County, Alabama. The Complainant is my sister and is now and has for some time been living in the home with me. I remember when she and the Respondent married in Montgomery, Alabama, in April 1950. They lived together until about the middle of July 1951, when from the conduct of the Respondent my sister was forced to abandon living with him. My sister, the Complainant, has a home in Foley with me, and where she will make her permanent home.

The Complainant and the Respondent have no children. I know of my own personal knowledge and from my own personal observation that the Complainant cannever live with the Respondent as his wife. This last time is the second time that she has had to leave her home on account of the treatment of the Respondent toward her.

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ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Evelyn Watts	as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that
the foregoing deposition Son 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 Hubert M. Hall	<u> </u>
at the time and place herein mentioned; that I	have personal knowledge of personal identity of
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counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said c	ause, or any manner interested in the result thereof
I enclose the said Oral Examination in an e	nvelope to the Register of said Court.
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TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summons ROBERT L. HENRY 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 MARY LOURAE HENRY as Complainant and against Robert L. Henry, as Respondent.

WIMNESS my hand this the _____ Day of November, 1951.

MARY LOURAE HENRY

COMPLAINANT

VS

ROBERT L. HENRY

RESPONDENT

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

Your Complainant, Mary Lourae Fenry, respectfully represents unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

1.

That the Complainant and the Respondent are both over twenty-one years of age and bona fide residents of State of Alabama; that the Complainant is a resident of Foley, in Baldwin County, Alabama, and the Respondent is at present staying in Montgomery County, Alabama.

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That your Complainant and the Respondent married in Montgomery, Alabama, on April 13, 1950, and lived together as husband and wife until July 20, 1951.

That on, to-wit, July 20, 1951, and on various ocassion prior thereto the Respondent threatened and abused the Complainant and often threatened to do violence to her person which would necessarily endanger her life and health; that the conduct of the Respondent was such as to give the Complainant every reasonable apprehension to believe and she did actually believe that if she continued to live with him he would do actual violence to her person which would necessarily endanger her life and health.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper process make the said Robert L. Henry party respondent to this cause of action, 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 prays that upon a hearing hereof, your Honor will enter an order and decree granting to her an absolute decree of divorce, forever barring the bonds of matrixony existing between her and the Respondent; Complainant prays for such other, further, different or general relief as he may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive.

Solicitor for the Complainant

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Now comes the Respondent in his own proper person, and accepts service of summons and complaint in this cause.

The Respondent admits the allegations contained in the bill of complaint as to residence, ages, and marriage but denies all allegations as to cruelty 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 examinex Complainant's witnesses; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree without further notice.

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a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, nereby certify that Robert L. Henry whose name signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of said instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the Jack day of November, 1951.

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