

Ellen G. Hall

vs.

Rupert Hall

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,

Answer and waiver of the Respondent, and testimony of Ellen G. Hall and

Annie Nichols.

and in behalf of Defendant upon

H. M. HALL

Solicitor for the Complainant

W. J. Henshaw

Register.

No. 2808

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**NOTE OF TESTIMONY**

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

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, Complainant

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Rupert Hall

, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso 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 Ellen G. Hall is forever divorced from the said Rupert Hall for and on account of

Cruelty

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

This 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1952.

Julius J. Mathis  
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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Baldwin County

In Circuit Court, In Equity

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Respondent

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ELLEN G. HALL,

COMPLAINANT

VS

RUPERT HALL

RESPONDENT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

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

He Admits the allegations that they were married in Mobile, Alabama, on June 22, 1945, and that they lived together as husband and wife until February 15, 1952.

He also admits that the Complainant is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and that they lived together in Baldwin County, Alabama, at the time of the separation.

The Respondent denies all allegations as to cruelty and demands strict proof of the same.

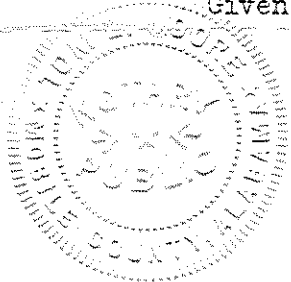
The Respondent accepts service of the summons and complaint in this cause and waives notice of the time of taking of testimony on behalf of the complainant; the right to cross examine Complainant's witnesses; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree without further notice.

Rupert Hall

STATE OF ALABAMA  
MOBILE COUNTY

I, Tom L. Moore, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Rupert Hall, whose name is 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 22 day of March, 1952.



Tom L. Moore  
Notary Public, Mobile County, Alabama

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MAY 26, 1952

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ELLEN G. HALL

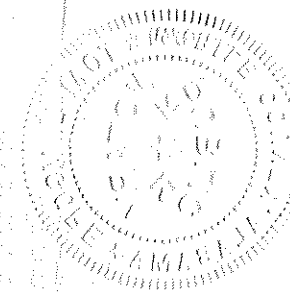
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STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summons RUPERT HALL 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 ELLEN G. HALL, as Complainant and against RUPERT HALL, as Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1952.

*Alvin J. Duck*  
Register

ELLEN G. HALL

COMPLAINANT

VS

RUPERT HALL

RESPONDENT

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

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

Your Complainant, Ellen G. Hall, respectfully represents unto Your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

1.

That your Complainant and the Respondent are both over twenty-one years of age and bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama.

2.

That your Complainant and the Respondent married in Mobile, Alabama, on June 22, 1945, and lived together as husband and wife until February 15, 1952.

3.

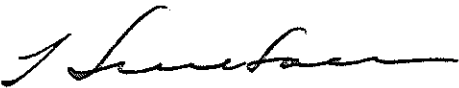
That on and prior to February 15, 1952, the Respondent threatened and abused your Complainant and often threatened to do violence to her person which would necessarily endanger her life and health; that the conduct of the Respondent was such as to give her every reasonable apprehension to believe and she did actually believe that if she continued to live with him he would carry out his threats and do actual violence to her person which would necessarily endanger her life and health.

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That the Complainant and the Respondent have no children and no community property.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper process make the said Rupert Hall, 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 matrimony existing between her and the Respondent; Complainant prays for such other, further, different or general relief as she may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive.

  
Solicitor for the Complainant



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BILL OF COMPLAINT

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

**Circuit Court**

TO: Evelyn Watts

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 Ellen G. Hall and Annie Nichols

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

\_\_\_\_\_, Complainant  
and Rupert Hall

\_\_\_\_\_ Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon Ellen C. Hall and Annie Nichols.

to take and certify the deposition\_\_\_\_\_ of the witness\_\_\_\_\_ and return the same to our Court, with all

convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 19th day of April, 194<sup>5</sup>2

Wm. J. Bennett

Register.

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

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

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Baldwin County

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Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

Myrllyn Watts

WITNESSES:

Ellen G. Hall

Annie Nichols