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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

SOLOMON DACUS, JR., Complainant

vs.

DAISY LEE DACUS, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~DEED FOR CONFESSION~~ 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

SOLOMON DACUS, JR. is forever divorced from the said DAISY LEE DACUS for and on account of

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 payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that SOLOMON DACUS, JR. the Complainant pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 4 day of September 1957

Hubert M. Hall

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____

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ALVIN L. BUCK, Registrar

STATE OF ALABAMA

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TESTIMONY OF WALTER BRYANT

My name is WALTER BRYANT and I know SOLOMON DACUS, JR. and have been knowing him for the last twenty years, or practically since he was born. I knew that he and his wife DAISEY LEE DACUS were married back in 1949, but I don't remember the exact date. I do not know exactly how long he and his wife lived together, but it wasn't very long. At that time, both he and his wife were bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, and SOLOMON DACUS, JR. has been a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and still is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama.

I do not know in my own personal knowledge why Sol and his wife separated, but I do know that he and his wife have been living separate and apart since some time in 1949. After she left him, she went back to her people and stayed for some time, but for the last four years she has been away from Baldwin County and is up North, and I know that she and Sol have not been together for the last four years, at least. Sol and his wife Daisey Lee did not have any children. She had a child before they were married, but there were no children born to this marriage.

Walter Bryant
WALTER BRYANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 31st day of

August, 1957.

Alice Ward
COMMISSIONER

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ALICE J. BRICK, Register

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

TESTIMONY OF SOLOMON DACUS, JR.

My name is SOLOMON DACUS, JR. and I am filing this suit for divorce against my wife DAISEY LEE DACUS. I am over the age of twenty-one and have been living in Baldwin County all my life, and I am a Bona fide resident of Baldwin County, and am living here now and was living here at the time I filed this suit for divorce. My wife, DAISEY LEE DACUS, is over the age of twenty-one and is now living at 5536 Maple Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

We were married in Bay Minette on the 29th day of September, 1949, and only lived together for about a month, when my wife left me. She left me of her own free will in accord and I gave her no reason to leave me. That was in about November, 1949. Since that time, we have lived separate and apart, and she has never come back to me or offered to come back to me. There are no Children born to this marriage.

Solomon Dacus Jr
SOLOMON DACUS, JR.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 31st day of August, 1957.

Alice Ward
COMMISSIONER

I, ALICE WARD, Commissioner acting under stipulation of parties in the divorce suit of SOLOMON DACUS, JR. vs. DAISY LEE DACUS, pending in the Equity side of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, hereby certify that I have caused the witnesses in this cause, namely, SOLOMON DACUS, JR., and WALTER BRYANT, who were made known to me and known to be the identical witnesses called by the parties to come to my office in the Bank Building in the City of Fairhope, Baldwin County, Alabama, where said witnesses after being first duly sworn by me, upon examination of E. G. Rickarby, Solicitor for the Complainant, did testify as shown by the attached testimony, and that their testimony was, by me, reduced to writing as given by them as near as might be in their identical language and, after being reduced to writing was read over by the said witnesses who assented to and signed the same in my presence.

I further certify that I am not of counsel or kin to either of the parties to this cause, nor any wise interested in the results thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand as Commissioner on this the 31st day of August, 1957.

Alice Ward
COMMISSIONER

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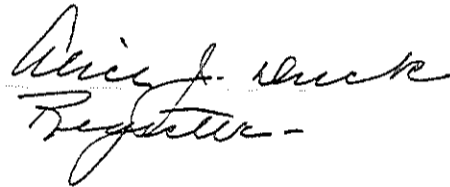
DAISY LEE DACUS
Respondent

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I BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
I IN EQUITY
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NOTE OF EVIDENCE

This cause is submitted for final decree on Complainant's bill, answer and waiver filed by Respondent, and depositions of Complainant and WALTER BRYANT.


E. G. RICKARBY
Solicitor for Complainant


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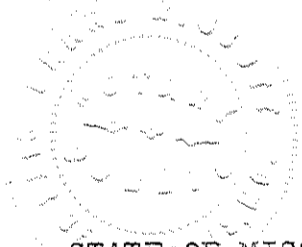
ANSWER AND WAIVER

Comes the respondent, DAISY LEE DACUS, in the above styled cause and for answer to the Bill of Complaint heretofore filed in said cause, and to each and every paragraph thereof, says:

She denies each and every allegation contained therein and demands strict proof thereof.

Respondent hereby submits herself to the jurisdiction of this Honorable Court and waives notice of the time and place for taking testimony in said cause, waives the issuance of a formal commissioner to take testimony in said cause and consents that testimony may be taken without further notice to her and further waives notice of the time and place of submission of said cause and consents that said cause may be submitted for final decree at any time or place without further notice to her of such submission.

+ Daisy Lee Dacus
DAISY LEE DACUS, Respondent



STATE OF MISSOURI

Saint Louis COUNTY - City

I, Pearl R. Scott, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that DAISY LEE DACUS, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me to be the respondent above named, acknowledged before me on this day that she executed the same voluntarily with knowledge of its contents.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this the 23rd day of August, 1957.

Pearl R. Scott
Notary Public
My Commission Expires Oct. 19, 1960

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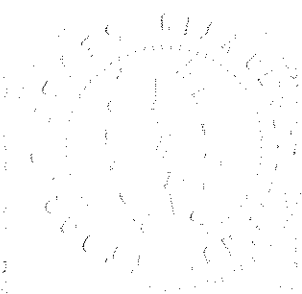
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TO THE HONORABLE H. M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY:

Comes SOLOMON DACUS, JR., and by this Bill of Complaint presented against DAISY LEE DACUS, respectfully shows:

FIRST: That the Complainant is over the age of twenty-one years and is now and has been for the three years next preceding the filing of this Bill of Complaint a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and that the defendant, DAISY LEE DACUS, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and is over the age of twenty-one years, and that her Post Office address is 5536 Maple Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

SECOND: The Complainant and the Defendant were married at Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, on the 29th day of September, 1949, and lived together as husband and wife for, approximately, one month after said marriage, then they separated, as hereinafter set forth.

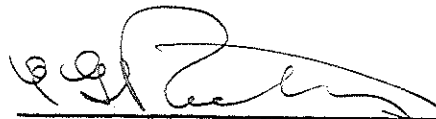
THIRD: That the Defendant, DAISY LEE DACUS, voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of her husband on or about November, 1949, and since that time, said parties have lived separate and apart.

FOURTH: That there are no children born to this marriage.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED: Complainant prays that the defendant, DAISY LEE DACUS, be made party defendant to this cause by proper process and required to plead, answer, or demur within the time required by law.

The Complainant further prays that upon a final hearing of this cause a decree be rendered forever divorcing him from the said DAISY LEE DACUS, and granting him the right to marry again if he should so desire, and to have such other, further or different relief as to equity may seem meet.

E. G. Rickarby



 E. G. Rickarby
 Attorney for Complainant

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BILL OF COMPLAINT

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

Plaintiff's Attorney
[Illegible Name]

Defendant's Attorney
[Illegible Name]

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