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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

JAMES R. BLOW, Complainant

vs.

MARY WILL BLOW, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso on Publication 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 JAMES R. BLOW is forever divorced from the said MARY WILL BLOW for and on account of

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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 futher 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 JAMES R. BLOW the COMPLAINANT pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 12 day of DECEMBER 19 57

[Signature] 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 December, 1957.

Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

In Circuit Court, In Equity

JAMES R. BLOW

Complainant

vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

Respondent

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ALICE J. DACK, Register

JAMES R. BLOW)
COMPLAINANT)
VS.)
MARY WILL BLOW)
RESPONDENT)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

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

Your Complainant James R. Blow, respectfully represents
and shows unto your Honor as follows:

1. That your complainant is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and has been a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama for over one year immediately preceding the filing of this bill of complaint; that Mary Will Blow is over the age of twenty-one years and is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama.

2. That your complainant and respondent were lawfully married at Meridian, Mississippi on or about to-wit: October 25, 1952, and that of this marriage there are no children.

3. Your Complainant avers and alleges that the respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of complainant for more than one year next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint, since which time the complainant and respondent have not lived together nor in anyway recognized each other as husband and wife

4. Your complainant further avers and alleges that the said respondent has, since here said marriage with him, become addicted to habitual drunkenness, and that said habit has continued to the filing of this bill.

5. Your complainant further avers and alleges that the said respondent has been guilty of adultery with divers parties and persons whose names to your complainant are unknown.

The premises considered, your complainant makes the said Mary Will Blow a party respondent to this bill of complaint, and in order that the complainant may have the relief herein prayed for, may it please your Honor to cause the State's writ of subpoena to be issued to the said Mary Will Blow, commanding her to answer, plead or demur within the time required by law; and that on a final hearing of this cause, that your Honor will enter a decree divorcing your said complainant from the said respondent; and that your Honor will grant such other, further or different relief as unto your Honor may seem just and proper, and your complainant will ever pray.


Attorney for the Complainant

Respondents address

Mrs. Mary Will Blow
% W. D. McDonald
Rte. 4
LaFayette, Ala.

SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT

Baldwin Times

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

CIRCUIT COURT, BALDWIN COUNTY

BALDWIN COUNTY

No. 4129

TERM, 19.....

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You Are Hereby Comanded to Summon MARY WILL BLOW

to appear and plead, answer or demur, within thirty days from the service hereof, to the complaint filed in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, State of Alabama, at Bay Minette, against

MARY WILL BLOW, Defendant

by JAMES R. BLOW, Plaintiff.....

Witness my hand this 14 day of Sept. 19 57

Alice J. ... Clerk

Foley

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT

JAMES R. BLOW
Plaintiffs
vs.

MARY WILL BLOW
Defendants

SUMMONS and COMPLAINT

Filed 9/14/57, 19.....

Alice J. Duck, Clerk

Arthur C. Epperson
Plaintiff's Attorney

Defendant's Attorney

Defendant lives at

RECEIVED IN OFFICE

9-14, 1957

Sheriff

I have executed this summons
Returned 18 day of Oct, 1957
this 18 day of Oct, 1957
Not found in my county after diligent search and
by leaving a copy with
copy.

Taylor Wilkins, Sheriff

By [Signature]
Deputy Sheriff

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

No. _____, Term, 19____

JAMES R. BLOW

Complainant

Vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

Defendant

Motion is hereby made for a Decree Pro Confesso against MARY WILL BLOW

Defendant

in the annexed stated cause, on the ground that more than thirty days have elapsed since the perfection of publication was made under the order of this Court; and it having been shown by due proof to the Court that said Defendant OR conceals herself so that process cannot be served. is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and has failed to answer, plead or demur to the Bill in this cause, to the date hereof.

This 9th day of December, 1957

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Arthur C. Eperson
Solicitor.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

JAMES R. BLOW

Complainant _____

Vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

Defendant _____

Motion for Decree Pro Confesso
On Publication

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

No. _____, Term, 19____

JAMES R. BLOW _____ Complainant

Vs.

MARY WILL BLOW _____ Defendant

In this cause it appears to the Register _____ that the order of publication heretofore made in this cause, was published for four consecutive weeks, commencing on the _____ day of _____, 19____, in the FAIRHOPE COURIER a newspaper published in FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA, Alabama, that a copy of said order was posted at the Court House door in BALDWIN County, on the _____ day of _____ 194____ and _____

And it now further appearing to the Register ALICE J. DUCK _____ that the said MARY WILL BLOW _____

having, to the date hereof, failed to demur, plead to, or answer the Bill of Complaint in this cause, it is now, therefore, on motion of Complainant _____, ordered and decreed by the Register ALICE J. DUCK _____ that the Bill of Complaint in this cause be, and it hereby is in all things taken as confessed against the said MARY WILL BLOW _____

This 9 day of DECEMBER 19 57

Alice J. Duck

Register.

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The State of Alabama,
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

JAMES R. BLOW

Vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

Decree Pro Confesso of Publication

Issued _____ 19 _____

Register.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

JAMES R. BLOW

vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this

day of

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ALICE JACK, Register
Register.

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JAMES R. BLOW

vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County
IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complainant upon the original Bill of Complaint, _____

~~Motion for Decree Pro Confesso; Decree Pro Confesso on~~

~~Publication; Affidavit that Respondent conceals herself so the~~

~~Process cannot be served; Order of Publication; Affidavit of~~

~~Publication; Commission to take Deposition of Complainant's~~

~~Witnesses; and Oral Deposition of Complainant's Witnesses.~~

and in behalf of Defendant upon _____

Arthur C. Epperson
Attorney for Complainant

Archie D. Drake
Register.

SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT

Baldwin Times

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

CIRCUIT COURT, BALDWIN COUNTY

BALDWIN COUNTY

No.

.....TERM, 19.....

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to appear and plead, answer or demur, within thirty days from the service hereof, to the complaint filed in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, State of Alabama, at Bay Minette, against _____

MARY WILL BLOW, Defendant

by JAMES R. BLOW

....., Plaintiff.....

Witness my hand this 14 day of Sept. 1957....

Alice J. ..., Clerk

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT

JAMES R. BLOW

Plaintiffs

vs.

MARY WILL BLOW

Defendants

SUMMONS and COMPLAINT

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Alice J. Duck, Clerk

Arthur C. Epperson
Plaintiff's Attorney

Defendant's Attorney

Defendant lives at

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_____, 19.....

_____, Sheriff

I have executed this summons

this _____, 19.....

by leaving a copy with

_____, Sheriff

_____, Deputy Sheriff

JAMES R. BLOW)
COMPLAINANT)
VS.)
MARY WILL BLOW)
RESPONDENT)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

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

Your Complainant James R. Blow, respectfully represents
and shows unto your Honor as follows:

1. That your complainant is over the age of twenty-one
years and is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and has
been a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama for over
one year immediately preceding the filing of this bill of com-
plaint; that Mary Will Blow is over the age of twenty-one years
and is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama.

2. That your complainant and respondent were lawfully
married at Meridian, Mississippi on or about to-wit: October
25, 1952, and that of this marriage there are no children.

3. Your Complainant avers and alleges that the respond-
ent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of complainant for
more than one year next preceding the filing of this bill of
complaint, since which time the complainant and respondent have
not lived together nor in anyway recognized each other as hus-
band and wife

4. Your complainant further avers and alleges that the
said respondent has, since here said marriage with him, become
addicted to habitual drunkenness, and that said habit has cont-
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The premises considered, your complainant makes the
said Mary Will Blow a party respondent to this bill of com-
plaint, and in order that the complainant may have the relief
herein prayed for, may it please your Honor to cause the State's
writ of subpoena to be issued to the said Mary Will Blow, com-
manding her to answer, plead or demur within the time required
by law; and that on a final hearing of this cause, that your
Honor will enter a decree divorcing your said complainant from
the said respondent; and that your Honor will grant such other,
further or different relief as unto your Honor may seem just
and proper, and your complainant will ever pray.


Attorney for the Complainant

Respondents address

Mrs. Mary Will Blow
% W. D. McDonald
Rte. 4
Lafayette, Ala.

JAMES R. BLOW)
COMPLAINANT)
VS)
MARY WILL BLOW)
RESPONDENT)

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

In this cause it appearing to the Register from the affidavit of James R. Blow, that the Respondent is a non-resident of the State of Alabama and her address is unknown or if a resident of the State of Alabama, conceals herself so that process cannot be served and further that in the belief of the affiant the respondent is over the age of twenty-one years, it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks, in the Fairhope Courier, a newspaper published in Baldwin County, Alabama, requiring the said Mary Will Blow to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 7th day of November, 1957, or, in default thereof, thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against the said respondent.

Done at Office this the 7th day of October, 1957.


REGISTER

Arthur C. Epperson
Attorney for Complainant
Foley, Alabama

JAMES R. BLOW)
 COMPLAINANT)
)
VS)
)
MARY WILL BLOW)
 RESPONDENT)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

Before me, ARTHUR C. EPPERSON, a Notary Public
personally appeared JAMES R. BLOW, who being duly sworn, deposes
says that MARY WILL BLOW, defendant in the above stated cause,
~~and that her~~ place of residence is unknown, and that it can
not be ascertained after reasonable effort, or she conceals
herself so that process cannot be served, and further, that in
the belief of said affiant the said defendant is over the age
of twenty-one years.



Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 7th day
of October, 1957.



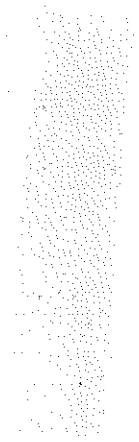
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ALICE J BUCK, Plaintiff

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JAMES R. BLOW)
COMPLAINANT)
VS)
MARY WILL BLOW)
RESPONDENT)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

Before me, ARTHUR C. EPPERSON, a Notary Public personally appeared JAMES R. BLOW, who being duly sworn, deposes says that MARY WILL BLOW, ^{is the} defendant in the above stated cause, and that her place of residence is unknown, and that it can not be ascertained after reasonable effort, or she conceals herself so that process cannot be served, and further, that in the belief of said affiant the said defendant is over the age of twenty-one years.

James R. Blow

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 7th day of October, 1957.

Arthur C. Epperson
NOTARY PUBLIC

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: SONJA F. ORR

KNOW YE: That we, having full faith in your prudence and competency, have appointed you Commissioner, and by these presents do authorize you, as such time and place as you may appoint, to call before you and examine JAMES R. BLOW

a witnesses in behalf of JAMES R. BLOW in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein JAMES R BLOW

and MARY WILL BLOW, Complainant

Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon to take and certify the deposition of the witness and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 10th day of December, 1957

[Signature] Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

No. _____

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County**

CIRCUIT COURT

JAMES R. BLOW

Complainant

VS.

MARY WILL BLOW

Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

WITNESSES:

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

JAMES R. BLOW

Complainant

VS.

MARY WILL BLOW

Respondent

I, SONJA F. ORR

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me JAMES R. BLOW

witness named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 10th day of December 1957, at the office of SONJA F. ORR

in Foley, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness to speak the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said JAMES R. BLOW

doth depose and say as follows:

My name is JAMES R. BLOW. I am over the age of twenty-one years and am a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama and have been for more than ten years.

MARY WILL BLOW is over the age of twenty-one years and was a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, but I have been unable to find her whereabouts since she voluntarily abandoned me.

MARY WILL BLOW voluntarily abandoned me in July, 1956, since which time we have not lived together nor in anyway recognized each other as husband and wife.

MARY WILL BLOW became addicted to habitual drunkenness since her marriage to me, which habit continued until the last time I saw her, in fact she was drunk the last time I saw her.

James R. Blow

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ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, SONJA F. ORR, 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 witness _____ and read over to him and he signed the same in the presence of myself SONJA F. ORR

at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness _____ or had proom 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 10th day of December, 1945.

Sonja F. Orr (L. S.)

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

JAMES R. BLOW
vs. MARY WILL BLOW
Complainant
Respondent.

Oral Deposition

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Mrs. Ailie J. Huck, Register

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Alabama

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Frances H. Crawford

Editor

State of Alabama
County of Baldwin

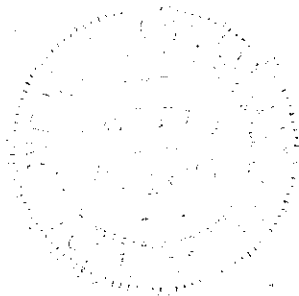
Sworn to and subscribed this 4th day of

Nov A. D. 1957, before me.

John V. [Signature]

Notary Public, Baldwin County

- Mrs. E. B. Gaston, Fairhope
- Mrs. J. H. [unclear], Fairhope
- Mrs. J. H. [unclear], Fairhope
- Mrs. Orville Lay, Montrose
- W. T. Willis, Montgomery
- Mrs. Ruth McDonnell, Daphne
- Mrs. Doyle Hornbeak, Montrose
- G. L. Faircloth, Robertsdale
- Red Murphy, Robertsdale
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- Miss Marion Davenport, Fairhope
- Adele M. Fram, Fairhope
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- Mrs. W. B. Irby, Fairhope
- Mrs. Girard Lucassen, Fairhope
- W. L. Lynn, Jr., Fairhope
- Gordon McLean, Fairhope
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- Mark Taylor, Fairhope
- B. R. Frazier, Fairhope
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ALICE J. BUCK, Clerk