

DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Vada Baldwin, Complainant
vs.
George Baldwin, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Demer 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 Vada Baldwin is forever divorced from the said George Baldwin 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 the payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that Vada Baldwin the Complainant pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which execution may issue.

This 12th day of September, 1952.

Felton J. Massey, Jr.
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

In Circuit Court, In Equity

Vada Baldwin

Complainant

vs.

George Baldwin

Respondent

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VADA BALDWIN

COMPLAINANT

VS

GEORGE BALDWIN

RESPONDENT

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

Now comes the Respondent and accepts service of the summons and complaint in this cause.

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

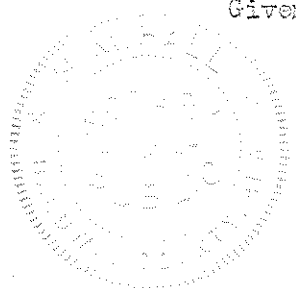
George Baldwin

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

I, J. L. Law, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that George Baldwin, whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of said conveyance, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 20th day of Sept., 1952.

J. L. Law
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama



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VADA BALDWIN

COMPLAINANT

VS

GEORGE BALDWIN

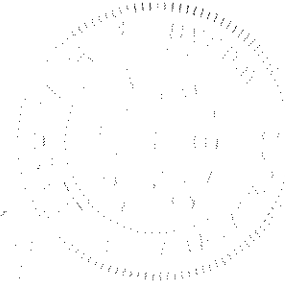
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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

Vada Baldwin

Complainant

VS.

George Baldwin

Respondent

I, Everlyn Watts

as ~~Register and~~ Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Vada Baldwin and Mary Bill

witness es named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 10 day of September
1952, at the office of Hubert M. Hall

in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness ex to speak the
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Vada Baldwin and Mary Bill

doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Vada Baldwin. I am over twenty-one years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and have been all of my life. The Respondent, George Baldwin is over twenty-one years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama. The Respondent and I married at Summerdale, Alabama, on February 28, 1921, and we lived together as husband and wife in Baldwin County, Alabama, until May 6, 1946.

The Respondent on May 6, 1946, voluntarily abandoned my bed and board and has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time. The Respondent and I have one child, now 28 years old and married. The Respondent and I have made a full and complete settlement as to all property rights and as to a division of any property owned by the two of us jointly or separately.

I know that the Respondent and I can never lived together as husband and wife.

Vada Baldwin

My name is Mary Bill. I lived at Robertsedale, in Baldwin County, Alabama. I know of my own personal knowledge that the Complainant and the Respondent have not lived together as husband and wife for five years. During the past five years and more I have lived in the Baldwin Home at Robertsedale where Mr. George Baldwin has also lived.

I know from my own personal observation that conditions are such that Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin can never again live together as husband and wife.

Mary B. Bill

ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Evelyn Watts, as ~~Register~~ and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition s on 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

at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness es or had proom made before me of the identity of said witness es; 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 September, 1942.

Evelyn Watts (L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

Vada Baldwin

vs. Complainant

George Baldwin

Respondent.

Oral Deposition

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STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summons GEORGE BALDWIN, 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 VADA BALDWIN, as Complainant and against George Baldwin, as Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this the 10 day of September, 1952.

Register

VADA BALDWIN

COMPLAINANT

VS

GEORGE BALDWIN

RESPONDENT

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

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

Your Complainant, Vada Baldwin, 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.

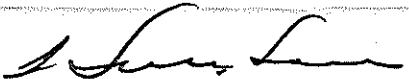
That your Complainant and the Respondent married at Summerdale, Alabama, on February 28, 1921, and lived together as husband and wife in Baldwin County, Alabama, until May 6, 1946.

3.

That on, to-wit, May 6, 1946, the Respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of your Complainant and has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper process make the said George Baldwin 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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COMPLAINANT

VS

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RESPONDENT

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vs.

George Baldwin

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 respondent and testimony of Vada Baldwin and _____

Mary B. Bill _____

and in behalf of Defendant upon _____

James Lee
James Lee

Alice J. Luck

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

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NOTE OF TESTIMONY

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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 Vada Baldwin and Mary Bill

as witnesses in behalf of Complainant in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein Vada Baldwin

Complainant
and George Baldwin

Respondent
on oath, to be by you administered, upon Vada Baldwin and Mary Bill
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 Sept, 1952

Alice French

Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
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CIRCUIT COURT

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vs.

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