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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Hazel Hobbs, Complainant

vs.

W. W. Hobbs, 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 Hazel Hobbs is forever divorced from the said W. W. Hobbs for and on account of Voluntary abandonment

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the Complainant Hazel Hobbs be and she is hereby awarded the permanent care, custody and control of the minor child born to the union of the said parties, namely, Marcia D. Hobbs.

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 Hazel Hobbs the Complainant pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 11th day of January, 1955

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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Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

In Circuit Court, In Equity

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Complainant

vs.

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Respondent

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ALICE J. BECK, Register

Decree Pro Confesso of Publication. MPCO

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } **CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY**
BALDWIN COUNTY

No. _____ _____, Term, 19____

Hazel Hobbs Complainant

Vs.

W. W. Hobbs Defendant

In this cause it appears to the Register Alice J. Duck that the order of publication heretofore made in this cause, was published for four consecutive weeks, commencing on the 11th day of Nov, 1954, in the Baldwin Times a newspaper published in Bay Minette, Alabama, that a copy of said order was posted at the Court House door in Baldwin County, on the 11th day of Nov 1954 and _____

And it now further appearing to the Register Alice J. Duck, that the said W. W. Hobbs

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 W. W. Hobbs

This 10th day of January 1955

Alice J. Duck Register.

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The State of Alabama,
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Hazel Hobbs,

Complainant

Vs.

W. M. Hobbs,

Respondent

Decree Pro Confesso of Publication

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

No. _____ _____, Term, 19____

Hazel Hobbs Complainant

Vs.

W.W. Hobbs Defendant

Motion is hereby made for a Decree Pro Confesso against W.W. Hobbs the

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 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 10 day of January, 1955.

James A. Hendrix Solicitor.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Hazel Hobbs

Complainant

Vs.

W.W. Hobbs

Defendant

Motion for Decree Pro Confesso On Publication

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The Baldwin Times, Bay Minette, Ala.

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS B.T.-500-11-54

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: Grady P. Gilbert, Jr.

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 Hazel Hobbs and Amy Beverly

a witnesses in behalf of Hazel Hobbs in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein Hazel Hobbs is Complainant

, Complainant

and W.W. Hobbs is

Respondent

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

Witness 11 day of January, 1955.

Register.

Commissioner's Fee, $

Witness' Fees, $

No.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

Hazel Hobbs

Complainant

VS.

W.W. Hobbs

Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

Grady P. Gilbert, Jr.

WITNESSES:

Hazel Hobbs

Amy Beverly

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The Baldwin Times, Bay Minette, Alabama

HAZEL HOBBS

No. 3396

vs.

W. W. HOBBS

The State of Alabama,

BALDWIN County.

Circuit Court, in Equity

This the 3rd day of November, 1954

In this cause it being made to appear to the Clerk of this Court by the affidavit of Hazel Hobbs

that the Defendant W. W. Hobbs

is a non-resident of the State of Alabama that his place of Residence and Postoffice Address is unknown

and further, that, in the belief of said Affiant the Defendant is over the age of 21 years; it is, therefore, ordered that publication be made in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published in Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring W. W. Hobbs the said Defendant

to answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 3rd day of December 1954, or after thirty days therefrom a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him

Register.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

HAZEL HOBBS,	)	
Complainant,	)	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
vs.	)	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
W. W. HOBBS,	)	IN EQUITY.
Respondent.	)	

To the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County,

Sitting in Equity:

Comes now the Complainant, HAZEL HOBBS, humbly complaining of the Respondent, W. W. HOBBS, in a matter of divorce, and represents and shows unto Your Honor as follows:

FIRST: That Complainant, HAZEL HOBBS, is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and has been a bona fide resident of said State for more than two years next preceeding the filing of this Bill of Complaint; that respondent's address is unknown to your complainant, and after a due and diligent search, complainant is unable to ascertain his place of residence or postoffice address, and that respondent is over 21 years.

SECOND; That your complainant and respondent were lawfully married on or about, to-wit: July 5, 1948, at Lucedale, Mississippi.

THIRD: Complainant further avers that said respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of complainant for more than one year next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint, on or about to-wit February 1, 1950, since which time complainant and respondent have not lived together nor in any way recognized each other as husband and wife.

FOURTH: Complainant further avers that there was born of the union of the complainant and respondent one child, MARCIA D. HOBBS, now about five years old. That said child is now in the care, custody, and control of its mother, the complainant. Further that complainant is a fit and proper person to be awarded the care, custody, and control of said minor child, Marcia D. Hobbs.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS

Wherefore the premises considered the Complainant prays that the said W. W. Hobbs be made party Respondent to this her Bill of Complaint and that a

summons be issued and served upon him as required by law and the rules of this Honorable Court, and that he be required to plead, answer or demur to the within Bill of Complaint within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the rules of this Honorable Court.

PRAYER FOR FINAL RELIEF

The premises considered the Complainant prays that on a final hearing of this cause Your Honor will make and enter a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the Complainant and Respondent, and will grant to the Complainant a full and absolute divorce from the Respondent, and that in and by virtue of the said decree the Complainant will be granted the right to again contract marriage, that by virtue of said decree the Complainant will be awarded the permanent care, custody and control of the said minor child, Marcia D. Hobbs.

Complainant prays all other further and general relief to which she may be entitled, the premises considered and she will ever pray, etc.

Personally appeared before me Hazel Hobbs, being known to me and being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she has read the allegations in the foregoing complaint and that to the best of her knowledge and belief said allegations are true in all respects.

Hazel Hobbs.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of October, 1954.

James A. Hendrix
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

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ALICE J. BUCK, Register

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Hazel Hobbs

Complainant

vs.

W. W. Hobbs

Respondent

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, and motion for a decree pro confesso after notice by publication and the testimony of Hazel Hobbs and Amy Beverly as set out in the oral deposition

and in behalf of Defendant upon

James A. Hawkins

Register.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

Hazel Hobbs,

Complainant.

vs.

W. W. Hobbs,

Respondent.

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

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ORAL DEPOSITION

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County. } Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama (In Equity)

HAZEL HOBBS Complainant

VS.

W. W. HOBBS Respondent

I, Grady F. Gilbert, Jr.

as ~~Register~~ and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Hazel Hobbs and Amy Beverly

witness~~es~~ named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the _____ day of January 19 55, at the office of James A. Hendrix

in Robertsdale, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness~~es~~ to speak the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Hazel Hobbs and Amy Beverly

doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Hazel Hobbs. I am the complainant in the above styled cause; I am over twenty-one years old and have lived in Baldwin County for more than the past two years. The respondent, W. W. Hobbs' address is unknown to me, and after a diligent search, I am unable to ascertain his residence or post office address. We were married on July 5, 1948, at Lucedale, Mississippi. The respondent voluntarily abandoned me more than one year before or next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint. In fact, he left on February 1, 1950, of his own free will and accord, and since that time I have not seen him nor have we lived together nor in any way recognized each other as husband and wife. We had one child, a girl named Marcia D. Hobbs, now about five years old; that said child in now in my care, custody and control and further that I am a fit and proper person to be awarded the permanent care, custody and control of the said minor child, Marcia D. Hobbs.

Hazel Hobbs

My name is Amy Beverly. I am over twenty-one years old and have lived here in Baldwin County for many years. I have known Hazel Hobbs all of my life. She is over twenty-one years old and has lived here in Baldwin County for more than the past two years. I do not know where W. W. Hobbs lives. Hazel and W. W. were married on July 5, 1948, at Lucedale, Mississippi. W. W. left Hazel of his own free will and accord long about the 1st of February, 1950, and since that time I have not seen him; and I know for a fact that since that time they have not lived together as husband and wife. They had one child, a girl, named Marcia D. Hobbs, now about five years old. The said child is in the care, custody, and control of the complainant, her mother, and that Hazel Hobbs, the complainant, is a fit and proper person to have the permanent care, custody and control of the said minor child, Marcia D. Hobbs.

Amy Beverly

ORAL EXAMINATION

I, Grady P. Gilbert, Jr., 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

Grady P. Gilbert, Jr.

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 ..... day of January, 19 55.

Grady P. Gilbert Jr. (L. S.)

Notary Public, Baldwin Co., Ala.

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The State of Alabama

Baldwin County.

In Circuit Court, In Equity

Hazel Hobbs

vs. Complainant

M. V. Hobbs

Respondent

Oral Deposition

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JIMMY FAULKNER
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

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BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY.

Circuit Court, in Equity

This the 3rd day of November, 1954

HAZEL HOBBS

No. 3396
vs.
W. W. HOBBS

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY.

E. R. Mauriselle, Jr., being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the ~~PUBLISHER~~ Editor of THE BALDWIN TIMES, a Weekly Newspaper published at Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama; that the notice hereto attached of

Hazel Hobbs vs.
W. W. Hobbs

COST STATEMENT

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I hereby certify this is correct, due and unpaid (~~paid~~).

Editor ~~Publisher~~.

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Subscribed and sworn before the undersigned this 4 day of Dec, 1954.

Dorothy Martin
Notary Public, Baldwin County.

Editor ~~Publisher~~.