The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

	MARY ARLIN ODOM	, Complainant
	vs.	
· 	RIX ODOM	, Respondent
This cause coming on to be	e heard was submitted upon Bill o	f Complaint, XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
		is noted by the Register, and upon con- is entitled to the relief prayed for in
existing between the Complainan	t and Defendant be, and the same	at the bonds of matrimony heretofore are hereby dissolved, and that the said
		is forever divorced from the
said	RIX ODOM	for and on account of
	"ABANDONMENT"	
IT IS FURTHER OR	DERED, ADJUDGED AND DI	ECREED by the Court that
the Complainant be, a	nd she is hereby, aut	herized and empowered to
resume the use of her	former name, "MARY A	RLIN LEON".
It is futher ordered that th	ment of the cost of this suit.	ne pendency of said appeal. e, and they are hereby permitted to
This da	y of April	e taxed, for which executed may issue. 19_58 19_70 19_10
		Judge Circuit Court, In Equity.
I,	Court of Baldwin County, A foregoing is a correct copy of Judge of the Circuit Court if decree is on file and enrolled	l seal this theday
le.		Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA BALDWIN COUNTY In Circuit Court, In Equity Complainant vs. Respondent DIVORCE DECREE

MARY ARLIN ODOM	THE STATE OF ALABAMA Baldwin County
RIX ODOM	IN EQUITY Circuit Court of Baldwin County
This cause is submitted in behalf of Co	omplaint upon the original Bill of Complaint,
WHIVELE MAD MINORELL, WHO TODOLINGH	er hary millin odem.
and in behalf of Defendant upon Waiver and	Answer
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THE STATE OF ALABAMA Baldwin County
IN EQUITY Circuit Court of Baldwin County
MARY ARLIN ODOM
VS.
RIX ODOM
Note of Testimony
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ALICE J. DUCK, Register Register.
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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County	N_{\bullet}	3426
Equity Division, Circuit Court.		
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MARY ARLIN ODOM	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
Complainant,	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,
vs.	IN EQUITY.
RIX ODOM	NO
Respondent.	
DEMAND FOR ORAL	. EXAMINATION.
COMES the Complainant, by attorney, and	represents to the Court as follows:
1. That the following named witnesses	reside within one hundred miles from
Bay Minette , in the Count	ty of Baldwin
Alabama, the place of trial of said cause, to-wit:	KXXX MARY ARLIN ODOM
2. That said complainant requires an oral	examination of said witnesses before a com-
missioner appointed by the Register of this Court.	
	. Clair & Mash burn
4	Solicitor for Complainant.
NOTE:	
Complainant suggests the name ofDOR_	IS BROWN
as a suitable and competent person to act as commis	sioner upon the examination of said witnesses.

Solicitor for Complainant.

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	ALICE J. DUCK, Registe Register.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO:

DORIS BROWN

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

MARY ARLIN ODOM

a witness in behalf of

MARY ARLIN ODOM

in a cause pending in our

Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein

MARY ARLIN ODOM

is the

, Complainant

and

RIX ODOM

is the

Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon her to take and certify the deposition of the witness venient speed, under your hand.

of the witness and return the same to our Court, with all con-

Witness 5th

day of

April

, 195 8

Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

THE STATE OF ALABAMA Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

MARY ARLIN ODOM

Complainant

VS.

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Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama (In Equity)

_	MARY ARLIN ODOM	COMPLAINANT
	VS.	
_	RIX ODOM	RESPONDENT
I,	DORIS BROWN	
as XKėgistėtX XXX C	Commissioner	
	caused to come before me MA	
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witnessnan	ned in the requirement for Oral E	examination, on the 5thday of April
19 <u>58</u> , at the off	ice ofTelfair J. Mash	burn
_{in} Bay Minet	te , Alabama, and hav	ring first sworn said witness to speak the
truth, the whole ti	ruth, and nothing but the truth, th	e said MARY ARLIN ODOM
	dot	h depose and say as follows: "My name is
fide resident of twenty-one twenty-one ye county, Alaba on the 25th o wife in Baldw 1957, when my not provided my husband, n and wife. We that it would	dom. I am the complainar t citizen of Baldwin Cou e years. The respondent ears and is a bona fide ama. I was married to the day of February, 1957. We win County, Alabama, un- y husband went off and for my support, nor has nor have we in any way and a not have any childre	nt in this cause, and I am a bona unty, Alabama. I am over the age, Rix Odom, is over the age of resident citizen of Baldwin he respondent in Browton, Alabama, we lived together as husband and til about the 15th day of March, left me. Since that time, he has so he returned to live with me as recognized each other as husband en, or community property. I feel esume the use of my former name,

mary arlin Odom.

I, DORIS BROWN as REGISTER and Commissioner hereby certify
that the foregoing deposition on Oral Examination was taken down in writing by me in the words
of the witness and read over to <u>ger</u> and <u>she</u> signed the same in the presence of
myself andTelfair J. Mashburn
at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said
witnessor had proof 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 5th day of April , 19 58.
Doris Brown (L. S.)
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MARY ARLIN ODOM,

Complainant,

NO

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

NO

RIX ODOM,

NO

IN EQUITY.

NO.

Respondent.

WAIVER AND ANSWER

Comes the respondent in the above styled cause and accepts service of a copy of the bill of complaint in said cause; waives notice of the filing of interrogatories in said cause, and the right to cross same; waives notice of the taking of testimony in said cause, and consents that the same may be taken and the cause submitted for final decree at any time, without further notice to him.

And for answer to the bill of complaint heretofore filed in this cause, respondent says:

- 1. He admits the allegations contained in paragraph 1 of said bill of complaint.
- 2. He admits the allegations contained in paragraph 2 of said bill of complaint.
- 3. He denies each and every allegation contained in paragraph 3 of said bill of complaint, and demands strict proof of the same.

Mrs. R.W. Sambeth

Respondent.

STATE OF ALABAMA, 0
COUNTY OF BALDWIN. 0

I, A. M. Marketty, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that RIX ODOM, whose name is signed to the foregoing Waiver and Answer and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this date that, being informed of the contents of the Waiver and Answer, he executed the same voluntarily on this day and date.

Witness my hand/efficial seal this the 21st day of March, 1958.

NOTARY PUBLIC, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.



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VS.		

RIX ODOM,

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IN EQU	ITY.	N(o	

Respondent

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

Your complainant, MARY ARLIN ODOM, respectfully represents and shows unto your Monor:

- 1. That complainant is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident of said State and County; that RIX ODOM is over the age of twenty-one years and resides in Baldwin County, Alabama;
- 2. That your complainant and the respondent were lawfully married on or about, to-wit: the 25th day of February, 1957, at Brewton Alabama;
- 3. Complainant further avers that said respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of complainant for more than one years next preceding the filing of this bill and during said period complainant and respondent have not lived together nor in any way recegnized each other as husband and wife.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, your complainant makes the said RIX ODOM a party respondent to this bill of complaint, and in order that complainant may have the relief herein prayed for, may it please your Honor to cause the State's Writ of Subpoena to be issued, directed to the said RIX ODOM, commanding him to answer, plead or demur to this bill of complaint, within the time required by law; and that, on a final hearing of this cause, your Honor will make and enter a decree divorcing your complainant from said respondent and granting her the right to resume the use of her former name, MARY ARLIN LEON; and that your Honor will grant her such other, further, different or general relief as unto your Honor may seem just and proper, and, as in duty bound, your complainant will ever pray, etc.



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