## The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

### CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
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| BALDWIN COUNTY No.  | 3692             | March            | , Term, 19 <u>56</u>   |
| ALINE DORMAN BUTLER   | Vs.              |                  | Complainant  |
| G. S. BUTLER  |                  |                  | Defendant  |
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JAMES A. HENDRIX

ATTORNEY AT LAW
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March 7, 1956

Mrs. Alice Duck
Clerk of Circuit Court
Bay Minette, Alabama

Dear Mrs. Duck:

Enclosed herewith please find motion for a decree Pro Confessso on publication in the Butler vs. Butler case in Equity. Please mark this filed as of the 10th of March, since the time for taking a decree will not be up until that date.

Very truly yours,

James A. Hendrix

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#### THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama (In Equity)

| ALINE DORMAN  | BUTLER     |   | _Complai     | nant              |
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My name is Aline Dorman Butler. I am over 21 years old and have lived in Baldwin County, Alabama for more than the past 2 years. G. S. Butler is over the age of 21 years and after a due and diligent search I have been unable to ascertain his place of residence or postoffice address; he and I were married on June 26, 1952 at Lucedale, Mississippi. On about June 15, 1952, G. S. left me on his own free will and accord without any cause on my part; he left freely and voluntarily and since the aforesaid date June 15, 1952, he and I have not lived together nor have we recognized each other as husband and wife in any way. He and I had no children.

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I have known Aline Dorman Butler for many years. Aline is over 21 years old and has lived in Baldwin County, Alabama for more than the past 2 years. G. S. Butler is over the age of 21 years and after a due and diligent search Aline has been unable to ascertain his place of residence or post office address. He and Aline were married on June 26, 1952 at Lucedale, Mississippi. On about June 15, 1952, G. S. left Aline of his own free will and accord without any cause on her part. He left freely and voluntarily and since the aforesaid date June 15, 1952, he and Aline have not lived together nor have they recognized each other as husband and wife in any way. They had no children.

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SOLICITOR FOR COMPLAINANT

STATE OF ALABAMA BALDWIN COUNTY

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| Res               | ondent.     |              |           |           |           |     |

To the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, Sitting in Equity:

Comes now the Complainant, ALINE DORMAN BUTLER, humbly complaining of the Respondent, G.S. BUTLER, in a matter of divorce, and represents and shows unto Your Honor as follows:

FIRST: That Complainant, ALINE DORMAN BUTLER, 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 and County for more than two years next preceding 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; further, that respondent is over the age of twenty-one years.

SECOND: That your Complainant and Respondent were married on or about to-wit: June 26, 1952, 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 to-wit: July 15, 1952, since which time Complainant and Respondent have not lived together nor in any way recognized each other as husband and wife.

 $\underline{{\tt FCURTH}} \colon {\tt Complainant}$  further avers that there were no children born to the union of Complainant and Respondent.

#### PRAYER FOR PROCESS

Wherefore the premises considered the Complainant prays that the said G.S. BUTLER be made party Pespondent 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, and granting the Complainant the right to resume her maiden name.

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 ALINE DORMAN BUTLER, 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.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me

this loth day of January, 1956.

Wotary Public, Ealdwin County, Alabama.

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G. S. BUTLER
The State of Alabama, Baldwin
County, Circuit Court, in Equity.
This the 10 day of January, 1956.

This the IO day of January, 1956.
In this cause it being made to appear to the Clerk of this Court by the affidavit of Aline Dorman Butler, that the Defendant, G. S. Butler, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama whose address is unknown and Present Post Office Address cannot be ascertained; and further, that, in the belief of said Affiant the Defendant, G. S. Butler, is over the age of 21 years; it is, therefore, or-dered 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 G. S. Butler, the said Defendant, to answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 10 day of February, 1956, or after thirty days therefrom a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.

ALICE J. DUCK, Register.

J. A. Hendrix,

Solicitor for Complainant.

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