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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

BUDDY HASTINGS

, Complainant

vs.

LOUISE MADDOX HASTINGS

, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Answer and Confession~~ 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

~~BUDDY HASTINGS~~ is forever divorced from the
~~LOUISE MADDOX HASTINGS~~ ~~stand on account of~~
said

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that

the Respondent resume her former name of Louise Maddox.

It is futher 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 futher ordered that Buddy Hastings
the Complainant pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 28th day of July 1959

Hubert M. Moore

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.

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: Hazel Weekley

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

Buddy Hastings

Olivia Hastings

a witness in behalf of Buddy Hastings
Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein

in a cause pending in our

Buddy Hastings

, Complainant

and

Louise Maddox Hastings

Respondent

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

Witness 28 day of July

, 1959

Alice J. Luck

Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

No.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

VS. Complainant

Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

WITNESSES:

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

BUDDY HASTINGS

COMPLAINANT

vs.

LOUISE MADDOX HASTINGS

RESPONDENT

I, Hazel Weekley

as Register and Commissioner In this said cause

have called and caused to come before me

Buddy Hastings

Olivia Hastings

witness es named in the requirement for Oral Examination, on the day of July

19 59, at the office of THOMPSON & WHITE

in Baldwin, Alabama, and having first sworn said witness es to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Buddy Hastings and Olivia

Hastings doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Buddy Hastings. I am over the age of 18 and reside in Escambia County, Florida. The Respondent, Louise Maddox Hastings is over the age of 18 and resided at Perdido, Alabama, in Baldwin County, when we were married though presently stays in Andalusia, Covington County, Alabama. I first knew and dated her for the first time about May 1, 1959 and continued to go with her until we married. We were married in Bay Minette, Alabama, on June 9, 1959 and we lived together as husband and wife about 4 weeks, at which time I learned she was pregnant at the time of our marriage without my knowledge or agency, and upon my learning this fact we immediately separated and have not lived together as husband and wife since that date. There is no property to be divided and there can be no children of our marriage since the situation stated exists. I know I shall never again live with her as husband and therefore respectfully ask this Honorable Court for a divorce.

Buddy Hastings

My name is Olivia Hastings. I know both parties to this cause. they are both over the age of 18 and the Complainant resides in Escambia County, Florida. The Respondent resided in Baldwin County at the time of their marriage which occurred on or about June 9, 1959

. They were married in Bay Minette. About a month after their marriage the Complainant learned the Respondent was expecting a child to be born to her on or before October 20, 1959, which the Complainant did not father since he only came to know the Respondent about May 1, 1959, and the couple separated immediately after this information became known. I do not believe they will ever live together as husband and wife.

Olivia Hastings

I, Hazel Weekley 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 es and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself and C. LeNoir Thompson at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness es or had proof 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 July, 19 59.
Hazel Weekley (L. S.)

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Buddy Hastings

vs.

Louise Maddox Hastings

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 testimony of;

Buddy Hastings
Olivia Hastings

and in behalf of Defendant upon answer and waiver.

Mary Thompson White

Miss J. Duck

Register.

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summon LOUISE MADDOX HASTINGS, 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 BUDDY HASTINGS, as Complainant and against LOUISE MADDOX HASTINGS, as Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this the 28 day of July, 1959.

Alice J. Luck
Register

BUDDY HASTINGS

COMPLAINANT

VS.

LOUISE MADDOX HASTINGS

RESPONDENT

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY.

CASE NO. 4658

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

Your Complainant, Buddy Hastings, respectfully represents unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

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That your Complainant is over the age of 18 and a resident of Escambia County, Florida; The Respondent is over the age of 18 and a resident of the State of Alabama and has been more than two years.

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That your Complainant and the Respondent married in Bay Minette, Alabama on June 9, 1959 and lived together as husband and wife until on or about July 9, 1959, when their separation occurred.

-3-

That on or about July 9, 1959, your Complainant learned that the Respondent was pregnant at the time of their marriage without his knowledge or agency and he immediately separated from the Respondent and has remained away continuously since that time.

There are no children as fruits of this marriage, and no property to be divided.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper procedure make the said Louise Maddox Hastings, party Respondent to this bill of complaint requiring her to plead, answer or demur to the same withing the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

Your Complainant further prays that upon a hearing hereof, your Honor will enter an order and decree granting to him an absolute decree of divorce, forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between her and the respondent; your Complainant prays for such other, further, different or general relief as she may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive.

THOMPSON & WHITE

Mary Thompson White
Solicitors for Complainant.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
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IN EQUITY.

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

The Respondent admits the allegations as the ages, marriage and residence, but denies all other allegations contained in the bill of complaint, 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.

Louise Maddox

STATE OF Alabama
COUNTY OF Escambia

I, Drunetta Little Thames, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Louise Maddox Hastings, 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 the conveyance she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 16th day of July, 1959.

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Drunetta Little Thames

Notary Public, My Commission Expires Dec. 11, 1960

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