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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

MARY E. SANDERSON

Complainant

vs.

F. LEWIS SANDERSON

Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso on Answer and Waiver, Note of Evidence 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

MARY E. SANDERSON

is forever divorced from the

said

F. LEWIS SANDERSON

for and on account of

Cruelty - Reasonable apprehension of physical violence.

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 MARY E. SANDERSON,

the Complainant

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

This 4th day of June 1959

Hubert M. Stone

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

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

TESTIMONY OF VANDORA V. HARKINS, A WITNESS ON BEHALF OF THE
COMPLAINANT:

VANDORA V. HARKINS, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says as follows, to-wit:

My name is VANDORA V. HARKINS and I know MARY E.
SANDERSON for at least six years. I know that she and F.
LEWIS SANDERSON were married, and lived together as husband
and wife in Baldwin County, Alabama. Both of them are over
the age of twenty-one years.

I work with Mrs. Sanderson and have been working
with her for the last six years. I know that they have had
trouble and I know that she and he have separated prior to
April 6th, 1959, but they went back together again, and I do
know that she and he have been living separate and apart since
April 6th, 1959. I know that they used to quarrel violently
because one time I came by the house and they were quarreling
to such an extent that she would not let me in.

There are no children born to this marriage and she
and he have been living separate and apart since the 6th of
April, 1959.

Vandora V. Harkins
VANDORA V. HARKINS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May,
1959.

Elizabeth H. Box
Commissioner

MARY E. SANDERSON,	I	
		IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
Complainant,	I	
		BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,
-VS -	I	
		IN EQUITY
F. LEWIS SANDERSON,	I	
Respondent.	I	

I, ELIZABETH H. BOX, Commissioner in the divorce suit of MARY E. SANDERSON vs. F. LEWIS SANDERSON, now pending in the Equity side of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, hereby certify that I have caused the witnesses in this cause, namely, MARY E. SANDERSON and VANDORA V. HARKINS to appear before me at the office of E. G. Rickarby, in the City of Fairhope, Baldwin County, Alabama, where said witnesses, after being first duly sworn by me, upon examination of E. G. Rickarby, Esquire, did testify as shown by the attached testimonies, and that their testimonies was reduced to writing as given by them as near as might be in their identical language and, after being so reduced to writing, was read over by said witnesses who assented to and signed the same in my presence.

I further certify that I am not of counsel or kin to either of the parties to the cause, nor anywise interested in the results thereof.

IN WITNESS, I hereunto set my hand as Commissioner on this the 23 day of May, 1959.

Elizabeth H. Box

 Commissioner

E. G. RICKARBY

392 FAIRHOPE AVENUE
FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

June 3, 1959

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

Dear Mrs. Duck:

Re: Sanderson vs. Sanderson
File: 4192

I have a bill filed in this case. Enclosed find
Divorce Decree, Answer and Waiver, Note of Evidence
and testimonies, together with check for costs in
the sum of \$26.00.

Please enter same and phone me when everything is
ready. Thanks.

Yours very truly,



EGR/ts
Encl.

MARY E. SANDERSON,	I	
COMPLAINANT,	I	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
-VS-	I	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,
F. LEWIS SANDERSON,	I	IN EQUITY.
RESPONDENT.	I	

TESTIMONY OF MARY E. SANDERSON, COMPLAINANT:

MARY E. SANDERSON, being first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows, to-wit:

~~My name is MARY E. SANDERSON and I am bringing this bill for divorce against my husband, F. LEWIS SANDERSON. We are both over the age of twenty-one years and we have both been living in Fairhope, Baldwin County, Alabama, since 1951, I know, and maybe even before that time, and we are still living here in Baldwin County, Alabama.~~

My husband and I were married on the 15th day of September, 1948, and lived together as husband and wife until the 6th day of April, 1959, when we separated. The marriage has not gone well and we have had bickering and quarreling and he has made threats to beat me up and has slapped me one or two times. On Sunday, April, the 5th, he was drinking and abusive and threatened to beat me up. I feared that he would strike me and commit actual violence upon my person with danger to my life or health because he has struck me before.

I left him the next day because I could not continue this marriage, because I feared that if I did stay, I would be seriously hurt by him.

There are no children born to this marriage.

I am asking nothing from him except that he get out of my house and return to me my household furniture. He can take his car and air conditioner and clothes.

Mary E. Sanderson
MARY E. SANDERSON

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of May, 1959.

Elizabeth N. Boy
Commissioner

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COMPLAINANT	Ø	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
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F. LEWIS SANDERSON	Ø	
RESPONDENT	Ø	

O R I G I N A L B I L L

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

Comes MARY E. SANDERSON and by this her Bill of Complaint presented against F. LEWIS SANDERSON, respectfully shows:

FIRST: Complainant and Respondent are both over the age of twenty-one years and both are now and have been for over three years next preceding the filing of this Bill of Complaint bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama.

SECOND: Complainant and Respondent were lawfully married at Folkston, Georgia, on, to wit, the 15th day of September 1948.

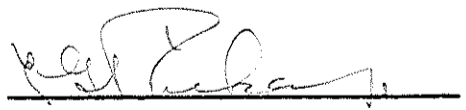
THIRD: That Complainant and Respondent lived together as husband and wife, until the 6th day of April 1959, when Complainant had to separate because of the grounds hereinafter are stated.

FOURTH: That the Respondent since marriage has become addicted to habitual drunkenness.

FIFTH: That the Respondent has committed actual violence upon the person of his wife, attending with danger to her life or health, and from his conduct Complainant has reasonable grounds of apprehensions of actual physical violence, attended with danger to her life and health.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Complainant prays that the Court will make an order requiring the Respondent to plead, answer and demur to this cause within the time prescribed by law.

Complainant further prays upon final hearing of this cause the Court will render a decree forever divorcing her from the said Respondent, and granting her such other different and further relief as to equity may seem meet.



E. G. Rickarby
Solicitor for Complainant

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TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE SAID STATE-GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon F. LEWIS SANDERSON to appear and plead, answer, or demur, within thirty days from the service hereof, to a Bill of Complaint filed in the Circuit Court in Equity for Baldwin County, of said State, at Bay Minette, Alabama, against F. LEWIS SANDERSON, Defendant, by MARY E. SANDERSON Complainant(to a copy of which Bill said defendant will be entitled on application to the Register).

Witness my hand, this 23 day of April 1959

Alice Duck
Mrs. Alice Duck, REGISTER

Ed. April 28, 1958

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Mary E. Sanderson

vs.

E. Lewis Sanderson

Received 24 day of April 1957
and on 28 day of April 1957
served a copy of the within Compt
on E. Lewis Sanderson
by service on _____

TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff
By E. Leigh Steadman

Fairhope, Ala

Sheriff claims 70 miles at
Ten Cents per mile Total \$ 7.00
TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff
BY Steadman
DEPUTY SHERIFF

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ANSWER AND WAIVER

Comes the Respondent in the above styled cause and for answer to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause and each and every paragraph thereof, separately and severally, says:

1. Respondent admits the allegations contained in the First Paragraph of the Bill of Complaint.
2. Respondent admits the allegations contained in the Second Paragraph of the Bill of Complaint.
3. Respondent admits the allegations contained in the Third Paragraph of the Bill of Complaint.
4. Respondent denies the allegations contained in the Fourth Paragraph of the Bill of Complaint and demands strict proof of the same.
5. Respondent denies the allegations contained in the Fifth Paragraph of the Bill of Complaint and demands strict proof of the same.

Respondent hereby accepts service of a copy of the Summons and Complaint in this cause and waives further notice of the same. The Respondent also waives notice of taking of testimony in this cause and notice of submission of said cause and agrees that the testimony may be taken and the cause submitted without further notice to him.

F. Lewis Sanderson
F. LEWIS SANDERSON

STATE OF ALABAMA)
BALDWIN COUNTY)

I, the undersigned notary public in and for said state and county, certify that F. Lewis Sanderson, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal this the 21st day of May, 1959.
My commission expires June 10, 1962.

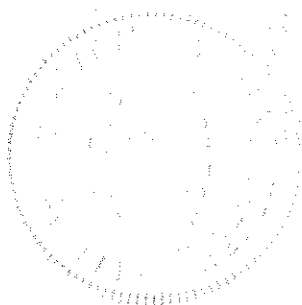
Helen Bailey
NOTARY PUBLIC

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