

## TO THE HONORABLE JOHN D. LEIGH, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

### SITTING IN EQUITY

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

Your cratrix, Helen Graham, of the City and County of Mobile, State of Alabama, who is over the age of twenty-one years, respectfully exhibits this her Bill of Complaint against William Dubroca, who is over the age of twenty-one years, and is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, respectfully showing as follows, viz:

1. That your Oratrix is in the peaceable possession of the following land, viz:

Lots 19 and 20 in a plat of lots surveyed by Gavin B. Yuille, Jr., on lands belonging to Cyrus Sibley, Esq., in Township 5 South, Range 2 East, which plat is recorded in Book E. page 388 of the Records of Baldwin County, Alabama;

and that she claims to own the same in her own right.

- 2. Your Oratrix further shows that her title to said land is denied or disputed by the Respondent, and that said Respondent claims or is reputed to claim some right, title or interest in or encumbrance upon said lands;
- Your Oratrix further shows that no suit is pending to enforce or test the validity of such title, claim or encumbrance, and your Oratrix calls upon said Respondent to set forth and specify his title, claim, interest, or encumbrance upon said lands and to show how and by what instrument or instruments the same is derived andcreated.

Your Oratrix prays that upon the hearing of this cause your Honor will quiet the title of your Oratrix in and to the above described lands as against the said Respondent, and that Your Honor will further decree that the Respondent has no right, title or interest in or encumbrance upon said lands. Your Oratrix further prays that if she has not asked for the proper relief that Your Honor will grant to her such other, further and different

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Your Oratrix further prays that the said William Dubroca be made a party respondent to this Bill, and that your Honor will direct the Register of this Honorable Court to give notice by publication to the said William Dubroca commanding him to appear before this Honorable Court and to stand to and abide such orders and decrees as to this Honorable Court may seem meet and proper in this cause.

And your Oratrix will ever pray, etc.

Solicitors for Complainant

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The Respondent is required to answer each and every allegation of the foregoing Bill of Complaint, but not under oath, otah to said answer being hereby expressly waived.

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HELEN GRAHAM.

Complainant,

-vs-

WILLIAM DUBROCA.

Respondent.

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

### AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF MOBILE.

Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Helen Graham, who is known to me, who being by me first duly sworn deposes and says that she is the complainant in the foregoing cause; that the address of the said William Dubroca is unknown to affiant; that affiant has made diligent efforts to ascertain his address, that she has caused an abstract of the title to the property described in the Bill of Complaint in said cause to be made; that she has caused inquiries to be made of the mother of the said William Dubroca, but that she has been unable to get any information as to the present address of the said William Dubroca, and that affiant is informed and believes and upon such information and belief states that the said William Dubroca is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that he is over the age of twenty-one years.

Helen Graham

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this / day of June, 1926.

Notary Public, Mobile County Alabama,

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# HOGAN & MITCHELL FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING MOBILE, ALABAMA

August 28, 1926.

Hon. T. W. Richerson, Register Circuit Court, Bay Minette, Alabama.

Dear Mr. Richerson:

We are enclosing herewith a motion for a decree pro confesso in the case of Helen Graham v. William Dubroca. If everything is in due form we shall be glad for you to enter a decree pro confesso on proof of publication. We presume that proof of publication has been filed. If it has not, will you not please request the editor to file same and send us a bill for his services.

Very truly yours,

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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of June,1926.

Notary Public, Mobile County, Alabama.

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That certain land in Baldwin County, Alabama, described as follows:

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY, NO. 553.

#### FINAL DECREE

This cause being at issue, and coming on to be heard, and being submitted on the pleadings and evidence, as noted in the note of evidence, and the averments of the Bill of Complaint being sustained by legal and competent evidence to the satisfaction of the court, and it appearing to the court that the complainant is entitled to relief prayed for;

It is now therefore, hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed that the complainant have the decree as prayed for in her Bill of Complaint herein, against the land described in said Bill of Complaint as hereinafter set out, and against the defendants and each of them, and that all claims of the defendants, viz: Any and all persons, other than the accomplaint and those hereinafter named or described, claiming any right, title or interest therein, and against the unknown heirs and devisees of Maximillian Dubroca, and against the unknown heirs and devisees of Maximillian Brue, Georgia C. Brue, Vannie McCartle, Leo Brue, Adelaide Chastang, Maud Chastang, Ben Brue, Clewis Brue, Ollie Brue, Clotilde Brue,

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to be all the heirs and devisees of the said Maximillian Dubroca,
and each of them, in or to said lands or any part thereof, are
hereby adjudged and decreed to be invalid and void, and the
Complainant is hereby declared and adjudged to be the true and
lawful owner of said lots which are more particularly described
as follows, viz: That certain tract or parcel of land in Baldwin
County, Alabama, more particularly described as follows, viz:

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and that the title to said lands, both in law and in equity is hereby adjudged and decreed to be in the complainant, the said Helen Graham; and it is further adjudged and decreed by the court that the said complainant's title to said lands is hereby quieted against all claims or demands of any and all persons claiming any title to, interest in, lien or incumbrance upon said lands.

It is further ordered and decreed that the Register of this Court shall within thirty days from the rendition of this decree, prepare and file a certified copy thereof in the office of the Judge of Probate of Baldwin County, Alabama, for record, and tax the expense thereof as a part of the costs of this cause; and it is further directed that the Judge of the Probate Court shall record such copy and index the same in the same manner in which deeds are recorded and indexed.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the title herein established in the complainant shall inure to the benefit of all persons who derive title to said lands, or any part thereof, or any interest therein from or through complainant.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the complainant pay the costs of this cause, for which execution may issue.

Done at Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, this 26\*\*day of September, 1926.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

IN EQUITY

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This cause coming on to be heard, was submitted for decree on the pleadings and decree pro confesso, as noted, and upon consideration thereof, the court is of the opinion that the complainant is entitled to relief.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed that the respondent has no right, title or interest in or incumbrance upon the following described lands, or any part thereof, viz:

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It is further ordered that the Register of this court shall within thirty days from the rendition of this decree, file a certified copy of this decree in the office of the Probate Judge of Baldwin County, Alabama, for record therein, and that the costs thereof be taxed in the costs of this cause.

It is further ordered that the complainant pay the costs of this cause, for which execution may issue.

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Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama. Filliam Dubrona.

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