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

GEORGIA CHESSHER

Complainant

VS.

SAMUEL CHESSHER

Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Decree Pro Confesso~~
on Answer & Waiver of the Respondent 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 here-
before existing between the Complainant and Defendant be, and the same are hereby, dissolved,
and that the said GEORGIA CHESSHER
is forever divorced from the said SAMUEL CHESSHER

for and on account of ABANDONMENT

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the
Complainant, Georgia Chessher, be, and she is hereby awarded the care,
custody and control of the minor child, Moses Samuel Chessher.

It is further 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 further ordered that the Complainant and Respondent be, and they are hereby permitted
to again contract marriage upon the payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that Complainant

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

This 18th day of May, 1940

J. M. Hare
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

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

vs. Complainant

Respondent

DIVORCE DECREE

Filed this _____ day of

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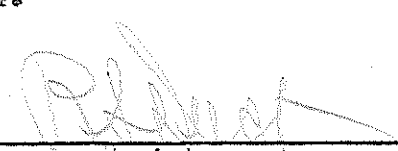
Register

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY.

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA-- GREETINGS:

WE COMMAND YOU, that you summon SAMUEL CHESSHER to be and appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, exercising Chancery Jurisdiction within thirty days after the service of the summons, and there to answer, plead or demur without oath to a bill of complaint lately exhibited by GEORGIA CHESSHER against the said SAMUEL CHESSHER, and further to do and perform what the said Judge shall order and direct in that behalf, and this the Respondent shall in no wise omit, under penalty of the law. And we further command that you return this writ with your execution thereon to our said Court immediately upon the execution thereof.

WITNESS, R. S. DUCK, Register of said Circuit Court, this the
17 day of May, 1944.


Register.

GEORGIA CHESSHER,
COMPLAINANT

VS

SAMUEL CHESSHER
RESPONDENT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

IN EQUITY.

TO HONORABLE F. W. HARE, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,
IN EQUITY:

Now comes Your Complainant, GEORGIA CHESSHER and humbly complaining against the Respondent, SAMUEL CHESSHER, respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

1.

That the Complainant and the Respondent are both bona fide residents of Baldwin County, Alabama, and are over the age of twenty one years;

2.

That they were married in Bay Minette, Alabama, on June 10th, 1939, and lived together as husband and wife until to-wit the 15th day of June, 1943.

3.

That on, to-wit, the 15th day of June, 1943, the Respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of the Complainant, and has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time.

That there was born to said marriage one child, MOSES SAMUEL CHESSHER, now four years old; that the said child has been with the Complainant all its life, and that she is a suitable, fit and proper person to have the care, custody and control of the said child, and that she is ready, able and willing to care for and provide for him in the proper way.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, complainant prays that your Honor will, by proper process, make the said SAMUEL CHESSHER party Respondent to this cause of action, requiring him to plead, answer or demur to the same within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

Complainant further prays that your Honor will, upon the hearing hereof, enter an order and decree granting to the Complainant an absolute decree of divorce, forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between her and the Respondent; and that she be awarded the care, custody and control of the said minor child, MOSES SAMUEL CHESSHER.

Complainant prays for such other, further, different or general relief as she may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive, and as in duty bound she will ever pray.

BEEBE & HALL

By *[Signature]*
Solicitors for the Complainant.

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GEORGIA CHESSHER, COMPLAINANT

VS

SAMUEL CHESSNER, RESPONDENT

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GEORGIA CHESSHER, COMPLAINANT

VS.

SAMUEL CHESSHER, RESPONDENT

ANSWER AND WAIVER

*Received May 17 1945
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P. H. H.*

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

TO

Lillian Patterson

KNOW YE: That we, having full faith in your prudence and competency, have appointed you Commissioner, and by these presents do authorize you, at such time and place as you may appoint, to call before you and examine Georgia Chessher, and M. P. Wallace

as witnesses in behalf of the Complainant in a cause pending in our Circuit Court of Baldwin County, of said State, wherein Georgia Chessher

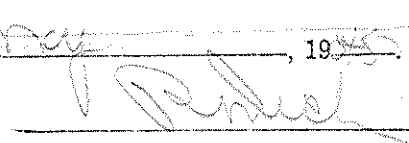
Complainant
and Samuel Chessher

Defendant,

on oath to be by you administered, upon Georgia Chessher and M. P. Wallace

to take and certify the depositions of the witnesses and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness day of May, 1925



REGISTER

Commissioner's Fee \$

Witness' Fees, \$

NO. 1338

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

Complainant _____

vs.

Defendant _____

Commission To Take Deposition

COMMISSIONER:

Witnesses:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

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GEORGIA CHESSHER

Complainant

VS.

SAMUEL CHESSHER

Respondent

I, Lillian Patterson
as Register and Commissioner
have called and caused to come before me Georgia Chessher and M. P. Wallace

witness es named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 7th day of May
1945, at the office of Beebe & Hall
in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness es to speak the
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Georgia Chessher, and
M. P. Wallace doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Georgia Chesher. I am a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and over twenty-one years of age. I have been a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, all my life. The Respondent is over twenty-one years of age and a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama.

The Respondent and I married at Bay Minette, Alabama, on June 10, 1939. We lived together as husband and wife, in Baldwin County, Alabama, until June 15, 1943. On June 15, 1943, the Respondent voluntarily abandoned my bed and board and has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time. He has not during that time, contributed anything toward my support, or the support of our minor child.

We have one child, Moses Samuel Chesher, four years old, who has all of his life been living with me. Either I, or my parents have had to support and maintain him all of his life. The Respondent has contributed nothing toward his support.

The Respondent moves about from place to place and has no suitable place to maintain and care for the child. I live with my parents, who are devoted to the child and who have all the life of the child cared for him. They have a good home and the child is perfectly satisfied with them and with me.

Georgia Chessher

M. P. Wallace a witness for the Complainant being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is M. P. Wallace. I live at Lodley, in Baldwin County, Alabama. The Complainant in this cause is my daughter. The Complainant and the Respondent married at Bay Minette, Alabama, on June 10th, 1939. They lived together as husband and wife until June 15, 1943, when the Respondent voluntarily abandoned the Complainant. They have one child, who is now and has all its life been living with me and its grandmother. We have cared for it, together with our daughter. We have a home and our daughter and the child live with us.

M. P. Wallace

ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Lillian Patterson, ~~as Register and~~ Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition ~~on~~ Oral Examination was taken down by me in writing in the words of the witness ~~es~~ and read over to them and ~~they~~ signed the same in the presence of myself and H. M. Hall at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness ~~es~~ or had proom 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 7th day of May, 1945.

Lillian Patterson (L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

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Oral Deposition

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P. H. Hall, Register.

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GEORGIA CHESSHER

COMPLAINANT

vs.

SAMUEL CHESSHER

RESPONDENT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complainant upon the original Bill of Complaint, _____
Answer and Waiver of the Respondent, and testimony of Georgia Chessher,
and M. P. Wallace.

and in behalf of Defendant upon _____

Register.

No. 1388

The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

VS.

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this 17

day of May 1934

[Handwritten Signature]

REGISTER