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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT.

Moore Ptg. Co—Bay Minette.

J.D.Hall,

No.

vs.

Arthier Watkins Hall,

The State of Alabama,

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, in Equity.

This the 13th day of

February, 1930

In this cause it being made to appear to the Clerk of this Court by the affidavit of
C.L.Hybert, Agent for Complainant,

that the Defendant Arthier Watkins Hall,

is a non-resident of the State of Alabama and that his place of residence is
unknown to affiant, and cannot be ascertained after reasonable
effort,

and further, that, in the belief of said Affiant the Defendant is over the age of 21
years; it is, therefore, ordered that publication be made in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper publish-
ed in Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring
Arthier Watkins Hall, the said Defendant,

to answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 15th day of
March, 1930, or after thirty days therefrom a decree Pro Confesso may be
taken against the said Arthier Watkins Hall,

C.L.Hybert
Atty for Complainant.

J.W. Rescison
Register.

The State of Alabama, } Circuit Court of Baldwin County, In Equity,
Baldwin County.

To any Sheriff of the State of Alabama—GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Arthier Watkins Hall,

of Baldwin County, to be and appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, exercising Chancery jurisdiction, within thirty days after the service of Summons, and there to answer, plead or demur, without oath, to a Bill of Complaint lately exhibited by

J.D.Hall,

against said

Arthier Watkins Hall,

and further to do and perform what said Judge shall order and direct in that behalf. And this the said Defendant shall in no wise omit, under penalty, etc. And we further command that you return this writ with your endorsement thereon, to our said Court immediately upon the execution thereof.

WITNESS, T. W. Richerson, Register of said Circuit Court, this 19th day of

July, 1929

T.W. Richerson Register

N. B.—Any party defendant is entitled to a copy of the bill upon application to the Register.

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STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY.

R. B. Vail

being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is
the PUBLISHER of THE BALDWIN TIMES, a Weekly Newspaper published at Bay
Minette,, Baldwin County, Alabama; that the notice hereto attached of _____

J. D. Hall

vs

Arthier Hall

issues:

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Subscribed and sworn to before the undersigned this 27 day of

March

1930

R. B. Vail

Publisher.

J. W. Richardson
Clerk Circuit Court.

The State of Alabama, }
BALDWIN COUNTY.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

No. 829 Vacation Term, 192³⁰

J.D. Hall

Complainants

vs.

Arthier Watkins Hall

Defendants

Motion is hereby made for a Decree Pro Confesso against

Arthier Watkins Hall

Defendant

in the annexed stated cause, on the ground that more than thirty days have elapsed since the perfection of publication was made under the order of this Court; and it having been shown by due proof to the Court that said Defendant is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and has failed to answer, plead or demur to the Bill in this cause, to the date hereof.

This 5th day of July 192³⁰

C. L. Hybart

746 Code.

Solicitor.

8581 NOTE OF TESTIMONY

J.D.Hall

vs.

Artheir Watkins Hall

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,.....

~~J.D.Hall, Mrs. M.E.Strength~~ Depositions of J.D.Hall and.....

Mrs. M.E.Strength, Decree Pro Confesso.....

and in behalf of Defendant upon.....

J.M. Rice

Register.

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

{ CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.
No. 829 Vacation Term, 192³⁰

J. D. Hall

Complainant

Arthier Watkins Hall

vs.

Defendant

In this cause it appears to the Register T. W. Richerson that the order of publication heretofore made in this cause, was published for four consecutive weeks, commencing on the 13th day of February, 19³⁰, in the Baldwin Times

a newspaper published in Bay Minette Alabama, that a copy of said order was posted at the Court House door in Baldwin County, on the 13th day of February, 19³⁰, ~~and~~

And it now further appearing to the Register T. W. Richerson, that the said

Arthier Watkins Hall

having to the date hereof failed to demur, plead to or answer the Bill of Complaint in this cause, it is now, therefore, on motion of Complainant, ordered and decreed by the Register that the Bill of Complaint in this cause be, and it hereby is in all things taken as confessed against the said Arthier Watkins Hall

This 5th day of July, 19³⁰

T. W. Richerson

Register.

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

To ~~Hon. Honorable~~, C. W. Williams

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 J. D. Hall, Mrs. M. E. Strength.

as witnesses in behalf of Complainant, in a cause pending in our Circuit Court of Baldwin County, of said State, wherein J.D.Hall,

Artheir Watkins Hall, Complainant
and

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

Witness 29th day of April 1931.

T. W. Rice

REGISTER

COMMISSIONER'S FEE, \$

WITNESS' FEES, \$

8550 REQUEST FOR DECREE IN VACATION.

MOORE PTC CO.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

No. _____ Vacation _____ Term, 19231

.....J.D.Hall....., Complainant

vs.

.....Artheir Watkins Hall....., Defendant

ToT.W.Richerson....., Register :

In the above stated cause a Decree Pro Confesso having been taken against the Defendant, and evidence having been taken, and the cause being ready for submission for final decree, and no defense having been interposed, the Complainant, byC.L.Hybart.....

.....Solicitor of record, now files with the Register of this Court this written request to deliver the papers in this cause to the Judge for final decree in vacation.

.....C.L.Hybart.....
Solicitor for Complainant.

J. D. Hall

vs.

Arthier Watkins Hall

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

BALDWIN

OF

~~Monroe~~ County, Alabama.

IN EQUITY.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of C. L. Hybart, Agent
for J. D. Hall, Complainant
that the defendant Arthier Watkins Hall

is, in the belief of affiant, a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his place of residence is
unknown to affiant, and can not be ascertained after reasonable effort, and further, that in the belief of
affiant said Arthier Watkins Hall is over the age of twenty-one years.

Ch Hybart
Agent for Complainant.

Sworn to before me this 6th day of February 1980

Janice Beel Loughart
Notary Public, Monroe County, Ala.
~~Monroe~~

J. D. HALL

VS

ARTHIER WATKINS HALL

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

IN EQUITY

TO HON. F. W. HARE, JUDGE OF THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ALA.

Your Orator J. D. Hall, humbly complaining of the Respondent Arthier Watkins Hall in a matter of divorce shows unto your Honor as follows:

FIRST

That both she and the Respondent are over the age of twenty-one years and are residents of the State of Alabama. That the Respondent is a resident of Fayette, Ala.

SECOND

Your Orator further shows that in July, 1927 he and the said Respondent were married to each other at Fayette, Alabama and immediately moved to Baldwin County, Alabama where they resided up until February, 1928, when the Respondent ran away from the home of your Orator with another man and engaged in acts of adultery with him. The name of said man is unknown to your Orator. That since said Respondent left with the aforesaid party your Orator has had nothing to do with her nor has he seen her since.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS

To the end that equity may be had in the premises your Orator prays that the usual writ of process issue to the said Respondent, making him party defendant to the foregoing bill of complaint and requiring him to plead, answer or demur to the same within the time as required by law.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

PREMISES CONSIDERED: Your Orator prays that on a final hearing of this cause your Honor will grant to him an absolute divorce from the said Arthier Watkins Hall and permit him to again contract marriage should he see fit and so desire. Complainant prays for such other, further and general relief as in equity and good conscience he may be entitled to receive.

C. F. Hybort
SOLICITOR FOR COMPLAINANT

FOOTNOTE: Respondent is required to answer Paragraphs one and two of the foregoing bill of complaint, but not under oath, answer under oath being hereby expressly waived.

C. F. Hybort
SOLICITOR FOR COMPLAINANT

The State of Alabama, { No. 829
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, in Equity.

J.D.Hall Complainant.....

vs.

Artheir Watkins Hall Defendant.....

This cause, coming on to be heard at this Term, was submitted upon the Bill of Complaint, decree pro confesso and the testimony as noted by the Register; and upon consideration thereof, the Court is of 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 the Complainant is forever divorced from the Defendant.

....Adultery on the part of Respondent.....

It further orderd, that the said J.D.Hall

be, and..... he is hererby permitted to again contract marriage, upon the payment of the costs of Court in this cause.

It is further ordered, that the said J.D.Hall

pay the costs herein taxed, for which execution may issue, and if such execution is returned "no property found," then execution for such costs may issue against the said

.....Artheir Watkins Hall.....

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that said J.D.Hall

shall not again marry except to said Artheir Watkins Hall until sixty days after this date, and that if an appeal is taken within sixty days he shall not

marry again except to said Artheir Watkins Hall

..... during the said pendency of appeal

This 8th day of

May

1931

J.W. Hare
Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County.

STATE OF ALABAMA, {
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court, in Equity.

I, Register of said Circuit Court of said County, Alabama, do hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of the decree rendered by said Court on the day of 192.....

in the cause of Complainant.....

vs.

..... Defendant.....
as appears of record in said Court.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this the day of 192.....

Register

NO. 829

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY,
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALA.

J.D. Hall

vs.

Artheir Watkins Hall

DECREE OF DIVORCE.

Filed in office this 9th

day of May, 1931

T.W. Pilemon
Register.

E. O. M.

No. 829

J. W. 2d

vs.

Arthur Watkins Hall

AFFIDAVIT OF NON-RESIDENT

Made before the Register this

8th

day of

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J. W. 2d

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

J.D.Hall

vs.

Artheir Watkins Hall

REQUEST FOR DECREE IN
VACATION

FILED May 7th 1931

J. M. Rice

Register

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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT

J.D. Hall

Complainant
vs.

Artheir Watkins Hall,

Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

Hon. G. B. Boone
Hon. O. W. Williams

WITNESSES:

J.D. Hall

Wm M & Strong

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The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

J. D. Hall

vs.

Arthier Watkins Hall

**DECREE PRO CONFESSO
OF PUBLICATION**

Issued 5th day of July, 1930
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Register.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN EQUITY,
CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY.

J.D. Hall

VS

Artheir Watkins Hall

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this 7th

day of May 1931

J. W. [Signature]
Register

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STATE OF ALABAMA,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

J. D. Hall

Complainants.

Vs.

Arthier Watkins Hall

Defendants.

MOTION FOR DECREE PRO
CONFESSO ON PUBLICATION.

Filed July 5, 1930 ~~1929~~

T. W. Mc...

Register.

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Register.

Baldwin Times Print, Bay Minette.

J.D. Hall
Q.S.

Artists Hall

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R.M. Hall
Agent

Original

SERVE ON _____

**Circuit Court of Baldwin County
In Equity.**

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J.D.Hall

vs.

Arthier Watkins Hall.

C.L.Hybart,

Monroeville, Ala.

Solicitor for Complainant

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Fayette - Ala.

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY**

Received in office this 19th

day of July 192 9.

Sheriff.

Executed this _____ day of

192

by leaving a copy of the within Summons with

Defendant.

Sheriff.

By

Deputy Sheriff.

Not found in the
said County of
Fayette, Ala.

C. Drwin
By Jc. Sheriff

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SERVE ON _____

Circuit Court of Baldwin County
In Equity.

No. _____

SUMMONS

J.D. Hall

vs.
Arthier Watkins Hall.

C. L. Hyhart,

Monroeville, Ala.

Solicitor for Complainant

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

Received in office this 19th
day of July 1929.

Sheriff.

Executed this _____ day of
_____ 1929
by leaving a copy of the within Summons with

Defendant.

Sheriff.

By _____
Deputy Sheriff.

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J. D. Hare
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Columbia, Md.

The State of Alabama
Baldwin CountyCircuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama,
(In Equity)J. D. Hall

COMPLAINANT

VS.

Arthier Watkins Hall

RESPONDENT

I, C. W. Williams~~as Registrar and Commissioner~~ in the above causehave called and caused to come before me J. D. HallMrs. M. E. Strengthwitnesses named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 2nd day of May1931, at the office of Frank G. Hornein Atmore, Alabama, and having first sworn said witnesses to speak thetruth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said J. D. Hall and Mrs.M. E. Strength do ~~not~~ depose and say as follows:

My name is J. D. Hall. I am the complainant in the above styled cause. I am a resident of Baldwin County but I have been in other Counties working the past year. The respondent is a non resident and her whereabouts are unknown to me. I have tried to locate her before the filing of this suit but I have been unable to find her. We are both over the age of twenty one years. I married the respondent on the 31st day of July, 1927 at Fayette, Alabama and we moved right after that to Baldwin County where we lived as man and wife until on or about the 27th day of ~~January~~ ^{February} 1931 that day the respondent left my home in company with some man whose name and identity is unknown to me. She told me at the time that he was her man and he was coming to get her and she did not love me any more and preferred this man to me and was leaving with him. And she left with him. She packed all her things in ~~xxxxxx~~ Simmons wagon and she got in the stranger's car and left me. She told me that he was her man and that whenever he came she was going to leave with him, that she did not love me any more and that she was through with me. I have never forgiven her for her conduct and I have never lived with her since and I have not even seen her since.



Mrs. M. E. Watkins

My name is Mrs. M. E. Watkins. I know the respondent Arthur Watkins Hall and the complainant J. D. Hall. They are both over the age of twenty one years. J. D. Hall lives in Baldwin County, Alabama but is working in different places now. ~~xxxxxx~~ The respondent is a non resident and I don't know where she is. I was at their home on or about the 27th day of February, 1928 and she left there in company with some stranger who had come for her. She sold all the household goods and left with this man. I went to the house where they were living and the complainant was there and the respondent was gone and the complainant told me then that the respondent was out in the woods hiding out to catch her man before he got to the house and to see him. Then in a few minutes she came up to the house ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ and was in company with the man I saw both of them come out of the woods out to the side of the house and was her man who had come for her and that she was going with him. She told the complainant that she did not love him any longer and would not live with him but that her man had come and she loved him and was going to ~~xxx~~ leave with him. She left with him and she has never returned and I know that he has never lived with her since.

Mrs. M. E. Watkins, being first duly sworn to speak the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth testified as follows:

ORAL EXAMINATION

I, C. W. WILLIAMS, as ~~Register and~~ Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition S on Oral Examination was taken down in writing by me in the words of the witnesses and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself and each other at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witnesses or had proof made before me of the identity of said witnesses; 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 2nd day of May 1931.

C. W. Williams (L. S.)

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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

COMPLAINANT
vs.
RESPONDENT

ORAL DEPOSITION

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C. W. Williams, Register
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