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ADA PRICE,
Complainant,
vs.
CHARLES H. PRICE,
Respondent.

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

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon the original Bill of Complaint, decree pro confesso and testimony as noted by the Register, and the Court, after due consideration, is of the opinion that the complainant is entitled to the relief prayed for;

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the complainant and the respondent be, and the same are hereby dissolved, and the complainant is forever divorced from the respondent on the ground of cruelty.

It is further ORDERED that the complainant be and she is hereby permitted to again contract marriage upon the payment of the costs in this cause.

It is further ORDERED that the complainant pay the costs herein taxed, for which execution may issue.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the said ADA PRICE shall not again marry, except to the said CHARLES H. PRICE, until sixty days after this date, and that if an appeal is taken within sixty days, she shall not again marry, except to the said CHARLES H. PRICE, during the pendency of the appeal.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the complainant, ADA PRICE, have the custody, care and control of the minor child, Ada Miriam Price, subject to the further orders of this court.

Dated at Bay Minette, in Baldwin County, Alabama, this the 14th day of October, 1936.

J. W. Kare
Judge of the Circuit Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama.

ADA PRICE,
Complainant

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

VS

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

CHARLES H. PRICE,
Respondent.

IN EQUITY

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon the original Bill of Complaint, decrees pro confesso and testimony as noted by the Register, and the Court, after due consideration, is of the opinion that the Complainant is entitled to the relief prayed for;

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the complainant and the respondent be, and the respondent be, and the same are hereby dissolved, and the complainant is forever divorced from the respondent on the ground of cruelty.

It is further ordered that the Complainant be and she is hereby permitted to again contract marriage upon the payment of the costs in this cause.

It is further ORDERED that the Complainant pay the costs herein taxed, for which execution may issue.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the said ADA PRICE shall not again marry, except to the said CHARLES H. PRICE, until sixty days after this date, and that if an appeal is taken within sixty days, she shall not again marry, except to the said CHARLES H. PRICE, during the pendency of the appeal.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the complainant, ADA PRICE, have the custody, care and control of the minor child, Ada Miriam Price, subject to the further orders of this court.

Dated at Bay Minette, in Baldwin County, Alabama, this the 14th day of October, 1936.

I, Alice J. Duck, 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 above stated cause, which said decree is on file and enrolled in my office.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS THE _____ day of _____, 19____

F. W. Hare /s/
Judge of the Circuit Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama.

The State of Alabama, }
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT

To Ida M. Murrah

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 Ada Price and Edna Chopton

as witnesses in behalf of Complainant in a cause pending in our Circuit Court of Baldwin County, of said State, wherein Ada Price is

and Chopton Price Complainant

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

Witness 29 day of July 1936
[Signature]

COMMISSIONER'S FEE, \$ 5.00

REGISTER

WITNESS' FEES, \$ _____

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

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama—GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon ^{H.} CHARLES/PRICE

of _____ 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

ADA PRICE

against said ^{H.} CHARLES/PRICE

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, Robert S. Duck, Register of said Circuit Court, this 13th day of June 1936

R. S. Duck Register

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

Ada Price

vs.

Chas Price

CIRCUIT COURT OF
Baldwin County.

IN EQUITY.

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register that on the 13th
day of June 1936, a copy of the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause was
sent to Chas Price

Defendant, by registered mail, postage prepaid, marked "For delivery only to the person to whom
addressed," and return receipt demanded addressed to the Register of this Court; and that on the
18th day of June 1936 such receipt was duly
received and filed in this cause.

And it further appearing to the Register that the said Defendant has failed to plead, answer
or demur to the said Bill to the date hereof, it is now, therefore, on motion of Complainant, ordered,
adjudged and decreed by the Register that the said Bill of Complaint be, and it hereby is in all
things taken as confessed against the said Chas Price

Defendant

This the 27 day of July 1936
R. S. Duck Register.

July 27th

The State of Alabama }
Baldwin County

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama,
(In Equity)

IDA PRICE,

COMPLAINANT

VS.

CHARLES H. PRICE,

RESPONDENT

I, IDA M. TURNBULL

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me

Ada Price and Edna Clopton,

witnesses named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 27 day of July,

1936, at the office of Beebe, Hall & Beebe,

in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said witnesses to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Ada Price and

Edna Clopton doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Ada Price, the complainant in this cause; I am over the age of twenty-one years and reside at Foley, Alabama. Charles H. Price, defendant in this cause, is over the age of twenty-one years and his residence is likewise Foley, Alabama. We have both lived in Baldwin County continuously since 1928. Charles H. Price and I were married in Birmingham on June 25th, 1921, and we lived together continuously as husband and wife until November, 1934. Charles has been a man of violent and ungovernable temper, and at numerous times before our separation he flew into fits of rage and cursed and abused and threatened to kill me. Immediately before our separation, which took place at Foley in November, 1934, he got mad without any cause whatever and not only cursed me, but struck me with his hand and attempted to strike me with a chair and would have if I hadn't ran. For several months prior to our separation he was growing worse and I feared that if I continued to live with him he would kill me, or would so injure me that my health would be ruined. We have not lived together since the time mentioned.

We have one daughter, Ada Miriam, who is fourteen years of age and who is living with me.

That in April, 1935, Charles H. Price went to Biloxi, Miss; that he has remained there continuously for more than six months next preceding the filing of the bill of complaint in this cause, so that process could not be served upon him.

Ada Price

My name is Edna Clopton; I am twenty-one years of age; I lived with Mr. and Mrs. Price during the summer and winter of

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

Comes ADA PRICE and humbly complaining against CHARLES
H. PRICE respectfully shows unto your Honor:

FIRST:

That your complainant and the said Charles H. Price are
each over the age of twenty-one years and residents of Baldwin
County, Alabama; that the said Charles H. Price has been absent
from the State for more than six months next preceding the filing
of this bill of complaint and is now at the Veterans Hospital at
Biloxi, Mississippi, so that process can not be served upon him;
that your complainant and the said Charles H. Price have continu-
ously resided in Baldwin County, Alabama, for more than three years
next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint.

SECOND:

That your complainant and the said Charles H. Price are
husband and wife, having intermarried in Birmingham, Alabama, on
June 25, 1921; that they lived together continuously as husband
and wife until the summer of 1935, when your complainant and said
defendant separated; that said separation took place at Foley, in
Baldwin County, Alabama; that the cause of said separation was
that the defendant was a man of violent and ungovernable temper
and at various times and places for more than a year preceding
their separation had cursed and abused complainant and threatened
to kill her, and that at the time of their separation, which was
the cause of their separation, the said defendant became angered
with complainant without cause, and in a fit of anger cursed and
abused complainant and struck complainant with his hand and seized
a deadly instrument and attempted to strike complainant with the
same, so that complainant feared that he would do her bodily in-
jury, and she fears that should she continue to live with him, he
would do her bodily injury or that his violence would injure or
impair her health; that your complainant immediately after the
said affair separated from the said defendant, and they have not

lived together as husband and wife since.

THIRD:

That there was born to your complainant and the said defendant one child, namely, Ada Miriam, a daughter, who is fourteen years of age and who is with your complainant.

WHEREFORE, complainant prays this Honorable Court will take jurisdiction of the cause made by this bill of complaint, and by proper process make the said Charles H. Price party defendant hereto, and require him to plead, answer or demur to the same within the time and under the pains and penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

Complainant further prays that upon a final hearing made by this bill of complaint, this Honorable Court will make and enter a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between this complainant and the said Charles H. Price, and that this Honorable Court will make and enter a decree awarding to this complainant the custody of the said child, Ada Miriam Price.

And your complainant prays for such other, further and different relief as in equity and good conscience she shall be entitled to receive in the premises.

Bebe Hall Bebe
Attorneys for Complainant.

Defendant is required to answer every allegation of this bill of complaint, Paragraphs FIRST to THIRD inclusive, but not under oath, oath being hereby expressly waived.

Bebe Hall Bebe
Attorneys for Complainant.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

BALDWIN COUNTY.

Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County, in said State, this day personally appeared W. C. BEEBE, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is attorney of record for Ada Price in the foregoing bill of complaint against Charles H. Price; that the said Charles H. Price is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama; that for more than six months next preceding the filing of said bill of complaint he has been absent from the State of Alabama and is temporarily at the Veterans Hospital in Biloxi, Mississippi, so that process can not be served upon him.

W C Beebe

Sworn to and subscribed before
me, on this the 12th day of
June, 1936.

J P Beebe
Notary Public, Baldwin County,
Alabama.

ORAL EXAMINATION

I, Ida M. Turnbull, as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing depositions 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 _____ 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 29th day of July, 1936.

Ida M. Turnbull (L. S.)

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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

IDA PERISA,

COMPLAINANT

VS.

CHARLES H. EWING,

RESPONDENT

ORAL DEPOSITION

Filed Oct. 15, 1936

P. A. Muehl, Register

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No. _____

CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN
COUNTY, ALA.

In Equity.

VS.

Decree Pro Confesso After
Notice By Registered Mail.

Filed in office this 13th day of

October, 1956
G. A. Swick, Register

Entered in O. B. _____ Page _____

Serve on _____

**Circuit Court of Baldwin County
IN EQUITY**

No. _____

S U M M O N S

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

BALDWIN COUNTY

Received in office this _____

day of _____, 193_____

SHERIFF

Executed this _____ day of _____

193_____

by leaving a copy of the within Summons with _____

vs.

Defendant

Sheriff

By _____ Deputy Sheriff

Solicitor for Complainant

Recorded in Vol. _____ Page _____

NO _____

The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT

Charles R. ...

Complainant

VS.

Charles R. ...

Defendant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

COMMISSIONER:

WITNESSES:

STATE OF ALABAMA,
BALDWIN COUNTY

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

No. _____ Term, 193_____

Ada Price

, Complainant

Vs.

C. Lass Price

, Defendant

To *Robert Duck*

, 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, by *Berke Hall*

+ Berke

Solicitors 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.

Berke Hall Berke

Solicitor for Complainant.

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

No. CIRCUIT COURT IN EQUITY.

Wes Price

Complainant

vs.

Chas Price

Defendant

Motion is hereby made for a Decree Pro Confesso against

Chas Price

Defendant

in the above stated cause, on the ground that more than thirty days have elapsed since service of summons upon said Defendant....; and that said summons was duly served according to law, and that said Defendant... has failed to demur, plead to or answer the Bill of Complaint in this cause to this date.

This

27

day of

July

19

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Beebe Hall Beebe

Solicitor.

ADA PRICE,

Complainant,

vs.

CHARLES H. PRICE,

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,

Motion for Decree Pro Confesso, Decree Pro Confesso, Testimony
of Ada Price and Edna Clopton,

and in behalf of Defendant upon

R. S. Duck

Register.

ADA PRICE,

Complainant,

vs.

CHARLES H. PRICE,

Respondent.

CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY.

IN EQUITY.

I, ROBERT S. DUCK, Register of said Court, do hereby certify that I

did, on the 13th day of June 1936, send to

CHARLES H. PRICE

Defendant.

whose address was Veterans Hospital, Biloxi, Mississippi,

and return receipt requested,

by registered mail, postage prepaid, marked "For delivery only to the person to whom addressed," a copy of the Bill

and summons

of Complaint filed in this cause, that I demanded a return receipt addressed to the Register of this Court; and that such

receipt was duly received and filed by me in this cause, on the 18th day of June 1936.

Witness my hand, this 26th day of June 1936.

Robert S. Duck

Register. 7

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Duck

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CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY.
IN EQUITY.

Ada Price

vs.

Charles H. Price

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTER AS TO NOTICE
BY REGISTERED MAIL.

Filed in office on this 26

day of June 1926

Robert S. Duck

Register.

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Duck
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The State of Alabama
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

VS.

NOTE OF TESTIMONY

Filed in Open Court this 13

day of Oct. 1936

R. S. Duck

REGISTER

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The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

vs.

MOTION FOR DECREE PRO
CONFESSO ~~ON~~ PERSONAL SERVICE

Registered Mail

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Register.

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Register.

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The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

Vs.

**REQUEST FOR DECREE IN
VACATION**

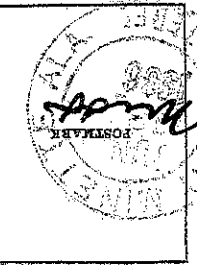
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Register.

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St. Louis

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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

Final Report on the progress of the work done during the year 1954-55 in the Department of Chemistry, University of Chicago, Illinois.

Submitted to the Board of Trustees