

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

118

COUNTY.

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

Cora Bailey,

Complainant

vs.

Dauphus Bailey,

Defendant

Oral examination before the Register of the following witnesses:

Cora Bailey

who reside in Alabama, said examination being conducted in Baldwin County, Alabama, on this the 25th day of March, and there being present

The said being first sworn to speak the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, testified as follows:

That she is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County and have lived in Baldwin County at Iatham for a period of more than the last three preceeding years. <sup>the files of this file.</sup> I am over twenty-one years of age. Dauphus Bailey is over twenty-one years of age, and reside at Tensaw, Ala.

That Cora Bailey and Dauphus Bailey were married about the year 1913 and lived together as man ~~as man~~ and wife for a period of less than one year; that sometime during the year 1914 the said Dauphus Bailey voluntarily abandoned the said Cora Bailey and have not lived with her since.

Cora Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, 1919.

W. McQuinn  
Register

Testimony of Randolph McGowin.

I know Cora and Dauphus Bailey. They were married to one another some several years back. They have not lived together as man and wife for the last two years. They live about one mile from me until they separated.

Randolph McGowin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of  
March, 1919.

J. W. McCremon

Register.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

I, J. M. McCremon, as Register

hereby certify that the foregoing deposition 6 on oral examination ..... taken down by me in writing in the words of the witness 4 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 the personal identity of the said witness 4, or had proof made before me of the identity of said witness 4; that I am not of counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said cause; or in any manner interested in the result thereof.

I enclose the said Oral Examination in an envelope to the Register of said Court, and placed the same on file in my office.

Given under my hand and seal this the 25 day of March, 1919  
J. M. McCremon (L. S.)

WITNESS FEES.

I hereby certify that the following named witnesses are entitled to the amounts stated below:

- ..... days' attendance at \$1.50 per day ..... \$
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REGISTER'S FEES.

..... days at \$1.50 per day ..... \$  
..... words at 20 cents per hundred .....

**The State of Alabama,**

\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY.

**IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.**

*Cora Bailey*

vs. Complainant,

*Aluplus Bailey*

Defendant.

**Deposition Taken Before Register on Oral Examination.**

Deposition of \_\_\_\_\_

for \_\_\_\_\_

Filed \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Published by order of the Court, \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Register.

Cora Bailey, )  
Complainant. )  
vs )  
Dauphus Bailey, )  
Defendant. )

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT,  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

IN EQUITY.

Comes Dauphus Bailey, named as defendant in this cause, and for answer denies each and every allegation of this bill of complaint and demand strict proof of same. He waives service by the sheriff of subpoena on said bill, notice of filing of interrogatories, or any proceeding to take testimony on oral examination, as well as the right to cross examine, and consents that the cause be submitted for decree on note of testimony made by the register either in term time or vacation.

Dated at Bay Minette, Alabama, this 25th day of March, 1919.

Witness:

Henry Thomas

Dauphus Bailey

STATE OF ALABAMA, )  
BALDWIN COUNTY. )

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, BALDWIN  
COUNTY, ALABAMA.  
In Equity.

TO HONORABLE A. E. GAMBLE, JUDGE OF CIRCUIT COURT, BALDWIN  
COUNTY, ALABAMA,-----In Equity.

Your Oratrix, Cora Bailey, respectfully represents  
and shows unto Your Honor as follows:

FIRST.

That she is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, and have been for a period of more than the last three  
preceeding years before the filing of this bill; that she re-  
sides at Atham, Alabama, and is over the age of twenty-one years

That Dauphus Bailey is over the age of twenty-one years  
and live at Tensaw, Alabama.

SECOND.

That your Oratrix and the said Dauphus Bailey were  
married about the year 1913 and lived together as man and wife  
for a period of less than one year; that sometime during the  
year 1914 Dauphus Bailey voluntarily abandoned your Oratrix  
and have not lived with her since.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS.

The premises considered, your Oratrix prays that  
the said Dauphus Bailey, the defendant, be made party respon-  
dent to this bill of complaint by the usual process of this  
Honorable Court, and that he be required to demur, plead to  
or answer the same within the time as provided by law, or that  
the same be forever confessed.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF.

That upon the final hearing of this cause your Honor  
will grant unto Oratrix an absolute divorce from ~~her~~ the said  
Dauphus Bailey, and that she may be allowed to again contract  
marriage; that your Honor will grant unto her such other, further  
and different relief as she may in justice and equity be entitled,  
she will ever pray, etc.

ever pray, etc.

Page & Moorer,

Attorneys for Complainant.

Foot Note:

The Respondent, Dauphus Bailey, is required to answer each and every paragraph of the foregoing complaint numbered first and second, inclusive, but not under oath, answer under oath being hereby expressly waived.

Page & Moorer,

Solicitors for Complainant.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

No. 118 Spring Term, 1919

Lora Bailey

Complainant.....

vs.

Reuben Bailey

Defendant.....

To J. M. [unclear], 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 Lora Bailey

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.

[Signature]  
Solicitor for Complainant.



*Lena Bailey*

*Daphne Bailey*

vs.

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 of Respondent and testimony  
of two witnesses*

and in behalf of Defendant upon

*J. McIlwain*

Register

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

No. 118. CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

Cora Bailey, Complainant

vs.

Dauphus Bailey, Defendant

This cause, coming on to be heard at this Term, was submitted upon the Bill of Complaint, ~~decree pro confesso~~  
answer of Respondent and testimony of Cora Bailey and  
Randolph Mc Gowan,  
and 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.....

her 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 said.....

Cora Bailey, is forever divorced from the said

Dauphus Bailey, for and on account of

Voluntary abandonment,

as alleged in said Bill of Complaint;

It is further ordered, that the said Cora Bailey, and Dauphus Bailey  
be, and she is hereby permitted to again contract marriage, upon the payment of the costs of Court in this cause.

It is further ordered, that the said Cora Bailey,  
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 Dauphus Bailey,

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that said Cora Bailey,  
shall not again marry except to said Dauphus Bailey,  
until sixty days after this date, and that if an appeal is taken within sixty days she shall not marry again except  
to said Dauphus Bailey, during the pendency of said appeal.

This 27<sup>th</sup> day of March

1919

Judge of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County.