

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 Burns Snyder

of 812 Larned Street Lansing, Michigan,  
Michigan, 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

Annie C Snyder

against said

Burns Snyder,

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 8th, day of March,

1923.

T. W. Richerson  
Register.

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

Serve on \_\_\_\_\_

Circuit Court of Baldwin County  
In Equity

No. \_\_\_\_\_

SUMMONS

Annie C Snyder

vs.

Burns Snyder.

H.M. Hall,

Solicitor for Complainant

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*Original*

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Received in office this \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_\_

Sheriff

Executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_\_

by leaving a copy of the within summons with

Defendant

Sheriff

By \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Sheriff

*Copy of Summons &  
Copy of Complaint  
sent by Reg mail to  
Burns Snyder 812 Larned  
St. Lansing Michigan.  
May 9th 1923.*

*J. W. Dickerson  
Register*

# RETURN RECEIPT.

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

*Burns Snyder*  
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(Signature or name of addressee.)

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(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, \_\_\_\_\_, 19

Form 3811

05-6116

*Filed  
May 31 1923  
T. H. Burns  
Register*

MAY 29 1923

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 1388

INSURED PARCEL

No. \_\_\_\_\_



PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE  
TO AVOID PAYMENT OF  
POSTAGE, \$300.

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING  
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to

J.W. Richardson

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number, }  
or Post Office Box, }

Post Office at

State

FAY MINETTE, ALA.  
BAY MINETTE, ALA.

ANNIE C. SNYDER,  
Complainant,  
-vs-  
BURNS SNYDER,  
Respondent.

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

TO HONORABLE JOHN D. LEIGH, JUDGE OF CIRCUIT COURT  
OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA. IN CHANCERY SITTING.

Your Oratrix Annie C. Snyder, respectfully represents  
unto your Honor as follows:

FIRST

That she is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and  
has been for more than three years preceding the filing of  
this bill, and that she is over the age of twenty-one years;  
and that the Respondent Burns Snyder when last heard from  
was living at 812 Iarned Street, Lansing, Michigan, and that  
he is over twenty-one years of age.

SECOND

That your Oratrix and Respondent were married at Bay  
Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, on the 16th day of June,  
1921, and that they lived together as man and wife until the  
early part of the year 1922.

THIRD

During their married life and prior to their separation,  
the Respondent at various times and places without any prov-  
ocation on her part became angered at her and cursed her and  
threatened to strike her, and did on to-wit: April 1, 1922,  
abuse her by hitting her on the breast with his fist.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, Complainant prays  
that your Honor will take jurisdiction of the cause made by  
this bill and by appropriate process make the said Burns Snyder

respondent to this bill of complaint and require him to plead, answer or demur to this bill of complaint within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Complainant further prays that upon the consideration of this cause your Honor will grant your Oratrix a decree of absolute divorce from the said Burns Snyder, and that Complainant may have such other, further, different and general relief as the facts in equity and good conscience may entitle her to receive, and as in duty bound, Complainant will ever pray.

H. M. Hall  
Solicitor for Complainant.

Respondent is required to answer each paragraph of the foregoing bill of complaint numbered from one to three inclusive, but not under oath. Oath is hereby expressly waived.

H. M. Hall  
Solicitor for Complainant.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

Personally appeared before me, T. W. Richerson, Register of the Chancery Court in and for said State and County, H. M. Hall, Solicitor for Annie C. Snyder, who being duly sworn, deposes and says that, he is informed and believes that Burns Snyder the respondent in the above cause, is a non-resident of the state of Alabama, and resides at 812 Iarned Street, Lansing, Michigan, and that said respondent is, in belief of affiant, over twenty-one years of age.

T. W. Richerson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 8th day of May, 1923.

T. W. Richerson  
Clerk Circuit Court  
Baldwin Co. Ala.

Annie C Snyder

vs.

Burns Snyder.

CIRCUIT COURT OF

Baldwin COUNTY.

IN EQUITY.

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register that on the 9th, day of

May 19 23, a copy of the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause was sent to

Burns M Snyder,

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 31st day of

May, 19 23, 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

Burns M Snyder,

Defendant.

This the 9th day of July, 1923

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Register.

3204

No. 585.

CIRCUIT COURT OF

Baldwin COUNTY,

IN EQUITY.

RECORDED  
Annie C Snyder.

vs.

RECORDED  
Burns M Snyder.

DECREE PRO CONFESSO AFTER  
NOTICE BY REGISTERED MAIL.

Filed in office this 9th day of  
May, 1923.

J. W. Riccio  
Register.

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The State of Alabama, }  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

No. 385 ..... Term, 1923

Annie C. Snyder

Complainants

vs.

Burns Snyder

Defendants

Motion is hereby made for a Decree Pro Confesso against

Burns Snyder

Defendant

Service

in the annexed stated cause, on the ground that more than thirty days have elapsed since the perfection of publication

<sup>by Reg mail</sup>  
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 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1923

J. M. Hall

Solicitor.

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STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin County.

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

*Annice L Snyder*

Complainants.

Vs.

*Bernie Snyder,*

Defendants.

MOTION FOR DECREE PRO  
CONFESSO ON PUBLICATION.

Filed 7th July 1923

*T. W. Pickens*

Register.

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Register.

The State of Alabama,  
Baldwin County.

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

.....Complainant.

VS.

.....Respondent.

I .....  
as Register and Commissioner .....

have called and caused to come before me .....

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witness... named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the... day of .....

192..., at the office of .....

in ....., Alabama, and having first sworn said witness... to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said .....

.....doth depose and say as follows:

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ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition... on Oral Examination was taken down in writing by me in the words of the witness... and read over to... and... 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... or had proof made before me of the identity of said witness...; 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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 192....

\_\_\_\_\_(L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY.

vs. Complainant

Respondent.

Oral Deposition

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 192....

\_\_\_\_\_, Register.

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\_\_\_\_\_, Register