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Washburn, Harriet Lucinda

VS

Washburn, Thomas

Divorce

Married 14 January 1881; abuse

In the circuit court of Jefferson
County State of Missouri } Sd.
To January Term A.D. 1888.
Harriet Lucind Washburn Plaintiff.

NR
Thomas Washburn Defendant.
Plaintiff States

That she was lawfully married to
defendant at the County of Jefferson
and State of Missouri on the fourteenth
day of January A.D. 1881; That Plaintiff
continued to live with the defendant as
his wife from and after the day and
year aforesaid, until the ~~th~~ seventeenth
day of May A.D. 1887; That during
all of that time plaintiff faithfully
demeaned herself, and discharged all
of her duties as the wife of defendant
and at all times treated him with
kindness and affection; but the
said defendant wholly disregarding
his duties as the husband of the
plaintiff conducted himself in such
a way that he was charged tried and
convicted of a felony during said
marriage in the circuit court of Jefferson
County Missouri at the January term 1886
and was sentenced to a term of

Two years in The Missouri State Penitentiary. and on The night of April 1887 Defendant drew a gun on Plaintiff in a rude angry and threatening manner in such a way as to endanger The life of Plaintiff and on The day of February 1887 defendant came home at late hour of the night and Plaintiff prepared supper for him and defendant threw coffee on Plaintiff and put her out of the house in the cold without clothing. Plaintiff further states that she is a resident of this state and has been for more than one year before the filing of this petition. Plaintiff therefore prays to be divorced from the bonds of matrimony contracted as aforesaid with The defendant for The cause above mentioned.

J. R. Dearing.

Atty. for Plaintiff

This affiant, The plaintiff makes
oath and says that the facts stated
in the above petition are true
according to the best of her knowledge
and belief, and that the complaint
is not made out of levity or by
fear collusion or restraint between
the plaintiff and defendant for
the mere purpose of being separated
from each other but in sincerity
and truth for the causes mentioned
in the petition.

Harriet Lucinda Washburn

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 11th day of December
1888.

W L Stone J P

Bill of costs

2 files¹⁰/4 doc²⁰/copy pet⁷⁵/@ ss²⁵/1.30
 Writ¹⁰⁰/copy @ ss⁶⁰/Appr¹⁰/H. fault³⁰/2.00
 Veril³⁰/Judgt⁵⁰/doc¹⁰/F. bill¹⁰/1.00
 Corb¹⁰/copy¹⁰ 20 4.50

E. B. Manpue Shff.

Serving writ¹⁰⁰/2 calls¹⁰

1.10
\$5.60

Cr. by cash paid

Baldue

2.00
\$3.60

Harriet Buncinda Washburn

12.

Thomas Washburn

Filed Dec. 7th/88

200 pa by } D. O. Vearry
 D. O. Vearry }
 Clerk

SUMMONS.

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF *Jefferson* } ss. *Jefferson* IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.
The State of Missouri to the Sheriff of *Jefferson* County, GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON

Thomas Washburn
Defendant

be found in your County, to appear before our Circuit Court, to be holden within and for the County of
Jefferson, at the Court House, in the *Town*
of *Hillsboro*, in said County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be
begun and held on the *second* Monday in *January*
next, A. D. 18*89*, then and there, before the Judge of our said Court to answer the petition of

Samuel Lucinda Washburn
Plaintiff

(a certified copy of which said petition is hereunto annexed.) And have you then and there this Writ, with
the return of your action thereupon.

Witness my hand as Clerk of said Court, and the seal thereof.

Done at office in *Hillsboro*
in the County aforesaid, on the *7th* day of
December A. D. 18*88*

D. B. Veazey Clerk.

By

Deputy Clerk.

SHERIFF'S RETURN.

Executed the within Writ in the County of Jefferson and State of
Missouri, on the 8th day of December 1888, by
delivering to the within named defendant a true copy
of the within writ & annexed petition as furnished me by the
Clerk Circuit Court of Jefferson Co. Mo.

FEE, \$ 1.00

By Ed. Forrest Sheriff E. B. Mansur Jeff Co., Mo.
Deputy.

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Jeff. Co. Mo. Circuit Court,

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Harriett L. Washburn

vs.

Thomas Washburn

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Dec 26/1888
clerk

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF _____
ss. {
I, _____
Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the
original Summons in the cause therein named, as the same appears on file in my office.
Witness my hand as Clerk, and the seal of said Court. Done
this _____ day of _____ 18____
Clerk.
Deputy.