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November 1851, No. 41

Ackley, John

vs

Ackley, Elizabeth

Divorce

Married 1847; desertion

To John H Stone Judge of the Circuit Court
of Jefferson County State of Missouri. Your
Complainant John Ackley respectfully
shews that about the year AD 1847 he mar-
ried one Elizabeth Rutledge of the County
of Jefferson aforesaid where complain-
ant has resided ever since. He further
shews to your honor that about 12th of
August 1849, his wife Elizabeth absen-
ted herself without a reasonable cause
from your complainant and has so
remained absent for the space of two
years. In consideration of the premises,
your Complainant prays this Court
for a divorce from his said wife
Elizabeth for the causes aforesaid &
for other relief as may seem fit
& your complainant will ever for
ay &c John Ackley

State of Missouri } ss
County of Jefferson } John Ackley being
his oath says that the facts stated in
the bill are true according to the
best of his knowledge & belief and

that the complaint is not made out of
civility or by collusion, fear or restraint
between the complainant and defendant
for the mere purpose of being separated
from each other but in sincerity &
truth for the causes mentioned in said
bill.

Sworn to & Subscribed
before me Oct 27th 1851.
Thos. C. Metcher
Clerk

John T. Kley

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to Circuit Court
Nov Term 1857.

John A.oley

vs

Elizabeth A.oley

Petition for Divorce

Filed Oct 27th 1857
Chas. E. Phelps
Clerk

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To John H Stone, Judge of the circuit Court
of Jefferson County, State of Missouri.
Your complainant John Ackley respectfully shews
that about the year A.D 1847. he married one
Elizabeth Rutledge at the County of Jefferson
aforesaid where complainant has resided ever
since. He further shews to your Honor that about
12th of August 1849. his wife Elizabeth absented
herself without a reasonable cause from your
complainant and has so remained absent for
the space of two years. In consideration of the
premises, your complainant prays this Court
for a divorce from his said wife Elizabeth
for the causes aforesaid, and for other relief
as may seem fit, and your complainant
will ever pray &c. John Ackley

State of Missouri } ss.

County of Jefferson } John Ackley being duly
sworn upon his oath says, that the facts stated
in the bill are true according to the best of
his knowledge and belief, and that the com-
plaint is not made out of levity or by collusion
fear or restraint between the complainant
and defendant for the mere purpose of being
separated from each other but in sincerity &
truth for the causes mentioned in said bill
sworn to & subscribed John Ackley
before me Oct 27th 1851.

Thos C Fletcher Clerk
a true copy of the original petition & affidavit on
file in my office,

In Testimony whereof I hereto set my
hand and affix the seal of said Court
at office Oct 27th 1851. Thos C Fletcher
Clerk

No 41

To Circuit Court

November Term 1851.

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John McKelvey

vs } Defendant

Elizabeth McKelvey }
Plaintiff

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Filed Nov 15 1851

Thos. S. Fletcher
Clerk

County of Jefferson Sch.
The State of Missouri.

To the Sheriff of the County of Jefferson Greeting.

We command you that you summon Elizabeth Ackley if she be found in your county that she do and appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court on the first day of the next Term thereof to be begun and held at the Town of Hillsboro within and for said County of Jefferson on the fourth Monday of November next, then and there to answer unto John Ackley upon his original petition for divorce a copy whereof is hereto annexed, and have you then there this writ,



Witness Tho L Metcher clerk of our said Circuit Court with the seal thereof hereto affixed at office in Hillsboro October 27th A D 1851.

Tho L Metcher Clerk

I executed the foregoing writ in the County of Jefferson on the 5th day of Nov 1851 by reading the same and the petition hereto annexed in the presence and hearing of Elizabeth Ackley therein named
James McColloch Sheriff