

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case Files-Civil

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November 1865, No. 55

Kleisly, Henry

vs.

Kleisly, Anna

Divorce

Married April 1840 in Switzerland;
desertion

Henry Kleisly, - plaintiff } In the Circuit
 Against } Court of Jef-
 Anna Kleisly, - defendant } ferson County
 } State of Missouri

The Plaintiff states that sometime in April 1840, in Switzerland, he was lawfully married to the Defendant, - that he continued to live with Defendant from that time as her husband, for the space of about ten years, when he removed to the United States and finally to the State of Missouri. That upon Plaintiff's removing to the United States, the Defendant refused to come with him, but persisted in remaining there with her connections, saying that perhaps she might afterwards come, - But, after corresponding with her for some time, she has finally declined and refused to come to this State, and reside with plaintiff, although she has ample means to do so, if she would. - Plaintiff therefore charges that the Defendant has absented herself from Plaintiff, without a reasonable cause, for the space of two years, ~~and~~ upwards since the marriage aforesaid, - Plaintiff further charges that the Defendant has offered such indignities to him since the marriage aforesaid, as to render his condition intolerable, - in this, that she has wholly disregarded her duties as the wife of Plaintiff, (although Plaintiff has treated her at all times with kindness and affection) by refusing to remove with him, and to live with Plaintiff, and perform the

duties devolving on her as the wife of Plaintiff. - Plaintiff further states that he has resided within this State for one whole year next before the filing of this petition.

Plaintiff for the causes above stated, prays to be divorced from the bonds of matrimony contracted with the Defendant as aforesaid, and to grant such other orders as may be just and proper.

Henry Kleisly,
Plaintiff,
By A. Green, his Atty.

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

- and Plaintiff further states ^{that} the Defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri,

Sworn to and subscribed } Henry Kleisly

before me on this 9th day }
of September A.D. 1865. }

Samuel A. Reppy,
Clerk of the Court

^{LA}
Ms. 5-3-2542

In Circuit Court
of Jefferson County

Wm. H. H. H.
vs.
John H. H.

Petition for Divorce
not publication
made, Al. H. H.
for H. H.

Sept.

Wm. H. H. H.
vs.
John H. H.
for H. H.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } s s
County of Franklin.

PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned Justice of the Peace for and within the county aforesaid, **JAS. G. MAGANN**, who, being duly sworn according to law, on his oath says that he is the Publisher of the **Franklin County News**, a newspaper printed and published in the town of Washington, county aforesaid that the notice of Order of Publication hereto annexed, was published in said paper.

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and that the copy attached is a true copy of said publication.

Jas G Magann
SWORN and subscribed to before me this 26th
day of October 1865
John H. Ellis Jr

In the circuit court of Jefferson county,
Mo., November Term, 1865, in va-
cation, September 11, 1865.
Henry Kleisly Plaintiff }
vs. } Order of publication.
Anna Kleisly Defendant }
Now at this day comes said plaintiff by his attorney and files his petition verified by affidavit as the law directs, stating that said defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri. Whereupon it is ordered by the undersigned clerk of said court, that the said Anna Kleisly be notified by publication of the commencement of this action, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the pleas of having absented herself from plaintiff without any reasonable cause, for the space of two years and upwards; and unless she be and appear before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be begun and held at the town of Hillsboro in said county on the second Monday in November next, and on or before the fifth day of said term, answer the petition of said plaintiff the same will be taken as confessed against her, and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in the Franklin County News a newspaper published in the State, for four weeks successively the last insertion to be at least four weeks before said next term.
A true copy of the order.
In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, the day and year first above written.
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SAMUEL A. REPPY,
Clerk Circuit Court.

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