

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of
Common Pleas of Bedford County:

The Petition of Charles F. Blake respectfully
sheweth, that your libellant on the 28th
day of August AD 1853 (or thereabouts) was
bound in matrimony and married to a
certain Margaret Mosey, and from that
time until the day of October AD 1855
lived and cohabited with the said Margaret
Mosey as his wife, and as such was owned
and acknowledged by him and so deemed
and reputed by their neighbors and acquaint-
ances. And although by the laws of God, as
well as by their mutual vow and faith
plighted to each other, they were bound to
that uniform constancy and regard which
ought to be inseparable from the marriage
state, yet so it is, that the said Margaret, the
said parties having been domiciled as aforesaid,
from the day of Oct. AD 1855, hath wilfully and
maliciously deserted and absented herself from
the habitation of your petitioner without any
just or reasonable cause, and still hath
persisted in such desertion for the term
of two years and upwards, and still
doth continue to absent herself from
your said petitioner or libellant.

Wherefore your libellant further ~~sheweth~~
sheweth, that he is a citizen of the
State of Pennsylvania, and has resided
therein one whole year previous to
the filing of this his libel, prays your Honor
that a subpoena may issue forth to
summon the said Margaret Blake (formerly

Margaret Moses, to appear in this honorable
Court at Feb. Term next, to answer his
complaint aforesaid. And also, that this
honorable Court may decree a divorce and
separation from the said mystical tie or
bond (or bonds) of matrimony, heretofore
existing, as above mentioned, this be it
to and with the said Margaret Moses:

Charles F. H. R.

Bedford County, N.Y.

Charles F. Blake alone named
being duly sworn deith that the facts set
forth in the foregoing Petition are true to
the best of his knowledge and belief and
that the said Complaint is not made
out of levity and collusion between
the petitioner and the said Margaret

I solemnly swear and
affirm that the facts and
contents of the within
petition are true to the
best of my knowledge
and belief.

Charles T. Blake } No. 110 of Feb 5 1857
 v. } Issue Subpoena on Liliel
 Margaret Blake } for Wmice -
 Mann & Spang
 Atty. for P. & F.
 Tax G. H. Spang D.

No 110 of Feb Term 1857
 Charles T. Blake
 v.
 Margaret Blake }
 Petition for
 Wmice

Dec. 24th 1857 Writ Allowed.
 J. J. Smirly

Filed Dec. 24th 1857
 S. W. Ritz
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Tax Spang & Co

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