

FIVE DIVORCES ONE DAY'S RECORD

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For Further Hear-
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PLAINTIFFS WERE ALL WOMEN

Desertion, Cruelty and Drunkenness
Are Given by Suffering Wives as
Reasons for Separation.

Judge Morse granted five divorces yesterday, and a sixth one was continued for a further hearing. All the plaintiffs were women, and desertion, abuse, drunkenness and kindred causes were advanced as reasons why the marital ties should be severed.

Jerome Applebaum "just went east and forgot to come back," declared his wife, Rose Applebaum. When divorce proceedings were instituted Applebaum was perfectly willing that the decree be granted, and he agreed to pay \$1 a week alimony, providing he be permitted to see his child occasionally. The couple married in this city Sept. 23, 1902.

CRUEL AND DRUNKEN.

Mrs. Mary E. Van Kellor testified that her husband, Joseph C. Van Kellor, deserted her in November last and is now following the trade of a barber at Preston, Ida. He had been very cruel to her, she said, frequently coming home drunk and kicking her. Plaintiff asked for two lots, valued at \$200 at Moffat, Utah, and desired to resume her maiden name, Mary Powell, all of which was granted her.

EDGAR DESERTED HER.

Pearl Edgar accused James A. Edgar of having left her without just cause, and upon corroboration the bonds of matrimony were dissolved and she was permitted to be called Pearl Reed, as before her marriage. Edgar was once a railroad man, but is now a soldier at Fort Douglas, having served in the Philippines since his enlistment. Mrs. Edgar works in a candy factory for her support.

FAILED TO SUPPORT.

Louis and Mary A. Werner were married at Denver, Feb. 15, 1903, and within a month from that date the husband began to drink excessively, the wife alleged, and for a long time has failed to support her. When she could stand it no longer, she applied for a divorce and received it at the hands of Judge Morse yesterday.

DRANK "STRAIGHT ALCOHOL."

Theodore Christensen has long been in the habit of drinking "straight alcohol," according to allegations made by his wife, Berta Christensen. When ever he came home he was drunk, she declared, and upon such occasions his wife and her children by a former husband were made the objects of his wrath. Instances of gross misbehavior on Christensen's part, recited by the wife and corroborated by her daughter, brought the relief prayed for, a divorce.

ACCUSATIONS AGAINST VANCE.

The divorce case not disposed of yesterday by Judge Morse was that of Amanda E. Vance, against George W.

NOTICE.

TEXT BOOK CONVENTION.

OFFICE OF THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, Salt Lake City, Utah, March 6, 1908. Notice is hereby given that a convention to consider the county superintendents of district schools, a representative from each district of the first class, the principal of the State Normal School, and the State superintendent of public instruction, is called to meet in room 323 of the county building, Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 6th day of May, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m. to decide what text books shall be adopted for use in the district schools of the State of Utah except cities of the first and second class, for a period of five years after their adoption. The subjects upon which text books will be adopted are: Reading, writing, spelling, language lessons, English grammar, geography, U. S. History, arithmetic, physiology, civics, government, drawing, music, nature study, elementary algebra, physical geography, general science, physics, rhetoric, English literature, and general history. Sealed proposals for furnishing such books will be received by the undersigned, State superintendent of public instruction, at any time prior to the hour of meeting of said convention on the day aforesaid. Bids are to be limited to bona fide subjects herein named. All proposals must be accompanied with sample copies of the books proposed to be furnished, together with a statement of the introductory and exchange prices, and the wholesale and retail price at which the publisher agrees to furnish each book within the State, during the full term for which said books may be adopted. The convention reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. At the time aforesaid, namely 2 o'clock p. m. on the 6th day of May, the convention will meet and publicly proceed to open and read all the proposals for furnishing books on the aforesaid subjects which shall have been received, and shall within thirty days thereafter make their award thereon, and the publisher or publishers whose proposals shall be accepted will be required to enter into written contract with the State superintendent of public instruction, and to give bonds with two sufficient securities for the faithful performance of such contract.

A. C. NELSON,
State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

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Vance, Cruelty constitutes the ground upon which the complaint is based. The defendant is accused of having been very inhospitable towards his wife, having, she alleges, beaten her brutally on more than one occasion. At one time, she says, a cow which Vance was milking switched her tail in his face, whereupon he seized an ax and unmercifully mistreated the animal, all of which so affected Mrs. Vance that she fainted. Vance denied most of the allegations, except to admit that he once slapped his wife after she had struck him. The case will come up again for further hearing.

GLIMPSE AT SEAMY SIDE.

Woman Files a Sensational Answer in Probate Court.

A case of more than ordinary interest was filed in the probate division of the district court yesterday afternoon. A suit was brought by J. W. McKinney, guardian ad litem for Adrian Pintro, Jr., to secure a portion of \$7,000 left to Anna Reinhardt by the late Adrian Pintro. The woman claims to have been the common law wife of the deceased, and will resist the efforts now being made to get a portion of the sum stated.

The suit filed yesterday made something of a sensation. It is claimed that the child in question is part negro and that Pintro was not the father of the boy. The lineage of the youngster is a French woman known as Gabrielle Belmont, but she called herself "Louise Eugenia Gar-din de Masse, Countess of France." The woman is well known to the underworld. Following is part of the answer:

"The said boy now claiming to be the son of the said Adrian Pintro has his lineage from the Ethiopian race of the man and from the division thereof and characteristics of a negro. The said Adrian Pintro had a common law wife from the Caucasian race of man and from the division thereof called Celt, being a native of France, and without any taint or admixture of Ethiopian blood."

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

The case of Peter Gribbon against the Daly-Judge company, a damage suit for \$50,000 damages for personal injuries, has been settled out of court and dismissed. The two cases between Thomas Calkins and J. T. Richardson involving \$50,000 worth of stock, have also been dismissed as they, too, have been settled out of court.

WEATHER REPORT.

Record at the local office, United States weather bureau, for 24 hours ending at 6 a. m. today:

Temperature at 6 a. m. 26; maximum temperature, 35; minimum, 21; mean, 28, which is 11 degrees below normal. Total deficiency of temperature since the first of the month 19; accumulated deficiency of temperature since Jan. 1, 12 degrees.

Precipitation since first of month, 1.38 inch, which is .58 inch above normal. Accumulated excess since Jan. 1, .91 inch. Relative humidity at 6 a. m., 75 per cent.

FORECAST.

Utah—Tonight and Sunday, fair.

R. J. HYATT,
Section Director.

DEATH OF O. N. BROWNING.

Popular Young Man of Ogden Dies After a Year's Illness.

(Special to the "News.")
Ogden, March 7.—Oscar Neel Browning died at 2:30 o'clock this morning, at the home of Chief of Police Browning, from abscess of the kidney, from which he had been a sufferer for a year. The deceased was a son of Clayton S. and Rachel Middleton Browning, and was born June 8, 1879. In 1903 he married Hannah Rasmussen, who, with two children, survives him, as do also two brothers and four sisters.

Mr. Browning was for 12 years an employe of Browning Brothers' company, and was a prominent young man, highly respected. The funeral will be held from the First ward meetinghouse Monday, commencing at 2 o'clock. The Woodmen of the World, of which fraternity deceased was a member, will attend the obsequies in a body.

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KNOCKED DOWN WITH CUE

Two Men Playing Billiards Fight in South Temple Street Saloon.

At 2:30 this afternoon, a man by the name of "Joe" got into an altercation with another man named "Mike" in the "American Beauty" saloon, on west South Temple street, over a game of billiards, and was knocked down and badly hurt with a billiard cue. The patrol wagon was called, and the unfortunate man was removed to the police station for treatment. In a semi-unconscious condition. Both men were frequenters of the resort, but their real names could not be learned.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The bridge tea given by Mrs. Lear Riter and Mrs. E. A. Tripp yesterday in honor of Mrs. Gue and Mrs. Kats was a delightful affair, the rooms being decorated with daffodils and six tables being played. Assisting the hostesses were Mrs. S. E. Benton, Mrs. H. M. Wells, Mrs. Leroy Dinwoodey, Mrs. Louise McCune and Mrs. June S. Donnell. The prizes, which were daffodils, were won by Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Alma D. Katz, Mrs. Geo. J. Gibson, Mrs. Vivian McCune and Miss Margaret Park.

Funeral of Osmon Card.—The funeral of Osmon Card, the man who was accidentally shot at Caliente, will be held Monday at 12 m. from the chapel of S. D. Evans on State street, with interment at Mt. Olivet.

Realty Sales.—Tuttle Bros. report

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TODAY'S MONEY MARKET.

New York, March 7.—Money on call nominal. Time loans easy; 60 days 3½ per cent; and 90 days 3½ at 4 per cent; six months, 4 to 4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½ at 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 186.30 at 186.40 for demand and at 183.40 at 183.50 for 60 day bills; commercial bills, 183½ at 183½. Bar silver 75½. Mexican dollars, 17c. Bonds—Government's, steady; railroads, steady.

DIED.

WILTON.—At 402 Fifth avenue, this city, March 7, 1908, J. Mark Wilton, in his 68th year. Native of England. Notice of funeral later.

WINSWICK.—Richard Runswick, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Runswick, of 608 South Second West street, city. Funeral services were held at the Sixth ward meetinghouse, Saturday, 12 noon.

HOWE.—In this city, March 6, Alice Amanda Howe, in her 66th year. Funeral services will be held from the late residence, 755 South Main street, Sunday, March 8, at 2 p. m. Interment Mt. Olivet.

BOST.—In this city, Bertha Lucile Best, daughter of Earl J. Best and Silvia Thibault Best. Funeral notice later.

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