

Answer Is Filed in Divorce Suit by Fremont Man

Phillip Wilkins Denies He Had Knowledge of Dissatisfaction on Day Suit Was Filed.

Fremont, Neb., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Phillip Wilkins, Northwestern trainmaster, sued for a divorce from bed and board, when his wife alleged un- friendly relations with a sister-in-law, filed affidavit in district court today in response to the restraining order that bars him from entering his own home.

Mrs. Wilkins asks for separate maintenance and alimony for the support of herself and children. She alleges in her petition that her husband and deceased brother's wife, Mrs. Nina Larson, were guilty of illicit relations and occupied an apartment together in Omaha and points in Iowa.

Wilkins asserts that the petition for separation comes as a complete surprise to him. The document was filed on February 3. On the day before, he remained at home without any objection. On the day of the action, Wilkins states that he ate breakfast and lunch at home and was ignorant of any disturbance in the domestic relations at the time. He declares she gave him no inkling of her dissatisfaction.

Claiming that the restraining order was only demanded to annoy and harass him, Wilkins submitted a bill contracted by his wife just before their separation amounting to over \$179. The bill was for groceries and wearing apparel in quantities he insists are entirely unnecessary.

Interior Decorator Talks at Kiwanis Club Luncheon

J. E. Livingston, expert in interior decoration, talked yesterday noon to the Kiwanis club at the weekly luncheon at Hotel Rome.

According to Mr. Livingston there is color in everything and everybody, and he showed the vivid red, blue and yellow that can be obtained from a dead looking piece of gray lead to prove his point.

"Coloring the lives," he said, "absorb color vibration from the sun's rays, and the law of dress harmony is merely balancing one's own color with its complimentary."

"I sometimes wonder how men can do business in some offices. I go to see them and the awful combinations about them seem to make a painted menographer necessary," concluded Mr. Livingston.

Patrolman's Mother Dies

C. G. Lind, patrolman, yesterday received a telegram telling of the death of his mother, Mrs. Dora Lind, 74, whom he has not seen for 18 years, at Copenhagen, Denmark.

BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Chronic coughs and persistent colds lead to serious lung trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medicinal discovery which twofold action soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and kills the germ.

Of all known drugs creosote is recognized by the medical fraternity as the greatest healing agency for the treatment of chronic coughs and colds and other forms of throat and lung troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and destroys the germs that lead to consumption.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of chronic coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, catarrhal bronchitis and other forms of throat and lung diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or the flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist, Creomulsion Co., Atlanta, Ga.

2 MORE WOMEN JOIN THE ARMY

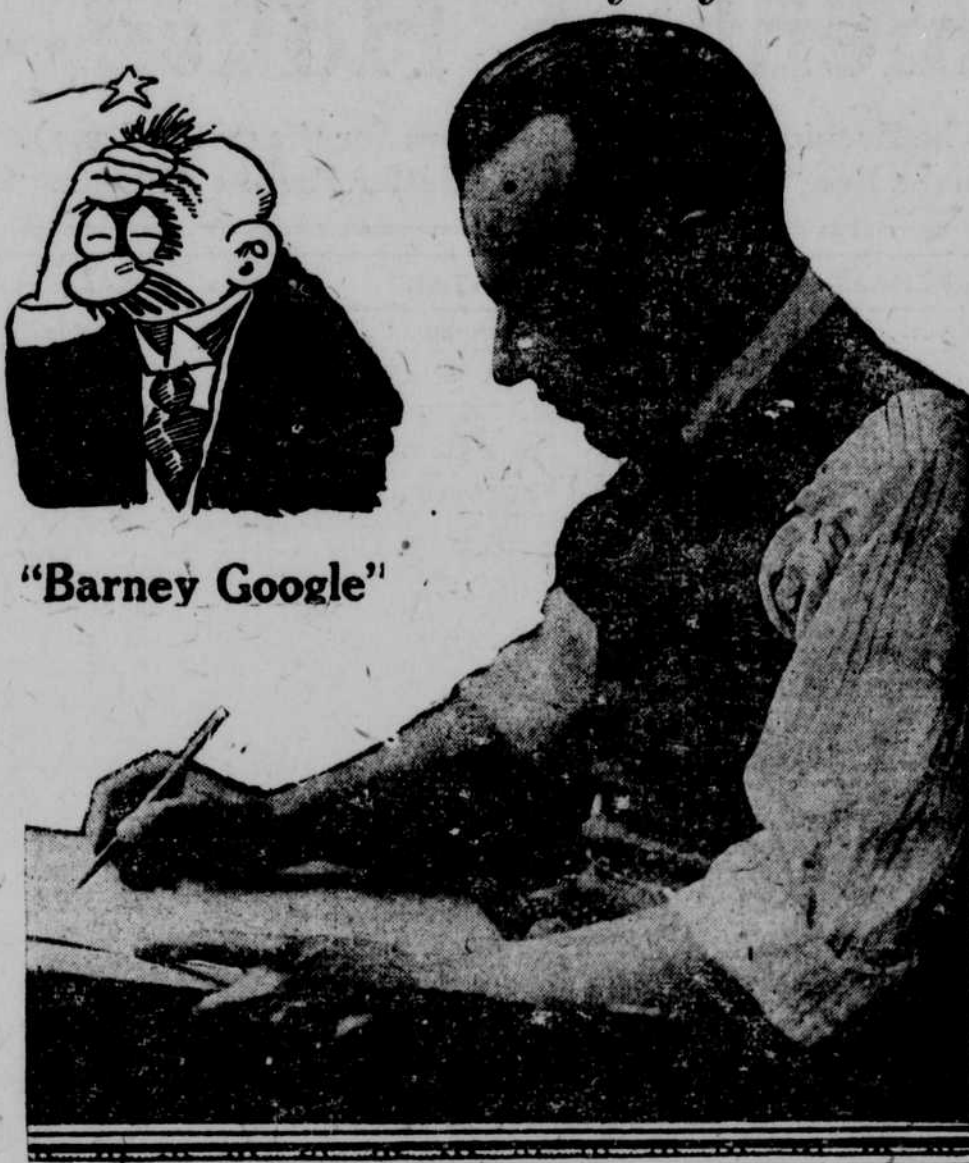
Of Those Who Have Been Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Milwaukee, Wis.—"I had a bad pain in my left side and I could not lift anything heavy without having a backache. I tried different things. Then I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers and began taking it as the directions said. I feel very good now and can do all my work. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to all my friends, and you can use my testimonial letter."—Mrs. HATTIE WATSON, 870 Garden St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Gained in Every Way
Buffalo, N. Y.—"I had some female troubles that just run my health down so that I lost my appetite and felt miserable all the time. I could not lift anything heavy, and a little extra work some days would put me in bed. A friend had told me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I gained in every way, could eat better and felt stronger. I had found nothing before this that did me so much good."—Mrs. J. GRACE, 291 Woltz Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.

When in Omaha Stop at Hotel Rome

Comic Takes Country by Storm



"Barney Google"

Billy De Beck.

They're off. At the quarter pole. At the half. At the three-quarters. In the stretch, Sparkplug wins. And Barney Google is rolling in wealth.

But sometimes Sparky, the wonder horse, stubs his toe or exhibits a streak of temperament and trails the field. Then Barney Google descends into the throes of despair.

Barney and Sparky are the brain children of Billy De Beck, the talented young comic artist whose photograph is carried above.

Not since the creation of "Jiggs" and "Maggie" by George McManus has a comic cartoon so taken the country by storm as the strip depicting the adventures of Barney Google and his marvelous horse, Sparky.

Butchers, and bakers and candlestick makers, doctors, lawyers and Indian chiefs are entertained each day by the quaint, imitable characters whose army of followers is increased with each issue of the newspaper in which they appear.

When DeBeck first began to draw Barney Google Sparky had not been foaled yet. The cartoon had to do principally with the vicissitudes of Barney's married life and his trials

and tribulations with the "sweet woman" who wasn't properly appreciative of certain of Barney's talents.

Then one day De Beck, chancing to visit a race track, conceived the idea of adding a race horse to the strip. From this idea came Sparky. And with the addition of Sparky the De Beck cartoon became one of the super comics of the day.

De Beck's mail from enthusiastic readers has become so great it is impossible for him to read it all. Every body, it seems, has a suggestion for Sparky.

Barney Google and Sparky are now appearing each day in The Omaha Bee. The adventures of these comic creations furnish unending delight to thousands of readers every day. Join in with them, read it once or twice and you'll never miss a day again.

No wonder "RUNNIN' WILD" has the dance hounds runnin' wild. But you ain't heard nothin' till you hear it played by Ted Lewis and his Band on Columbia Record A-3790. The reverse is Ted again in "St. Louis Blues." At Columbia Dealers. 75c

EMPRESS LAST TIMES TODAY "TO HAVE and TO HOLD" With BETTY COMPSON and BERT LYTELL In Conjunction With Big Time Vaudeville Starts Tomorrow BEBE DANIELS and CONRAD NAGEL "SINGED WINGS"

ORPHEUM ORPHEUM CIRCUIT VAUDEVILLE Last Two Times MATINEE TODAY, 2:15 Early Curtain TONIGHT 8:05 BOBBY FOLSOM, JACK DENNY And Their Metropolitan Orchestra And The Popular Current Bill WEEK STARTING TOMORROW Geo. McKay & Ardine-Ottie PARLOR, BEDROOM & BATH With an Excellent Big Bill EXTRA — Big Comedy — EXTRA Afterpiece Matinees, 15c to 50c Nights, 15c to \$1.00

Strand LAST DAY NORMA TALMADGE & EUGENE O'BRIEN together again in VOICE FROM THE MINARET

BIG FREE DANCE given by Beddeo Clothing Company at Empress Gardens Monday Evening, Feb. 12 Everything Free Call at Beddeo Clothing Co., 1417 Douglas St., for tickets to the dance.

"OMAHA'S FUN CENTER" Gayety MAT & NITE TODAY THE WAR PRICES Jacob & Irma (Inc.) Present The "Bon-Tons" Columbia Burlesk With FUNNY JOHN BARRY And a Host of Live Wires in a Grand Program BEAUTY CHORUS OF 20 BONTONNETTES Ladies' Tickets, 10c-25c at Daily Matinee, 7:15

Omahan Still Awaits Fiancee

Failure of Intended Bride to Appear Doesn't Shake C. of C. Porter's Faith.

Walter H. Clark's confidence in women was unshaken yesterday by the fact that his intended bride did not arrive from Malvern, Ia., Thursday for the nuptials.

"She will come," said Walter yesterday as he lolled at ease in Chamber of Commerce reading room and held an informal reception during the day. He was a porter at the establishment, but declared that he had resigned this portfolio and is considering an invitation from the Union Pacific railroad to return to a place as dining car conductor.

But Mr. Clark, like a wise man, is prepared for eventualities. He has his diary, which he declared Friday, contains the names of no less than 53 women, some of them prominent, who have had his friendship.

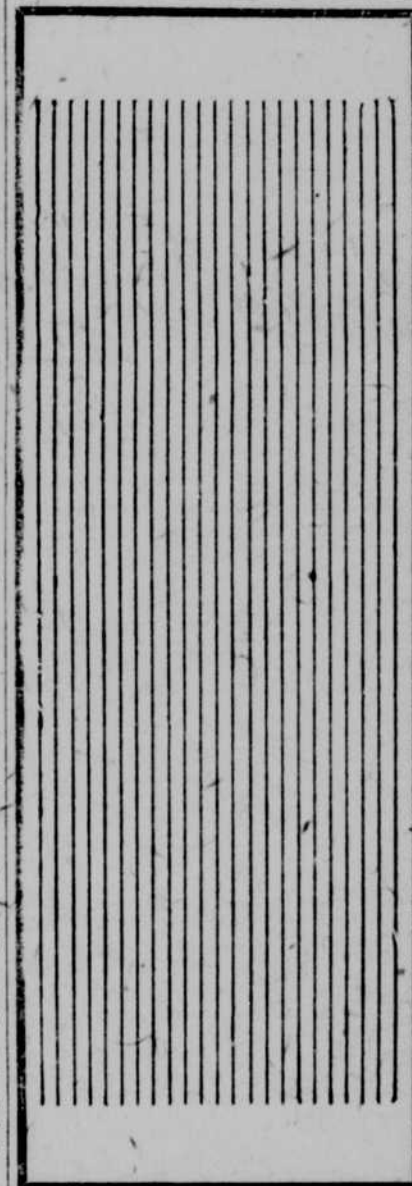
"I find solace in this. I never have any trouble finding women," said Mr. Clark. "And if one of them should go back on me, there are always others. But I know my fiancee will come to me."

The fiancee is a widow with two children and a farm.

McCormick-Oser Marriage in Disfavor With Swiss The people of Switzerland disapprove of the determination of Mathilde McCormick to marry Max Oser, Swiss riding master, who is 29 years Mathilde's senior, in the opinion of Mrs. Clara Helmer Becheraz, who returned to Omaha Thursday with her two daughters after spending 15 years in Berne.

Mrs. Becheraz was reared in Omaha. She went to Switzerland with her father, George Helmer, pioneer settler, who was appointed American consul. Mrs. Becheraz and the McCormicks resided at the same hotel in Davos for three successive winters.

Mrs. Becheraz is at Hotel Blackstone.



Vaudeville — Photoplays

WORLD TODAY ALL NEW COMEDY BILL in addition to IRENE CASTLE in "Slim Shoulders"

LAST DAY SUN LAST DAY "Peg o' My Heart" TOMORROW "What's Wrong With The Women?"

LAST DAY MOON GO NOW "The Third Alarm" TOMORROW "Captain Fly-By-Night" featuring Johnnie Walker

BRANDELS STARTS TODAY "Powder River" LETS GO (Includes Tax) Shows at 11, 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 AUSPICIOUS VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

CAKE Sunshine Cake with orange icing. 30c TRY HAYDEN'S FIRST Doughnuts Sweet Cake doughnuts electrically made dozen 20c

Direct From This Country's Foremost Dress Manufacturers, 670 Dresses

On Sale Starting Saturday, At Promptly 9 A. M.

A Cash Transaction

Cash, was the predominating feature that swung the dress deal; every garment in the lot was sold to us less than cost of making.

A Mighty Purchase

This purchase involves quite a quantity of Dresses—all new, snappy, up-to-the-minute creations—in a wide diversity of models.



Stunning Styles

This huge purchase of Dresses enables us to include in this sale the very newest styles and all the popular high grade materials; every new shade including fallow, sandalwood grouse, beech and other shades for spring. The materials include: taffetas, flat crepes, cantons, crepe satins and other popular materials; every size will be represented and every woman and Miss will be able to select a New Spring Style Dress—well made and in the best material—at the lowest price that will be quoted this season for this class of merchandise.

Buy Two or Three At This Price

\$45 Plush Coats, \$22.50 100 40-inch Plush Coats—Some of them fur trimmed in Kit Coney Nutria and Wolf, all silk lined. These Coats sold up to \$45.00, on special sale Saturday, at \$22.50

\$15 Fur Chokers, \$7.95 200 New Fur Chokers—In Fox and Wolf, platinum, taupe, black and brown; the styles are new and decidedly becoming, more popular than ever for this season. Specially priced, at \$7.95

New Jewelry On Sale Saturday

2800 Pairs High Grade Satin & Patent PUMPS On Sale Saturday

Above cuts are exact reproductions.

AN AMAZING PRICE FOR THESE PUMPS

Colonial model in patent black or brown Skinner 3-ply satin; patent and gray combination; in both Louis and Baby Louis heels.

Strap Pump in patent or black kid; smart military heels or cross straps in patent and satin combinations; all sizes represented.

The New Bertha Collars

Special assortment of Novelty Lace-trimmed Bertha Collars; full sizes; also Tuxedo Collar and Cuff Sets and Vestees; regular 75c value; on sale Saturday only at, each, 48c \$1.00 to \$5.00

Kerchiefs and Veilings

Deauville Kerchiefs Just arrived, a pretty line of the new Deauville Kerchiefs, in either the square or three-cornered; attractively priced at, special, \$1.25 to \$3.50

Spring Veiling An advance showing of Spring Veiling in plain and popular shades; all the popular shades; regular 75c value; special Saturday, yd. 50c