

Kiss and Tell

By F. HUGH HERBERT
An Actual Movie Shooting Script

EXT. PORCH
The Franklins are just entering through the screen door from the garden at the same moment that Corliss comes tearing down the stairs. While Archer strides savagely in the direction of Dexter, Mrs. Archer tries to head Corliss off.

MRS. ARCHER: Corliss, stay in your room.
CORLISS: But, Mum—
Dexter is still in the grip of his state fever.

DEXTER: (protesting) Gee whiz, I—
MR. FRANKLIN: You keep quiet! I don't want to hear one word out of you!

MRS. FRANKLIN: Now, Bill, don't be unkind to him.
MR. FRANKLIN: (howling) Unfair!

He lets go of Dexter, who almost convulsively rears against the screen.

MR. FRANKLIN: He ought to be on his knees thanking God I haven't got a horse whip!
DEXTER: (to Archer—appealingly) Holy cow, Mr. Archer, I—
MR. ARCHER: Shut up. I've got a horse whip.

CLOSE SHOT—ON GROUP—FAVORING CORLISS
Corliss realizes that it is imperative that Dexter be apprised of their supposed new status.

CORLISS: (virtuously) I think you're all terrible. You shouldn't talk to him like that. After all, he is my husband.

MR. FRANKLIN: (in full stride) He's a disgrace too—(a big take) What did you say?
Corliss hastily capitalizes upon the obvious sensation which she has created. She affects to be deeply moved.

CORLISS: I said that after all he is my lawful, legal husband, and I think it's simply terrible

the way everybody's picking on him.
She subsides into a chair, apparently shaken by sobs, and buries her face on her arms. The Franklins stare at one another dumb-founded.

CLOSEUP—CORLISS
This is just a flash to show that she is faking this torrent of emotion. Out of the corner of one eye she is shrewdly observing the others.

CLOSEUP—DEXTER
This is also just a flash and shows Dexter with his jaw hanging open, blinking owlishly as he tries to figure out what Corliss is driving at.

CLOSE SHOT—ON GROUP
MR. FRANKLIN: (completely at sea) He's your what?
MRS. FRANKLIN: (What does she mean?)
MRS. ARCHER: (to Mrs. Franklin) It's true, Mary.

MR. ARCHER: (to Mr. Franklin—indulgently) Imagine—those crazy kids...
Dexter looks frantically at Corliss hoping for a cue. His father wheels upon him.

MR. FRANKLIN: Is this true? Are you married to her?
Corliss looks up and holding a handkerchief to her eyes faintly affects to be wiping away tears.

CORLISS: Go on, Dexter, you can tell them now.
DEXTER: (he hasn't quite got his bearings yet) Huh? You tell 'em.

Now, all eyes are on Corliss who seems to be enjoying herself thoroughly.

CORLISS: (with an occasional sniff) I made him swear to keep the secret and he never said a word—and I think it's very noble of him. (a wary glance at her mother—and then tentatively) And so does Mum.
MR. FRANKLIN: I must con-

Weeping Water

WEEPING WATER—(Special to The Daily Journal)—The resignation of Miss Mildred Hart, city librarian for the past 22 years, was accepted by the library board at its meeting last week, and Mrs. Herbert Ratnour, appointed to fill her place.

Miss Hart has been in the city library for the past 22 years, first as assistant, then for the past 17 1/2 years as librarian. Before that she taught in the Weeping Water schools for 26 years.

Mrs. Ratnour, the new librarian, has already taken over the duties of her position.

the Congregational church, Sunday, Rev. Balzer is a brother of Mrs. John C. Pryor, and he and Mrs. Balzer were Sunday guests at the Pryor home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wood are the parents of a daughter, born Sunday, July 29, at the Bryan Memorial hospital. She has been named Mary Alice.

Pvt. and Mrs. Pries Fahrenbacher of Burke, S. D., visited Monday and Tuesday with the H. A. Crozier and the Howard Colbers families. Pvt. and Mrs. Fahrenbacher were on their way to Hot Springs, Ark., where Pvt. Fahrenbacher will report for reassignment at the close of his furlough. He has lately recently returned from overseas after having been wounded two times, and having been in a German prison camp. Mrs. Fahrenbacher will return to Burke, where they own the local paper, the "Burke Gazette," which is leased for the duration of the war. Pvt. Fahrenbacher is the son of Mr. Crozier's sister, the former Alice Crozier.

Word has been received that Mrs. W. D. Lenker fell and broke her hip, while at the home of her son, Charles Lenker, at Minden, Neb. Mrs. Lenker was on her way to Weeping Water, after having spent the winter in California. A later message from Mrs. Lenker, herself, said that she hopes to come on to Weeping Water soon.

Mrs. Lloyd G. Doyle left last week to join her husband, Lt. Doyle, who is stationed at Camp Hondo, Texas. He met her at San Antonio.

Mrs. Arthur Meekle and baby son have returned from the hospital in Lincoln.

Interest in soft ball is increasing with each game. Tuesday evening the Indians defeated Syracuse 5 to 3, after having been defeated by Syracuse in a former game. The Lincoln Blue Birds won over the Weeping Water girls, 2 to 0.

Mrs. G. H. Downey and daughter returned home last week after spending several weeks with her parents, at Hastings. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. John Scheele and her baby, who expect to remain here for some time.

The S. Ray Smiths had an unsightly mound of dirt running entirely across the front and across the side of their place. It was made by the digging of ditches to extend the water main. They bought petunia plants, and set them out along the new-made ridge, and now it is a hedge of beauty, and admired by everyone.

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Greenwood

ROY CONSTOCK, taken to the Veteran's hospital in Lincoln last Sunday.

Jack Willoughby of Lincoln was involved in a truck and hit a roadside sign last Sunday evening. His left arm was torn off. Dr. Talcott gave him first aid and sent to Bryan Memorial hospital for further treatment.

Mrs. Roy Constock accompanied the 4-H girls to Seward Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Stewart and Mrs. Virgil Elford and Sharon were in Lincoln last Saturday.

Mrs. Elsie Kelly and Mrs. Irene Johnston attended a shower for Mrs. Ed Jip Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Jip is a niece of Mrs. Kelly.

E. L. McDonald, Rose McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Jackson, Mary O'Rourke and daughter, enjoyed a picnic at Linoma beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mullen and Nita of Alvo, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dinnett of Ashland spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Dimmitt.

Mrs. Harold Olson and Fernie Constock were in Omaha last Saturday. Mrs. Lyle Anderson and Ronnie accompanied them to Omaha, where Mrs. Anderson will visit her mother.

Vivian Meisinger spent a few days in Lincoln with Virginia Burks.

Russel Boyer had a tonsil operation at Bryan Memorial last Saturday and came home Sunday afternoon.

Army Ordnance is co-operating with the current paper conservation drive. It has reduced its printed or mimeographed forms from nearly 25,000 to 12,000.

A telephone message from Harold Hinds to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hinds, and his wife, Mrs. Muriel Hinds, told of his recent promotion to Lt. Colonel. Lt. Colonel Hinds is in the south Pacific, after long service in southern camps. Before entering the army he was in the auditing department at Miller and Paines at Lincoln. While attending the University of Nebraska he received the Pershing medal award.

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MISS CAROL KREY has completed the summer session at the University of Nebraska and has returned home to spend the rest of the summer. Her mother, Mrs. P. C. Krey, is remaining in Lincoln for a few weeks to continue her studies and to supervise, as Dean of Dayton Hall, the girls dormitory for the national business institute.

Several of the young people in the Murdoch vicinity are planning to attend the Lutheran camp at Oak Park in Seward during August. This is sponsored by the Nebraska Waltham League.

Mrs. C. O. Swenson left Wednesday for Gardner, N. D. after visiting relatives near Murdoch.

Miss Darleen Zierott of Murdoch has been visiting at Gardner, N. D. since the early part of July, and plans to stay indefinitely.

Murray

MR. and Mrs. Art Hansen and Miss Margaret Moore spent last Sunday in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith and Joan returned this week from a ten day vacation spent in Kansas City.

Miss Bertha Nickles, Mrs. Blanche Nickles and AH Nickles spent Saturday in Omaha.

Jimmy Latta of Weeping Water is visiting friends in Murray this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sevolt entertained at a birthday dinner on Tuesday in honor of their nephew, Capt. Richard Brendel, who returned that day from the European theater of operations. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Worthan and small son, Richard; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Brendel of Avoca, Mrs. Margaret Brendel, and Capt. Richard Brendel.

John Frans arrived home on Friday. He has served overseas with the Sea Bees the past 18 months and received his honorable discharge the past week.

Mrs. Everett Spangler and Charlene have spent the past week on their farm near here.

Mrs. Maxine Bonner of Grand Island visited her cousin, Mrs. Ike Todd, on Wednesday and Thursday. When she returned to her home she was accompanied by Betty Todd who will spend a few days there.

Two Divorce Actions In District Court

Two divorce cases were on file Monday with District Clerk Ledgway.

In one action Wilbert D. Phillips seeks a divorce from Mildred L. Phillips. The couple was married at Game's Lake, Minn., on July 16, 1928. A property division, as well as absolute divorce, is petitioned for.

The other action is that in which Dorothy Horsak seeks a divorce from Joseph L. Horsak, and restoration of her maiden name, Dorothy Bayly. The couple was married at Omaha on July 29, 1944.

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Stanley Svehia, former Plattsmouth resident, died Sunday morning at Harlingen, Texas, according to word received here by Herman Reichstadt.

Mrs. Svehia, the former Pauline Kovar of Plattsmouth, wired Reichstadt, that the body was being returned to Nebraska for burial but did not designate the place.

The Svehia's left here about 25 years ago, Reichstadt said, and moved to Crete where other members of the family now live.

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In the comparatively short space of perhaps the last fifty or one-hundred years, man has been compelled to use his eyes for any length of time at the near point. Near point work is therefore unnatural and is termed an artificial task. Any artificial task causes fatigue. I will try to explain fatigue as it pertains to eyes in a subsequent paper soon.

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