

HUSBAND OF TWO DAYS TURNS OUT TO BE SWINDLER

Divorce Dispels Wife's Illusion of Marital Bliss—Today's Grind in Divorce Court is Long.

Jenna Clifford Patty, a pretty, well dressed, dark eyed young woman, told Judge Gantenbein in divorce court today the story of how she was swindled by the husband of two days, who later, when he had squandered all her money, threatened to kill her.

She married Rufus Patty on the ninth day of this month. He was young, handsome and attractive and seemed to offer her many things she could not otherwise have. But only a few hours after the wedding ceremony was performed, he first showed his hand, when he took \$120, all the money she had, from her and gave her a check, which she later found to be worthless, for \$150. Then he went into the swindling game, she said, and under threat and in fear of her life, she indorsed checks he drew to his credit. All of them were returned, she testified, as worthless and she was compelled to pay them.

Before she married him she did not know he drank to excess but she soon found he did, she said. He cursed and abused her and her child by a first husband, who is now dead, but life took on a rosy hue three days after the marriage. For then he was arrested and sent to the county jail for passing worthless checks. She was granted a decree.

Wife Called Him Names.

Perhaps John A. Gustavson, a native of Norway, would not have cared if his wife, Clara, had stuck to ordinary names, but when she referred to him as a "pig" and as a "pig" he resented her attitude. So he applied for a divorce from the woman he married in Horton, Norway, 25 years ago. They have not been living together for more than 10 years. All he wanted was a divorce, and did not ask for the custody of their two minor children, who are now living with their mother in Colorado. Judge Gantenbein gave it to him.

David Jones and Dora Jones, married, and lived with Dora Jones' uncle in Los Angeles, after they were wedded at that city September 5, 1904. But Jones could not get along with his uncle and decided he and his wife should open an establishment of their own. She did not think an old man, however, and when he left the uncle's home, she refused to do so. She is still there, according to his statement to the court this morning. Why, the last time he went to see her—it was when he heard she was ill—she slammed the door in his face. He got a decree.

Mad Troubles Galore.

Multitude were the stories of his marital trials and tribulations as related on the witness stand before Judge Gantenbein in circuit court this morning by Marshall Hazel. Hazel took a divorce decree from Helen Hazel.

Not long after he was married to Helen, July 17, 1909, in Portland, Hazel discovered she was not all he thought her before marriage to be. She took his 7-year-old daughter to the rooms of other men with her, and drank liquor and smoked cigarettes in the presence of the child.

So Hazel decided to leave his wife, and he and his daughter went to live with his mother, whereupon Helen, the wife, appeared one night with a revolver and a razor and Hazel thought it fit and proper he should return to live with her. He told vividly of his wife rousing him from sweet dreams at the unearthly hour of midnight, and of compelling him to "rub the gravel." But in the month of October, 1909, she left him with \$500 of his money, and that

is the last he has seen or heard of her. Grounds cited by Hazel were cruel and inhuman treatment.

His Wife Made Miserable.

Llewellyn N. Hickok, a real estate broker, got a decree of divorce from Isabel Hickok before Judge Gantenbein in circuit court today, after telling of the painful existence the woman had caused him to lead, the mental suffering he had undergone because of her false accusations and a long story intended to give evidence of incompatibility.

They were married in Council Bluffs, Iowa, April 22, 1907, and, according to the husband, the woman didn't waste much time doing her best to make his life miserable.

"She was extremely jealous," he informed the court—"jealous not only of other women, but of my business. She even went so far as to try to get the people for whom I was working to discharge me so she could take my place."

Mrs. Hickok had her husband arrested on a charge of nonsupport last spring, but when his case came up for trial he was allowed to go free because of lack of sufficient evidence. C. W. Garland, deputy district attorney, was put on the stand this morning for Hickok. Garland prosecuted Hickok when he was arrested by his wife last spring. He told of Mrs. Hickok going to Mrs. L. W. Sison, of the board of education, and trying to get a school teacher with whom Hickok was acquainted, discharged, alleging he had improper relations with her. When the charges were threshed out in court it was discovered they were not well founded.

Hickok, when recalled to the stand, said his wife had caused him to lose two positions by hounding him and speaking ill of him to his employers, and that he suffered mentally for months because of her actions.

He was granted a decree of divorce.

Wife Gets Decree.

George L. Whitson, who married Anna Whitson in Portland December 26, 1905, was not present before Judge Gantenbein in circuit court today when his wife was granted a divorce. He was not present because just now he is serving out a sentence of two years in the state penitentiary at Walla Walla, Wash., having been convicted of forgery in Spokane.

Mrs. Whitson alleged he deserted her more than two years ago. She is a pretty, frail woman, who went into court today dressed in a becoming suit and cape of black. Two children—Walter, 3 years old, and Sherman, 1 year old—resulted from the union, and she was granted their custody.

She was given a decree of divorce, as were seven other plaintiffs, all of whom had their cases heard within a period of an hour.

BIG AUDITORIUM CERTAIN TO PROVE GOOD INVESTMENT

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Thus the Auditorium is a municipal proposition.

Music Popular Feature.

"And here is a feature that appeals very strongly to the people of Denver and has made the mayor incumbent exceedingly popular. This is the free band concert feature every Sunday afternoon and evening. These concerts are given in the auditorium by a large band, paid by the city, and more often than not people here to be turned away. On the average 2 should say 15,000 people attend each concert, and it does not cost the people who attend a cent. Our street car company contributes a little toward advertising the attractions. No one complains of the small amount assessed to defray the expense of this music feature and any taxpayer may have his or her money's worth by attending one of the concerts. The amount divided among the large list of taxpayers is so trivial that no one thinks of it."

Ball Seldom Idle.

"And it seems there is always something going on in the auditorium; concerts or conventions or something, so the building seldom stands vacant. Like many other things, its existence has created a demand."

"I should imagine a number of conventions held in Denver could easily be brought to Portland, because people are anxious to see the extreme west and the coast, and there is no better drawing card than a national convention. I am certainly pleased with Portland and its splendid climate; I came here to

get a waft of the cool breeze, and I must say your weather is delightful, nice and cool, and yet you are having summer and luxuriant flowers."

Street Car System Good.

Mr. Beecher was interviewed in the presence of President Josselyn, and therefore it was with some reluctance that he was asked to compare the street car system of this city and that of his own.

"Well, I have heard a great deal of favorable comment, and from what I have seen of it so far, you have a very good system. The tracks, I have observed, are especially substantial, and

"What about the equipment," Mr. Josselyn suggested, smilingly.

"It appears to be modern, and I note that you are operating multiple unit trains in handling the heavy traffic, which system we have found comes about nearest the solution for handling business during rush hours or when abnormally heavy. In Denver we operate trailers wherever possible."

Bootlegger Is Fined.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., July 28.—Alex Gray of Springfield, who had been found guilty of the illicit sale of liquor, was yesterday fined by Judge Bryson \$300 and costs. No jail sentence was imposed upon him as this was his first offense and as his past reputation has been very good.

Another arrest was made by the sheriff yesterday on the same charge. The one accused this time is Charles Eberth, proprietor of a small furniture factory here. It is alleged that he sold whiskey from his saleroom downtown. He is under \$500 bonds to appear for trial.

Milton Couple Wedded.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Milton, Or., July 28.—Cupid has been busy as usual in the Milton-Freeewater vicinity of late. On Wednesday evening the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Samuels of this city was the center of attraction when their daughter, Miss Della Samuels, was married to Charles A. Biss, foreman of the Milton Nursery company.

Cooling, Soothing

During the dog days heavy workers are in need of a cooling soothing beverage, one that can be used as a tissue builder and general revivifier of the entire system. For such a beverage Biop Gold, the famous bottled product of the Star Brewing company exactly fills the bill. This ideal beer is made from the choicest and most costly ingredients. Order a trial case today. Phone East 46, B-1146. Free delivery.

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DETECTIVES SEIZE MURRAY'S OFFICE

Employment Agency Is Raided After Victims Complain of Having Been Fleeced.

Frank J. Murray's "employment agency" scheme was nipped this morning with a raid upon his office at 315 Alisky building by Detectives Hellyer and John Malone and his arrest on the charge of obtaining money by false pretenses.

Murray advertised for firemen and brakemen, saying experience was not necessary. A stream of applicants went to his office and many of them paid \$5 to Murray on the promise that he would obtain work for them in Spokane, furnishing free transportation to that city. Murray declared that he was employed by railroads there and had been sent to Portland to recruit men.

Several men who paid the money and

did not find promises being kept complained at detective headquarters and the arrest followed. The officers left word at Murray's office that all who acquired for him be sent to detective headquarters. Probably 15 alleged victims came to detective quarters subsequently.

WILL PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION FOR KENTON

The subject of fire protection for Kenton was taken up yesterday by the fire committee of the executive board. The need of protection to this outlying district is great, so the committee voted to recommend to the board the purchase of three lots for the erection of a fire station.

The rapid growth in 12 months in this district has necessitated many improvements, of which fire protection is considered the most important. Several business blocks have been erected. The committee considered it advisable to purchase the lots, as they can now be secured for \$50 each. The building of stations will not be taken up this year, but will be among the first moves of the department next year.

The attention of the committee was called to the dumping of inflammable material into the gulch at East Sixth and Everett streets. The East Side Slabwood company has been dumping sawdust and scraps of wood here. As a

precaution against fire it will be asked to discontinue this practice.

Assistant Fire Chief Laudenklos is now in charge of the fire department during the absence of Chief Campbell, who is on his vacation.

Cases Before Supreme Court.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., July 29.—Cases have been set down for argument before the supreme court by Clerk, J. C. Moreland as follows:

Tuesday, August 9, at 10 o'clock, Henderson vs. Reynolds; at 2 o'clock, Diblee vs. Astoria & Columbia River railroad.

Wednesday, August 10, at 10 o'clock, Urquhart vs. Belloni; at 2 o'clock, Gobbi vs. Dilco.

Thursday, August 11, at 10 o'clock, Morrison vs. Gardner; at 2 o'clock, Daly vs. Benson.

Navassar Ladies' Band.

The following is the program for the concert at the Oaks this evening: Triumphal March, "Entry of the Gladiators".....Frick Overture, "Merry Wives of Windsor".....Nicolai For violin.....Selected Miss Sanderger. Selection "Red Mill".....Herbert Selection from "La Gioconda".....Ponchinelli Spectacular, "The Glow Worm".....Linche

46 NEW CASES OF DIPHTHERIA IN JULY

An epidemic of diphtheria threatens Portland. The records in the health office show how 46 new cases this month, against 34 for June. There have been an unusual number of new cases reported since July 15, and each day, new cases are discovered.

Health Officer Wheeler considers the situation dangerous, and has instructed his deputies and all physicians to act promptly in all cases showing signs of diphtheria. Red cards are being placed all over the city, and a strict quarantine has been ordered. The cause for the spread of this disease is placed largely upon the parents. Considerable trouble exists in the city among children with their throats, and the parents have been unusually negligent in calling physicians. In almost every case on record now in the health office, the physician was not called until the sick child was in the last stages of diphtheria. In many cases, this was too late, and death resulted. Some physicians have also been negligent in reporting diphtheria cases.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

G. H. Toaker's Queen Quality Shoe Sale

Phenomenal Shoe Values

Following our usual custom of past years, we will inaugurate Saturday morning, July 30, a Festival of Shoe Bargains. Our fixed policy demands that we rid ourselves of all Summer Shoes before the fall season opens. Baker's "close margin" prices and Baker values are too well known to need any explanation, so when we announce a deep cut in seasonable footwear we expect and will receive a tremendous response. We depart somewhat from our usual custom this year, inasmuch as we are making a strong feature at this sale of "Queen Quality" Shoes—the shoes that set the standard of styles and values for women's shoes the world over. When we announce that these standard \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes will be sold at this sale at the remarkably low price of \$2.45 it can but strengthen in your mind the already settled conviction that the big, busy Baker Stores are always and everlastingly giving the biggest shoe values on the Pacific Coast. Corresponding price cuts will be in evidence all through our large and varied stock of Fine Footwear. This is a truly money-saving event for ALL people. Don't fail to attend.

<p>For Women</p> <p>\$1.95</p> <p>Values Up to \$5</p> <p>A large collection of Low Shoes, including almost every conceivable leather, shape and pattern. All from our regular lines and not a shoe in the lot that didn't cost more to manufacture. They are broken lines, small sizes and narrow widths—that's the reason for the big cut. If you chance to have a small or narrow foot here's your chance.</p> <p>\$2.45</p> <p>Values \$3.50 and \$4</p> <p>At this price your choice is almost unrestricted in Low Shoes. Every line "Queen Quality" Low Shoes has been cut for quick clearance. Over 30 new 1910 models in pumps, with or without straps, button shoes and ties, from which to select. All leathers, all sizes. This "Big Value" opportunity will probably never occur again, so avail yourself of it while it lasts.</p> <p>\$2.85</p> <p>Values \$5</p> <p>We also offer at greatly reduced prices 10 of our most expensive lines of Low Shoes, all leathers, any shape, every stylish pattern. This is positively a showing of Fine Footwear that cannot be equaled in this city at any price. No matter how exacting your demands may be, you cannot fail but be impressed with these values.</p>	<p>2-button Oxfords, extremely popular—in patent, dull calf and kid. "Big value" at regular price, \$3.50. Now \$2.45</p>	<p>Single-bar Pump, with winged tip, in patent, suede, dull calf and Russia; "Queen Quality," \$3.50 value, now \$2.45</p>	<p>For Men</p> <p>\$1.95</p> <p>Values Up to \$4</p> <p>In this lot you will find regular lines of \$2.50 values, some nearly complete lines of \$3.50 values, and broken lines in \$4.00 values. The leathers are principally patent and gunmetal calf. The shapes are very varied and the styles are button and blucher lace. They are all BIG VALUES and offer an opportunity for genuine economy.</p> <p>\$2.85</p> <p>Values \$3.50 and \$4</p> <p>Here is another lot composed of patent colt and gunmetal calf, button and blucher lace. All complete lines of \$3.50 values are included, as well as many \$4.00 values. A wide range of styles as well as complete sizes offer an assurance of satisfaction. The styles are all new and up to date, and the shoes are all excellent values at regular prices.</p> <p>\$3.85</p> <p>Values \$5</p> <p>To the men who are in the habit of paying \$5.00 for a pair of shoes this assortment offers great interest. This assortment includes nearly all our \$5.00 values in low shoes and we wish to emphasize that our \$5.00 shoes compare favorably with those sold at \$6.00 in other stores. You will find all leathers, many patterns and every good shape. Don't fail to investigate this assortment.</p>
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<p>Men's Blucher and Button Oxfords, in patent, black and Russia calf, military heel. Regular \$5 values, now \$3.85</p>	<p>Men's Blucher and Button Oxfords, in patent colt and gunmetal calf. Regular \$3.50 and \$4 values—now \$2.85</p>	<p>G. H. Toaker 270 WASHINGTON STREET Portland Los Angeles San Francisco</p>	

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