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Anderson	Lester F	vs	Anderson	Edna	filed granted	22 Aug 1939 pg 4 11 Oct 1939 pg 4

**ANDERSON ASKS DIVORCE  
DESERTION IS ALLEGED**

Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Lester F. Anderson against Edna Anderson on grounds of desertion. Mr. Anderson alleges that the defendant deserted him in December, 1937, about six months after their marriage. He asks for an absolute decree of divorce and states that his wife is provided with a \$10 a-month income from a part of his monthly compensation from the U. S. Veterans Bureau.

They were married June 13, 1937, and have no children.

**DIVORCE IS GRANTED  
IN DISTRICT COURT**

A decree of divorce was granted Lester F. Anderson from Edna Anderson in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. Mr. Anderson alleged in his complaint that the defendant deserted him during December, 1937, and has since refused to live with him.

They were married at a Catholic altar in Alberta, June 13, 1937, and have no children.

Anderson	Ragna	vs	Anderson	Walter	filed	9 Aug 1939 pg 5
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**RAGNA ANDERSON IS  
SEEKING A DIVORCE**

Divorce proceedings have been filed in district court by Ragna Anderson against Walter Anderson on grounds of extreme cruelty.

Mrs. Anderson asks for the care and custody of a minor child, an absolute decree of divorce and \$15 a month permanent alimony. She also asks that the defendant be made responsible for food bills incurred while they were still living together.

They were married June 15, 1920, at Grafton, North Dakota.

Arndt	F C	vs	Arndt	Ella	denied	2 Feb 1939 pg 4
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**F. C. ARNDT DENIED  
DIVORCE BY JUDGE  
J. E. ROCKWOOD**

Judge J. E. Rockwood this morning denied F. C. Arndt a decree of divorce from Ella Arndt and likewise denied Mrs. Arndt a decree of separate maintenance asked for in her answer to the divorce complaint. The plaintiff was suing for divorce on the ground of extreme cruelty involving the infliction of grievous mental suffering.

They married at Hinsdale, September 21, 1925, and have no children.

Baker	William E	vs	Baker	Clara A	filed granted	1 Aug 1939 pg 5 21 Sep 1939 pg 2
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**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**

Divorce action was filed in district court this afternoon by William E. Baker against Clara A. Baker on grounds of desertion. Mr. Baker alleges that the defendant deserted him without just cause or provocation on or about May 29, 1937.

They were married June 17, 1931, and have no children.

**W. E. BAKER GRANTED DIVORCE**

William E. Baker was granted a decree of divorce from Clara A. Baker in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. He charged that he was deserted on May 29, 1937. They were married on June 17, 1931, and have no children.

Beal	Mildred E	vs	Beal	Sidney L	filed	11 May 1939 pg 5
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**DIVORCE ACTION FILED  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT**

Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Mildred E. Beal against Sidney L. Beal charging desertion. Mrs. Beal alleges that the defendant deserted her in April, 1928, and has since refused to live with her or provide for her support. She asks for an absolute decree of divorce.

They were married on July 30, 1929, at Seattle and have no children.

Bellefleur	Clara	vs	Bellefleur	William A	filed	11 Aug 1939 pg 4
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**TWO DIVORCE ACTIONS  
ARE FILED IN COURT**

Two actions for divorce were filed in district court this afternoon, both on grounds of mental cruelty. Hazel Ostrom asks an absolute decree of divorce from Lloyd Ostrom and the care and custody of their minor child. They were married at Parco, Washington on June 26, 1935.

Clara Bellefleur seeks a decree of divorce from William A. Bellefleur and \$20 a month alimony or a lump sum property settlement of \$2,000. They were married at Katspelt, December 21, 1929.

Berg Gladys L vs Berg Glenn S granted 25 Sep 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE GRANTED AND ONE FILED IN COURT**  
A decree of divorce was granted Gladys L. Berg from Glenn S. Berg in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Rockwood on grounds of extreme cruelty. Custody of two minor children will be settled pending further consideration of the case.  
The Bergs were married at Kalspell on June 4, 1932.  
Charging desertion, Merion E. Briggs this morning instituted divorce action against Margaret E. Briggs. He charges that his wife deserted him on January 1, 1938. They were married at Kelvington, Saskatchewan, December 5, 1931, and have no children.

Bjorneby March vs Bjorneby Norman E granted 14 Jul 1939 pg 5

**MARCH BJORNEBY IS GRANTED A DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted March Bjorneby from Norman E. Bjorneby in district court this morning on grounds of willful neglect, failure to provide and mental cruelty.  
Mrs. Bjorneby was awarded the care and custody of three minor children and \$15 a month support money. They were married at Kalspell on October 26, 1929.

Blanchard Wesley L vs Blanchard Maybelle M filed 29 Sep 1939 pg 4 granted 1 Dec 1939 pg 2

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED IN THE DISTRICT COURT**  
Divorce action has been filed in district court by Wesley L. Blanchard against Maybelle M. Blanchard on grounds of extreme cruelty.  
They were married August 7, 1929, at Waukegan, Ill., and have one child, for whom the plaintiff asks the care and custody.

A decree of divorce was granted Wesley L. Blanchard from Maybelle M. Blanchard on grounds of extreme cruelty. The plaintiff was awarded the care and custody of a minor child. They married at Waukegan, Illinois, August 7, 1929.

Bock Anne vs Bock Leonard filed 5 Aug 1939 pg 3

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED IN DISTRICT COURT HERE**  
Charging willful neglect and failure to provide, Anne Bock of Whitefish this morning instituted divorce proceedings in district court against Leonard Bock. She alleges that she has been forced to support herself and their 21-month-old child for the past year.  
Mrs. Bock asks for the care and custody of the child and reasonable support money for its care. They were married at Brinton, South Dakota, September 16, 1935.

Brander Luella vs Brander William C filed 23 Aug 1939 pg 5 granted 13 Oct 1939 pg 5

**MRS. BRANDER ASKS DIVORCE**  
Divorce proceedings were instituted in district court today by Luella Brander against William C. Brander on grounds of willful neglect. A second cause of action charged extreme mental cruelty.  
Mrs. Brander asks for the care and custody of three minor children and \$36 a month for their support. They were married at Kalspell, March 12, 1930.

**LUELLA H. BRANDER IS GRANTED DIVORCE**  
Luella H. Brander was granted a decree of divorce from William C. Brander in district court this morning on grounds of willful neglect and extreme cruelty. She was awarded the care and custody of three minor children.  
They were married at Kalspell, March 12, 1930.

Briggs Merton E vs Briggs Margaret E filed 25 Sep 1939 pg 4  
 summons 25 Sep 1939 pg 4  
 granted 16 Nov 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE GRANTED AND ONE FILED IN COURT**

A decree of divorce was granted Gladys L. Berg from Glenn S. Berg in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Rockwood on grounds of extreme cruelty. Custody of two minor children will be settled pending farther consideration of the case.

The Bergs were married at Kalispell on June 4, 1932.

Charging desertion, Merton E. Briggs this morning instituted divorce action against Margaret E. Briggs. He charges that his wife deserted him on January 1, 1938. They were married at Kelvington, Saskatchewan, December 5, 1931, and have no children.

**SUMMONS**

In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Flathead.

MERTON E. BRIGGS, Plaintiff, versus MARGARET E. BRIGGS, Defendant.

THE STATE OF MONTANA sends greetings to the above named Defendants and to each of them.

**YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED** to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon one of you in each County wherein any of you reside, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint. That said action is brought for the purpose of securing a decree of divorce from defendant by plaintiff upon the ground of desertion.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 25th day of September, 1939.

(COURT SEAL)

OLIVER E. VOSE,  
 Clerk of said Court  
 King & Roggen, Kalispell, Montana, Attorneys for Plaintiff-Adv.

**TWO DIVORCES ARE GRANTED BY ROCKWOOD**

Two divorce decrees were granted in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Rockwood. Kathryn Van Amburgh was granted a decree from J. G. Van Amburgh on grounds of cruelty. They were married in Kalispell, July 12, 1932 and have no children.

Merton E. Briggs was awarded a decree of divorce from Margaret E. Briggs on grounds of desertion. He charged that the defendant deserted him on January 1, 1938, and has since refused to live with him. They were married at Kelvington, Saskatchewan, December 5, 1931, and have no children.

Burcham John Theodore vs Burcham Lillie E filed 9 Oct 1939 pg 6  
 granted 4 Dec 1939 pg 5

**TWO DIVORCE ACTIONS ARE FILED IN DISTRICT COURT**

Two suits for divorce were filed in district court today, both on grounds of willful desertion. Velvin O. Vestro charges that Ruby Vestro deserted him on October 1, 1938. They were married at Great Falls on September 28, 1938.

John Theodore Burcham alleges that Lillie E. Burcham deserted him on or about October 1, 1932. They were married at Rugby, North Dakota on November 14, 1931, and have one minor child.

A decree of divorce was granted to John T. Burcham from Lillie E. Burcham in district court this morning on grounds of willful desertion. A minor child is now in the care and custody of the defendant in Willow City, North Dakota.

They were married at Rugby, North Dakota, November 14, 1931.

Burns Viola Grace vs Burns Curtis A filed 1 Dec 1939 pg 2

Viola Grace Burns charges willful desertion in her action for divorce against Curtis A. Burns. As a sole cause of action she charges willful neglect. They married July 30, 1932, at Glasgow, and have no child.

Byers Alicia C vs Byer Charles L filed 8 Feb 1939 pg 5

Action for divorce was instituted in district court this morning by Alicia C. Byers against Charles L. Byers on grounds of extreme cruelty.

Calkins Anita vs Calkins Frank summons granted 19 Aug 1939 pg 2  
10 Oct 1939 pg 8

**SUMMONS**

In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Flathead.

NITA CALKINS, Plaintiff vs. FRANK CALKINS, Defendant.

THE STATE OF MONTANA sends greetings to the above named Defendants and to each of them:

**YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED** to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon one of you in each County wherein any of you reside, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint: That said action is brought for the purpose of quieting title in plaintiff to the herein-after described land; for the purpose of securing a decree of divorce from defendant by plaintiff; for a judgment against defendant to plaintiff for alimony in the sum of \$20.00 per month until the further order of the Court, and that said property be set over to her as part payment upon said alimony, which property is in Flathead County, Montana, and described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the old County road with section line at a point 124.5 feet West of the Southeast corner of Sec. 29, T. 31, N. R. 19, W. M. M.; thence along boundary of said road 105 feet Northwesterly to true point of beginning; thence at right angles Northwesterly 120 feet; thence at right angles Northwesterly 100 feet; thence at right angles Southwesterly 120 feet; thence along Easterly boundary of the County road to true point of beginning.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 18th day of August, 1939.

(SEAL)

OLIVER F. VOSE,  
Clerk of said Court,  
By AMANDA NELSON,  
Deputy Clerk.  
King & Rogation, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Kalspell Montana.—Adv.

**DIVORCE IS GRANTED TO NITA CALKINS**

Nita Calkins was awarded a decree of divorce from Frank Calkins in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. She alleged in her complaint that the defendant deserted her on January 18, 1931, and has since continued to desert and abandon her.

Mr. Calkins was also granted title to property in Flathead county held jointly by the two. They were married at Lansing, Michigan, December 18, 1924.

Cassetti Margaret vs Cassetti Amedeo granted 20 Jan 1939 pg 6

**MARGARET CASSETTI IS GRANTED DIVORCE**

An absolute decree of divorce was granted Margaret Cassetti from Amedeo Cassetti in district court this morning by Judge Rockwood on grounds of mental cruelty.

They were married September 12, 1923, at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, and have no children.

Collins John J vs Collins Susie Mae filed 18 Aug 1939 pg 4

**TWO DIVORCE ACTIONS ARE FILED IN COURT**

Divorce proceedings were filed in district court today by Emma Leona Norman against Benjamin E. Norman and by John J. Collins against Susie Mae Collins.

Mrs. Norman charges willful neglect and asks an absolute decree of divorce. They were married at Kalspell, July 24, 1927, and have no children.

Mr. Collins alleges in his complaint that the defendant deserted him in 1936 and in 1931 for varying periods and finally again in 1924, stating that she did not care to live with him longer. They were married at Lewistown, January 8, 1928, and have one child.

Cowan Frances B vs Cowan Winfield S filed 15 Jul 1939 pg 3

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED  
IN DISTRICT COURT HERE**  
Action for divorce was filed in district court yesterday by Frances B. Cowan against Winfield S. Cowan on charges of extreme mental cruelty.  
Mrs. Cowan asks for the care and custody of a minor child and \$60 a month support money. They were married at Whitefish, November 27, 1937.

Curtis Edith L vs Curtis B C granted 4 Oct 1939 pg 5

**EDITH L. CURTIS IS  
GRANTED A DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted in district court this morning to Edith L. Curtis from B. C. Curtis on grounds of desertion. Mrs. Curtis was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and \$10 a month support money.  
They were married at Kalispell, October 8, 1936.

Danielson Oscar D vs Danielson Christina filed 27 Dec 1939 pg 3

**OSCAR D. DANIELSON  
IS SEEKING DIVORCE**  
Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Oscar D. Danielson against Christina Danielson on grounds of extreme cruelty. Mr. Danielson asks for an absolute decree of divorce and a court order for the sale of property owned jointly by them and its just distribution according to the judgment of the court. He asked that the care and custody of three minor children he left to the children, all of whom are old enough to decide for themselves. It was stated in the complaint.  
They were married in Kalispell, January 6, 1919.

Davis Uda R vs Davis Mary Bell filed 10 Jun 1939 pg 3 granted 19 Jul 1939 pg 5

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED  
IN DISTRICT COURT HERE**  
Divorce action was instituted in district court today by Uda R. Davis charging extreme cruelty. In addition to the extreme cruelty charge, Davis alleges that some time before the commencement of his action for divorce the defendant left their home without reasonable cause and has refused to return.  
Mr. Davis asks for the care and custody of two minor children. They were married at Lewistown, May 25, 1932.

**UDA DAVIS GRANTED  
DECREE OF DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted Uda R. Davis from Mary Bell Davis in district court this morning on the grounds of extreme cruelty. He also charged that shortly before filing of action for divorce the defendant left his home and two minor children.  
Mr. Davis was awarded the care and custody of the two children. They married at Lewistown, May 25, 1932.

Derr L Earl vs Derr Ruby A granted 27 Oct 1939 pg 5

**TWO DIVORCES GIVEN  
IN DISTRICT COURT**  
L. Earl Derr was granted a decree of divorce from Ruby A. Derr in district court this morning on grounds of extreme cruelty.  
Mrs. Derr was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and the defendant was ordered to pay \$5 a month for his support. They were married at York, Nebraska, June 12, 1912.  
James Lanegan was also granted a decree of divorce from Bergliot Lanegan on grounds of desertion. They were married in Kalispell, September 16, 1931, and have no children.

Dewar Nellie vs Dewar Norman filed 3 Nov 1939 pg 5

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**  
Action for divorce was filed in district court this morning by Nellie Dewar against Norman Dewar on grounds of desertion. Mrs. Dewar charges in her complaint that the defendant deserted her on or about June 26, 1936.  
They were married at Kalispell, November 5, 1931, and have no children.

Drube Bertha B vs Drube Fred C filed 5 Sep 1939 pg 3

**DIVORCE SUIT FILED  
IN DISTRICT COURT**  
Suit for divorce has been filed in district court by Bertha B. Drube against Fred C. Drube on grounds of desertion, failure to provide and extreme cruelty.  
Mrs. Drube asks for the care and custody of a minor child, the only child remaining a minor out of eight children born to the couple, and \$25 a month support money. They were married August 1904, at Grangeville, Idaho.

Eckleberry George vs Eckleberry Florence granted 13 Apr 1939 pg 5

**FLORENCE ECKLEBERRY  
IS GRANTED DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted to George Eckleberry from Florence Eckleberry in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. Mrs. Eckleberry, the plaintiff charges, deserted him on August 6, 1937, and has since refused to live with him.  
They married at Spokane, December 29, 1929, and have no children.

Elfgren Ethyl vs Elfgren Ernest E filed 29 Sep 1939 pg 4

**ETHYL ELMGREN FILES  
ACTION FOR DIVORCE**  
Divorce proceedings were instituted in district court this morning by Ethyl E. Elmgren against Ernest E. Elfgren on grounds of extreme cruelty, involving bodily injury.  
Mrs. Elfgren asks for \$40 a month alimony and title to property owned jointly by the two, including household goods. They were married at Great Falls, December 28, 1929, and have no children.

Evans Henrietta C vs Evans Elmer Pearl summons filed 27 Jul 1939 pg 2 granted 27 Jul 1939 pg 5 13 Sep 1939 pg 5

**SUMMONS**  
In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Flathead.  
HENRIETTA C. EVANS, Plaintiff, versus ELMER PEARL EVANS, Defendant.  
THE STATE OF MONTANA, do hereby certify to the above named Defendants and to each of them:  
YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon one of you in each County wherein any of you reside, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint.  
Said action is brought for the purpose of securing a divorce by plaintiff from defendant, on the ground of desertion.  
Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 26th day of July, 1939.  
OLIVER F. VOSE,  
(SEAL) Clerk of said Court.  
KING & ROGNLIEB,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff  
Kalispell, Montana.

**ACTION FOR DIVORCE  
FILED IN COURT HERE**  
Divorce proceedings were filed in district court by Henrietta C. Evans against Elmer P. Evans on grounds of desertion. Mrs. Evans alleges that her husband deserted her during March, 1932, and has since continued to abandon their home.  
She asks for an absolute decree of divorce and the care and custody of a minor child. They were married at Kalispell, December 26, 1914.

**DIVORCE IS GRANTED**  
Henrietta C. Evans was granted a decree of divorce from Elmer P. Evans in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. She was awarded the care and custody of a minor child.  
They were married at Kalispell, December 26, 1914.

Fehlberg Louis vs Fehlberg Estelle filed 22 May 1939 pg 3 granted 14 Aug 1939 pg 3

**LOUIS FEHLBERG FILES  
SUIT FOR DIVORCE**  
Divorce action was filed in district court Saturday afternoon by Louis Fehlberg against Estelle Fehlberg on grounds of desertion. The defendant, it is charged, went to California and has since refused to return to her home here.  
They were married at Modesto, California, June 13, 1924, and have one minor child, now in the custody of Mrs. Fehlberg.

Louis Fehlberg was awarded an absolute decree of divorce from Estelle Fehlberg. Mrs. Fehlberg was given the care and custody of a minor child and \$70 a month support money. They were married June 13, 1924, at Modesto, California.

Follette Tony vs Follette Grace filed 27 Jun 1939 pg 2

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**  
Action for divorce has been instituted in district court by Tony Follette against Grace Follette charging desertion. Mr. Follette charges that in spite of the fact that he furnished the defendant with a home and all the necessities of life she deserted him on or about May 10, 1936, and has since refused to return or live with him.  
They were married at Polson, January 3, 1924, and have no children.

Franklin Clara vs Franklin Alva filed 6 Jan 1939 pg 3

**CLARA FRANKLIN IS GIVEN DIVORCE TODAY**

Clara Franklin was awarded a decree of divorce from Alva Franklin in district court this morning on the grounds of extreme cruelty. She was awarded the care and custody of a minor child, \$20 a month support money and all household furnishings. They married at Kalispell, May 19, 1926.

Franklin Leland R vs Franklin Edith E filed 9 Oct 1939 pg 3 granted 31 Oct 1939 pg 5

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED BY LELAND R. FRANKLIN**

Divorce proceedings have been instituted in district court by Leland R. Franklin against Edith E. Franklin on grounds of desertion. The complaint states that, under no agreement between the plaintiff and defendant that the defendant shall have the care and custody of a minor child, subject to the disposition of the case by the court. The plaintiff agrees to pay \$15 a month for support of the child. They were married at Kalispell, May 8, 1934.

**LELAND FRANKLIN IS GRANTED DIVORCE**

An absolute decree of divorce was granted Leland R. Franklin this morning from Edith E. Franklin on grounds of desertion. Mrs. Franklin was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and \$15 a month for its support. They were married at Kalispell, May 8, 1934.

Gilchrist E H vs Gilchrist Lois filed 18 Oct 1939 pg 4 granted 14 Nov 1939 pg 4

**E. H. GILCHRIST FILES SUIT FOR A DIVORCE**

E. H. Gilchrist has filed suit for divorce in district court, against Lois Gilchrist. He stated in his complaint that he does not know the present whereabouts of the defendant and asks for the care and custody of three minor children. They were married at Kalispell, July 30, 1928.

**GILCHRIST GRANTED DIVORCE**

E. H. Gilchrist was granted a decree of divorce from Lois Gilchrist in district court this morning and was awarded the care and custody of three minor children. They were married at Kalispell, July 30, 1928.

Gose Arthella vs Gose Fred filed 16 Nov 1939 pg 4 summons 27 Nov 1939 pg 2

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**

Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Arthella Gose against Fred Gose on grounds of willful neglect. They were married in Spokane, January 22, 1933 and have no children.

**SUMMONS**

In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Flathead

ARTHELLA GOSE Plaintiff versus FRED GOSE Defendant.

THE STATE OF MONTANA sends notices and to each of them: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED

to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon one of you in each County wherein any of you reside, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint. This action is brought for the purpose of obtaining a decree of divorce of the plaintiff from the defendant upon the ground of the willful neglect of the plaintiff by the defendant in willfully failing to provide the plaintiff with the common necessities of life, he being an able bodied man and able to do so.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 15th day of November, 1939.

(SEAL) OLIVER E. VOSE, Clerk of said Court. B. M. Child, Kalispell, Montana, Attorney for Plaintiff.—Atty.

Groat Wesley E vs Groat Millie E filed 30 Jun 1939 pg 3

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**  
Action for divorce was filed in district court today by Wesley E. Groat against Millie E. Groat on grounds of desertion. Charging that Mrs. Groat deserted him in November, 1937, the plaintiff seeks an absolute decree of divorce, but states that custody of a minor child may remain with the defendant, who is now living at Walla Walla, Washington. They married at Walla Walla, on July 2, 1931.

Gudgel William H vs Gudgel Josephine E filed 14 Mar 1939 pg 4

**FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE**  
William H. Gudgell yesterday filed suit for divorce from Josephine E. Gudgell, alleging cruelty. They were married at Missoula April 29, 1924, and have no children.

Hauge Sylvia vs Hauge Clarence summons 23 May 1939 pg 2

**SUMMONS**  
In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Flathead  
SYLVIA HAUGE, Plaintiff vs CLARENCE HAUGE, Defendant.  
THE STATE OF MONTANA sends greetings to the above named Defendants and to each of them:  
YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon one of you in each County wherein any of you reside, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint: To wit: For a divorce adjudging that the bonds of matrimony between Plaintiff and Defendant be dissolved upon the grounds: 1. That defendant has deserted plaintiff for over one year prior to April 1, 1939, in that ever since said marriage the place and mode of living selected by the defendant was unreasonable and grossly unfit to which the plaintiff made known to the defendant her reasonable objections, and to which she refused to conform since about April 1, 1938; 2. That defendant has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward plaintiff and of the infliction upon plaintiff of previous mental suffering by a course of conduct persisted in ever since said marriage which is justly and reasonably of such a nature as to, and which has destroyed the peace of mind and happiness of plaintiff and has entirely defeated the proper objects of marriage and has rendered the cohabitation of said married relations perpetually intolerable to plaintiff; and awarding the custody of the minor children of said marriage to plaintiff.  
Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 23rd day of May, 1939.  
OLIVER F. VOSE,  
Clerk of said Court.  
Deputy Clerk.  
SEAL) By AMANDA NELSON,  
GRUBB E. ROCKWOOD,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff,  
Kalispell, Montana. (Adv.)

Jennings Ida O vs Jennings Owen filed 30 Nov 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**  
Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Ida O. Jennings against Owen Jennings on grounds of extreme cruelty. They were married at Glasgow, October 30, 1917, and have two children.

granted 20 Dec 1939 pg 4

**IDA JENNINGS GIVEN A DIVORCE IN DISTRICT COURT**  
Ida O. Jennings was granted a decree of divorce from Owen Jennings in district court this morning on grounds of extreme cruelty. She was awarded the care and custody of two minor children. They were married at Glasgow, October 30, 1917.



Jensen Arlene vs Jensen Peter W license granted 3 Jan 1939 pg 4 1 Jun 1939 pg 3

**MRS. JENSEN ASKS DIVORCE**  
Charging extreme cruelty, Arlene Jensen has instituted divorce action in district court against Peter W. Jensen. She asks for the care and custody of a minor child and \$15 a month for his support.  
They were married at Choteau, October 7, 1934.

**ARLENE JENSEN IS GRANTED A DIVORCE**  
Arlene Jensen was granted a decree of divorce from Peter W. Jensen in district court this morning on grounds of extreme cruelty. She was awarded the care and custody of a minor child.  
They were married at Choteau, October 7, 1934.

Jungers Lawrence E vs Jungers Elaine B filed 18 Nov 1939 pg 5

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED IN DISTRICT COURT HERE**  
Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Lawrence E. Jungers against Elaine B. Jungers on grounds of extreme cruelty. He asks for an absolute decree of divorce and the care and custody of two minor children.  
They were married at Kalispell, October 20, 1935.

Kauffman Isabel vs Kauffman Wilbur filed 23 Oct 1939 pg 4

**ISABEL KAUFFMAN FILES ACTION FOR DIVORCE**  
Charging extreme cruelty, Isabel A. Kauffman this morning filed action for divorce against Wilbur H. Kauffman.  
They were married at Missoula on July 3, 1937, and have no children.

Keller Gladys May vs Keller John filed granted 8 May 1939 pg 4 20 Jun 1939 pg 4

**GLADYS KELLER FILES ACTION FOR DIVORCE**  
Charging extreme cruelty, Gladys M. Keller has filed action for divorce in district court against John A. Keller. They were married June 2, 1923, and have no children. Mrs. Keller asks for an absolute decree of divorce.

**DIVORCE GRANTED**  
Gladys May Keller was awarded a decree of divorce from John Keller in district court yesterday on grounds of extreme cruelty.  
They were married at Kalispell, June 2, 1923, and have no children.

Kickbusch Jessie B vs Kickbusch William E filed 30 Oct 1939 pg 3

**JESSIE KICKBUSCH FILES ACTION FOR DIVORCE**  
Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Jessie B. Kickbusch against William E. Kickbusch on grounds of neglect and failure to provide.  
They were married at Madison, Wisconsin, October 17, 1903.

Kingery Goldie vs Kingery Tonie filed 4 Jan 1939 pg 5

**GOLDIE KINGERY FILES ACTION FOR DIVORCE**  
Goldie Kingery this morning instituted divorce proceedings in district court against Tonie Kingery on grounds of extreme cruelty. She asks for an absolute decree of divorce and whatever other relief the court considers advisable.  
They were married at Somers, April 22, 1937, and have no children.

Kirkpatrick George vs Kirkpatrick Hillie granted 15 Feb 1939 pg 4

**GEORGE KIRKPATRICK IS GRANTED DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted to George Kirkpatrick from Hillie M. Kirkpatrick in district court this morning on grounds of extreme cruelty. Mrs. Kirkpatrick was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and \$20 monthly support money.  
They were married at Rocky Boy, Montana, October 9, 1933.

Knechtges Inez vs Knechtges William filed granted 18 May 1939 pg 5 25 Oct 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE SUIT FILED**  
Action for divorce was filed in district court this afternoon by Inez Knechtges against William Knechtges on grounds of willful neglect and failure to provide.  
They were married at Great Falls, December 24, 1929, and have no children.

**DIVORCE IS GRANTED TO INEZ KNECHTGES**  
Inez Knechtges was granted a decree of divorce from William Knechtges in district court this morning on grounds of willful neglect and failure to provide.  
They were married on December 24, 1929, at Great Falls and have no children.

Koehler Gretchen vs Koehler John H filed 21 Aug 1939 pg 4

**MRS. KOEHLER ASKS DIVORCE**  
Divorce proceedings have been instituted in district court by Gretchen Koehler against John H. Koehler on grounds of extreme mental cruelty. Mrs. Koehler asks for \$50 a month temporary alimony and \$50 a month permanent alimony. They were married September 15, 1922, and have no children.

Lanegan James vs Lanegan Bergliot granted 27 Oct 1939 pg 5

**TWO DIVORCES GIVEN IN DISTRICT COURT**  
If Earl Derr was granted a decree of divorce from Ruby A. Derr in district court this morning on grounds of extreme cruelty. Mrs. Derr was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and the defendant was ordered to pay \$5 a month for its support. They were married at York, Nebraska, June 12, 1912.  
James Lanegan was also granted a decree of divorce from Bergliot Lanegan on grounds of desertion. They were married in Kalispell, September 16, 1931, and have no children.

Light Marion E vs Light Gwenth affidavit 12 Dec pg 3

**AFFIDAVIT FILED IN DISTRICT COURT IN DIVORCE ACTION**  
An affidavit stating causes for continuing action for divorce brought against her by Marion E. Light was filed in district court today by Gwenth Light. She asks for a court order to show cause why the plaintiff should not pay her the sum of \$100 a month temporary support, \$200 attorney fees and \$200 herself and a witness to appear and defend her in the action. Mrs. Light now lives in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and was living there at the time this action was filed against her. In her affidavit she also asks that a time be set for hearing on the action.  
The divorce action against her was filed early last fall on grounds of extreme cruelty. They were married May 12, 1934, at Appleton, Wisconsin, and have no children.

Lytle Ruth vs Lytle Melvin B granted 17 Mar 1939 pg 5

**RUTH LYTLE GRANTED DECREE OF DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted Ruth Lytle from Melvin B. Lytle in district court this morning on grounds of conviction of a felony. Lytle is now serving a two-year sentence at the state penitentiary on his conviction of deserting and abandoning minor children. Mrs. Lytle was awarded the care and custody of four minor children. They married at Somers, October 5, 1920.

Martin Margaret vs Martin Wilbert filed 14 Jun 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**  
Divorce proceedings were instituted in district court today by Margaret Martin against Wilbert Martin on grounds of willful neglect and failure to provide. They were married at Shelby, November 21, 1924, and have no children.

McIlhargey Lorraine vs McIlhargey Donald filed 10 Mar 1939 pg 4

**LORRAINE McILHARGEY IS SEEKING DIVORCE**  
Mrs. Lorraine McIlhargey today filed suit for divorce from Donald McIlhargey, alleging extreme cruelty. The plaintiff asks \$20 per month for her support during the pendency of the action, and a hearing on order by her name has been set by Judge Beckwood for March 29. They were married at Kalispell April 7, 1928, and have no children.

McWilliams Raymond B vs McWilliams Carrie filed 25 Jul 1939 pg 5

**R. B. McWILLIAMS ALLEGES DESERTION**  
Action for divorce was filed in district court this morning by Raymond B. McWilliams against Carrie McWilliams on grounds of desertion. The plaintiff alleged that Mrs. McWilliams deserted him on or about March 10, 1936, at Billings, Montana. They were married at Allegany, New York, Dec. 18, 1903, and have two children, both of legal age.

Meeker Minnie A vs Meeker Albert E granted 8 Sep 1939 pg 5

**MRS. MEEKER IS GRANTED DIVORCE**  
Minnie A. Meeker was granted a decree of divorce from Albert E. Meeker in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. She charges that the defendant deserted her on June 10, 1938.  
They were married at Plainview, Nebraska, October 28, 1908, and have no children.

Mendenhall R Jean vs Mendenhall Roy E filed 3 Feb 1939 pg 5

**R. JEAN MENDENHALL IS SEEKING A DIVORCE**  
Action for divorce was instituted in district court today by R. Jean Mendenhall against Roy E. Mendenhall charging extreme cruelty through the alleged infliction of grievous mental suffering on the plaintiff.  
They were married November 14, 1937, at New York City, and have no children.

Newsom William vs Newsom Jennie granted 5 Apr 1939 pg 4

**WILLIAM NEWSOME IS GRANTED A DIVORCE**  
A decree of divorce was granted to William Newsome in district court this morning from Jennie Newsome on grounds of extreme cruelty. In an answer and cross-complaint to the plaintiff's action, Mrs. Newsome also charges extreme cruelty and asked for \$29 a month alimony.  
They were married at Billings, October 17, 1935, and have no children.

Norman Emma Leola vs Norman Benjamin E filed 18 Aug 1939 pg 4

**TWO DIVORCE ACTIONS ARE FILED IN COURT**  
Divorce proceedings were filed in district court today by Emma Leola Norman against Benjamin E. Norman and by John J. Collins against Susie Mae Collins.  
Mrs. Norman charges willful neglect and asks an absolute decree of divorce. They were married at Kallspell, July 24, 1937, and have no children.  
Mr. Collins alleges in his complaint that the defendant deserted him in 1936 and in 1937 for varying periods and finally again in 1938, stating that she did not care to live with him longer. They were married at Lewistown, January 8, 1928, and have one child.

Oman Doris Dell vs Oman Andrew M granted 28 Jul 1939 pg 5

Doris Dell Oman was granted a decree of divorce from Andrew M. Oman on the allegation that he deserted her and his minor child. She was awarded the care and custody of the child and \$10 a month support money. They married at Eureka, March 18, 1923.

Orthey Sylvia vs Orthey Arthur filed 9 Sep 1939 pg 4 granted 28 Nov 1939 pg 5

**MRS. ORTHEY FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE**  
Action for divorce was instituted in district court by Sylvia Orthey against Arthur Orthey on grounds of desertion and failure to provide. She alleges that her husband deserted her on December 20, 1936, while they were living at Coram.  
Mrs. Orthey asks for the care and custody of two minor children. They were married at Kallspell, August 24, 1932. The defendant, whose last known address was Phillipsburg, is now reportedly living outside the state.

**DIVORCE IS GRANTED IN DISTRICT COURT TODAY**  
Sylvia Orthey was today granted a decree of divorce in District Court from Arthur Orthey on grounds of desertion and failure to provide. She was granted the custody of their two minor children.  
They were married August 24, 1932, in Kallspell.

Ostrom Hazel vs Ostrom Lloyd filed 11 Aug 1939 pg 4  
denied 21 Oct 1939 pg 3

**TWO DIVORCE ACTIONS  
ARE FILED IN COURT**

Two actions for divorce were filed in district court this afternoon, both on grounds of mental cruelty. Hazel Ostrom asks an absolute decree of divorce from Lloyd Ostrom and the care and custody of their minor child. They were married at Pasco, Washington on June 26, 1935. Clait Bellefleur seeks a decree of divorce from William A. Bellefleur and \$20 a month alimony or a lump sum property settlement of \$2,000. They were married at Kalispell, December 21, 1929.

**HAZEL OSTROM DENIED  
DECREE OF DIVORCE**

Hazel Ostrom was denied a decree of divorce from Lloyd Ostrom by Judge J. E. Stackwood this morning at the conclusion of testimony which occupied the attention of the court all day yesterday and a part of this forenoon.

Mrs. Ostrom was suing for divorce on grounds of mental cruelty.

Mr. Ostrom was granted the care and custody of a minor daughter for nine months of each year and Mrs. Ostrom was awarded the care and custody of the child for the remaining three months. They were married at Pasco, Washington, July 26, 1935.

In an uncontested action for divorce Ethel L. Woodard was awarded an absolute decree of divorce from Vern B. Woodard on grounds of failure to provide. They were married at Roundup on July 20, 1928.

Persicke Mildred vs Persicke Sidney J filed 20 Jul 1939 pg 5  
granted 14 Aug 1939 pg 3

**MILDRED PERSICKE FILES  
ACTION FOR DIVORCE**

Action for divorce was filed in district court this morning by Mildred E. Persicke against Sidney J. Persicke on grounds of desertion. She alleges that her husband deserted her and their minor child during the last week of August, 1934, and has since refused to return or provide for their support.

Mrs. Persicke asks for the care and custody of the child. They were married at Kalispell, March 24, 1933.

Mildred Persicke was awarded a decree of divorce from Sidney Persicke and given the care and custody of a minor child and \$12.50 a month support money. They were married in Kalispell, March 24, 1933.

Pierce Margaret vs Pierce Albert L filed 2 Nov 1939 pg 5  
granted 15 Dec 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT**

Divorce action was filed in district court this morning by Margaret Pierce against Albert L. Pierce on grounds of desertion. Willful neglect was named as a second cause of action.

They were married in Flathead county, March 11, 1936, and have two minor children. Mrs. Pierce asks for the care and custody of the children.

**MARGARET PIERCE IS  
GRANTED A DIVORCE**

A decree of divorce was granted Margaret Pierce this morning by Judge J. E. Stackwood from Albert L. Pierce on grounds of desertion and failure to provide. Mrs. Pierce charged that she was deserted by the defendant in December, 1936. She was awarded the care and custody of two minor children.

They were married March 11, 1936, in Flathead county.

Ranen Christ vs Ranen Elva M granted 2 Jun 1939 pg 5

On the charge of extreme cruelty, Christ Ranen was given a divorce decree from Elva M. Ranen and was awarded the care and custody of an adopted child. They married at Kalispell on July 29, 1924.

Reid Carol vs Reid Thomas B filed 13 Mar 1939 pg 6  
granted 2 Jun 1939 pg 5

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**

Divorce action was instituted in district court Saturday by Carol Reid against Thomas B. Reid on grounds of desertion. They were married at Bozeman, June 14, 1924, and have no children.

Carol Reid was awarded a decree of divorce from Thomas B. Reid on grounds of desertion and willful neglect. They married at Bozeman on June 14, 1924, and have no children.

Richey Marvle vs Richey Walter filed 11 Jul 1939 pg 5  
 summons 11 Jul 1939 pg 2  
 granted 5 Sep 1939 pg 6

**MARVLE RICHEY IS SEEKING A DIVORCE**

Divorce action was instituted in district court today by Marvle Richey against Walter Richey on grounds of desertion. Mrs. Richey alleges that the defendant deserted her and their three children on or about December 17, 1937.

She asks for the care and custody of the children and \$25 a month support money. Whereabouts of the defendant is not known at the present time. They were married at Kalispell on October 16, 1930.

**SUMMONS**

In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and For the County of Flathead

MARVLE RICHEY, Plaintiff versus WALTER RICHEY, Defendant.

THE STATE OF MONTANA sends greetings to the above named Defendants and to each of them:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon one of you in each County wherein any of you reside, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint. This action is brought for the purpose of obtaining a decree of divorce of the plaintiff from the defendant upon the ground of desertion of the plaintiff by the defendant on the 17th day of December, 1937, and for the care, custody and control of the three minor children of said marriage.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 10th day of July, 1939.

OLIVER F. VOSE,  
 Clerk of said Court.

(SEAL)

E. M. CHIL, Kalispell, Montana,  
 Attorney for Plaintiff.—Adv.

**MARVEL RICHEY IS GRANTED A DIVORCE**

An absolute decree of divorce was granted Marvle Richey from Walter Richey in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Rockwood on the grounds of desertion. Mrs. Richey alleged in her complaint that the defendant deserted her on December 17, 1937.

She was also awarded the care and custody of three minor children. They were married at Kalispell, October 16, 1930.

Roe Howard S vs Roe Sylvia filed 25 May 1939 pg 3  
 granted 1 Dec 1939 pg 2

**TWO ACTIONS FOR DIVORCE ARE FILED IN DISTRICT COURT**

Two actions for divorce have been filed in district court, one charging extreme cruelty and desertion and the other on grounds of desertion only.

Howard S. Roe in his action against Sylvia Roe alleges that she deserted him two days after they were married and has since refused to live with him. They were married at Polson, June 8, 1934.

Clemens A. Zook charges Patricia I. Zook with extreme cruelty and desertion. They were married in San Francisco, November 28, 1934, and have no children.

Changing in his complaint that she 1934. 49118 85up 031 193 1018697 marriage, Howard S. Roe was granted a decree of divorce from Sylvia Roe. They were married at Polson, June 8, 1934, and have no children.

Saling Jenname vs Saling Bert A granted 18 May 1939 pg 5

Mrs. Jenname Saling of Kalispell was granted a divorce in the district court in Polson May 16 from Bert A. Saling. She was also given the custody of her three-year-old adopted daughter.

Scanlon Luella Pearl vs Scanlon James O granted 2 Jun 1939 pg 5

Luella Pearl Scanlon was granted a decree of divorce from James O. Scanlon on grounds of extreme cruelty. She was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and \$15 a month support money. They married at Great Falls, June 14, 1925.

Simonson Anna vs Simonson Oscar filed 13 Dec 1939 pg 4

**Anna Simonson Files Action For Divorce**

Divorce proceedings were filed in district court yesterday by Anna Simonson against Oscar Simonson on grounds of extreme cruelty. Mrs. Simonson asks for an absolute decree of divorce and for a decree setting over to the plaintiff all rights and title which the defendant may have in property belonging to the plaintiff.

They were married at Fargo, North Dakota, April 18, 1907.

A decree of divorce was granted Patricia Stearns from Wesley W. Stearns in district court yesterday on grounds of failure to provide.

They were married at Kalispell, May 4, 1938, and have no children.

Sindt Lucille vs Sindt Jack D filed 26 May 1939 pg 5  
granted 7 Aug 1939 pg 3

**LUCILLE SINDT FILES  
ACTION FOR DIVORCE**

Based on grounds of desertion and willful neglect, Lucille Sindt of Whitefish this morning filed action for divorce against Jack D. Sindt.

Mrs. Sindt asks for an absolute decree of divorce, \$20 a month support money, care and custody of a minor child and the surrender of a one-eighth carat diamond ring which the defendant allegedly took from the plaintiff by force and has refused to return.

They were married May 29, 1934, and have one child.

**DIVORCE GRANTED**

Judge J. E. Rockwood this morning granted a decree of divorce to Lucille Sindt from Jack D. Sindt on grounds of desertion and failure to provide.

Mrs. Sindt was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and \$10 a month for the child's support. They were married in Flathead county; May 20, 1936.

Stearns Patricia vs Stearns Wesley filed 22 Nov 1939 pg 4

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT**

Divorce proceedings have been filed in district court by Patricia Stearns against Wesley Stearns on grounds of non-support and willful neglect.

They were married in Kalispell, May 4, 1938, and have no children.

Stenwick Julia vs Stenwick Harley granted 18 Sep 1939 pg 4

**MRS. STENWICK GRANTED  
A DECREE OF DIVORCE**

An absolute decree of divorce was awarded Julia Stenwick from Harley Stenwick in district court this morning on grounds of desertion and failure to provide.

They were married at Warren, Minnesota, September 10, 1934, and have no children.

Sykes Joseph vs Metcalf Helen Louise annulment 27 Jun 1939 pg 3

**ANNULMENT SUIT FILED  
IN DISTRICT COURT**

Action for annulment of the marriage of Joseph Sykes and Helen Louise Metcalf has been filed in district court by C. E. Sykes on grounds that neither of the parties contracting to the marriage was of legal age. They were married at Polson on June 17.

Talbott William P vs Talbott Myrtle M filed 9 Jan 1939 pg 3  
granted 30 Jan 1939 pg 6

Charging extreme cruelty, William P. Talbott has filed divorce proceedings in district court against Myrtle M. Talbott. They were married at Polson, December 1, 1937.

**WILLIAM TALBOTT  
GRANTED DIVORCE**

An absolute decree of divorce was granted William P. Talbott in district court this morning from Myrtle M. Talbott on grounds of extreme cruelty.

They were married at Polson, December 1, 1937, and have no children.

Van Amburgh Kathryn vs Van Amburgh J G filed 24 Oct 1939 pg 5  
granted 16 Nov 1939 pg 4

**KATHRYN VAN AMBURGH  
IS SEEKING A DIVORCE**

Action for divorce was filed in district court this morning by Kathryn Van Amburgh against J. G. Van Amburgh, former Flathead county high school music teacher, on grounds of mental cruelty.

They were married in Kalispell, July 12, 1932, and have no children.

**TWO DIVORCES ARE  
GRANTED BY ROCKWOOD**

Two divorce decrees were granted in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Rockwood. Kathryn Van Amburgh was granted a decree from J. G. Van Amburgh on grounds of cruelty. They were married in Kalispell, July 12, 1932, and have no children.

Merton E. Briggs was awarded a decree of divorce from Margaret E. Briggs on grounds of desertion. He charged that the defendant deserted him on January 1, 1935, and has since refused to live with him. They were married at Kelvington, Saskatchewan, December 6, 1931, and have no children.

Veidt L E vs Veidt Edna filed 27 Feb 1939 pg 3

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**

L. E. Veidt of Whitefish has instituted divorce proceedings in district court against Edna Veidt on grounds of extreme cruelty. He asks for the care and custody of a minor child.

They were married at Spokane, October 18, 1919.

Vestre      Velvin O                      vs      Vestre      Ruby                      filed      9 Oct 1939 pg 6  
 granted      7 Dec 1939 pg 2

**TWO DIVORCE ACTIONS ARE FILED IN DISTRICT COURT**

Two suits for divorce were filed in district court today, both on grounds of willful desertion. Velvin O. Vestre charges that Ruby Vestre deserted him on October 1, 1933. They were married at Great Falls on September 23, 1933.

John Theodore Bureham alleges that Lillie E. Bureham deserted him on or about October 1, 1932. They were married at Rugby, North Dakota on November 14, 1921, and have one minor child.

**MELVIN VESTRE IS GRANTED A DIVORCE**

Melvin O. Vestre was granted a decree of divorce from Ruby Vestre in district court this morning on grounds of desertion. He charges that the defendant deserted him on October 1, 1933, and has since refused to live with him.

They were married September 23, 1933, at Great Falls and have no children.

Walker      Dorotha M                      vs      Walker      Ivan Delmar                      summons      14 Jul 1939 pg 3  
 granted      7 Sep 1939 pg 5

**ALIAS SUMMONS**

In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Flathead.

DOROTHA M. WALKER, Plaintiff, vs. IVAN DELMAR WALKER, Defendant.

THE STATE OF MONTANA sends process to the above named Defendants and to each of them:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon you in each County wherein any of you reside and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon the Plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you, by default, for the relief demanded in the Complaint. This action is brought for the purpose of obtaining a decree of divorce by the plaintiff from the defendant on the ground of extreme cruelty and on the ground of willful neglect and abandonment in that the said defendant abandoned and deserted said plaintiff in Flathead County, Montana, on or about the first day of June, 1937, and since said time has continued and does now continue to abandon said plaintiff, and since said first day of June, 1937, the defendant has failed to provide the plaintiff with any of the common necessities of life. That said action is further brought for the purpose of obtaining custody of the minor child of the marriage of plaintiff and defendant, namely Doyle D. Walker.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court this 14th day of June, 1939.

OLIVER F. VOSE,  
 Clerk of said Court.

KING & ROGNLIEN,  
 Attorneys for Plaintiff,  
 Kalispell, Montana. (Adv.)

**TWO DIVORCES GIVEN IN DISTRICT COURT**

Two divorced decrees were granted in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Koefwood.

Dorotha M. Walker was granted a decree of divorce from Ivan D. Walker on grounds of extreme cruelty and desertion, and Evelyn Westfall was granted a decree of divorce from Clifford Westfall on grounds of desertion. Both were awarded the care and custody of a minor child.

The Walkers were married at Nighmore, South Dakota, December 28, 1929, and the Westfalls were married at Thorpe, Washington, October 28, 1932. Mrs. Westfall alleged in her complaint that she was deserted by the defendant on November 15, 1932.

Westerberg      Thelma                      vs      Westerberg      Ove W                      filed      5 Sep 1939 pg 6  
 granted      5 Oct 1939 pg 4

**THELMA WESTERBERG IS SEEKING DIVORCE**

Divorce proceedings were instituted in district court this afternoon by Thelma Westerberg against Ove W. Westerberg on grounds of extreme cruelty.

She asks for the care and custody of a minor child nine months out of the year and \$15 a month support money. They married at Polson, December 4, 1933.

**THELMA WESTERBERG IS GRANTED DIVORCE**

A decree of divorce was granted to Thelma Westerberg from Ove W. Westerberg in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Koefwood on grounds of extreme cruelty. Mrs. Westerberg was awarded \$15 a month support money for the child during its stay with her. The father was awarded the right to care for the child during school vacation.

They were married at Polson, December 4, 1933.

Westfall      Evelyn                      vs      Westfall      Clifford                      filed      28 Jul 1939 pg 4  
 granted      7 Sep 1939 pg 5

**DIVORCE ACTION FILED**

Action for divorce was filed in district court this morning by Evelyn Westfall against Clifford Westfall on grounds of desertion, charging that he deserted her on November 15, 1932, within 20 days after they were married.

Mrs. Westfall asks for the care and custody of a minor child and an absolute decree of divorce. They were married at Thorpe, Wisconsin, October 28, 1932.

**TWO DIVORCES GIVEN IN DISTRICT COURT**

Two divorced decrees were granted in district court this morning by Judge J. E. Koefwood.

Dorotha M. Walker was granted a decree of divorce from Ivan D. Walker on grounds of extreme cruelty and desertion, and Evelyn Westfall was granted a decree of divorce from Clifford Westfall on grounds of desertion. Both were awarded the care and custody of a minor child.

The Walkers were married at Nighmore, South Dakota, December 28, 1929, and the Westfalls were married at Thorpe, Washington, October 28, 1932. Mrs. Westfall alleged in her complaint that she was deserted by the defendant on November 15, 1932.

Wicen Eva vs Wicen James filed 19 Dec 1939 pg 3

**ACTION FOR DIVORCE  
FILED IN DISTRICT COURT**  
Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Eva Wicen against James Wicen on grounds of extreme cruelty.  
They were married at Potosi, January 16, 1931, and have no children.

Woodard Ethel vs Woodard Vern B filed 27 Sep 1939 pg 8

**ETHEL WOODARD FILES  
ACTION FOR DIVORCE**  
Action for divorce has been filed in district court by Ethel Louise Woodard against Vern B. Woodard on grounds of willful neglect and failure to provide. Mrs. Woodard charges that she has been compelled to support herself for the past 19 years.  
They were married July 20, 1928, at Roundup and have no children.

Young Zella I vs Young Donald M filed 1 Dec 1939 pg 2

Two divorce actions were filed in district court today and two divorce decrees were granted by Judge J. E. Redwood this morning.

Zook Clems A vs Zook Patricia I filed 25 May 1939 pg 3  
granted 28 Jul 1939 pg 5

Clems A. Zook was awarded absolute decree of divorce from Patricia I. Zook on grounds of desertion and extreme cruelty. He alleged that Mrs. Zook deserted him in December, 1935. They were married at San Francisco, November 28, 1931, and have no children.

**TWO ACTIONS FOR  
DIVORCE ARE FILED  
IN DISTRICT COURT**  
Two actions for divorce have been filed in district court, one charging extreme cruelty and desertion and the other on grounds of desertion only.  
Howard R. Roe in his action against Sylvia Roe alleges that she deserted him two days after they were married and has since refused to live with him. They were married at Potosi, June 3, 1934.  
Clemens A. Zook charges Patricia I. Zook with extreme cruelty and desertion. They were married in San Francisco, November 28, 1931, and have no children.