

DENIES THE ALLEGATION.

Dora M. Bedford Replies to the Complaint in Adelbert's Suit for Divorce.

She Says She Has Been True and Is Without Money to Carry On the Case.

She Asks for Counsel Fees and Attorney-Now Cases That Have Been Filed in the Supreme Court.

Dora M. Bedford filed her answer yesterday, through her attorney, Henry C. Smith, to the complaint filed by her husband, Adelbert Bedford, in his suit for divorce. Mrs. Bedford denies that she has ever been untrue to her marriage vows, but says she has always been a good and faithful wife. She says that she is without money, and was compelled to borrow enough to pay the clerk's fees to file her answer. She says that before her marriage she was employed as clerk in a store at Detroit, Mich., and that that is the only kind of work she understands; that she is not able to work at all, and if she was, she could not find employment in Helena. She specifies certain property of which she alleges Mr. Bedford is possessed, consisting of real estate in this city, horses, cash in bank, his interest in the Northern News company, diamonds and other property, the total value of which is placed at about \$16,000. She asks that the court allow her reasonable attorney fees and attorney pending the settlement of the suit.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Number of New Cases Entered on the Docket—Cases Submitted.

A number of new cases have been filed in the supreme court. Among these are the following: First National bank of Butte vs. J. K. Parise, from Deer Lodge county; H. H. Nelson vs. More Spear, from Cascade county; John W. Hopkins vs. The Boston & Montana Commercial Co., from Cascade county; C. G. Christwell vs. Montana Central Railway Co., from Cascade county; Patsi Brewing Co. vs. R. Kleinshmidt, from Lewis and Clark county; Roseman National bank vs. White Caldwell, sheriff, from Gallatin county; W. H. Fitzpatrick vs. W. A. Clark, from Silver Bow county. This case involves the celebrated Black Rock mining claim, the point at issue being the question of underground trespass. S. C. Herbert Importing Co. vs. Joseph Hogan, from Silver Bow county. The case of John B. Herford, relator, vs. A. B. Cook, state auditor, has been argued and submitted in the supreme court. Herford is the county attorney in Yellowstone, and as that county has been raised by three times in wealth from a third to a second class county, he has brought suit, claiming that he is entitled to additional compensation, both from the state and the county. The state resists the claim on the constitutional ground that there can not be an increase in the compensation of a public official during his incumbency.

MR. HILL HAS RETIRED.

The former pastor of St. Paul's has been transferred to Minneapolis. Several weeks ago THE INDEPENDENT printed the statement on what it considered good authority, that Rev. J. Wesley Hill, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, had virtually severed his relations with that church, and would assume charge of a church in Minneapolis. Mr. Hill denied the correctness of the statement, saying that he was going east at the request of the officers of St. Paul's to raise funds for the church. It would seem from the following, printed in the issue of Feb. 28 of the Methodist Herald, that the statement of THE INDEPENDENT was in the main correct: "Rev. J. Wesley Hill, of the Montana conference, has been transferred to the Minnesota conference and appointed pastor of the Fowler church, Minneapolis." In the same connection the Pioneer Press of Sunday says: "The Methodists of the city propose erecting a handsome church on Lowry Hill. Rev. J. Wesley Hill, of Helena, has accepted the pastorate of the new church, and the board of trustees includes Bishop Hayes, Dr. Charles and other prominent Methodists." Confirmation of these reports was received yesterday from the church officials, to the effect that Mr. Hill had been transferred to the Minnesota conference.

The Montana Peerless Baking Powder.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Ex-State Auditor E. A. Kinney has been elected a policeman by the Missoula city council. The next "german" of the "Del Monte" club will be given on Friday evening, March 9, at the residence of Mrs. Bulgova. The First National bank has entered suit in the district court against Herman Braun on a note for \$250 made in 1890 and which still remains unpaid. The Sunday school teachers and Bible students' normal class will meet this evening at 7:30 at St. Paul's M. E. church. A full attendance is requested. The Associated charities acknowledge a donation of \$15 from A. K. Prescott, \$50 from Montana lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., and \$50 from Capital lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W. Henry Vogel has bought at sheriff's sale the property at Sixth avenue and Warren street, owned by Carl Kleinshmidt. Vogel had a mortgage on the property and bought it in for \$2,500. Bishop Hrondel has received a letter from Bishop Keene stating that on the advice of his physicians, owing to an attack of asthma, he was obliged to cancel all his engagements in the northwest, adding that he hoped to have the pleasure of visiting Helena next fall. A rare treat may be expected at the auditorium this evening from the Hon. A. C. Beckie, who will lecture upon "Popularity," for the benefit of the widows' and orphans' fund. An excellent musical program has been prepared, and an evening of great enjoyment is assured. Kleinshmidt Bros. are building a number of buildings at Basin. G. W. Connors, foreman of South House, has just moved one, and Liebenthal & Cummings, of Elkhorn, have rented the ground floor of another, the second floor to be a hotel. A two-story bank building and another have been leased to Conroy & Co., of Philadelphia, making four new blocks under construction. The cuts in wages recently announced by the Great Northern do not seem to be very willingly accepted in by the men. During the past year wages have been low in the Great Northern shops, and this last cut makes them still lower. Though reports of dissatisfaction come from Great Falls and Butte, there is no information in the effect that the employees will do more than protest against the new scale. Everyone invited To call and see a complete line of china, glassware, lamps, silverware, etc. Prices to suit every purse. Best goods, lowest prices. F. J. EDWARDS, 8 Park Avenue.

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PERSONAL.

T. S. Ash, of Livingston, is at The Helens. W. S. Page, of Missoula, is at the Grand Central. Adolph Levy, of Butte, is at the Grand Central. A. E. Brooks, of Whitehall, is a visitor in Helena. P. J. Gallagher, of Great Falls, was a visitor in Helena yesterday. C. A. Melton, manager of the Elkhorn Mining company, is a visitor in town. Miss Florida Stevens, the Broadway milliner, returned from Chicago yesterday. County Clerk J. S. Tooker, who has been on a visit to the Midwinter fair, has returned home. D. H. Weston has received a telegram announcing the severe illness of Mrs. Weston, who went to California a short time ago for the benefit of her health.

Obituary.

Died in Missoula, Mont., March 1, 1894, Nannie B., beloved wife of Hon. Robert Fisher, aged 69 years, one month and three days.

The deceased by her sweet and gracious manner had endeared herself to all her acquaintances, and her many friends deplore her loss with deep feelings of regret, softened only by the confident hope that her spirit is with those who are enjoying perfect happiness in a better world. The loss departed one leaves a kind and loving husband, a noble, devoted daughter and a sweet young granddaughter to mourn her, but not as those without hope, for she died in the Lord. One Who Loves Her.

Go to the clearing sale this week of crockery, glassware, lamps and other goods at The Helens.

Remembered the Orphans.

The Sisters of St. Joseph's Home express their sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Henschel who, on the occasion of the birthday of their little daughter Sybil, remembered the orphans so generously, even the little we ones were made to feel good. Miss Sybil, Henschel, the orphans thank you for dividing the nice things you got on your birthday with them. They will be so glad to have you come to see them when it will be a little warmer, and your kind mamma brings you. They wish you to stay a long time with them. They all thank you ever so much. The babies, little we ones, thank you for the nice warm boots. THE ORPHANS.

Arrivals at the Grand Central.

A. Seidner, New York; Wm. F. Kott, Chicago; Chas. Howell, Bismarck; N. J. Lathan, Minn.; A. V. Gilman, Minn.; J. J. Langbein, Louisville, Ky.; J. L. Henshaw, Louisville, Ky.; H. J. Holloway, Philadelphia; M. P. Franklin, East; Miss L. Partridge, East Helena; G. H. Russ, East Helena; A. Hamilton, East Helena; J. O. Paul, Missoula; W. E. Pace, Hamilton; A. W. Colburn, Diamond City; A. E. Brooks, Whitehall; Adolph Levy, Butte; W. J. Hogan, St. Louis; J. P. McCabe, East Helena; T. G. Hathaway, Missoula; Mrs. I. Bowman, Garrison.

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