

March 26, 1997

Our Ref. 3587-G1

Mr. Garth Tastad
Box 2073
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
S7K 3S7

Rheanne
Please research to find the
balance of this divorce file.
Thanks.

Dear Mr. Tastad:

Thank you for your inquiry of March 23rd by telephone.

Enclosed is the Divorce File for Andrew Gordon Bjelke, acc. 79.104/268.

I have checked our Dickson School Records, acc. 84.37/615 and 79.334/1503 from 1930 to 1936, both collections are correspondence and administration records. Enclosed are the inspectors reports for 1934 and 1935 which I thought you may be interested in. No mention of Bjelke was made.

According to the book- Tracing Your Ancestors in Alberta by Victoria Lemieux and David Leonard, Dickson High School was opened in 1930 as a rural dormitory high school. The records from 1930 to 1941 including attendance records (acc. 80.31.1, 82.12.1 and 84.32.1) are at :

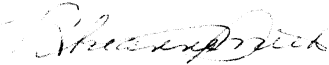
Red Deer and District Archives
Michael Dawe, Archivist
P.O. Box 800
Red Deer, Alberta
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I have spent quite a bit of time poking through finding aids trying to find something helpful on Harold, however it does not look good. One of our senior archivist has suggested contacting the CNIB and the schools where he attended. I have had the CNIB check their computer data base here with no luck. The address for the head office is:

CNIB
1929 Bayview Avenue
Toronto, Ontario
M4G 3E8

I trust this information is helpful to you. Thank you for your payment, if I can be of further assistance please contact me.

Yours truly,



Rheanne Smith
Contract Researcher

I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

1. The Plaintiff and Defendant are husband and wife and are domiciled in the Province of Alberta. The Plaintiff resides in the City of Edmonton in the said Province and the Defendant resides in the City of London, England.

2. The Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married on the 21st day of January, A.D. 1944, by Frederick Woodwik, Registrar of Marriages for the Registration District of Woolwich in the Metropolitan Borough of Woolwich, England.

3. After the Plaintiff's marriage to the Defendant, the Plaintiff returned to his Air Force station and rarely saw the Defendant.

4. The Defendant has committed adultery with a man whose name is at present unknown to the Plaintiff at divers times and places in England between on or about the

30th day of December, A.D. 1944 and the month of April, 1945.

5. There have been no children born of the said marriage.

6. The Plaintiff says that there is no collusion or connivance between the Plaintiff and the Defendant to obtain a decree of divorce.

7. The Plaintiff further says that he has not condoned the adultery alleged herein.

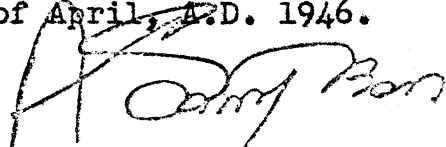
8. The Plaintiff proposes that this action be tried at the City of Edmonton aforesaid.

WHEREFORE THE PLAINTIFF PRAYS:-

- (a) That the said marriage between the Plaintiff and the Defendant be wholly dissolved;
- (b) The costs of this action.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 4th day of April, A.D. 1946, and DELIVERED by Messrs. FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON, Solicitors for the Plaintiff, whose address for service is in care of the said solicitors, 201 Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

ISSUED out of the office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Edmonton, at Edmonton, Alberta, this 4th day of April, A.D. 1946.



C. S. C.

TO THE DEFENDANT:

You are hereby notified that the plaintiff may enter judgment in accordance with this statement of claim or such judgment as, according to the practice of the Court, he is entitled to, without any further notice to you unless within*.....

.....days

after service hereof upon you, excluding the day of service, you cause to be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court from which the statement of claim has issued, either:

(1) A statement of defence: or, except as regards any claim for a debt or a liquidated demand;

(2) A demand that notice of any applications to be made in the action be given to you;

and unless within the same time a copy of your statement of defence or demand be served upon the plaintiff or his solicitor at his stated address for service.

This statement of claim is issued out of the office of the Clerk of the **Supreme Court of Alberta**

Judicial District of **Edmonton**

(Sub-Judicial District of)

at **Edmonton**

in the Province of Alberta,

this **4th** day of **April**

A.D. 19**46**.

Clerk of the Court.

[SEAL]

No.....

Dated **4th** day of **April**, A.D. 19**46**.

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON**

BETWEEN

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

and

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

Statement of Claim

Form 313-1M-7-39.

Hamilton Stationery Co., Edmonton, Alberta

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This statement of claim is issued by

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN AND NEWSON

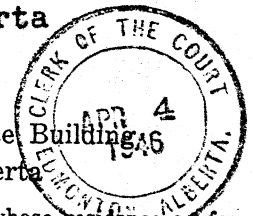
Solicitors for the plaintiff who resides at

Edmonton, Alberta

And whose address for service is

**201 Bank of Commerce Building
Edmonton, Alberta**

and is addressed to the defendant whose residence so far as known to the plaintiff is **London, England.**



FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN AND NEWSON
Barristers and Solicitors
Bank of Commerce Building
Edmonton, Alberta

10, Sheard Road
Elkram
S.C. 9.

London. Eng.
369713
15th March. '46

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SUPREME COURT
Bjelke vs Bjelke
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Dear Andrew
I received your letter of
28th Feb '46 - thank you very much
for writing.

I am very sorry to hear of the
death of your father, it must be a
great blow to you.

I was released from the W.A.A.F.
on 15th March, and I'm not sorry to be
out, believe me. But at least I did
quite a bit of travelling whilst in it,
and saw new places and faces.

My brother goes to India next
month, in the Indian Army - he
won't very keen on going.

It had to be that Clithers is back,
I guess he is glad to be home - did

The other snag is the person concerned
has been back in the United States
since April '45, and I have no
knowledge of his whereabouts.

If this is sufficient evidence of
admission of guilt, perhaps you'd take
this letter to your solicitors, for action.

If they decide that the bill
and other person must be produced,
I'm afraid I can do no more in the
case, as you can understand.

But I do ask you Andrew, to
find out how much evidence they
need before you produce this letter.

If they need more than I can give,
I'd rather you destroyed this, instead
of raking up the past if it is
of no use.

any that get over here?

In regard to the proposed divorce, as I haven't wanted to bring up ancient history, but perhaps it will help get things done. But before I go further -

is this following evidence is insufficient, I am afraid I cannot help you, is the person and hotel bill cannot be produced.

I am sorry, as I said, that I have to bring this up, and I expect I will shock you by admitting myself guilty of adultery - as far back as

30 December 1944. Would you please find out the exact evidence needed, or whether this is sufficient evidence. The reservation at the hotel was in your name I'm afraid, and will still appear in their register I expect.

However, the matter is entirely in your hands, I have given you something to work on, and that I'm afraid, is the only evidence I have.

Would you be so kind as to find out as much as possible and reply by air mail, as soon as possible?

I am sorry all this has had to come up, after so long, but I am sure you, as I, would prefer your freedom, rather than be tied so hopelessly, as we are now.

Please do something soon, for us.

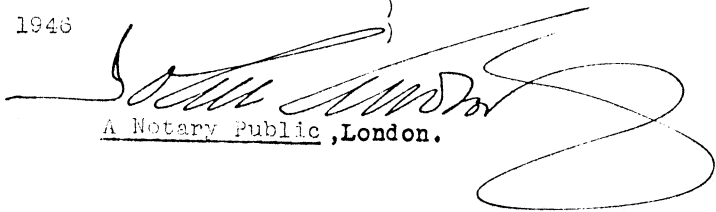
Sincerely

Henry

to my adultery as aforesaid, there are no arrangements
between my husband and me for such proceedings to be taken
or any agreement by me not to defend such action if taken
by him.

SWORN before me at 12, WHITEHALL)
in the COUNTY of LONDON, ENGLAND)
this 15th day of April,)
A.D. 1946)

Mary Lillian Fjelle



A Notary Public, London.

4. That I fully appreciate that I am not bound to answer any questions tending to show that I have been guilty of adultery, but I nevertheless wish to make the following statements and admissions:-

(a) That the above named Plaintiff and I were married by the Registrar of Marriages for the Registration District of Woolwich in the Metropolitan Borough of Woolwich, England on the 21st day of January, A.D. 1944.

(b) That following our marriage, the Plaintiff returned to his Air Force Station and we never made a home together.

(c) That I have not cohabited with my husband since on or about the 27th day of December, 1944.

(d) That over a period commencing 30th December, 1944 and ending April, 1945, I committed adultery from time to time with Captain William E. Denham at London in England who was a captain in the U.S.A. Air Corps and who has since left for the U.S.A.

(e) That my husband has returned to Canada and I have no desire or wish to join him there.

(f) Mr. J.M. Isaacs, Solicitor aforesaid, has explained to me the meaning of collusion and connivance and I swear that there is no collusion or connivance between my husband and me to obtain a decree of divorce, and although I have suggested by letter to my husband that a divorce would be advisable and have furnished him with information relating

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

Defendant

AFFIDAVIT

I, MARY LILIAN BJELKE, presently residing at the City of London, England, Married Woman, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

1. That I am the Defendant above named.
2. That the Plaintiff above named is my husband.

3. That Mr. J.M. Isaacs, Solicitor, of the City of London, England, has advised me of the provisions of Section 8 of The Alberta Evidence Act, and I appreciate that I cannot be compelled to make any admission tending to show that I have been guilty of adultery, he having informed me that Section 8 of The Alberta Evidence Act provides as follows:

"The parties to an action or proceeding instituted in consequence of adultery, and their husbands and wives shall be competent but not compellable to give evidence, but the husband or wife, if competent only under this Act, shall not be asked or bound to answer any question tending to show that he or she has been guilty of adultery, unless he or she shall have already given evidence in the same action or proceeding in disproof of his or her alleged adultery."

NOTARY PUBLIC
LONDON, S.W.1

I, John Newton, Notary Public of the City of London, by Royal Authority, duly admitted and sworn, practising in said City. Do hereby Certify unto all whom it shall or may concern that on the day of

the date hereof before me personally came and appeared

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

the Deponent named and described in the Affidavit hereunto annexed, who by solemn Oath which the said Deponent then made before me in due form of law, did depose testify and declare to be true the several matters and things mentioned and contained in the said annexed Affidavit.

IN FAITH AND TESTIMONY whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal of Office and have caused the said Affidavit to be hereunto annexed.

DATED IN LONDON the Fifteenth day of April in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and forty-six.

In testimonium Veritatis

John Newton

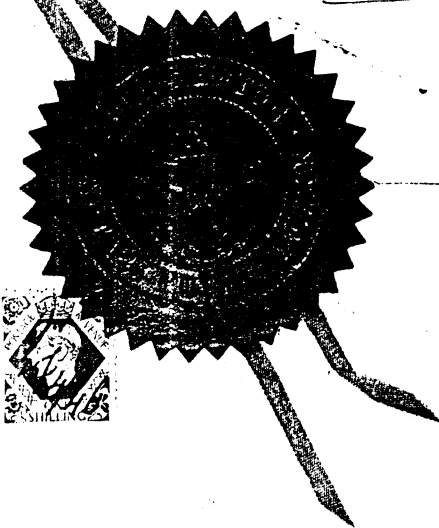
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SUPREME COURT

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this 11 day of Apr 1946
Notary Public



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

TRIAL DIVISION

B E T W E E N

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILLIAN BJELKE Defendant

I, JOHN MYER ISAACS of 12, Grosvenor Street, W.1. in the County of London, England, make Oath and say :-

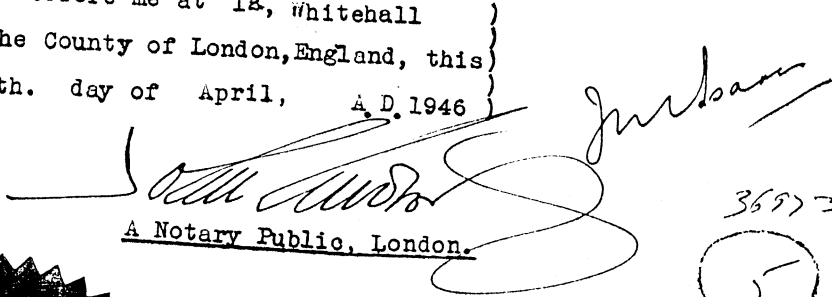
1. THAT I am a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature of the County of London, England, and also a Member of the Bar of the Province of Manitoba and Quebec and practice in London England.

2. THAT the Defendant above-named interviewed me on the 15th day of April, 1946 in connection with the divorce proceedings brought by her husband, and I advised her of the provisions of Section 8. of The Alberta Evidence Act, which Section I read to her and explained that she could not be compelled to make any admissions tending to show that she had been guilty of adultery.

3. THAT the Defendant nevertheless made the following admissions to me in regard to her adultery: That over a period commencing December 30th, 1944 and up to the end of April, 1945 she committed adultery from time to time at London, England with Captain E. Denham, who was a Captain in the United States of America Air Corps, and who has since left for the United States of America.

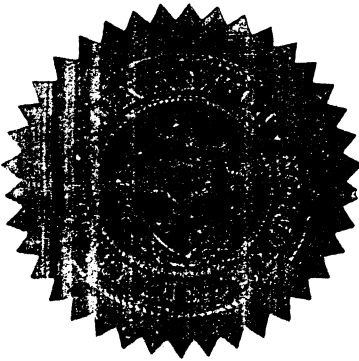
4. THAT I explained to the above-named Defendant the meaning of collusion and connivance and she stated that no collusion or connivance exists between her husband and her to obtain a decree of divorce in this action.

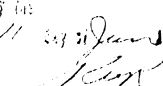
SWORN before me at 12, Whitehall
in the County of London, England, this
25th. day of April, A. D. 1946


A Notary Public, London.

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SUPREME COURT
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Date 11 May 1946


IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-v-

MARY LILLIAN BJELKE

A F F I D A V I T
of
JOHN MYER ISAACS

John Myer Isaacs *Rev*
12 Grosvenor St
Edm.
Maple 7181

March 24, 1997

Our Ref. 3587-1

Mr. Garth Tastad
Box 2073
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
S7K 3S7

Dear Mr. Tastad:

Thank you for your recent inquiry regarding confirmation records for the Bjelke children. Unfortunately we do not have the Lutheran Records for Burnt Lake or Red Deer. The only records from Burnt Lake/Bethel were the Womens Society Minutes.

I did search those of Sylvan Lake/St. Paul, acc. 82.163/12 with no luck.

I noticed we have many of the Registration Registers from Vital Statistics for Sylvan Lake and Red Deer if these may be helpful.

I also checked our Alberta Government Personnel Case Files, acc. 78.132 and found the following listings:

Catherine Ann Bjelke 1968
Beverly Diane Selstrom 1969

Our Divorce File Index, acc. 79.104 revealed Bjelke, Andrew Gordon/
Mary Lillian 13 June 1946.

If you would like the information from either of the above collections let me know.

I should mention we also have many newspapers, if you are looking for obituaries.

Thank you for your payment and good luck with your research.

Your truly,



Rheanne Smith
Contract Researcher

*Please get me copies of the
entire divorce file 79.104.*



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I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

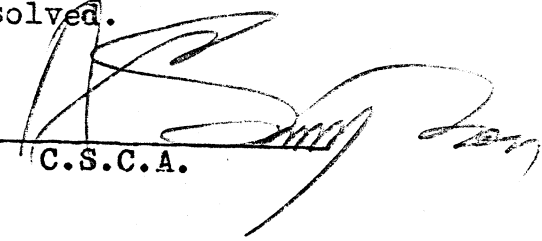
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BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR.)
JUSTICE O'Connor,) MONDAY, the 23rd day of
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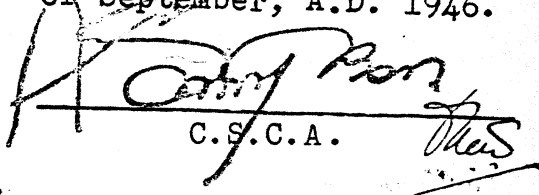
UPON THE APPLICATION made this day to the Court by the Plaintiff, and upon hearing counsel and it appearing that upon the 11th day of June, 1946, IT WAS ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the marriage had and solemnized on the 21st day of January, A.D. 1944, in the Metropolitan Borough of Woolwich, ^England, between the Plaintiff and the Defendant, be dissolved by reason that since the celebration thereof the said Defendant has been guilty of adultery, unless sufficient cause be shown to the Court why the said Decree should not be made absolute within three months from the making thereof, and no such cause having been shown:

IT IS ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the said marriage

be and the same is hereby absolutely dissolved.


C.S.C.A.

ENTERED this 23rd day
of September, A.D. 1946.


C.S.C.A.

LET THE DECREE ISSUE.


J.S.C.A.

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-and-

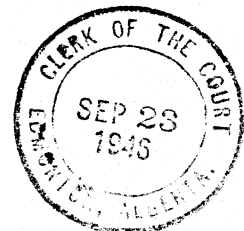
MARY LILIAN BJELKE

DECREE ABSOLUTE

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SEP-23-46 2141 02 A Fee — ~~1.00~~ 1.00

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.



To all to whom these Presents shall come.

I, John Newton, Notary Public of the City of London, by Royal Authority, duly admitted and sworn, practising in the said City, Do Hereby Certify that on the day of the date hereof before me personally, came and appeared

JOHN MYER ISAACS,

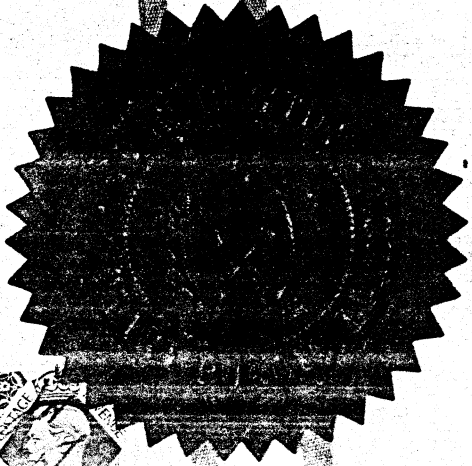
the Deponent named and described in the Affidavit hereunto annexed, who by solemn Oath which the said Deponent then made before me in due form of law, did depose, testify and declare to be true, the several matters and things mentioned and contained in the said annexed Affidavit

In faith and Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal of Office, and have caused the Exhibits marked "A", "B", "C" and "D" mentioned and referred to in and by the said Affidavit to be hereunto, also annexed.

Dated in London the twenty-fifth
day of April in the Year of Our Lord,
One thousand nine hundred and forty-six.

[Handwritten Signature]
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NEWTON & CO.
NOTARY PUBLIC
LANGBEECH
2, WHITEHALL,
LONDON, W.1
WHITEHALL, 1804



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

TRIAL DIVISION

36973



BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

SUPREME COURT
Bjelke vs Bjelke

Plaintiff property of the

-and-

filed by the
this 11 day of *Jan* A.D. 1946
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MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

London England I, *John Myer Isaac*, of *12 Grosvenor Street*
Solicitor and Canadian Barrister

MAKE OATH AND SAY THAT:

1. I did on *Mon* day, the *15th* day of *May*, A.D. 1946, personally serve the above-named Defendant, Mary Lilian Bjelke, with true copies of the Statement of Claim and Notice to Defendant in this action, and the Order for Service Ex Juris, now shown to me and marked respectively Exhibits "A", "B", and "C" to this my affidavit, by delivering such copies to and leaving the same with the said Mary Lilian Bjelke at the City of London, England.

2. On the said copies of the Statement of Claim, Notice to Defendant, and Order for Service Ex Juris so served by me there was at the time of such service endorsed

all the endorsements now appearing upon the original documents as aforesaid, with the exception of the endorsements of the same being exhibits as aforesaid.

3. Now shown to me and marked Exhibit "D" to this my affidavit is a photograph, and I verily believe that the person whom I so served with the Statement of Claim, Notice to Defendant and Order for Service Ex Juris, is the woman whose likeness appears in the said exhibit, and that the said exhibit is a photograph of the person whom I so served.


SWORN before me at No. 12,

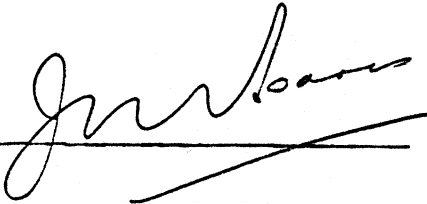
Whitehall in the County of

London in England -----

this 25th. day of April,

A.D. 1946.


A Notary Public, London.



No. 36973
DATED the _____ day of _____, A.

S.C.A. T.D. J.D.E.

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,
Plaintiff

-and-

MAY LILIAN BJELKE,
Defendant

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.,
EDMONTON,.....Alberta

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

This is Exhibit "A" referred to in the
affidavit of

John Hyer Isaacs

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

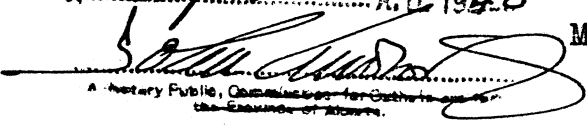
Sworn before me this 25th day

-and-

of April A. D. 1946

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant


A Notary Public, Commissioned for Ontario and for
the Province of Alberta.

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

1. The Plaintiff and Defendant are husband and wife and are domiciled in the Province of Alberta. The Plaintiff resides in the City of Edmonton in the said Province and the Defendant resides in the City of London, England.

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30th day of December, A.D. 1944 and the month of April, 1945.

5. There have been no children born of the said marriage.

6. The Plaintiff says that there is no collusion or connivance between the Plaintiff and the Defendant to obtain a decree of divorce.

7. The Plaintiff further says that he has not condoned the adultery alleged herein.

8. The Plaintiff proposes that this action be tried at the City of Edmonton aforesaid.

WHEREFORE THE PLAINTIFF PRAYS:-

- (a) That the said marriage between the Plaintiff and the Defendant be wholly dissolved;
- (b) The costs of this action.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 4th day of April, A.D. 1946, and DELIVERED by Messrs. FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON, Solicitors for the Plaintiff, whose address for service is in care of the said solicitors, 201 Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

ISSUED out of the office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Edmonton, at Edmonton, Alberta, this 4th day of April, A.D. 1946.


C. S.C.

TO THE DEFENDANT:

You are hereby notified that the plaintiff may enter judgment in accordance with this statement of claim or such judgment as, according to the practice of the Court, he is entitled to, without any further notice to you unless within*.....

*Here insert the period of time prescribed by the Rules or by any order fixing the time for defence, in the latter case adding the following words: Being the period prescribed by order dated the day of A.D. 19.....

after service hereof upon you, excluding the day of service, you cause to be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court from which the statement of claim has issued, either:

- (1) A statement of defence: or, except as regards any claim for a debt or a liquidated demand;
(2) A demand that notice of any applications to be made in the action be given to you;

and unless within the same time a copy of your statement of defence or demand be served upon the plaintiff or his solicitor at his stated address for service.

This statement of claim is issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Alberta Judicial District of Edmonton (Sub-Judicial District of) at Edmonton in the Province of Alberta, this 4th day of April A.D. 1946.

Handwritten signatures and stamps including 'Taha Inyer Isaacs', 'Clerk of the Court', and dates '25th April' and 'A.D. 1946'.

No.

Dated 4th day of April, A.D. 1946

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

BETWEEN

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

and

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

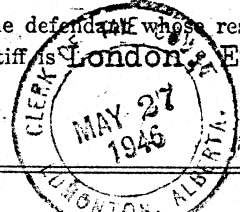
Defendant

Statement of Claim

Form 313-1M-7-39. Hamilton Stationery Co., Edmonton, Alberta

This statement of claim is issued by FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN AND NEWSON Solicitors for the plaintiff who resides at Edmonton, Alberta

And whose address for service is 201 Bank of Commerce Building Edmonton, Alberta and is addressed to the defendant whose residence so far as known to the plaintiff is London, England.



FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN AND NEWSON Barristers and Solicitors Bank of Commerce Building Edmonton, Alberta

I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

ORDER FOR SERVICE EX JURIS.

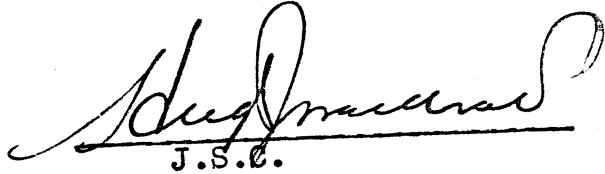
BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR. } F. R.! DAY, the 5th
JUSTICE MACDONALD }
IN CHAMBERS, EDMONTON. } DAY of APRIL, A.D. 1946.

UPON THE APPLICATION of the Plaintiff,
UPON READING the affidavit of ANDREW GORDON BJELKE, AND UPON
HEARING Counsel for the Plaintiff:-

1. IT IS ORDERED that the Plaintiff shall be at liberty to serve the Statement of Claim herein out of the jurisdiction of this Honourable Court on the Defendant at the City of London, England, or elsewhere in Great Britain, and that service of the Statement of Claim herein and of this Order upon the Defendant at London aforesaid, or elsewhere in Great Britain, shall be good and sufficient service of the said Statement of Claim upon the said Defendant.

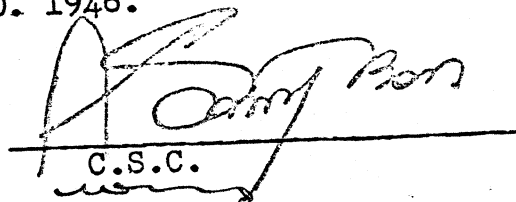
2. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the time for

filing and serving a Statement of Defence or Demand of Notice to the said Statement of Claim shall be within 40 days after the service hereof.


J.S.C.

ENTERED this 5th day of

APRIL, A.D. 1946.


C.S.C.

No. 36973 April, A.D. 1966
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S.C.A. T.D. J.E.E.
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BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,
Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,
Defendant

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ORDER FOR SERVICE EX JURIS.

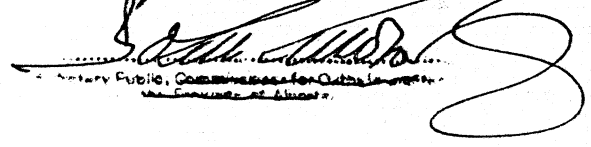
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This is Exhibit "C" referred to in the affidavit of

John Inger Isaacs

Sworn before me this 25th day

of April A.D. 1966


Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths in and for the Province of Alberta.

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.
EDMONTON,.....Alberta



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I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION.

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

AFFIDAVIT

I, GORDON ANDREW BJELKE, formerly a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force Overseas stationed in England, permanently resident in the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, Aircraft Mechanic, MAKE OATH AND SAY THAT:

1. I am the Plaintiff herein and as such have knowledge of the matters herein deposed to.
2. My wife, who is the Defendant herein, and I are domiciled in the Province of Alberta.
3. I have read over the Statement of Claim herein and in my belief I have a right to the relief claimed therein, namely, a decree of divorce.
4. The place in which the Defendant is or may probably be found is the City of London, England.
5. This application is made on the grounds that relief is sought in this action against my wife, the

Defendant, who is domiciled in Alberta.

SWORN before me at the City)
of Edmonton, in the Province)
of Alberta, this 4th day of)
April, A.D. 1946.

J. L. Smith

A. G. Bjelke

A Commissioner for Oaths in and
for the Province of Alberta.

I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

ORDER FOR SERVICE EX JURIS.

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR.)

JUSTICE MACDONALD)
IN CHAMBERS, EDMONTON.)

FRI DAY, the 5th
DAY of APRIL, A.D. 1946.

UPON THE APPLICATION of the Plaintiff,
UPON READING the affidavit of ANDREW GORDON BJELKE, AND UPON
HEARING Counsel for the Plaintiff:-

1. IT IS ORDERED that the Plaintiff shall be at liberty to serve the Statement of Claim herein out of the jurisdiction of this Honourable Court on the Defendant at the City of London, England, or elsewhere in Great Britain, and that service of the Statement of Claim herein and of this Order upon the Defendant at London aforesaid, or elsewhere in Great Britain, shall be good and sufficient service of the said Statement of Claim upon the said Defendant.

2. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the time for

filing and serving a Statement of Defence or Demand of Notice to the said Statement of Claim shall be within 40 days after the service hereof.

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J.S.C.

ENTERED this 5th day of

APRIL, A.D. 1946.

[Signature]
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No. 36973 v April, A.D. 1946.

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BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

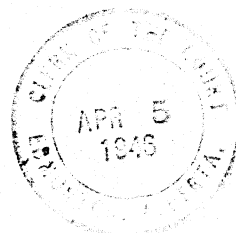
MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

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ORDER FOR SERVICE EX JURIS.

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DATED the 4th day of April, A.D. 1946.

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BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

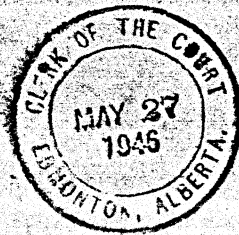
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MARY LILIAN BJELKE

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

Defendant

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

1. The Plaintiff and Defendant are husband and wife and are domiciled in the Province of Alberta. The Plaintiff resides in the City of Edmonton in the said Province and the Defendant resides in the City of London, England.

2. The Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married on the 21st day of January, A.D. 1944, by Frederick Woodwik, Registrar of Marriages for the Registration District of Woolwich in the Metropolitan Borough of Woolwich, England.

3. After the Plaintiff's marriage to the Defendant, the Plaintiff returned to his Air Force station and rarely saw the Defendant.

4. The Defendant has committed adultery with a man whose name is at present unknown to the Plaintiff at divers times and places in England between on or about the

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Mr. Justice H. J. Macdonald

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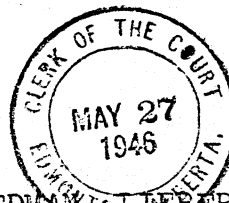
ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

PRAECIPE FOR TRIAL

June 10th



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Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.

I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

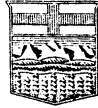
REQUIRED that the above case be set down for
trial at Edmonton, at the sittings of the Supreme Court
without a jury commencing the 10th day of June, A.D.
1946.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province
of Alberta, this 27th day of May, A.D. 1946.

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

TO:

The Clerk of the Supreme Court,
Edmonton, Alberta.



GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

EDMONTON Alberta
September 18th, 1946

Dear Sirs: Re: Andrew G. Bjelke v. Mary L. Bjelke
Divorce

I have for acknowledgment your letter of the 12th instant with enclosures.

I return herewith original Notice of Application for Decree Absolute, returnable on the 23rd instant, with admission of service endorsed thereon, and would advise that it is not the intention of the King's Proctor to be represented on the application.

Yours truly,

C. M. Macleod,
Solicitor to the
King's Proctor

Messrs. Friedman, Lieberman & Newson,
Barristers and Solicitors,
Bank of Commerce Building,
EDMONTON Alberta

Encl.

This is Exhibit "A" referred to in the affidavit of

Sworn before me this 23rd day
of September A. D. 1946

Notary Public, Commission Expires for Ontario and for the Province of Alberta.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made before the presiding Trial Judge, at the Court House in the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, on MONDAY, the 23rd day of SEPTEMBER, A.D. 1946, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as the application may be heard, for a Decree that the marriage herein be absolutely dissolved;

AND TAKE NOTICE that in support of such application will be read the Affidavit of the Plaintiff, the Affidavit of Default, and the proceedings herein.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 12th day of September, A.D. 1946.

TO:

The King's Proctor,
Edmonton, Alberta.

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-and-

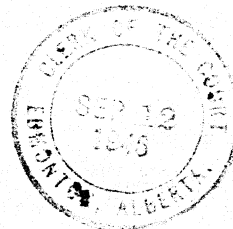
MARY LILIAN BJELKE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.



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CERTIFIED COPY of an
Pursuant to the Marriage



ENTRY OF MARRIAGE.
Acts, 1811 to 1939.

[Printed by Authority of the Registrar-General.]
M. Cert.
R.M.

The Statute, Fee for this Certificate is
2d. If required subsequently to re-
cognition, a Search Fee is payable in addition.

Registration District **WOOLWICH** in the **METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF WOOLWICH.**

1944 Marriage Solemnized at the Registrar's Office in the WOOLWICH District of WOOLWICH in the WOOLWICH Rank of Profession of Father.

No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank of Profession of Father.
210	Twinsy- first January 1944	Andrew Gordon Bjelke	26 Yrs	Bachelor	Reading Aircraftman R. 130736 Royal Canadian Air Services Can. Force	St Angelo Christchurch	Endors Bjelke	Trained Gardener
		Mary Lillian Cooper	19 Yrs	Spinster	Typist	Sheppard Road Eltham	John Hazelwood Cooper	Went mechanic

MARRIED in the Registrar's Office according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Law by License for me.

This Marriage was solemnized between us, A. S. Bjelke in the Presence of us, J. Bowley
M. L. Cooper J. T. French

Fredrick Hardwick Registrar of Marriages for the District of WOOLWICH
Went in the WOOLWICH Rank of Profession of Father.

I, Fredrick Hardwick, Registrar of Marriages for the District of WOOLWICH, do hereby certify that this is a true copy of the Entry No. 210 in the Register Book of Marriages for the said District, and that such Register Book is now legally in my custody.

WITNESS MY HAND this 28th day of January, 1944

Fredrick Hardwick Registrar of Marriages.





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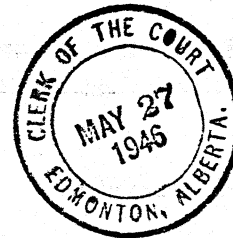
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-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

Affidavit of Default



FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.

AFFIDAVIT OF DEFAULT

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

~~Sub-Judicial District of~~

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BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

AND

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

I, DOROTHY K. MOSS, of the City of Edmonton
in the Province of Alberta, Stenographer, make oath and say:

1. That I did on the 27th day of May, A.D. 19 46, duly
search in the office of the Clerk of this Honorable Court for the purpose
of ascertaining if the Defendant Mary Lilian Bjelke has filed a statement
of defence or a demand of notice in this action.

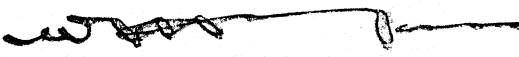
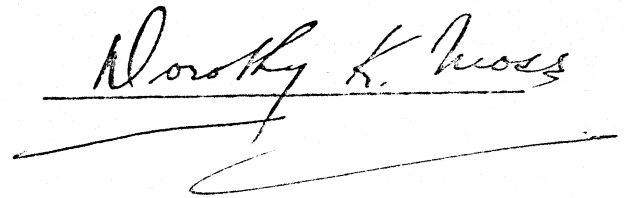
2. That no statement of defence or demand of notice has been filed for the said Defendant
and I verily believe that the said Defendant has not filed a statement of defence or a demand of
notice in this action.

3. That no copy of a statement of defence or of a demand of notice has been delivered by
or on behalf of the said Defendant as I verily believe.

-(or)-

~~That a demand of notice was filed on the day of --
19 ---, and served on the Plaintiff's solicitor -- on the said date.~~

SWORN before me at the City
of Edmonton, in the Province
of Alberta, this 27th day
of May, A.D. 19 46.



A Commissioner for Oaths in and for the Province of Alberta.

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27th May, A.D. 19 46.

In the District Court of the District
of S.C.A. J.D.E.

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

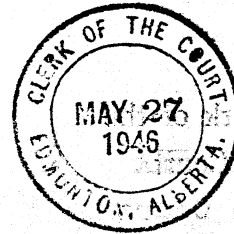
VS.

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

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Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.

~~In the District Court of the District of~~

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

BETWEEN

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

and

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

REQUIRED the Clerk to enter in the procedure book a note to the effect
that the Defendant is in default.

DATED at Edmonton, Alberta, this 27th day
of May, A.D. 1946.

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON,

Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

To the Clerk of the
~~District Court~~
Supreme Court

S.C.A. #36973 ✓

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BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

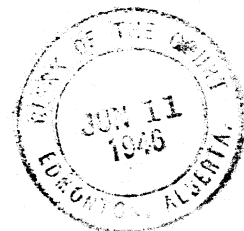
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Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.



I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

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BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR. } TUESDAY, the 11th day of
JUSTICE H. J. MACDONALD }
AT EDMONTON, ALBERTA. } JUNE, A.D. 1946.

THIS ACTION having come on for trial this day,
upon hearing the evidence adduced on behalf of the Plain-
tiff, and upon hearing counsel thereon:

IT IS ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the marriage
had and solemnized on the 21st day of January, A.D. 1944,
in the Metropolitan Borough of Woolwich, England, between
the Plaintiff and Defendant, be dissolved by reason that
since the celebration thereof the said Defendant has been
guilty of adultery, unless sufficient cause be shown to

the Court why this decree should not be made absolute within three (3) months from the making thereof.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Defendant pay to the Plaintiff his taxed costs herein on Column 2.

" [Signature] "

C.S.C.

LET THE DECREE ISSUE.

" Hugh J. Macdonald "

J.S.C.

ENTERED this 11th day
of June, A.D. 1946.

[Signature]

C.S.C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made before the presiding Trial Judge, at the Court House in the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, on MONDAY, the 23rd day of SEPTEMBER, A.D. 1946, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as the application may be heard, for a Decree that the marriage herein be absolutely dissolved;

AND TAKE NOTICE that in support of such application will be read the Affidavit of the Plaintiff, the Affidavit of Default, and the proceedings herein.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 12th day of September, A.D. 1946.

TO:

The King's Proctor,
Edmonton, Alberta.

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Service of a true copy herof admitted
this 13th day of September A.D. 1946

[Signature]

Solicitors for the King's Proctor

FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.



I N T H E S U P R E M E C O U R T O F A L B E R T A
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

AFFIDAVIT OF DEFAULT

I, FRANK JOST NEWSON, of the City of Edmonton in the Province of Alberta, Barrister, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

1. That I did on Monday, the 23rd day of September, A.D. 1946, duly search in the office of the Clerk of this Honourable Court for the purpose of ascertaining if the Defendant herein had filed a Statement of Defence.

2. That no Statement of Defence has been filed, nor has any document been filed in this action since the Decree Nisi other than the Notice of Application for Decree Absolute and the Plaintiff's affidavit in support of the said application.

3. That I verily believe that the said Defendant has not filed a Statement of Defence, and that no copy of a Statement of Defence has been delivered by or on behalf

of the said Defendant.

4. That attached hereto and marked as Exhibit "A" to this my affidavit is a letter from the King's Proctor dated the 18th day of September, A.D. 1946, advising that it is not the intention of the King's Proctor to be represented on the application for Decree Absolute.

SWORN before me at the
City of Edmonton in the
Province of Alberta, this
23rd day of September,
A.D. 1946.

[Signature]
A Commissioner for Oaths in and
for the Province of Alberta.

[Signature]

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

AFFIDAVIT OF DEFAULT

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Edmonton, Alberta.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON
TRIAL DIVISION

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE,

Plaintiff

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE,

Defendant

AFFIDAVIT OF THE PLAINTIFF

I, ANDREW GORDON BJELKE, of the City of Edmonton in the Province of Alberta, Air Lines employee, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

1. That I am the Plaintiff in this action.
2. That there has been no collusion between the Defendant and myself in the conduct of this action, and I have not connived at the misconduct of the Defendant.
3. That since the matrimonial offences upon which the Decree Nisi was granted, there has been no resumption of the marital relations nor cohabitation, nor other condonation of such offence.

SWORN before me at the
City of Edmonton, in the
Province of Alberta, this
11th day of September,
A.D. 1946.

W. C. Baker
A Commissioner for Oaths in
and for the Province of Alberta.

A. G. Bjelke

BETWEEN:

ANDREW GORDON BJELKE

-and-

MARY LILIAN BJELKE

AFFIDAVIT OF THE PLAINTIFF

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FRIEDMAN, LIEBERMAN & NEWSON
Barristers, etc.,
Edmonton, Alberta.

