

Lancaster, Wisconsin,
December 28, 1928.

Mr. Edward Pokorny,
511 County Building,
Detroit, Michigan.

File No. 27719.

Dear Sir:

I did not receive your letter of the 14th, relating to divorce action of Suttle vs. Suttle, until the 21st and have been prevented in making reply, but trust it is not too late to give you the information you requested.

Most of our married life Mr. Suttle has lived separate and apart from me and our daughter Catherine, during which time we have lived with my parents, who are poor but have always maintained and given us a home. Mr. Suttle has been paying \$10.00 per week for the support of Catherine, but has paid little or nothing to me, notwithstanding he receives a good salary which amounted to \$69.50 ~~xxxxxxx~~ per week two years ago and is probably more now.

Catherine was eight years old last September, and is doing splendid work in the third grade at ~~sk~~ school. She is in good health this winter, except that her teeth are bad and need attention continually.

I have not been able to work, as I had a ~~serious~~ nervous breakdown last fall, and have had three serious operations during the past ^{few} ~~years~~ ~~xxxx~~ which were paid for by my father.

I have never received a copy of ~~the~~ my husband's complaint for divorce and do not know what grounds he bases his application upon. I should like very much to have you send me a copy. After all his neglect and indifference toward Catherine and myself, I do not care to live with him, but I do want to retain the custody of Catherine.

I signed rather inadvertently and without proper consideration an agreement in which I agreed to take \$10 per week for Catherine but nothing for myself. Considering her age and good health and the manner in which we live this amount is probably reasonable for the present, but will be inadequate shortly to clothe and support her and to keep her in school. If there is some way in which the court can require or provide for an increasing amount from time to time as she grows older, I should like to have it done.

I will decide what I will do about contesting the suit when I receive a copy of the complaint.

Very truly yours,