STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF GREENVILLE

Linda G. Costar,

Plaintiff.

ORDER (NUMBER 77-DR-23-2702)

Edward S. Coster,

VS.

Defendant.

This matter is before the Court pursuant to the Plaintiff's verified Complaint served on the Defendant, Edward S. Coster, December 30, 1977 wherein Plaintiff seeks a divorce, a vinculo matrimonii from Defendant, custody of the minor children and certain other incidental relief themto. Subsequent to the service of the Complaint on Defendant personally, Defendant Edward S. Coster retained counsel and filed an Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint.

This case was called for temporary hearing on January 16, 1978, at which time both parties appeared personally and both were represented by counsel; Theron G. Cochran of the firm of Love, Thornton, Arnold & Thomason representing the Plaintiff and Kenneth Porter, Esq. representing the Defendant. Jurisdiction was properly noted at that time and a temporary order was issued on January 20, 1978. A final hearing was held September 28, 1978. Testimony was taken on that date for the Plaintiff from Linda G. Coster and her mother Bonnie Griffin. The Defendant, Edward S. Coster testified in his own behalf. Based on the testimony I find that Plaintiff is entitled to a divorce, a vinculo matrimonii from Defendant on the grounds of habitual drunkenness. I further find that Plaintiff is to have the custody of the two minor children.

Further testimony was taken regarding the financial status of the parties. As a result, I find that Defendant shall pay the sum of \$50 per week as support for the two minor children, Tarmy Lee Coster and William Edward Coster, and shall pay to the wife an additional sum of \$30 per week as alimony. Said child

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