

JOSEPH FOX LOSES ALIENATION SUIT

Jury Declines to Award Him Damages From Albert Polinsky for Wife's Affections.

Joseph E. Fox will not get \$25,000 or any part of it, for which he sues Albert Polinsky on the grounds that the latter had alienated the affections of his wife. A jury in the district court yesterday morning returned a verdict for the defendant after considering the evidence but half an hour.

The case had been on trial for nearly a week and the principal witness for the plaintiff was Fox's divorced wife who told a tale of shame and criminal practice.

She frankly acknowledged that for a long time she has lived in houses of questionable character and blamed Polinsky for starting her on the downward path.

In behalf of Polinsky C. O. Baldwin, his attorney, argued that the entire case was one of blackmail and produced witnesses to substantiate his contentions. That the jury did not believe the assertions made against Polinsky is evidenced by the verdict.

The evidence was finished Tuesday and yesterday morning the attorneys argued one hour each and Judge Dibell charged the jury. The nature of the testimony drew crowds and when the final arguments were to be made there were more people clamoring for admittance than the court room could accommodate.