

TUMULTUOUS MATRIMONY.

THREE TIMES DIVORCED AND THEN RE-MARRIED TO HIS FIRST LOVE.

A gentleman relates to a News-reporter a singular matrimonial case, running through twenty-five years in the past history of Brunerstown, Jefferson County. A gentleman in that town married a lady of the same neighborhood about twenty-five years ago. After living together four or five years they separated on account of inconstancy of temper, and the husband received a divorce. A couple of years after the divorce both parties again married.

The husband, however, as in the case of the first marriage, did not get on pleasantly with the second wife, and in a couple of years after the second marriage he applied to the Chancery Court for a divorce from his wife, and the coveted divorce was granted, and he was again free. Then two or three years more intervened, when the doubly divorced husband pined for another wife, and seeking among the fair women of that section of the country, he finally succeeded in finding one well-suited to his mind, and after a short courtship he was married to her, thus coming into possession of his third wife. A few years later he was divorced from her.

The first wife of the much divorced man lived with her second husband very happily until five or six years ago, when he sickened and died. And now comes the singular feature in the history of the widowed wife and her first and three-times divorced husband. He again pined for another partner for his now declining years, he betrothed himself to his first wife; and no sooner had this thought taken lodgment in his mind than he hid himself to the pleasant domicile she occupied in her widowhood, and proposed that they once more take passage in life's boat together.

The old times and the differences between them were talked over, and that the flame of their first love was rekindled is not at all singular, for do not the poets say that first love is ever enduring? And so they agreed to again wed, and soon thereafter their nuptials were solemnized. The intervening years have glided peacefully, prosperously, and delightfully for them, and they live lovingly together, and are not only happy themselves, but make all happy who come under their hospitable roof.

Both parties, and indeed, all parties to the several marriages and divorces, are very respectable people, as the News publishes this seemingly series of matrimonial episodes only because of their singularity, defying any other county in Kentucky or the South to furnish an equal example of matrimony and divorce to the one above narrated. The truth of the matter is just as valid as though the names of the parties were given, but the giving of the names is neither proper nor important. — [Louisville News.]

E. J. HARDNER THE MODEL SHOEMAKER OF PINEVILLE, has now on hand a FULL ASSORTMENT OF KID-TOP, CABLE-SCREWED SHOES AND GAITERS.

ABOUT BEARING-REINS.—The severe bearing-reins, as used by coachmen generally, is nothing more nor less than horrible and needless torture to the poor, suffering horse—torture while in harness and the cause of infernal maladies when he is put back into his stall for food and supposed rest. If there is one thing more opposed to natural health than another, it is the increased production and then the waste of saliva which is so necessary to the functions of the body. Who ever saw a horse in the field foaming at the mouth? Who ever saw a properly bitted hunter do so when ridden to bounds in an easy bit and obedient to a light hand? I never saw it, nor do I think any one else has seen it; therefore, to begin with, the position of the carriage horse's head, gagged with a bearing rein out of place, and that profusion of saliva ever falling from the mouth, must show something essentially wrong. The perpetually tossing head arises from the fevered state of the poor animal, and his consequent attempts to get rid of an irritating infliction, and not from the vulgar idea of a fiery wish to be put in action. Of this I am certain, that the less artificial constraint you put into a horse's mouth the better. The less you curb his graceful limbs with lumber in the shape of harness the better. The freer you keep his limbs and his respiratory organs the longer he will serve you, and the greater will be the labor he will perform for you. — [Honorable Grantley F. Berkeley.]

FOUR AND FIVE DOLLARS ARE ruling prices of HARDYNER, of Pineville, for his choice SHOES and GAITERS.

NEW THIS DAY.

TEMPERATURE AS REPORTED BY FERARSON & SCHNACK

Table with 4 columns: Date, Morn., Noon, Night. Rows for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

PLENTY OF OYSTERS

—AT— SAM'S

NEW ORLEANS

—and— GRAND ECORE

WEEKLY PACKET!

FOR GRAND ECORE, MONTGOMERY, ALEXAN. RIA, NORMAN'S, BARRON'S

AND ALL WAY LANDINGS!

THE STEAMER

BART. ABLE:

RICHARD SINNOTT, MASTER

WILL LEAVE NEW ORLEANS EVERY SATURDAY AT 5 P. M.

APPLY ON BOARD.

GRAND FANCY DRESS

—and— MASQUERADE BALL!

Tuesday, December 4th.

GIVEN BY THE V. M. Hebrew Association

ADMISSION - \$1.50

REFRESHMENTS FREE!

WHEELER & PIERSON

CLOTHING,

NEW ORLEANS

WE INVITE ATTENTION TO

our LARGE STOCK OF

GANT CLOTHING for Men and Boys,

all of our own make, and which we offer at the very LOWEST PRICES.

Our Goods fit equal to CUSTOM MADE. Orders solicited and sales for self-measurement sent on application.

WHEELER & PIERSON, SUCCESSORS TO DARY & WHEELER and PIERSON & HEWES.

13 and 15 CAMP Street.

Wholesale Department

at 120 Canal Street, New Orleans

at LOW as any market in the country.

Sporting Club.

AT A MEETING OF THE RAPIDS

ideas Sporting Club, J. W. Prescott

Dr. James S. Field, Vice-President.

L. R. Bayard, Treasurer.

W. W. Whittington, Jr., Secretary.

It was resolved that all persons desiring to join the Club are requested to meet at the Drug Store of L. C. Tait on Wednesday the 5th day of December next, 1877 at 12 o'clock.

On motion it was resolved, That these proceedings be published in the LOUISIANA DEMOCRAT in its next issue.

The Club adjourned until Wednesday, the 5th day of December 1877, at 12 o'clock

J. W. PRESCOTT, Pres't.

Nov 14-2t.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Parish Court—Parish of Rapides.

No. 298.

WHEREAS, DAVID EDWIN NICHOLSON has made application to this Court to be appointed Administrator of the Succession of Fanny Milton, late of this Parish, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it doth or may concern, to show cause within ten (10) days from the date hereof, why the same should not be granted.

By order of the Court, Clerk's office, Alexandria, La., this 13th day of November, 1877.

C. L. RANDELL, Deputy Clerk.

BUTCHERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS NOW

a Butcher's Stall in the Market House, and will sell at current Cash rates BEEF, MUTTON, and PORK.

He solicits a share of the public's custom, promising to keep at all times the best market affords.

S. PINCUS, Agent.

Oct. 3-3m.

BUTCHERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED

has taken his OLD

STALL in the MARKET HOUSE and will sell the best of BEEF PORK and MUTTON, at CHEAPEST RETAIL PRICES.

JACOB IRVING, JR.

Nov 14-4t

\$10 REWARD!

LOST ON THE 30TH OF SEPTEMBER,

one GOLD CHAIN BRACELET, one ONE GOLD CHAIN BRACELET, one ONE GOLD CHAIN BRACELET, one ONE GOLD CHAIN BRACELET.

For the return of the same will be given for its return.

ANTONIO QUANO.

Nov 14-1t

NEW THIS DAY.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL.

ALEXANDRIA, LA., Nov. 6, 1877.

The Board of Councilmen of the Town of Alexandria met in regular session, on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1877, with the following Councilmen present:

Joseph Bouillotte, E. R. Blossat, Jonas Rosenthal, Jacob Irving, W. W. Whittington, Jr.

The Mayor, D. C. Paul, being still sick and unable to attend, a motion of Councilman Blossat, Councilman Whittington was called to preside at the meeting of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of Tuesday, October 23, 1877, and the called meeting of Thursday, October 18, 1877, were read, and on motion were approved.

The monthly report of the Treasurer was read, found correct and on motion was approved.

R. C. DURE, Treasurer.

IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CORPORATION OF ALEXANDRIA.

Oct. 1. To Balance \$496 07

31. Licenses collected 143 75

Taxes collected 149 25

Rents collected 78 00

Wharfages collected 85 00

on wood 2 00

Fines collected 40 00

\$894 97

Oct. 31 By paid warrant No. 114, Joe Kramer 88 75

By warrant No. 26, H. M. Labat 30 00

By warrant No. 11, W. W. Whittington 5 00

By warrant No. 9, J. Levin 5 80

By warrant No. 5, G. W. Glyn 25 00

By warrant No. 137, J. Levin 12 81

By warrant No. 4, J. W. Riley 25 00

By warrant No. 7, Wm. St. John 21 50

By warrant No. 76, Mrs. J. D. Calvit 20 00

By warrant No. 142, I. C. Miller & Co. 25 00

By warrant No. 140, I. C. Miller & Co. 20 00

By warrant No. 141, I. C. Miller & Co. 20 00

By warrant No. 133, Wm. St. John 13 75

By warrant No. 8, E. S. Hetherwick 4 60

By warrant No. 3, A. Hilton 25 00

By warrant No. 10, Louisiana Democrat 17 10

By warrant No. 1, D. C. Paul 50 00

By warrant No. 6, Sol Canal 9 25

By warrant No. 2, Thos. Crawly 83 00

By warrant No. 109, Jno Kramer 3 00

By warrant No. 64, Wm. Whittington, Jr 15 00

By warrant No. 141, John Kramer 2 50

By warrant No. 15, I. C. Miller & Co. 2 65

By warrant No. 115, John J. Ferguson 8 00

By warrant No. 134, R. E. Richardson, Jr 11 00

By warrant No. 107, Wm. Mills 18 00

By Thos. Crawly 5 per cent. commission on \$371.00 18 55

By Thos. Crawly 10 per cent. commission on \$127.00 12 70

By 2 1/2 per cent. commissions on \$498 12 45

By balance 899 97

On examination the following bills were approved and ordered paid:

J. Levin, lumber 825 75

W. St. John 33 15

Louisiana Democrat, printing 13 50

J. Levin, cart, etc 10 00

J. Benoit, repairing wharf 10 00

T. Crawly, salary, etc 89 25

D. C. Paul, salary 50 00

On motion the Board adjourned to Thursday, the 4th of December, 1877, at 4 o'clock P. M.

W. W. WHITTINGTON, JR., Secretary.

A. HILTON, Acting Mayor.

Nov 14-1t

B. T. WALSH

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

BOYS' & CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

No. 110 CANAL ST. NEW ORLEANS.

THE SUN.

1878. NEW YORK. 1878.

AS THE TIME APPROACHES

for the renewal of subscriptions, THE SUN would remind its friends and well-wishers everywhere, that it is again a candidate for their consideration and support. Upon its record for the past ten years it relies for a continuance of the hearty sympathy and generous co-operation which have hitherto been extended to it from every quarter of the Union.

The DAILY SUN is a four page-sheet of 25 columns; price by mail, postpaid, 55 cents a month, or \$6.50 per year.

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DELINQUENT TAX ROLL

—OF THE— STATE TAXES

—FOR THE— PARISH OF RAPIDES FOR 1877.

(CONTINUED FROM THIRD PAGE.)

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Lists delinquent taxpayers and their respective tax amounts.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Continuation of delinquent taxpayers and their respective tax amounts.

Advertisement for B. G. DUKE, State Tax Collector of Rapides Parish, Louisiana, for the year 1877. Includes contact information and a notice regarding tax collection.