

UNUSUAL STORY.

Divorce Secured After Being Charged With Bigamy Rogers Again Married Miss Lee.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 15.—On December Judge Miller granted a divorce to Herbert M. Rodgers from Mattie M. Rodgers, whom he married in 1893. Rodgers went over to Jeffersonville and was married to his present wife, who was Miss Lucille Lee, of Shelby county, for the second time. The story is an unusual and interesting one, involving an action for bigamy, to which Rogers must answer in the Shelby county court next January.

When the war with Spain broke out Rodgers, who was not on good terms with his first wife, left her and joined company H. of the Louisville Legion, serving with that command in Porto Rico. While there he received letters from friends telling him that his wife had secured a divorce. When he returned from the war with the legion a year ago he went to Shelby county, met and loved Miss Lee, and married her last August.

As soon as his first wife heard of what he had done she hurried to Shelbyville and brought an action against Rogers for bigamy. Rogers' next step was to sue for the divorce from his first wife, which was granted by Judge Miller on December 7, and then he married his last wife again.

John H. Mullins in Jail.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 15.—Advice from Whitesburg, Ky., says: J. H. Mullins was placed in jail there Thursday charged with complicity in the killing of A. R. Bryant and the two Craft brothers in the Cumberland mountains last Monday, news of which reached here Wednesday night. Mullins is desperately wounded, having been shot in the side, arm and hip. He is being strongly guarded against a possible attack by friends of the Crafts.

Kentucky Pensioners.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The following Kentuckians were granted pensions Thursday: Original—Osmer S. Deming, Mt. Olivet, \$8. Restoration and Increase—John Manion, Henderson, \$8 to \$14. Increase—(Special November 29) Samuel W. Long, Montpelier, \$6 to \$8; Moses Turpin, Frazer, \$8 to \$8. Mexican War Widow—(Special accrued, November 29) Mary B. Callis, Sulphur, \$8.

Democrats Will Contest.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 15.—The democratic campaign, state central and executive committees, in secret session, voted unanimously to make a contest on the state ticket, from top to bottom, and appointed a committee, composed of Joseph B. McCreary, Thomas J. Nunn, S. E. Jones, Willard Mitchell and T. W. Sims, to draft resolutions accordingly, and to report to a general meeting.

Will Not Reconsider.

New Castle, Ky., Dec. 15.—Rumored to the contrary notwithstanding, Judge W. S. Pryor has no idea of reconsidering his resignation on the board of election commissioners. He has come out of that trying ordeal without the "smell of fire on his garments."

The Son Gets the Estate.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 15.—The jury in the will case of Lawson Webster, wealthy turfman, who died last spring, returned a verdict Thursday morning sustaining the will, which gives the entire estate to his son, J. S. Webster. Other relatives claimed undue influence.

Claims a Shortage.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 15.—W. D. Crammond, owner of the Owensboro-Cannelton packet, claims \$3,000 from the estate of M. Marshall, formerly clerk of the steamer Gertrude, for shortage in accounts shown after Marshall's death.

National Park at Perryville.

Perryville, Ky., Dec. 15.—Representative Gilbert is preparing a bill for the establishment of a national park on the battlefield at Perryville, Ky. He has called on President McKinley in the interest of his plan.

Poison in the Soup.

Lebanon, Ky., Dec. 15.—John A. Hullett, superintendent at the Lancaster Rolling mills, and his wife and three children were poisoned by eating tomatoes in soup. Physicians saved their lives after vigorous work.

C. J. Pratt Appointed.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 15.—Gov. Taylor Thursday appointed C. J. Pratt to fill out the unexpired term in the attorney general's office. Pratt is the attorney general elect on the republican ticket.

Fractured His Skull.

Lancaster, Ky., Dec. 15.—While trying to prevent a row at Buckeye, north of here, an unknown person struck Hiram Ward, a wealthy farmer, on the head, fracturing his skull. He may die.

Hurt by Falling Scaffold.

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 15.—Mr. Robert Baker, a wealthy farmer living two miles south of Princeton, was seriously injured by the scaffold of an ice-house falling on him. He was hurt internally and is not expected to live.

Gets a Census Position.

London, Ky., Dec. 15.—Prof. Hiram Johnson, a young teacher of this county, has received notice of his appointment to a position in the census bureau department at Washington, D. C., and has left for the capital.

Tribute to a Battleship.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 15.—The silver service for the battleship Kentucky arrived here Thursday to be exhibited.

Read Hunt's ad.: It's full of good Christmas news. A large line of Choice Perfumery in Fancy Bottles and in bulk at Chenoweth's. Ladies, clean your kid gloves with LaBelle Glove Cleaner, for sale only by D. Hunt & Son, headquarters for Kid Gloves and sole agents for the famous one dollar Fedora Glove, all the leading shades. Gloves guaranteed from \$1 up.

For something nice in Ebony or Sterling novelties, fine Jewelry, Diamond Ring or Gold Watch go to Clooney's. A beautiful line of Sterling Spoons, Imported China, Tea Lamps and Bronzes, Opera-glasses and Umbrellas, in fact anything usually found in first-class stock, can be had right here for less money than anywhere in the city.

Blood Poison and Cancer Cured by B. B. B. Trial Bottle Sent Free. Deadly Cancer of the face, neck, legs, lip, eating cancer or sores, cured by B. B. B.—Botanic Blood Balm. B. B. B. cures by driving the deadly virulent poison, which causes cancer, out of the blood. This is the only cure and B. B. B. is the only remedy that can do this. In the same way B. B. B. cures Blood Poison whether inherited or acquired, producing ulcers, painful swellings, blotches, pimples, copper-colored spots, falling of the hair, sores in the throat or tongue, scrofula. B. B. B. has made hundreds of permanent cures, and is a thoroughly tested powerful Blood Remedy. Cures where all else fails. Tested for 30 years. To prove its curative powers, we send a sample bottle free to any one who writes for it. Large bottles for sale by all druggists for \$1, or 6 bottles (full treatment) \$5. For sample bottle address Blood Balm Co., 19 Mitchell St., Atlanta, Ga.

It Will Be the Handsomest Clothing Store In the State. It is no longer a secret that our landlords have contracted for the improvement of our storerooms. When done they will favorably compare with the finest in the state—not finer, however, than their contents. This is no longer left for us to say, for good, honest, up-to-date Clothing and Shoes "Go to Hechinger's" is the advice from neighbor to neighbor. There is a distinctiveness in our merchandise that makes it "unique."

None Like Them in the Town. Now to "Business." We have four weeks left to unload, if not the entire stock at least enough of it to give the workmen sufficient room to get around the place when they begin to tear down, which will be about the 15th of January. We cannot hope to accomplish the unloading without extra inducements to the purchaser. We are going to induce you to help us unload. We know of no plainer way to convince you that we are in earnest than this proposal: Go into any clothing house in or out of town, price their merchandise, then look at and price ours. That will tell the story of the unloading of our stock to make room for the improvements.

Hechinger & Co. It Will Give You Positive pleasure to inspect our elegant stock of Diamonds, Cut Glass, Silver for Table and Dressing Table, Lamps, Umbrellas, Cloaks, Sterling Silver Novelties in great variety. We carry the largest assortment of these lines of any house in the city. It is needless to enumerate. Come and see for yourself. We are sure you will find something to please you. Ballenger, Jeweler and Optician.

Speaking of Christmas HOLIDAY BOOKS! A generous showing. Books to suit many tastes. For instance—Essays of Elia—Lamb. In Olden Days—Lytal. Imitation of Christ—A Kempis. Earlier Powers—Bryant. Ardath—Corvill. French Revolution—Carlyle. Many other titles. The books measure 8 1/4 inches and have 250 to 300 pages. Well bound in rich red cloth with gilt trimmings. Sets of—Hawthorne, Kipling, Corelli, Doyle, Massinger, Scott, Henry, Cooper, Caino, and others, neatly issued in titled boxes. Set of 5 volumes 75c. Sets of 6 volumes 90c. GREAT 25c. ARTICLES! Probably never before has the trade been offered such remarkable values. The goods in question are candle sticks in exact fac simile of the artistic productions formerly made by hand in wrought iron. They come in a number of fancy shapes. The material is wrought iron, given a soft, velvety, black, permanent finish. Dainty colored wax candle included for 25c. MACKINTOSHES! Splendid garments these to cost so little! Thoroughly waterproof, double texture, strap seams strongly sewed and cemented, woven plaid linings, velvet collars, neatly made and good looking. The price, \$3 75. BEDROOM GIFTS! Silklike comfortables. A pretty present with enough warmth for the coldest Christmas. One side dainty solid color, the other a harmonizing figured silklike, hand knitted with pretty wool, filling—finest swansdown cotton. To make them look more "fifty" we tie each comfort with broad satin ribbon. \$1 45—\$2 25. Blankets of many grades but nothing unworthy—you know quality is the foundation on which we build. Nice silver gray blankets \$2 50. Pretty white fleecy blankets, tasteful borders, \$3 50. Handsome thick, soft California blankets, \$4 50, \$5 00, \$6 00.

Fresh Oysters at Roper's. For helpful answers to "What Shall I Give?" read Hunt's ad.

We have today a carload of Apples, Bananas and Oranges; will be good for Christmas trade. BIAGOTTI & CO.

Have you a cold? A dose of Cousens' Honey of Tar at bedtime will remove it. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. J. James Wood & Son.

Come to the Racket Store for your Christmas Goods. Our first and second floors are filled with Toys and Xmas presents. You should see their line before buying.

The C. and O. Railway has contracted with the Richmond Locomotive Works for twenty-five additional locomotives. The duplicates of ten of these engines are now on the road.

Books are now open for subscription to the Twenty-eighth Series of stock in the Mason County Building Association. It costs only 50 cents a share to start. Apply to M. C. Russell Secretary, H. K. Hoeflich Treasurer, or any of the Directors.

Work will begin early in the spring on a new school building to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire at Augusta. The erection of the new building will be under the supervision of a committee composed of one member of the City Council, one from the Commercial Club and one from the School Board.

The disposition of children largely depends upon health. If they are troubled with worms, they will be irritable, cross, feverish and perhaps seriously sick. White's Cream Vermifuge is a worm expeller and a tonic to make them healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cts. J. James Wood & Son.

Mrs. G. W. Geisel of this city is in receipt of a letter from her cousin, Dr. D. G. Curtis, of Chattanooga, Tenn., who is the fortunate possessor of the first flag that Dewey ran up as Admiral on his flagship. When Admiral Dewey reached New York this flag was hauled down to give place to a new one and was presented by the flag officer to Lieutenant Delaney of the Navy, whose home is at Cleveland, Tenn. Dr. Curtis was instrumental in having Lieutenant Delaney appointed to the naval service and as a slight recognition he presented the Doctor with this flag.

In sluggish liver, Herbine, by its beneficial action upon the biliary tracts, renders the bile more fluid, and brings the liver into a sound, healthy condition, thereby banishing the sense of drowsiness, lethargy, and the general feeling of apathy which arise from disorders of the liver. Price 50 cts. J. James Wood & Son.

That's What Knocks! 10,000 pounds of Nice Candy at 5c. a pound. 7,000 pounds of Fresh Mixed Nuts, 10c. a pound. 5,000 pounds of Pure Stick Candy at 7 1/2c. a pound. 5,000 pounds of Fancy French Mixed Candy at 7 1/2c. a pound. 3 packages of Yucatan Chewing Gum for 10c. One carload of Fruits, Raisins, Dates, Citron and Fireworks will be turned loose at jobbers' cost. These prices are on our present supply only. All indications point to a considerable rise in cost of all Holiday Goods. Therefore be quick and save money. Special Discounts to Merchants, Schoolteachers, Committees of Churches or Societies when buying in large quantities. H. E. LANGDON & CO., Cash Grocers, Maysville, Ky., Third door from Postoffice, Third street.

MR. LOUIS RINNINSLAND. Death of a Former Resident of This City at His Home Near Cincinnati. Mr. Louis Rinninsland died yesterday morning at his home at Sedansville, near Cincinnati, after an illness of about one year of consumption. He leaves a wife and two sons. Mr. Rinninsland was formerly proprietor of the Star Bottling Works of this city, and during his residence here of some five years, by his honorable business career and social qualities made many warm friends who will regret to learn of his death.

I. O. R. M. CELEBRATION Exercises at Hall Last Evening of High Character. REV. HARROP MADE ADDRESS.

In the Improved Order of Redmen's Hall last night occurred the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the death of George Washington. The commemorative exercises shall live in the minds of those present and will particularly impress the young with the stamp of integrity, which was the burden of thought of the speakers. The program as arranged by the Great Inobehance was observed last night by every Tribe in America, and it is safe to say that fully a million patriotic Americans paid devotion at the shrine of the greatest of all Americans.

Master of Ceremonies W. C. Pelham began the services at 8 o'clock by reading the edict calling the Redmen to observe the day. The Great Spirit's blessing was invoked, then "America" rang out from organ, clarinet and vocal chords. Addresses and recitations followed, and then the Rev. F. W. Harrop was introduced for the address of the evening, "The Life and Character of George Washington." The gentleman was very happy in his introductory remarks, though saying that the occasion could not be called altogether a happy one, owing to the fact that the benign countenance that glanced from the frame behind him was now in the spirit, thus depriving us of his counsel and wisdom. In substance Mr. Harrop said he had some hesitancy in accepting the compliment when first approached by the Committee because he was of British birth, and it might place him and the Order in an embarrassing position. But he said those who were present were Americans by circumstance of birth, and he claimed to be a more loyal American because he held in his hand naturalization papers paid of the coin of the realm, which showed him to be a citizen by choice, and therefore he would gladly dismiss the first expression of fear and boldly enter into his tribute to a man whom we Americans all love and honor. The Reverend then spoke of the life and character of Washington, and it is seldom he was ever heard to better advantage. Certainly it was an effort charming from every point of view. The audience was not large, owing to the threatening weather, but the Redmen have every reason to rejoice over commemorating the death of the American Saint.

See Ray's line of Xmas goods. Newest Novelties in town at Hoeflich's.

Holly wreaths at the Senate, 25 cents each. Charles Berry and Mary Middleton, colored, were married yesterday at the Clerk's office by Judge Newell.

Mr. J. D. Eidlrich, who has been manager of Upper Bluelicks Springs for the past two years, has moved to Mt. Sterling.

Miss Mame Bowman of Kansas City, formerly of Augusta, was married a few days ago to Mr. M. S. Thomas of Las Vegas, N. M.

Rev. Howard T. Cree will officiate at the wedding of Mr. R. B. Boyce of Princeton and Miss Emma Long, which will take place next Tuesday afternoon at the Christian Church at Eminence.

For broken limbs, chilblains, burns, scalds, bruised shins, sore throat, and sores of every kind, apply Ballard's Snow Lintment. It will give immediate relief and heal any wound. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. J. James Wood & Son.

Don't forget that I am selling Diamonds and Watches at the "old prices." My line of Diamonds are the Handsomest and largest in this city. As usual my stock of watches is unexcelled, and as far as prices we are lower than all others. MURPHY, the Jeweler.

Come out this evening to the oyster supper in the building adjoining Murphy's Jewelry Store. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Mission Night School. Good music and good supper for 25 cents. Come and help those less fortunate than yourself. Doors open at 8 o'clock.

Hoeflich's Cash Bargains. Outing 5c., worth 8c.; 10c. and 25c. table of Holiday Goods. Wool Blankets \$2 50.

4 X Sugar-Shelled Almonds. The purest and best N. O. Molasses ever brought to Maysville can be found at G. W. Geisel's. Call and sample it.

Houses For Rent. Several centrally located and very desirable houses for rent; terms reasonable and rent low. Apply to HARRY C. CURRAN, Masonic Temple Building.

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OUR TRAMP ABOUT THE CITY.



YE MAIDEN AND YE BIRDIE. "Oh, pretty bird," the maiden said, "It makes me weep and cry To see thee thus imprisoned— When thou hast wings to fly!" The birdie wept and shook his head To find such sympathy.

"Thy brilliancy will soon be gone, Or eaten by the cat, Oh, cruel men," the maid went on, "To pen thee up like that! When thou wouldst look so well upon My brand-new winter hat!"

The latest in Toilet Sets at Ray's. Ladies' P. K. Gloves, 89c., at Hoeflich's. The Court of Appeals has adjourned until January.

A telephone line from Minerva to Augusta is the latest movement on foot. The Farmers National Bank at Augusta has \$302,978 33 in individual deposits.

Mr. D. A. Emmett of this city has taken charge of a big distillery at Baltimore. See Chenoweth's stock; it will help you to decide what to give as Christmas presents.

Wanted—Good Country Butter. Highest market price paid at H. E. Langdon & Co.'s. Will Gordon of Mt. Carmel has bought a half interest in the Germantown bus line of B. D. Politt.

Rider William B. Taylor, born near Germantown in 1865, now has charge of the North-side Christian Church at Chicago.

Mr. James Outten is able to be about his room, with the aid of crutches, after a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Dr. W. R. Heflin, who for the past four years has served as Second Assistant Physician, is an applicant for the position of First Assistant Physician at Lakeland Asylum under Governor Taylor.

Representative Pugh has introduced a bill for the relief of Bath county, urging that the Secretary of the Treasury be authorized to pay \$10,000 for the destruction by fire of the Courthouse at Owingsville, arising from the occupancy by the Federal soldiers during the War.

A special line of goods suitable for gentlemen—Shaving Sets, Leather Card Cases, Letter Books, Cigar Cases, Handsome Suspenders with Sterling Silver Mountings, Umbrellas, Canes, Cuff Buttons, Sticks, Smoking Sets, Hat Marks, Pipes, Military Brushes, Match Safes, Charms, etc. Call and see the handsomest line of goods in Maysville. MURPHY, the Jeweler.

A Word About Candy. Candy to be pure cannot be sold below the cost of pure sugar. See? G. W. Geisel invites you to see his stock of pure candies. Get his price on Bee Chocolates, the same others ask you from 40 to 50 cents per pound.

HERE AND THERE. If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mrs. John M. Scott is in Cincinnati today. Mr. Charles Mitchell was in the city yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard T. Cree are in Louisville. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Day of Hillsboro were in the city yesterday.

Miss Belle Watson has been visiting relatives in Woodford county. Miss Lida Politt is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Politt of Dover.

Mrs. S. P. Baird has returned to her home at Carlisle after a visit to relatives here. Mrs. Basil Duke and children are visiting Mrs. Herbert N. Reno of Walnut Hills, Cincinnati.

Harry P. Taylor, a colored medical student, left yesterday to resume his studies at Knoxville College, Tenn.

Mrs. S. R. VanDyke arrived from Lexington yesterday to spend the holidays with her sisters, Miss Anna and Susie Clark and Mrs. J. W. Piper.

Mr. Carl Stevenson and sister, Miss Elizabeth, of Hillsboro, O., are guests of Mrs. O. H. P. Thomas and Miss Martha Stevenson of West Third street.

Messrs. John Boyer, Wheeler Haap and James Heflin returned yesterday morning from Frankfort, where they attended the inaugural ceremonies of Governor Taylor.

Children's Kid Gloves, 90c., at Hoeflich's. Mrs. Perrine Jenkins has bought the farm of Mr. W. D. Cushman near Dover, paying \$6,500. The farm contains about 57 acres and has a handsome house on it. Possession will be given next March.

THE BEE HIVE. Fancy Christmas Goods Galore

Our store is now resplendent with holiday brightness. If you're a gift purchaser you'll find here the gift practical or the gift ornamental at prices to suit the most modest purse.

Toilet and Manicure Sets. We are showing a beautiful line of these most appropriate articles for Christmas gifts. They come in celluloid or plush boxes lined with satin. Prices range from 90c. to \$3 49. For the stronger sex we have Shaving Sets at \$1 40 and \$2 40. Collar and Cuff Boxes at 90c., Smokers' Sets at 90c.

Medallions. Our stock of these is very large. Every subject shown is copied from some great work of art. They come in both the colored and steel engraved effect. Prices range from 25c. to \$2 25. Compare our prices with those of others.

Miscellaneous. On account of lack of space we can mention but a few of the many pretty and worthy articles we are showing. Dainty China Pin Trays at 50c., 60c. and 100c. China Puff Boxes at 10c. and 15c. French China Clocks, worth \$2, at \$1 25. Handsomely framed Mirrors from 15c. to \$1 75. Silver Ink Stands at 15c. and 10c. Leather Purses and Shopping Bags from 5c. to \$2 50. Applique Table Covers and Dresser Scarfs from 35c. to \$1 49. Come in and look around and behold the hundreds of other things.

A Great CLOAK Opportunity. From now until Christmas we will give you the choice of any Cape, Jacket or Collarett in our stock at a DISCOUNT OF 20 PER CENT.

Every garment marked in plain figures. Remember, this is one-fifth off the price. Don't miss the chance.

ROSENAU BROS., KINGS OF LOW PRICES. PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE