IN THE FOURTH CIRCUIT COURT OF DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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LOIS AGUSTA RIDDLE)
)
vs.) No. 60064
)
JOHN RANDOLPH RIDDLE)

ORDER

This cause came on to be heard before the Honorable Benson Trimble, Judge, Etc., on the 15th day of March, 1971, upon the complaint filed by Lois Agusta Riddle against the defendant, John Randolph Riddle, and order of pro confesso; and it was stated to the Court by counsel for the complainant that service of process had been secured upon the defendant in the above matter by publication, the defendant being a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, his whereabouts unknown, but last known to be in the State of Indiana. The complainant did testify in person, as did her witnesses, from all of which the Court was of the opinion that the defendant had been guilty of cruel and inhuman treatment in that he had abandoned the complainant, said abandonment occurring in February, 1964, and that since the latter date, he has not in any way supported the complainant nor her children. The Court was of the opinion that the complainant was entitled to an absolute divorce, and that she is a fit and proper person to have the care and custody of her only minor child, Nellie Faye Riddle, and that the defendant should be divested of any and all interest that he had in the parties' homeplace at 1000 Virginia Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee.

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the complainant, Lois Agusta Riddle, be and she hereby is granted an absolute divorce from the defendant, John Randolph Riddle, and restored to all the rights and privileges of an unmarried person.

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ENTERED, JANUARY TERM, ON THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF MARCH, 1971.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the complainant, Lois Agusta Riddle, be given the absolute custody of her minor daughter, Nellie Fay Riddle, with the defendant being allowed reasonable visitation rights, should he desire the same.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the defendant, John Randolph Riddle, be divested of all of his right, title and interest in the hereinafter described realty located in Davidson County, Tennessee, and that all of his said right, title and interest be invested in the complainant, Lois Agusta Riddle:

> Land in Davidson County, Tennessee, being the west 69.5 feet front and 66.5 feet rear of Lot No. 31 on the Map of George Burros Subdivision of Lot No. 81 of the Maplewood Homes Tract of record in Book 421, page 178, of the Register's Office for Davidson County, Tennessee.
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> Said Part of Lot No. 31 fronts 69.5 feet on the south side of Virginia Avenue and runs back 253 feet on the west line and 250 feet on the east line to a dead line and measures 66.5 feet thereon.

The costs of this cause are assessed to the complainant, for which execution may issue, if necessary.

JUDGE

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:

JOHN T. CONNERS, JR.
Attorney for Complainant

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I, GEORGE L. ROOKER, *Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County of Davidson, in the State aforesaid, do certify that the foregoing is a* ~~correct~~ true copy *transcript of the record and proceedings had in said Court in the case heretofore prosecuted and determined therein, between* Lois Agusta Riddle *Plaintiff, and* John Randolph Riddle *Defendant, as same remain of record in said Court.*

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, *I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of said Court, at office, in Nashville, the* 31 *day of* October *in the year one thousand nine hundred and* Seventh-FIVE *and in the* 200 *year of American Independence.*

GEORGE L. ROOKER, *Clerk.*

By Barbara Eddings, *D. C.*