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The Elite Theatre closes its doors  
this evening. Two of its former own-  
ers, Mrs. T. N. Murphy and Mrs. G.  
M. Swaney, can be found at Sherry's  
Theatre, having bought out that show-  
house recently. The close is only tem-  
porary.

"We wish," said the showhouse wo-  
men today, "to thank our former pa-  
trons of the Elite for their kind patron-  
age while we operated that estab-  
lishment, for without that assistance,  
we could not have made the Elite the  
big success we did. Therefore, we  
wish to assure them that during the  
time the Elite theatre is in darkness,  
our unusually good programs, for-  
merly shown there, can be found at  
our new home, at Sherry's Theatre.  
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there as well as to meet the public at  
large, to whom we shall cater with  
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Robert W. Herter, Lawrenceville,  
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ney pills but with no relief. My  
neighbor told me to use Foley Kidney  
Pills. I took three bottles of them,  
and got a permanent cure. I recom-  
mend them to everybody." **Fdy**

### Bay State's Identity Notable Case.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 4.—The trial of  
the Daniel Blake Russell identity case  
in East Cambridge has now passed its  
50th day of actual proceedings, and  
the end is not yet in sight. This is  
the second trial of the famous case  
and is being conducted before a mas-  
ter appointed by the East Cambridge  
Superior court. The first trial took  
place last winter in the Middlesex Por-  
table Court and was one of the long-  
est and most sensational of the kind  
in the history of the American legal  
jurisprudence. Like the first trial,  
the present proceedings have been up  
to date enlivened with romantic fea-  
tures, surprises and sensations which  
would find difficulty of belief if ap-  
pearing in a work of fiction.

The Russell case is probably the  
most notable identity case ever tried  
in an American court. It rivals in in-  
terest and resembles in many respects  
the famous Tichborne case, which ran  
for 170 days before Lord Chief Jus-  
tice Cockburn in England some 30  
years ago.

In the first trial Judge Lawton de-  
cided against "Dakota Dan", who  
claims to be Daniel Blake Russell, son  
of the late Daniel Russell of Melrose,  
and who also claims his share of the  
\$500,000 estate now held by William C.  
Russell, another son of Daniel Rus-  
sell. Apparently not in the least dis-  
couraged over this decision, the Dako-  
ta claimant went to work to have the  
case re-opened and, though without  
funds or the help of counsel, he suc-  
ceeded in securing another trial of his  
case.

Persons in daily attendance at the  
present hearing in the East Cam-  
bridge court have been much im-  
pressed by the story told by "Dakota  
Dan" and the evidence of the witness-  
es who have testified in his behalf.  
In his fight for recognition the claim-  
ant has told on the stand, in a simple  
way and with remarkable memory, of  
the events which took place in the  
home which he says he left in Melrose  
a quarter of a century ago. For a  
time he lived the life of a tramp, get-  
ting from one part of the country to  
another as best he might. He has  
worked with circuses and as a deck  
hand, shod horses in blacksmith shops  
and spent winters as a hand in a lum-  
ber camp and mills, according to his  
story. The tale of his wanderings and  
the vicissitudes of his life since 1885  
has taken him in retrospect from the  
docks of Liverpool, where he paid his  
passage in the steerage, to the woods  
of northern Michigan, and finally to  
the Bad Lands of North Dakota. There  
he settled down to some extent  
and for some time had been employed  
as a ranch manager. Finally a desire  
to return to his old home seized him  
and he arrived in Melrose something  
more than a year ago to find that the  
man whom he claims as his father had  
died and left an estate of \$500,000 and  
a will in which was the provision that  
the long-missing son should share half  
the fortune in the event of his return.  
But the elder son, William C. Russell,  
in whose possession the estate was  
held not only refused to surrender any  
portion of it but positively denied the  
claim of relationship set up by the  
man from Dakota.

To support his claim as Daniel  
Blake Russell a large number of wit-  
nesses have appeared at the present  
hearing to identify the claimant as the  
son of Daniel B. Russell. Of these,  
some have known him for 40 years  
and others for 25 years. They knew  
him intimately in many cases, and  
were acquainted with the peculiarities  
and characteristics of his youth. One  
of the most important of the recent  
witnesses has been the former sweet-  
heart of Daniel Blake Russell, Miss  
Mattie M. Keith, who told on the stand  
of her friendship with the long-mis-  
sing son of the late Daniel Russell.  
With great positiveness Miss Keith de-  
clared that Daniel Blake Russell and  
"Dakota Dan" the claimant, are the  
same person.

To oppose the claim of "Dakota  
Dan" and the testimony of his wit-  
nesses, the respondents, William C.  
Russell and Ferdinand B. Almy, the  
attorney of whom is said to have had the  
entire administration of the estate  
since the death of Daniel Russell, have  
declared that the claimant is an im-  
poster and have undertaken to prove  
that he is not Daniel Blake Russell,  
but James Delbert Ruseau, who was  
born of poor parents in Bombay, N. Y.,  
in 1865.

Not the least remarkable feature of  
the contest has been the part played  
by the man called "Fresno Dan" who  
mysteriously appeared on the scene  
when the first trial of the case was  
near an end. "Fresno Dan" was tak-  
en into the home of William C. Rus-  
sell and was publicly accepted as the  
long-missing heir, though so far as is  
known none of the older residents of  
Melrose were able to detect any re-  
semblance between "Fresno Dan" and  
the missing Daniel Blake Russell.

### Uncle Ezra Says

"It don't take more'n a gill uv ef-  
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4. Two Souls—Thanthouser drama.
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