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Civil Action Brought Against C. E. Nelson and L. M. Smith.

Further developments took place in the case of Willie Dodge vs. C. E. Nelson last week when civil action was brought in the circuit court against the latter. In brief summary the complaint as alleged is as follows. It is alleged that Dodge, who is of weak mind and intellect and easily influenced and incapacitated for attending to business, boarded from a certain date with Nelson, who had an undue influence over him; that on a specified date Nelson falsely represented to Dodge that he, Dodge, was about to be sued and defrauded, and persuaded him to deed without consideration his Kansas farm to himself, Nelson, promising that he would reconvey said property at any time upon Dodge's demand. It is further alleged that on October 31st, plaintiff made such a demand, which Nelson refused and still refuses to honor.

Upon the above complaint Dodge's attorneys obtained an injunction, restricting Nelson from making any disposition of the Kansas property during the pendency of the suit.

Similar action was brought against L. M. Smith the first of the week, it being alleged that Smith persuaded the plaintiff to deed over to him the Belcher farm, northwest of Newberg, and refuses to reconvey it to Dodge. Some other charges are made in connection with the above.

The criminal case of larceny against Nelson will come up for trial before Justice Wright Saturday. The civil cases will await the meeting of the circuit court.

A Rich Entertainment.

It was a rare evening's entertainment—that which was given on Thursday of last week by the Ohio poet and entertainer, Edmund Vance Cooke. The arrangement of his program, "Pot Luck With a Poet," was original and unique. From the greeting, "I'm Glad to See You," to "The Story of Old Glory," there was not a poor number, and throughout the evening the poet kept his audience on tip-toe expectancy—and he fulfilled the expectation.

What appealed most to his hearers was Mr. Cooke's great versatility of talent—both as to the wide range of his selections and his perfect rendering of all of them. From impersonating the juvenile in "Bobby's Besetting Sin" to his representation of the old man in "Going Home to Mother," he is strikingly at home. In presenting the German optimist, the English pessimist and the Irish doubter, he gave a little practical philosophy and gave some good character studies at the same time.

The number which convulsed his audience was "The Young Man Waited." Many men have mimicked a woman in arranging her toilet, but in this diversion Cooke proved himself to be in a class by himself. In "The Old School House" he combined reminiscence and fun, ending it after the style of Riley's "An Old Sweetheart of Mine." But Mr. Cooke was not better in any of his work than in giving his more sober piece "Foreboding." He touches, in his writings, all avenues of life, realistically. Mr. Cooke is a very pleasing gentle-

man to meet socially, and it was a pleasure to make his acquaintance. He said he would be glad to come back next year and give a new and better entertainment. If he should return—he will be assured of a large audience.

Circumstances in the way of an unusually stormy night, and the holding of institutes, conventions, etc., which took people away from town, conspired against the first entertainment of the course, but in spite of all, a good audience was present, so that the management lacked only about four dollars of making expenses, which amounted to eighty dollars or more. The management is pleased with the hearty support received and believes it can do better next time.

New Furniture Factory.

Plans which have been on foot for some time culminated last week in the incorporation of the Newberg Furniture Factory, with a capital stock of ten thousand dollars, the incorporators being L. M. Parker, Earnest Hill and Clarence Butt, who are respectively, president, vice-president and secretary of the company. Other stockholders are L. S. Hill of Eugene, F. C. Horton, T. B. Duncan, C. K. Spaulding, C. B. Wilson of Sheridan, and F. A. Elliott.

The new organization is to absorb by benevolent assimilation the Star Manufacturing Company now engaged here in putting out furniture, and will proceed on a larger and somewhat different plan of operation. The immediate preparations for business, however, such as choosing a site and erecting buildings, are held up by the free switch proposition, which is still pending. It is the desire of the company to buy a site near the river and build in proximity to the sawmill, and the officers will proceed accordingly as soon as the switch is assured.

One of the officers says that while they will begin business with but three or four men, they will expect to have a dozen employed within six months. For a time at least it is their intention to restrict themselves largely to the manufacture of kitchen treasures for which there seems to be a heavy demand.

The organization of the Newberg Furniture Company marks another step in the industrial development of Newberg.

Most Cruel "Sarkasm"

Our friends in Newberg, either through a spirit of sympathy or of misery likes company, we don't know which, are very effusive in congratulations and comments, and some even grow poetical over the successful robbery of the Scroggin Bros. bank which occurred at an early hour one week ago Monday night. We people of Sheridan do certainly congratulate the good people of Newberg upon the fact that they did not lose their money, and while we were less fortunate than they, we feel that we have something upon which we are to be congratulated. First, that notwithstanding the fact that the safe was completely demolished and its contents carried away by the robbers, Scroggin Bros. will be doing business again in a few days as soon as repairs can be made, and not a

depositor will lose a cent. And further, that in less than ten minutes after the explosion occurred, we had one man with moral courage enough to take his winchester and in a manner that indicated business, was pumping lead at the fleeing robbers.—Sheridan Sun.

Social Amenities by Phone.

A gentleman in the country called up central on the telephone the other day, and found the "line busy"—two ladies were conversing. They were arranging for a church social. It was just 35 minutes by the man's watch before the conversation ended. At another time this same man called at a neighbor's and asked to use the phone. When he rang for central six receivers came down, one at a time. He couldn't hear what the lady he called for had to say and remarked to the lady of the house, "Some one is listening to the conversation." "Yes," replied the lady, "I'll bet it's that Mrs. Blank; she's always listening when others use the phone." "You're a liar!" came loud and distinct over the wire, and a receiver was hung up with a slam.

The New Speaker.

If you are one of those who have regarded "Uncle Joe" Cannon, the new speaker of the house, as a rough and ready old farmer without much social grace or inclination to acquire it, you have an agreeable surprise coming to you. For Mr. Cannon has taken a handsome house, 1014 Vermont avenue, and purposes to restore his high office to its social preeminence. His home will be presided over by his daughter, a lovely and accomplished woman well fitted to adorn any social circle. The home of the Cannons in Danville, Illinois, is one of the most substantial and comfortable in the town, and a handsome place withal.

"Uncle Joe" is not one of the statesmen who are also millionaires, but he has a tidy competence laid by, and he enjoys life thoroughly, too. Most of all, he enjoys his work. And in this respect he does answer pretty closely to the "hard-headed old western farmer" description. He is keen and practical, has strong likes and dislikes, but is noted for his sense of fair play. He won't use the vast power his new office gives him to punish his political foes, but to get the best results for the country, as he understands them.—From "Affairs at Washington," in November National Magazine.

Portland and Return Only \$1.05.

The Southern Pacific Co. is now selling round trip tickets to Portland from Newberg for \$1.05, good going Saturday or Sunday, returning Sunday or Monday, giving all day Sunday and Monday in Portland. The same arrangement applies from Portland, giving Portland people a chance to visit valley points at greatly reduced rates.

He Had Tried It.

Tommy (inquiringly)—Mamma, is this hair oil in this bottle? Mamma—No! That's glue. Tommy (nonchalantly)—That's why I can't get my hat off.

New Clothing

Our new stock of clothing is in. Make selections while the stock is fresh and full. We have made selections to meet the increasing demand for high grade clothing. They are tailor made and best in the trade.

The Boy Wants a Knife

The knife goes with each boy's suit. The suits are first class; knife just thrown in. These prices are on high grade goods:

Boys' Norfolks, \$3.50 to \$5.00.

Boys' Josies, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

HODSON BROS.,

Clothiers and Furnishers.

Special Offer

OF

WATCHES AND CHAINS

DURING NOVEMBER

We will give FREE with the first 24 gold watches we sell 12 FINE GOLD CHAINS.

Six Ladies' Chains at \$3.50, \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.75, \$2.75, \$2.00
Six Gents' Chains at \$4.00, \$2.60, \$2.50, \$2.25, \$2.00, \$2.00
Amounting at the regular price to \$32.85.

Each purchaser is allowed to draw from a stack of 24 envelopes, 12 of which contain number cards, and the lucky purchaser is entitled to the chain bearing the number on his card. But do not think this is a blind to cover up an extra charge on the watches. We have our prices down, and we stand by them.

Below are some of our Bargains in Gold Watches:

18 Size, 15-jeweled Elgin movement in a 20-year open face case.....	\$13 50
16 Size, 7-jeweled Waltham movement in a 10-year hunting case.....	11 50
12 Size, 7-jeweled N. Y. standard movement in 20-year hunting case.....	10 50
Ladies' 6 size, 7-jeweled Elgin or Waltham movement in 20-year Fahy case.....	12 00
Ladies' 6 size, 7-jeweled Elgin or Waltham movement in 20-year Boss case.....	15 00

We have enumerated only a few of our bargains. Call and see them while in the city and take advantage of our offer.

HEACOCK & HEACOCK,

Jewelers and Opticians. Newberg, Oregon.

Stepped Against a Hot Stove.

A child of Mrs. Geo. T. Benson, when getting his usual Saturday night bath, stepped back against a hot stove which burned him severely. The child was in great agony and his mother could do nothing to pacify him. Remembering that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, she

thought she would try it. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Kellar, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts, bruises and sprains. For sale by C. F. Moore & Co.