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Judicial Commentators

CIVIL CASES DECIDED

County Judge Hale has handed down decisions in the two civil cases that were argued before him at court in both cases judgment being affirmed with costs.

Benjamin Butterfield, respondent v. Frank Redlich, appellant. An action tried before Joseph F. Hale, county judge, who rendered a judgment in favor of plaintiff and against defendant for \$18 and costs for the alleged conversion of the proceeds of a cow.

The defendant was a tenant on the farm of plaintiff and plaintiff would have been liable for the cow if he had a chance, and defendant in the case of a sale to either of them over. Defendant sold the cow, but used the proceeds for his own purpose. He offered no evidence on the trial as to the facts above.

It is held that the facts above do not constitute a conversion on which the court finds against him. Both parties realize the situation. Mr. Redlich represented the plaintiff and Mr. Butterfield the defendant and the court is satisfied that the facts above do not constitute a conversion on which the court finds against him.

Henry R. Smith, appellant v. Alexander McElvany, and Leonard Dean, respondents. The other case. The parties reside at Hyattsville, and the suit was brought to recover for the alleged conversion of a part of a cow. There was a question of fact as to the ownership of the cow, which the justice decided against the plaintiff, which decision is upheld by the county court. Mr. H. D. Ellsworth represented the plaintiff and appellant on the appeal and John R. Keeler the defendants and respondents.

Major H. D. Ellsworth for the defendant has taken an appeal of a question of law in the case of Thomas N. Madill v. Lester White, tried before Abraham H. Wiggins of Clinton, who rendered judgment for plaintiff for \$40 damages and \$10 costs. The action was brought to recover for false representations in reference to a horse. Geo. H. Hovers represented the plaintiff and respondent.

NOTES OF PEOPLE AND PLACES.

Various Happenings of Interest to Northern New York

The sixteen month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Middlemiss fell from a window in the second story of Madison block on South Water street, last week in going home. The child was alone in the front room of the flat and crossed up onto a seat in the bay window and was looking down at its little brother who was at play on the sidewalk below. Leaping out for the infant, the mother fell and fell to the sidewalk. Miraculously escaped injury and was sitting upon the walk when person in the street saw her.

At a special term before Judge Kellogg in Ogdensburg last week an action was heard for a judicial construction of the will of Giles T. Hall of Norwood, deceased. The main question involved is as to the ownership and control of \$200,000 worth of government bonds in the hands of the trustees to be held by them until January 1st, 1927, absolutely, and then to be paid to Charles E. Hall, Mrs. W. Hall if living, or to the survivor should one of them die. Should both die prior to that date, then the same to be paid to certain relatives and niece named in the will. It is claimed that this trust provision offends against the statute of perpetuities, for the reason that it may suspend the ownership of personal property beyond the lives of two beneficiaries in being at the time the testator died.

John Hourihan arrived in Malone last week from the town of Brasher, St. Lawrence county, looking for a stolen horse. A week ago a man got a horse and buggy from him to drive to St. Regis Falls. He did not return but went to Malone and sold the horse to Willie Hodge, leaving the buggy and harness at the American house, saying they were not his. He then returned to St. Regis Falls. Hourihan spent the day here trying to get a warrant for the man's arrest, but both Police Justice C. C. Earle and Justice of the Peace M. H. Burns, seemed to think the case was out of their jurisdiction. The matter was referred to the district attorney for his opinion.

PITH AND POINT.

Gossip has wonderful acoustic properties. Did you ever know any one to buy a wedding present cheerfully? Most any girl can tell her own fortune many years hence by looking at her mother.

Who other people take it easy they appear to have a lot better time than they are actually having.

People who have consideration are like those who get big salaries—they hear about lots of them, but know mighty few.

In trying to decide what is easiest in this world we have come to the conclusion that it is killing some other fellow soft to worry.—Athletion Globe.

DAVID F. HENDERSON.

David F. Henderson, an aged and respected citizen, died at the family residence at Hopkinton, on Sunday night, June 11, 1906.

Mr. Henderson's grandfather, David Henderson, came to Hopkinton with his family in 1814 locating about a mile south of Nicholsonville.

Some three years later his father, John Henderson, his son, married and lived here for a time and here David F. was born April 20, 1830.

During the first campaign meetings were held in every school district and Mr. Henderson with others often attended these meetings as speakers.

He has been in failing health many years and his death was not unexpected. For days there had been a gradual sinking away until finally at the stroke of the midnight hour he breathed the last without a struggle and he had passed to the "Summer Land."

He was buried in the cemetery at Hopkinton on Wednesday, June 13, 1906.

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SHORT STORIES

Chile's great cities, services more than one-half of its income from salt peter.

There are 180,000 Indians, besides the 6,518 in New York and the 77,018 of the "civilized tribes."

Lifelines were launched in service on 25th occasions on our coast last year and saved 519 lives. The fleet of life-boats numbers 285.

It has been figured out that the annual boat race between Yale and Harvard at New London costs each of the colleges \$1,000 a minute during the time the race is in progress.

"Mesmerism" is the latest word. It is the invention of Professor Charles Richet, president of the Society For Psychical Research of England. It means the science in embryo, hitherto known as "occult," "psychical" or "spiritualism."

The passenger rates across the Isthmus of Panama have been \$4 gold for first class and \$3 silver currency for second class passage. By the new tariff a first class passage is \$2.40 gold, while the second class is \$2.00 silver. These rates do not cover the charge for baggage, but remaining as here before, 3 cents and 20 per cent.

EDITORIAL FLINGS.

Speaking of a few perils, how about the annual race of "counters"—Atlantic journals.

If you only had as much money as Mr. Rockefeller what a lot of good you would do! Sumner the Journalist.

As for the time for holding an annual in the total ruin of the Delta war, it is a good idea.

It is a good idea to have a voter arrested, the only way to know if you are the greatest destroyer of jobs in the United States.

Washington Post. Such an assertion creates a strong suspicion that his birth was a brand mistake. Montgomery Advertiser.

That famous Cambon dinner in New York seems destined to be classed with the great feasts of all times. And its cost might make even a Lincoln an unkind look interested.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Clean Up Sale This Week AT COX'S.

Below We Mention Only a Few Bargains to be Found at This Sale.

- Mohairs, 50 inches wide, in Blacks and Blues. Worth 75c. yard, this week. 50c. Moneyback Silk, 36 inches wide. Worth \$2.00. This week. \$1.79. Fancy White Waisting. Worth 25c. yd. This week. 18c. Fancy White Waistings. Worth 35c. yd. This week. 25c. All Our Fancy Voles, that were 25c. per yard. This week. 18c. yd. All Our Fancy Voles, that were 15c. yd. This week. 10c. yd. 100 Yards All Linen Bleached Damask. Worth 75c. yard. This week. 50c. Dress Gingham. Worth 10c. yard. This week. 7c. yd. Ladies' Lace Lisle Hose. Were 25c. pair. This week. 19c. pair. Ladies' 50 Gauge Hose. Extra fine, four pairs in 10c. 50c. Box. Ladies' White Wash Belts. 15c. each. Plain and Fancy Curtain Muslin. 10c. yard. Best Apron Gingham. 6c. yard. Buster Brown Linen Collars. 15c. each. Ladies' Gauze Vests, Trimmed with Lace. 10c. each. All Dress Muslin at Special Prices. Remnants of Carpets, from 1 to 20 yards in a piece at Half-Price to Close Out. Couch Covers. \$1.50. Smyrna Rugs, Extra Good Quality. 98c. Madras Curtains in Reds, Blues and Greens. Worth \$2.00. This week. \$1.39.

JAS. A. COX. NOS. 5 and 7 MARKET STREET.

SPECIAL Hour Sale FOR THIS WEEK. THE LOCKWOOD STORE SATURDAY, JUNE 14th

We are showing this week a new and attractive line of Ladies' Silk Coats

- 9 to 10 O'clock A. M. A 25 Hardwood Window Screen at 15c. Ladies' Dri Flat Shoes, an advertised shoe at \$2.50, for only \$1.75. Box of 50 parlor matches for 3c. Decorated Dinner set 109 pieces \$4.97. Nickel plated Tawacite made from solid copper, highly polished only 79c. 10 to 11 O'clock A. M. Ladies' Wrappers \$1.25 quality at 90c. Children's Knit Vests 3c. Ladies' Lisle Hose, the 25c quality at 15c. Split Bamboo Fish Pole with cork grip, nickel plated reel holder for 79c. Decorated China Plate 3c. 11 to 12 O'clock A. M. Good Crash Toweling per yard 5c. 50 Palm Leaf Fans at 3c each. Mens Halbragan Underwear extra heavy at 25c. China Cup and Saucer at 3c. Set of 3 Knives, good quality of steel, worth 50c, for only 21c per set. Split Bamboo Fish Pole with cork grip, nickel plated reel holder for 79c. 7 to 8 O'clock P. M. Big sale of Ribbon, assorted colors and widths at 4c per yard. Fancy stock Collars 25c value, your choice of this lot at 2c each. Big drive in Ladies' Fast Black Hose, double heel and toe, 27c. Fancy Parlor Slippers worth \$12.99 for only \$7.49. Good House Broom 19c. Hand Lamp 17c. Can let quality Press 7c. Cake Tole Soap 1c. 8 to 9 O'clock P. M. Crane's Fine Writing Paper 20c. quality for 10c a quire. XXX White Envelopes 7c. Box Paper and Envelopes 7c. Bound Books 10c. 12 mos. 10c. Ink, Blue, Violet or Green 3c. Fine value in Lace 50 quality 25c. Introduction sale of our Fine Japan Tea. To each customer between 8 and 9 o'clock p. m. buying one pound of our Japan Tea at 40c, we will sell from 1 to 12 pounds Best Granulated Sugar at 5c. pound. 1 to 2 O'clock P. M. Baby Bonnets in white and colors, regular 25c goods at 15c each. Fine Valencia Hammock for 90c. Mens Fine Light Colored Negligee Shirt \$1 value at 40c. Mens Heavy Cotton Sox at 5c pair. 6 inch White China Plates at 1c each. Retained Wash Dish each 6c. Jagged Dust Pan Dish each 5c. 2 to 3 O'clock P. M. Celluloid Dressing Combs each 5c. Shell Hair Pins per dozen 5c. Black Enamelled Hair Brush with White Bristles 5c. Mens Work Shirts 18c. Mens Cotton Pants 39c. Tack Hammer 5c. Decorated Toilet Set 6 pieces \$1.60. 3 to 4 O'clock P. M. Ladies' Pants, the 27c Jersey style, lace trimmed 17c. Boys Corduroy Pants 29c. Ladies' White Shirt Waists at 79c. Ladies' Girdle Corsets at 29c. Nickel Plated Knives, the 10c packages, at 5c. Warranted Pocket Knives at 39c. Nickel Plated Shavers 19c. Glass Water Pitcher left over from our sale 10c. Decorated Night Lamp 9c. 4 to 5 O'clock P. M. Copper Nickel Plated Tea or Coffee Pot for 45c. Copper Bottom XX Tin Wash Boiler 90c. Ladies' Black Merceriall Shirts, were \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, your choice at \$1.99. Ladies' Enamelled Shoes the \$2.50 style at \$1.49. Big sale of Ribbon, assorted colors and widths at 4c per yard. Fancy stock Collars 25c value, your choice of this lot at 2c each. Big drive in Ladies' Fast Black Hose, double heel and toe, 27c. Fancy Parlor Slippers worth \$12.99 for only \$7.49. Good House Broom 19c. Hand Lamp 17c. Can let quality Press 7c. Cake Tole Soap 1c. 8 to 9 O'clock P. M. Crane's Fine Writing Paper 20c. quality for 10c a quire. XXX White Envelopes 7c. Box Paper and Envelopes 7c. Bound Books 10c. 12 mos. 10c. Ink, Blue, Violet or Green 3c. Fine value in Lace 50 quality 25c. Introduction sale of our Fine Japan Tea. To each customer between 8 and 9 o'clock p. m. buying one pound of our Japan Tea at 40c, we will sell from 1 to 12 pounds Best Granulated Sugar at 5c. pound.

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