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**COURT PROCEEDINGS.**

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bill.  
Commonwealth vs. Frank Ruch. Charge, assault and battery. Not a true bill. Prosecutor Harry Vandermark to pay the costs. Court sentenced Harvey Vandermark to pay costs of prosecution and give bail to Sheriff.

Commonwealth vs. Thos. Reese. Charge, embezzlement. A true bill.  
Commonwealth vs. Wm. Troy. Charge, fornication and bastardy. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. T. J. Vanderlice. Assault and battery. A true bill.  
Commonwealth vs. Amos Yost. Charge, larceny. A true bill.

J. H. Place vs. Berwick Store Co. Petition for rule on plaintiff to show cause why security should not be entered for costs or non-suit. Rule granted.

Commonwealth vs. Bateman D. Carey et al. Charge, larceny. Nolle pros. allowed.  
Commonwealth vs. Gensel. Charge, malicious mischief. Continued.

Commonwealth vs. Harriet Jones. Charge, anonymous letter writing, etc. Continued.  
Commonwealth vs. Frank Parks. Charge, assault. Nolle pros granted upon payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. Chamberlain. Charge, desertion and non-support. Continued to May 11, 1901.  
Commonwealth vs. John Fry. Charge, f. and b. Continued. Recognizance forfeited, to be respited on appearance of defendant at next sessions.

Estate of Daniel Troy. Order of sale granted.  
Estate of Daniel Troy. Petition of heirs and guardian for appointment of trustee to fill vacancy caused by the death of Daniel Troy. C. C. Yetter appointed trustee. Bond approved.

Estate of Jackson Karns. Auditor's report confirmed nisi.  
In the matter of the petition for a county bridge at Millville, which was confirmed nisi at the February term and approved by the Grand Jury, a petition was presented for a re-view.

**TUESDAY.**

Mahala Kraig, administrator of Susan Cooper, deceased, vs. C. B. Jackson, executor of Daniel Miller, deceased.

D. R. Coffman was appointed Court Crier Room No. 2.  
The jury in the above case, which was heard before Judge Dunham, was dismissed until July 8, 1901.

Commonwealth vs. Thomas Reese. Charge, embezzlement. Defendant pleads not guilty, but afterward changed it to that of guilty. Wm. C. Johnston, Esq., was appointed by the Court to act as defendant's coun-

sel.  
In this case the defendant was charged by C. B. Ent with having stolen about \$15 from him while employed at the Hotel Ent stables, in February last. The young man had been confined in the county jail for nearly three months, and as he was subject to epilepsy the Court suspended sentence.

Commonwealth vs. Amos Yost. Charge, larceny. Defendant pleads guilty. Court sentenced defendant Amos Yost to restore goods and chattels to their owner, the Berwick Store Co., if he had not already done so, pay a fine of \$50, undergo imprisonment in county jail for sixty days.

Commonwealth vs. T. J. Vanderlice. Charge, assault and battery. Defendant enters plea of guilty.

Commonwealth vs. John Pisch. Charge, malicious mischief. Pleads not guilty. Interpreter Merago was called in this case. C. C. Evans, Esq., was appointed by the court to act as counsel. Defendant entered plea of guilty. Pisch was arrested recently at Centralia for breaking down a porch and fence with an axe while drunk and entering a building forcibly. Court sentenced defendant to pay costs of prosecution, a fine of \$25, undergo an imprisonment of twenty days in county jail.

Sallie Ann Crawford appointed guardian of Harry W. Young, a minor child of Calvin Young. Bond approved.

Petition of Sallie A. Crawford, guardian, to join in deed for sale of real estate. Petition granted. Deed acknowledged in open court.

The following bills were returned by the Grand Jury:

Commonwealth vs. Trego V. Milroy. Charge, larceny. A true bill.  
Commonwealth vs. Clyde Keefer. Charge, larceny. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Edward Snyder. Charge, larceny. A true bill.  
Commonwealth vs. Charles Jones. Charge, larceny. A true bill.

Three indictments were found against these four boys for the stealing of brass from the Reading Railroad Company in the vicinity of Catawissa, which covered a period of two years.

Commonwealth vs. Solomon Reed and George Wheeler, charged with breaking and entering a car with intent to commit felony, and also injuring and destroying car by burning. A true bill.

James Carter sworn and admitted as a citizen of the United States.

Estate of Anthony W. Davis, a lunatic. Petition for settlement and release for damages. Ordered that the petitioners join in the release as prayed for.

On motion of District Attorney Harman, Ralph Kisner, Esq., of Danville, was sworn and admitted as a member of the Columbia County Bar.

Commonwealth vs. Solomon Reed and George Wheeler. Charge, destroying car by burning, etc. Defendants entered a plea of not guilty. R. R. John, Esq. was appointed by the Court to act as counsel and C. A. Small, Esq., also assisted in that capacity.

The recent act of the Legislature, governing the selection of a jury was complied with in the following case. The new law in regard to this is that all jurors shall be agreed upon before entering the box.

The following named gentlemen were called and sworn separately: Charles Wenk, conductor, Harry Etlinger, B. F. Hannon, Wm. A. Pursley, J. D. Gauge, Wm. Reichelderfer, Wm. Metz, Charles Chamberlain, O. A. Stonge.

These boys boarded a freight train on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, near Newberry Junction, early in the morning of March 19, of this year, and in order to gain protection from the cold, broke the seal on the door of a box car containing several barrels of whiskey. They proceeded to sample the liquid and in a short time became intoxicated. One of them lit a match and threw it in one corner of the floor, where it ignited a lot of inflammable material. Not until the train was near Grovania did the crew discover that the car was on fire and by that time it had gained such headway that it was utterly impossible to save it. The loss, car and contents, aggregated about \$3,000.

A motion to quash the indictment was made by defendants' counsel at the conclusion of the evidence but was over-ruled. The jury returned a verdict of guilty with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court.

The sentence of the Court is that the prisoners pay the costs of prosecution, a fine to Common-

wealth of \$500 each, and that they undergo separate and solitary confinement at hard labor in the Eastern Penitentiary for a period of four years; the sheriff to conduct them there within ten days and be allowed one assistant.

Commonwealth vs. Solomon Reed and George Wheeler. Charge, entering a car with intent to commit felony, etc. Nolle pros. allowed.

Grand Jury presented the following bills:

Commonwealth vs. Clark Doty. Charge, aiding prisoners to escape from jail. Adam Clayberger prosecutor. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Clark Doty. Charge, rescuing prisoners, etc. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Clem Nugent. Charge, Assault and battery. Emma Richards prosecutrix. A true bill. Settled.

E. C. Mensch vs. Charles Hughes. Petition of defendant to pay amount of judgment into court and rule to show why judgment should not be satisfied filed. Rule granted on plaintiff to show cause why he shall not accept the amount of debt, interest and costs exclusive of attorney's fee. Returnable first Monday of June.

Commonwealth vs. Trego V. Milroy, Edward Snyder, Clyde Keefer and Charles Jones. Charge, larceny. Nolle pros. allowed as to Clyde Keefer. Defendants Milroy, Snyder and Jones plead guilty.

Court sentenced defendants Milroy, Snyder and Jones to pay costs of prosecution, restore goods or the value thereof, pay a fine of \$50 each, undergo imprisonment in the county jail for sixty days, stand committed, etc. The court was disposed to act leniently with the young men and only passed sentence upon one of the indictments. Sentence on the remaining two indictments was suspended.

Grand Jury presented the following bills:

Commonwealth vs. Casper Rhawn. Charge, assault and battery. Not a true bill. Prosecutor John McCloskey to pay costs of prosecution, give bail to sheriff for payment of same, stand committed, etc.

Commonwealth vs. John McCloskey. Charge, assault and battery. Not a true bill. Prosecutor Casper Rhawn to pay costs.

Court sentenced prosecutor Casper Rhawn to pay costs of prosecution, give bail to Sheriff for payment of same, stand committed, etc.

Recognition of Charles Chamberlain in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at next term of court.

**WEDNESDAY.**

In the absence of court crier J. S. Williams, D. R. Coffman acted in that capacity.

C. A. Shuman vs. Jacob Hinderliter et al. Sci. Fa. judgment in open court against terre tenants for want of appearance and against Jacob S. Hinderliter as upon proclamation.

Commonwealth vs. Solomon Reed and George Wheeler. Charge, destroying car by burning, etc.

Commonwealth vs. George Force. Charge, larceny. Defendant pleads not guilty. Myron T. Edwards, prosecutor. Motion made by defendant's counsel to quash the indictment. Motion overruled. The defendant is charged with having stolen five or six wagon plank from M. Edwards, on or about the 13th of last February. Messrs. W. C. Johnston, Esq., and S. B. Karns, Esq., appeared for the defendant and District Attorney Harman and Harry Stees, Esq., for the Commonwealth. The case went to the jury shortly before the noon adjournment.

In the matter of the lunacy of Elizabeth Zeisloft the following jury of inquest was empaneled: John Cadman, E. B. Cotner, M. A. Comstock, J. B. Welliver, Elliott Lemou and V. P. Eves. The matter was heard before Judge Kurtz this afternoon in Court Room No. 2.

Grand Jury returned the following bills:  
Commonwealth vs. Chas. Horn and Robert Horn. Charge, assault and battery. A true bill.

The jury in the case of the Commonwealth vs. George Force returned a verdict of not guilty, the county to pay the costs.

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY NEWS**

The best news of the Presbyterian General Assembly, which will be held in Philadelphia beginning May 16 and continuing about ten days, will appear from day to day in "The Philadelphia Press."

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