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The following is the decision rendered by Judge
Grier in the case of Roberts vs. the United States
in the United States Circuit Court at Philadelphia,
1890. The case was argued three days by Charles
M. Keller of New York, H. S. Lucas and C. A. Pur
viance of Pittsburgh, for defendants, and George
Hasting of Philadelphia, and George H. Christy of
Pittsburgh, for plaintiff.

OPINION OF JUDGE GRIER.
As I write with diffidence I can only state the con
clusions to which my mind has come after a careful
examination of this case.

The complainant has exhibited a patent dated
22d of April, 1888. This is prima facie evidence of
a good title, and puts on the respondent the bur
den of proof that the patent is void or voidable.

I need not repeat my remarks in the case of third
year vs. Day (2 Wall, C. C. Reps; 250.) but now
adopt them as affording a rule of decision which ap
plies clearly to the present case.

As the infringement of the patent is admitted,
the only question will be as to the validity of com
plainant's patent of April 22, 1888.

"It was after speculation had been reduced to
practice," and after repeated experiments, that the
complainant succeeded in overcoming the prejudice
and ignorance of the people on the subject, and
persuading the public to purchase his Torpedoes
after he had established his great utility, and value,
and "when the genius and patient perseverance, in
spite of sneers and scoffs," were completely suc
cessful, that he, who had no real or undue experi
ments on the same subject, and was unsuccessful,
infringed that he had the best right of invention,
and after purchasing one or more Roberts' Torpedoes,
he applied on the 1st of November, 1889, for
a patent for substantially the same, containing
descriptions of devices and claims contained in com
plainant's patent. On the 15th of the same month the
respondent formed themselves into a company or
corporation called "The Red Torpedo Company,"
for the purpose of pirating the complainant's in
vention, and supporting the expense of litigation,
and thus defrauding him of the fruits. They have per
sued, even after the preliminary injunction very
properly granted by the District Judge.

Let a decree be entered compelling a perma
nent injunction, and a master appointed to make
an account according to the prayer of the bill.

K. C. GRIER, Judge.

NOTE.—The passage referred to by Judge Grier in
his former decision, 3 Wallace, p. 259, adopted as
applicable to this case was as follows:
"It is usually the case, when any valuable discov
ery is made, or any new machine of great utility is
invented, that the attention of the public has been
directed to that subject previously, and that many
persons have been making experiments and experi
ments. These experiments and discoveries may have
in some measure anticipated in their own nature
the possibility or probability of such discovery or
invention; many experiments have been successfully
made, and many have failed, yet nothing short of the
actual result. They have produced nothing benefi
cial. The invention was perfected by many depen
dent, but the complainant's patent, which is in
fringed, is the only one which is now in force."
"And yet when coming and patenting, we can
have at length succeeded, in a field of science and
art, some valuable invention or discovery, how
seldom is it followed by reward? Every one who
invents, while several others, besides him, are
making experiments on the same subject, and un
successful experiments who did or did not come very
near making a discovery now claims it. Every one
who can invent an improvement or vary its form,
claims a right to share the original discovery. We
and our successors, Morse, or Blanchard, or Wood
worth to prove that this is the usual history of ev
ery great discovery or invention."
"The present case adds another chapter to this
long and uniform history."—2 Wallace, C. C. Re
ports p. 259.

CAUTION.
The public is cautioned against employing any
at the regular authorized Agents of the Company,
since the Roberts' Patent cover the use of the
Torpedoes and all explosive materials for oil wells,
and the use of such materials by other parties is a
direct infringement of their rights. Any parties in
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Seyn.

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ITY.—H. H. THOMAS, Office and address, Man
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Assistant, A. A. Wood.

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ville, Pa. Assistant, E. C. Bestley.

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