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M. Keller of New York, H. P. Jones and J. A. Fur-
man of Pittsburgh, for defendants, and George
Harling 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 the case.

The defendant has exhibited a patent dated
20th of April, 1891. This is prima facie evidence of
a good title, and put it upon the respondent the bur-
den of proof that the patent is void or worthless.

I need not repeat my remarks in the case of Good-
year vs. Day (2 Wall. C. C. Rep. 125), but will
adopt them as affording a rule of decision which ap-
plies equally to the present case.

As the infringement of the patent is admitted,
the only question will be as to the validity of com-
plaint's patent of April 22, 1895.

It was after speculation and not after ex-
perimentation, and after repeated experiments, that
complaint succeeded in overcoming the prejudice
and ignorance of the people on the subject, and
obtaining the public that his invention was new,
and thus established its great utility and value,
and the right to its patent.

As the defendant's patent is admitted, the
responsibility for the expense of the litigation,
for the purpose of obtaining the defendant's in-
vention, and thus obtaining the expense of litigation,
is upon the defendant. They have per-
sisted, even after the preliminary injunction very
properly granted by the District Judge.

Let it be remembered for the plaintiff that a pre-
liminary injunction, and a Master appointed to take
an account according to the terms of the bill.

ROBERTS' TORPEDOES.

NOTE.—The passage referred to by Judge Grier in
his former decision, 2 Wallace, p. 229, 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 or great utility is
invented, that the inventor of the patent has been
careful to guard his invention, and that many
persons have been making researches and experi-
ments. Philosophers and mechanicians may have
in some measure anticipated in their speculations
the possibility of such discovery or
invention; but their experiments have been unsuccess-
ful. They have produced nothing beneficial,
and their discovery when perfected is truly be-
lieved to be the culminating point of many experi-
ments, not only by the inventor, but by many others
who may have profited indirectly by the discov-
ery, and who have been induced to try it, but it
is not until the inventor has secured a share of the
profit of the successful invention. It is when
speculation has been reduced to practice, when ex-
periment has resulted in discovery, and when that
discovery has been perfected by patient and con-
tinued experiments, when some new compound, art,
machine, or machine has been produced,
which is useful to the public, that the party making it
becomes a public benefactor and entitled to a patent."
and yet when genius and patient perseverance
have at length succeeded, in spite of sneers and
sarcasm, some valuable invention or discovery, how
seldom is it followed by reward. Every man of
the honor, who has endeavored to produce
something of this kind, has a share of the honor
of the successful inventor. It is when
speculation has been reduced to practice, when ex-
periment has resulted in discovery, and when that
discovery has been perfected by patient and con-
tinued experiments, when some new compound, art,
machine, or machine has been produced,
which is useful to the public, that the party making it
becomes a public benefactor and entitled to a patent."

"The present case adds another chapter to this
long and uniform history.—2 Wallace, C. C.
Reports p. 222

CAUTION.

The public is cautioned against employing any
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