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OPINION OF JUDGE GRIER

As I write with difficulty I can only state the reasons to which my mind has come after an examination of this case. The complainant has exhibited a patent of 25th of April, 1866. This is prima facie evidence of a good title, and puts on the respondents the burden of proof that the patent is void or worthless. I need not repeat my remarks in the case of year vs. Day, 11 Wall. 230, but I will adopt them as affording a rule of decision which applies clearly to the present case.

As the infringement of the patent is admitted the only question will be as to the validity of complainant's patent of April 25, 1866.

I was after application had been refused to practice, and after repeated experiments the complainant succeeded in over coming the objections and ignorance of the people on the subject, and restoring the public that his invention gave value after he had established its great utility and value when his genius and patient perseverance, in spite of sneers and scoffs, were completely successful, the Respondent who had before made experiments on the same subject, and was unsuccessful, and after purchasing one or more complainant's patents, he applied on the 1st of November, 1866, for a patent for substantially the same combination of devices and machine contained in complainant's patent. On the 13th of the same month the respondents formed the same into a company, corporation called 'The Red Torpedo Company' for the purpose of paying the complainant's invention, and supporting the expense of litigation, and thus defrauding him of the fruits. They have served, even after the preliminary injunction was properly granted by the district Judge.

Let a degree be entered for complainant for a patent infringement to the prejudice of the Respondent according to the prayer of the bill.

M. C. GIDLER, Judge.

NOTE

The passage referred to by Judge Grier in his former decision on Wallace, p. 299, adopted as applicable to this case was as follows:

It is usually the case, when any valuable discovery is made, or any new machine of great utility is invented, that the attention of the public has turned to that subject, previously, and that persons have been making researches and experiments. Philosophers and mechanics may in some measure anticipate in their speculations the possibility or probability of such discovery; many experiments have been successively tried, coming very near, yet falling short of the desired result. They have produced nothing practical. The invention when perfected may be said to be the culminating point of many experiments, not only by the inventor, but by many others. He may have profited indirectly by the successful experiments and failures of others, but gives them no right to a share of the honor or the profit of the successful inventor. It is no speculation has been reduced to practice, when the experiment has been perfected by patient and continued experiments, when some new compound, manufacture, or machine has been thus produced which is useful to the public, that the party making 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 scoffs, some valuable invention or discovery, he seldom is it followed by reward! Every job of the inventor, while speculators, swindlers, and party-takers rob him of the profits. Every unsuccessful experimenter who did or did not come near making a discovery now claims it. Every one who can invent an improvement or vary its form claims a right to praise the original discovery. He need not summon Morse, or Blanchard, or Woodworth to prove that this is the usual history of every great discovery or invention.

The present case adds another chapter to the long and uniform history. — Wallace, 11 Wall. 230, p. 299.

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