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**OPINION OF JUDGE GREIER**  
As I write with difficulty I can only state the conclusions to which my mind has come after a careful examination of this case.  
The complainant has exhibited a patent dated 25th of April, 1865. 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 Wood v. Day (2 Wall, C. C. Rep. 229.) but now adopt them as affording a basis 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, 1865.  
I was after speculation had been reduced to practice, and after repeated experiments that the complainant succeeded in over coming the prejudice and ignorance of the people on the subject, and persuading the public that his invention was an affair he had established its great utility and value, and when his genius and patient perseverance, in spite of sneers and scoffs, were completely successful, that Reed, who had before made experiments on the same subject and was unsuccessful, and after purchasing one or more complainant's torpedoes, he applied on the 11th of November, 1867, for a patent for substantially the same combination of devices and machine contained in complainant's patent; On the 16th of the same month the respondents formed the one into a company or corporation called "The New Torpedo Company," for the purpose of paying the complainant's invention, and supporting the expense of litigation, and thus depriving him of the fruits. This was done, even after the preliminary injunction was properly granted by the District Judge.  
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B. C. GREIER, Judge.

**NOTE**—The passage referred to by Judge Greier in his former decision, 3 Wallace, p. 229, supposed as applicable to this case was as follows:  
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