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THE TORPEDO PATENT SUIT

Roberts vs. Nicholas Geyer

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November 21, 1873. Bill filed and returned.

Subpoena and notice of application for preliminary injunction served.

December 13, 1873. Motion for preliminary injunction heard, and the Court being duly advised on the premises, the injunction awarded as prayed and decree filed.

January 14, 1873. Injunction issued, and on 20th day of January indictment served and by copy.

May 22, 1873. Rule issued for defendant to cause why attachment should not issue for contempt in violating injunction and duly served.

June 24, 1873. Rule for attachment in this case came on to be heard, and after argument of pro and con, the Court being fully advised on the premises, the Rule is made absolute, and the decree of the Court is, that the said defendant, Nicholas Geyer, be imprisoned in the common jail of Allegheny County for and during the term of days, and that he pay the costs of this proceeding.

June 24, 1873. Contempt issued.

The injunction in this case was for infringement of the Roberts' patent of No.—(called the Hamar case), for increasing the productivity of the well. The act of infringement for which the defendant, Alexandra Hamar in exploding torpedoes in wells being the same act of infringement for which Hamar was also committed in the case No. 2, member Term, 1868, as before stated.

The Court McKean, J., after delivering opinion in the Hamar case, proceeded to set aside Nicholas Geyer for contempt, and delivered the following oral opinion:

In the case of Nicholas Geyer charged with same offense, I am entirely satisfied that there is no fluid present in the Bens well at least. As I intended to the counsel in the course of the argument, the presence of fluid in the well, whether stirred or not, is an infringement of the patent, in breach of the injunction of the Court.

Mr Roberts, by his patent uses as one of the principal elements of his invention fluid tamping, wherever there is fluid sufficient in a well, at the time of the explosion of a torpedo, to operate tamping, when it gets there naturally. Thus, there artificially, his patent is infringed. This clearly the case in regard to the Bens well.

But Mr Geyer seems to have been misled Hamar, who told him that he merely wanted to make an experiment; and I do not think, this being the first time, that he ought to be very severely punished.

He also is adjudged guilty of contempt and ordered to pay the costs of this proceeding, and an imprisonment in the county jail for ten days. I hope this will be the last of this case, but if the matter comes to our notice again, we will be constrained to impose such punishment as will make the decree of the Court effectual.

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