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### SUPREME COURT.

### THE GREAT ERIE RAILROAD CASE.

OPINION BY CHIEF JUSTICE BLACK;

LEWIS, J., DISSENTING.

**Supplemental Opinion by Judge Lowrie.**

Attorney General vs. The Erie and N. E. R. R. Co. } In Equity.

OPINION.

BY BLACK, C. J.—This case requires us to give a construction to the charter of a private corporation. The frequency of such cases excites some surprise, when we reflect that an act of incorporation is and always must be interpreted by a rule so simple, that no man, whether lawyer or layman, can misunderstand or misapply it. That which a company is authorized to do by its act of incorporation, it may do; beyond that, all its acts are illegal. And the power must be given *in plain* words or by *necessary* implication. All powers not given in this direct and unmistakable manner are withheld. It is strange that the Attorney General, or any body else, should complain against a company that keeps itself within bounds, which are always thus clearly marked, and equally strange that a company which has happened to transgress them should come before us with the faintest hope of being sustained. In such cases, ingenuity has nothing to work with, since nothing can be either proved or disproved by logic or inferential reasoning. If you assert that a corporation had certain privileges, show us the words of the legislature conferring them. Failing in this, you must give up your claim, for nothing else can possibly avail you. A doubtful charter does not exist; because whatever is doubtful, is decisively certain against the corporation.

If loss or injury comes to any body in consequence of an ignorant disregard of this principle, it is not our fault. We have done all that in us lay to impress it on the public mind, and to warn corporations of the danger they might incur by disobedience. We enforced it to the utmost in *The Bank of Pennsylvania vs. The Commonwealth, Susquehanna Railroad Company vs. Quakers and Erie Railroad Company, The Pennsylvania Railroad Company vs. Canal Commissioners, The Commonwealth vs. The Franklin Canal Company,* and in several other cases. All our predecessors on this bench occupied the same ground. This doctrine is maintained by the Supreme Court of the United States, and in many States of the Union. Even in England, the justice and necessity of it are universally acknowledged and acted upon. But we do not mean to discuss the subject over again. The lawyer who is not already familiar with the numerous authorities upon it, to be found in every book of reports, will probably never become so; and the citizen who does not believe it to be a most salutary feature in our jurisprudence, would hardly be convinced though one rose from the dead.

Our duty in this case is, therefore, not a difficult one. If the words of the defendants' charter, understood in their ordinary sense, cover the acts complained of; or if there be a necessary implication of the power to do those acts, and nothing to forbid them, then this bill must be dismissed. But the defendants can take nothing at our hands by construction. We cannot, widen the limits set to their privileges, because they have found them inconveniently narrow. We have no more right or authority to stretch an act of incorporation than we have to make a new one. In either case, we would be usurping legislative power, and granting away from the State privileges which she has seen proper to withhold.

The bill complains—1st, That the Western terminus of the defendants' railroad is not where the act of incorporation requires it to be. 2d, That it is so constructed as to impede and obstruct the free use of certain streets in the city of Erie. 3d, That it also obstructs and impedes the free use of a public road laid out from Erie in the direction of Buffalo; and 4th, That the defendants have made a contract by which they have surrendered the control of their road to a foreign corporation.

1. The act of incorporation authorises the defendants to build a railroad *from the borough of Erie* to some point on the east boundary of the township of North East." The defendants' counsel insist that the word *from* should be taken inclusively, and that a road from any part of the borough to the proposed *terminus ad quem* is a compliance with the law. On the other hand, the counsel for the plaintiff insist that it must begin at the borough line, and not elsewhere. Our opinion is with the defendants on this point, but we think the argument on the other side, besides the purpose, since the terminus of the railroad is neither at the line of the borough nor inside of it. Coming from the east, it passes the east boundary of the borough at a distance of sixty rods south, and runs on about ..... rods further, in a direction precisely parallel with the south line of the borough; and there stops or connects with the road built by the Franklin Canal Company to the Ohio line. Certainly this is not a literal compliance with the act of incorporation. Making a road from a point selected by the defendants themselves sixty rods south of the borough, not coming within that distance of the borough at any place, is not making a road *from* the borough eastward. Is there anything in the peculiar circumstances of this case which will justify us in treating this infraction of the law otherwise than as we treat similar violations of duty when committed by companies? We shall see.

What I have said concerning the borough of Erie, refers to what it was when the act of incorporation was passed. In 1848, and before the defendant's work was made, its limits were extended so as to include the place where the terminus of the railroad had been fixed. At a still later period, the borough was incorporated as a city. But we are very clear that this alteration of the borough lines did not in the least change the rights or obligations of the railroad company. All laws must be executed according to the sense and meaning which they imported at the time of their passage. A line which did not exist until 1848, could not have been in the mind of the legislature in 1842. The modifications made in the charter of the borough left the defendants' charter just where it was before. The amendment of one is not to be taken as a supplement to the other. If ever the east boundary line of North East township" had been shortened or obliterated, or differently named by an act of Assembly passed in 1848, the defendants would have understood very well that their right to locate the eastern terminus on any part of the township line as it existed in 1842, was not thereby altered or taken away. The law commanded the defendants to begin their railroad at the borough of Erie as it then was, and that command is in full force notwithstanding the change which has been made in other matters.

Is this violation of the charter so trifling that we can overlook it on the principle of *de minimis?* The counsel of the company have not argued that it is—and certainly it is not. The place at which the terminus should be established being precisely and particularly designated by the act of incorporation, in words which rendered mistake impossible, all other places, whether near or far, are as surely excluded as if they had been expressly forbidden. If we cannot hold companies to a strict compliance with their charters, we cannot hold them at all. In some situations, (and, for aught we can see, this may be one of them,) the purpose and object of allowing the road to be built can be as completely defeated by a deviation of sixty rods as sixty miles. The directors must have thought that they could gain a point of great value to them by changing their terminus, or else they certainly would not have ventured upon it in the teeth of the law. And they must have been conscious, too, that the Legislature had some *important* reason for confining them to the borough, or else they would have sought and got an amendment to their charter.—This railroad was probably intended as an outlet to New York for the lake trade of Erie. It could not have been meant as a link in the connection between Buffalo and Cleveland, for there was not then any authority given to this company or any other to build a road westward from Erie to or towards the Ohio line. Its actual location puts it beyond the reach of the lake trade, being one hundred and ten feet above and three-quarters of a mile distant from the harbor. It connects itself there with a road to Ohio built in violation of law, and by a fraud which has already received its condemnation. By this means it has become part of a continuous line from New York to the West, carrying goods and passengers not to the borough of Erie, but quite around and past it. I mention this merely as showing that the proper scope of the law, as well as its literal words, has been

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WHOLESALE and Retail Dealers in *Silks, Fancy and Staple DRY GOODS*, Nos. 91 Market and 8 Union street, Pittsburgh. apr4

E. WHITEHOUSE,
FANCY SILK AND WOOLEN DYER AND CLEANER, No 7 ISABELLA St., near the Emmet Hotel, ALLEGHENY. mar4

Thomas M. Little,
WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER—Fifth street, between Wood and Market streets, opposite Iron City Hotel. All kinds of Jewelry made and repaired. [apl5:y

S. CUTHBERT.....S. L. CUTHBERT.
S. CUTHBERT & SON,
REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENTS, *No. 50 Smithfield street.* nov1

Card.
H. LEE, (SUCCESSOR TO MURRY & LEE,) WOOL DEALER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, for the sale of American Woolen Goods, No. 139 Liberty street. [my4

L. E. Heyward,
DEALER in BOOTS, SHOES, TRUNKS and LEGHORN and BRAID HATS, corner of Market and Liberty sts., No. 174 Pittsburgh, Pa. je14:y

BARR & MOSER,
ARCHITECTS—Offices: Philo Hall, No. 75 Third street, Pittsburgh; and east side of the Diamond, Allegheny. jy18:6m

BLOUTH & BRO., East Birmingham, manufacturers of Bar Iron, and small Iron of all descriptions, and make, also, the finest quality of Hoops, Rounds and Squares.
☞ Leave orders for Iron in the box, at the city Post Office. oct8

## BUSINESS CARDS.

J. C. ANDERSON,
No. 6 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
WHOLESALE Dealer in Foreign Fruits, Nuts, Spices, Confectionery, Sugars, Cigars, &c., &c. Raisins, Figs, Prunes, Oranges, Lemons, Limes, Dates, Citrons, Almonds, Filberts, Walnuts, Cream Nuts, Pea Nuts, Cocoa Nuts, Pine Apple Cheese, Sardines, Pickles, Sauces, Rock Candy, Vermicelli, Maccaroni, Olive Oil, &c., &c. apr20:1y

ENTERPRISE WORKS.
No. 136 WOOD STREET, 2 ND DOOR BELOW VIRGIN ALLEY.
*BOWN & TETLEY.*
IMPORTERS and manufacturers of CUTLERY, SURGICAL AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS, RIFLES, &c. We keep a general assortment of the above articles constantly on hand; together with a general variety of Fancy Hardware. Also, Guns, Pistols and Revolvers, Flasks, Horns, Shot Belts, Caps, Powder, Lead and Bullets; Bowie, Bird Hunting and Pocket Knives; Silver and Plated Spurs; Powder Kegs, Pocket Scissors, &c. Also, Trusses and Supporters.
Jobbing and repairing neatly executed.
RIFLES!—We are making Rifles of every description, to order, of the best material, and workmanship warranted. Orders received from the Mississippi River, will be filled with despatch. Hunting parties supplied at Wholesale prices. my15

Chandeliers and Gas Fixtures.
THE subscribers are opening at their new warehouse, NO. 109 FIRST STREET, between Wood and Smithfield, the largest assortment of CHANDELIERS, BRACKETS, PRINTS, and all articles connected with Gas Fitting, ever offered in this market. Having arrangements made by which they will be constantly in receipt of the latest patterns, they feel confident in being able to invite the attention of purchasers to their selection. We are determined to sell as low as any house in the West, and being practical Gas Fitters, can offer peculiar advantages to those desiring articles in this line.
We manufacture as heretofore to fit up buildings of every description for gas, water and steam.
Brass Castings of all kinds made to order promptly.
LONG, MILLER & CO.,
No. 109 First street.
mar22:y J. R. JONES.....J. C. BUCHER.

GEORGE BLETCHER,
FROM NEW YORK,
MANUFACTURER of the celebrated Gossamer Ventilating Wig, Elastic Bandages, and every description of Ornamental Hair, for Ladies and Gentlemen, 79 FOURTH STREET, between Wood and Market, Pittsburgh.
BLETCHER'S system enables Ladies and Gentlemen to measure their heads with accuracy.
FOR WIGS.
No. 1. The round of the Head.
No. 2. From ear to ear, over the top of the head to neck. No. 2.
No. 3. From ear to ear, over the top.
No. 4. From ear to ear, round the forehead.
No. 5. Forward from the top of the head only—a paper pattern, the exact shape of the bald part. [my4

New Coach and Carriage Factory!
JOHNSTON BROTHERS & CO.,
*Corner of Robeson and Belmont streets, Allegheny City,*
WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have commenced the manufacture of Carriages, Barouches, Rockaways, Buggies, Sleighs and Carts, in all their styles of finish and prices, viz:
All orders will be executed with strict regard to durability and beauty of finish. Repairs will also be attended to on the most reasonable terms. Using in all their work the best Eastern Shafts, Poles, and Wheel stuff, they feel confident that all who favor them with their patronage, will be perfectly satisfied that of their work.
Purchasers are requested to give us a call, before purchasing elsewhere.

## Pearl Steam Mill;

CANAL BASIN, ALLEGHENY CITY,
(NEAR THE RAILROAD STATION.)
FAMILIES will be supplied with our various grades of FRESH GROUND FLOUR,
By leaving their orders at the Mill or in our boxes at JOHN M'CLOSKEY & CO. They respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.
The previous business of each will be settled by themselves respectively. feb9

HARDWARE
FOR
Saddlers and Carriage Makers.
R. T. LEECH, JR.,
No. 121 Wood street,
Opposite George R. White's,
Also, Cloths, Damasks, Laces, Moss, Bent Stuff, Springs, &c., &c.

TEAS! TEAS! TEAS! AWORTH, the original and only importer in Pittsburgh of the best Congo Tea ever imported, is receiving a very large and choice selection of TEAS, which he is determined to sell at such prices and on such terms as will give the retailer profit in their sale the next city cannot beat. He most respectfully invites the ladies and gentlemen of this and the surrounding districts, without any hesitation, to call and satisfy for themselves which he sells subject to be returned, if they don't give satisfaction. The following are the prices:
Fine Congo, Imperial, Young Hyson, Oolong, Souchong, and English Breakfast, all of which have been carefully selected, and will be sold at 100 cents.
A. JAYNES, Pekin Tea Store,
jy21 No. 33 Fifth street.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Those who wish to get a neat and well fitting BOOT, SHOE or GAITER, will call at M'LAUGHLIN'S, jy18 99 Fourth street.

GRAFF, REISINGER & GRAFF,
MANUFACTURERS OF COAL AND WOOD COOKING STOVES, Parlor and Heating Stoves, Grate Fronts, Fenders, Wagon Boxes &c. &c. Warehouse No. 124 WOOD Street, above Fifth, Pittsburgh, Pa. jy24

STOCKING FACTORY,
*NO. 24 FIFTH STREET,*
Sign of THE OLD STAND.
WILLIAM DALY has returned from the Manufacturing Hosiery Districts of Europe, where he has purchased, for cash, a very extensive and well assorted stock of the best descriptions only of Stockings, Socks, Undershirts, Drawers, Gloves; also, new style of Children's and Misses' Fancy Stockings, together with his domestic stock of Pittsburgh Manufactured Hosiery. He will sell by wholesale or retail at New York Importers' prices.
WILLIAM DALY & CO.
Remember the place—No. 24, Sign of THE OLD STAND. my23

Removal.
PAUL KLEINER has removed his LITERARY DEPOT from No. 74 Third street, to Fifth street, opposite the Theatre, where he will be happy to see his former patrons, and all others desirous of purchasing any of the cheap Literature of the day. apr:1y

PEKIN TEA STORE,
BY A. JAYNES,
*No. 33 Fifth street, between Wood and Market, south side*
☞ Sold Wholesale and Retail.
Walter F. Marshall,
IMPORTER and Dealer in French and American Paper Hangings. mar8

## BUSINESS CARDS.

NEW CARPETS.
Spring Styles.
AT THE CHEAP CARPET WAREHOUSE, No. 82 THIRD Street.—We are now receiving and opening one of the largest and choicest stocks of Carpetings, Oil Cloths, Mats, Matting, Rugs, &c., ever exhibited west of New York. The stock has been selected with great care. Persons in want of any articles in our line, are respectfully invited to call and examine. Our assortment consists in part of the following, viz:
Royal Velvet and Brussels Carpetings;
Tapestry Brussels;
Aubusson Carpets;
Extra Imperial and Super Three-ply;
Patent Tapestry Ingrain;
Superfine and Fine Ingrain;
Worsted and Wool Carpets:
Wool and Cotton do
Venitian 2-4 5-4, 7-4, and 4-4;
Hemp Carpets, very cheap;
List and Rag do
White and Check Canton Mattings, 3-4, 4-4, 5-