



WAS THROWN FROM A TROLLEY CAR

Mrs. L. L. Potter Was Injured and Wants to Recover Damages.

THE ACTION IS NOW ON TRIAL.

Scranton Traction Company Is the Defendant and Alleges That Mrs. Potter Was Not Injured to the Extent That She Says She Was—Howley Case Will Go to the Jury Today.

Another trespass suit against the Scranton Traction company was tried yesterday. The plaintiff is Mrs. L. L. Potter and the attorneys are S. B. Price and J. W. Browning. Judge W. H. Jessup and Hon. E. Hand, esq., represent the company. Mrs. Potter is a resident of Green Ridge. Two years ago she was a passenger on a Green Ridge People's car, which jumped the track at Capone avenue near the corner of Third street. She was thrown out on her head and landed on the sidewalk. She was then 54 years of age, and claims she sustained concussion of the brain. She complains now of frequent headaches, numbness in her arms, falling vision, and neuralgia, also rheumatism.

Mrs. Potter was examined Tuesday evening in Dr. N. Y. Lee's office by Dr. Leet, Dr. O'Brien, Dr. Longstreet and Dr. Roberts. They were called by the defendant to testify to her condition. The four testified that she has no symptoms at present to show that she sustained any acute injury two years ago. Dr. O'Brien admitted that Mrs. Potter very likely had concussion of the brain as a result of her fall, but simple concussion of the brain is not a dangerous injury and persons affected with it recover soon.

The defendant defends on two grounds: first, that Mrs. Potter was not injured to the extent she alleges; second, that the accident was not the fault of the company, but was caused by boys who spread sand and small stones on the rails. The arguments will be made to the jury today.

In the replevin suit of Joseph Church against Wade M. Finn the jury found a verdict in favor of the defendant, but allowed Mr. Church \$12 damages for some neckties, whiplashes, and some dirt rickshaws which Mr. Finn admitted that he was not entitled to take. The replevin suit of John J. Howley against John L. Luce and the Scranton Knitting company will go to the jury today. The defendant's case was closed yesterday and Mr. Howley was on the stand giving rebuttal testimony. He maintained that Governor Waterhouse, the building and machinery to him, receiving only an electric motor and two other small articles.

DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS.

Elected by Four Companies at Dunmore Yesterday.

The stockholders of the Erie and Wyoming Valley Railroad company, Pennsylvania Coal company, Dunmore Iron and Steel company, and Dunmore Gas and Water company held their annual meetings at Dunmore yesterday and elected the following directors and officers:

Erie and Wyoming Valley Railroad Company—Directors, E. J. Thomas, G. M. Cullough, W. A. May, George H. Catlin, A. H. McClintock, George B. Smith, W. S. Thorne; president, George B. Smith; vice president, W. S. Thorne; treasurer, Henry Beyer; secretary, Morris B. Mead. Pennsylvania Coal Company—Directors, Samuel Thorne, George W. Quintari, Walton Ferguson, Joseph Ogden, John R. Platt, William H. Webb, Ambrose S. Hurlbut, George G. Williams, W. V. S. Thorne; officers will be elected in New York city.

Dunmore Iron and Steel Company—Directors, George B. Smith, W. S. Thorne, A. D. Blackinton, C. S. Farrer, Sidney Williams; president, George B. Smith; secretary and treasurer, Henry Beyer; assistant secretary and treasurer, J. T. Pear. Dunmore Gas and Water Company—Directors, George B. Smith, W. S. Thorne, C. S. Farrer, Henry Beyer, W. D. Decker, President, George B. Smith; secretary and treasurer, Henry Beyer; assistant secretary and treasurer, J. T. Pear.

WAY TO TRAIN ANIMALS.

Professor Norris Gives the Method That He Pursues.

The men who by some peculiar gift obtain such control over the lower animals as to make them obey their will, and who successfully train them to perform the wonderful feats shown in the ring or upon the stage, are comparatively few, and interest and curiosity regarding them is always great. One of these men, who has been uniformly successful in training animals, is Professor Norris, who is now in the city with his troupe of 100 performing Shetland ponies and dogs. He is a young man, only 20 years of age, quite modest and unassuming in manner and quite unlike the typical showman.

The marvelous power which he exercises over his four-footed stars has been attributed to mesmerism, hypnotism and like occult sciences, but he answers the question in one word—kindness. "Treat them with kindness, and you will find them always ready and willing to learn how to please you in return," says he. "A kindly-treated animal is always more tractable than one that is governed by fear of punishment." Professor Norris gave his first public exhibition twelve years ago, with a single dog, a small grey terrier, which he had taught a repertoire of fifty-six tricks.

The exhibitions will be continued for the balance of the week at Adams avenue and Mulberry street. Matinee this afternoon. Last night the tent was crowded.

TOM LEWIS HAS NO CLAIM.

So City Solicitor Torrey States in an Opinion.

City Solicitor Torrey has given an opinion on the claim of ex-Patrolman

Thomas V. Lewis, which states that his case is not parallel to that of ex-Patrolman Mills, and that he is not entitled to the salary he demands for three months in 1888. In what particular the cases differ could not be learned as City Clerk Lavelle, who received the opinion, refused to make it public until it first goes to council.

FUNERAL OF FATHER KILCOYNE.

It Will Take Place This Morning at 10:30 O'Clock.

At 10 o'clock this morning the funeral of the late Rev. Anthony P. Kilcoyne will be held. The remains will be brought to St. John's church, Fifth street, in a solemn and quiet procession. Interment will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery, Minoa. The dead priest was 37 years old; he was born in Newport, England, in 1859. His father died there when the priest was 5 years old and a year afterward the family came to this country and settled in Minoa. As soon as he was able to work he went to the coal breaker and from that to the mines, but he was of a studious disposition and his leisure time was spent with his books.

After a course in the public schools, he took up the study of the many advanced branches under the late Professor Jeremiah Hawker, who was then teaching a private school on the West Side. His intention was to devote his life to God and he entered St. Boraventura's college, Allegheny, N. Y., spending a year there. He then went to the Benedictine college of St. Vincent, at Latrobe, Westmoreland county, and in one year by hard study finished his classical course.

He studied philosophy and theology for two years at St. Mary's seminary, Baltimore, and returned to St. Vincent's college to prepare for ordination. Right Rev. John Moore, bishop of St. Augustine, Florida, adopted him into that diocese and he was ordained at Baltimore fourteen years ago.

After a vacation spent at home, he went to St. Augustin to become assistant priest in that parish, and he was then a vigorous young man of strong constitution. He was transferred next to assist the pastor of Jacksonville parish, and four years after ordination, he was made pastor of the parish of Fernandina.

Three or four times he was forced to come north from the torrid climate of Florida, and the last time he came home was two months ago. His condition became dangerous last Saturday when he lapsed into unconsciousness, which continued until his death at 10:30 Monday night.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Catherine Kilcoyne, to whom his death is a severe blow, and by the following brothers and sisters: Patrick, Michael, Mrs. Patrick Walsh, and Bridget, of Cedar avenue; and Thomas, of Duquesne. Father Kilcoyne was an intimate friend of Rev. Edward McGlynn, D. D., of New York. A telegram was sent to Bishop Moore yesterday morning.

DISTINGUISHED GUESTS.

Governor and State Officials of Maryland Spend a Few Hours in City.

The city was honored for a short time yesterday with the presence of Governor Lowndes and a distinguished party of Marylanders, including Judges McSherry, Fowler, Roberts, Russum and Sloane, General Shryock, the state treasurer, State Controller Graham, Hon. John Hubert, Colonel Edward Lloyd, J. H. Mitchell, J. V. Wadlow, Charles Weber, Jr., W. H. Forsythe, C. L. Bennett, Dr. George H. Rohr, William S. Noiding and Uri Townsend.

They reached here at 2:45 a. m. on the D. & W. from Buffalo in two special Pullman coaches. Breakfast was served until 8:10 a. m., when they left over the Jersey Central for Annapolis, where the governor had an engagement last evening.

Attorneys Cornelius Comegys and C. Reynolds Bedford, of this city, went to Syracuse Tuesday afternoon and met the party there, accompanying them to this city. They hoped to be able to induce them to stay over for a few days, but owing to the governor's appointment at the capital the best they could do was to stay until 8:10 a. m. At 6 o'clock the party finished breakfast and took carriages for a drive through the city.

Under the guidance of Messrs. Comegys and Bedford they were shown all that could be crowded into two short hours. The governor expressed himself as much impressed with the size and importance of Scranton and the very evident push and enterprise of her citizens. The whole party regretted that circumstances would not permit them to stay longer and become better acquainted.

INTEREST WAS NOT PAID.

Bondholders Take Action Against the Scranton Glass Company.

One of the biggest executions filed in this county of recent years was entered yesterday against the Scranton Glass company for \$75,000, by the Lackawanna Trust and Safe Deposit company, trustee for the bondholders. The writ was placed in the hands of the sheriff and a levy was made on the property of the Glass company. It will be sold at the next sheriff's sale of real estate. The debt is the principal and interest on \$75,000 worth of bonds floated by the company. The works are situated on Green Ridge street near Albright avenue and cover two acres of ground, with buildings, machinery, boilerhouses, offices and personal property. Interest on the bonds was not paid and hence the action of the bondholders through the deposit company, the trustee.

ANOTHER DIVORCE CASE.

The Brinks Lived Together Nine Years in Happiness.

Mrs. Hattie Brink, now of Dalton, but recently of Scranton, began divorce proceedings yesterday in court against her husband, Silas R. Brink, otherwise known as S. Riley Brink, and one Florence Ridgeway was named as co-representant.

The papers filed set forth that the Brinks were married on August 25, 1883, in the village of Damascus, Wayne county, where their parents resided. Brink's folks lived in the village of Hamilton not far distant from Damascus. For a period of three months they lived at Hamilton, then moved to Scranton, and lived here until April 9, 1892. Brink gave himself up to unlawful acts, and was so barbarous and cruel to his wife, as she alleges, that she had to leave him and she thinks on these grounds a divorce is due her.

First 1896 Tax Collected. Patrick McDonald, miner, Fourth street, Sixth ward, has the distinction of being the first man in the city to pay taxes on the 1896 duplicate. The new books had just arrived from the binder, when Mr. McDonald stepped in and paid for his assessment in full. The tax was given him and the amount, twenty cents, was handed over.

COURT DISSOLVED THE INJUNCTION

Argument on the Demurrer Will Be Heard at a Later Period.

CONTENTION IS TOO DOUBTFUL.

For That Reason Judge Edwards in His Opinion Puts an End to the Preliminary Injunction and Will Allow the Merits of the Case to Be Considered Upon Argument of the Demurrer at a Later Date.

Judge Edwards yesterday dissolved the preliminary injunction granted in the equity suit of the Barber Asphalt company against the select and common councils of the city. The company asked to have Clerk Hutton of the lower court, in Minoa, set aside the preliminary injunction granting to Dunn Bros. the contract for paving Monroe avenue. The court granted a preliminary injunction.

Three of four days later City Solicitor J. H. Torrey, representing the defendants, filed a demurrer holding that preliminary injunction had been issued in violation of the contract and for that reason it was too soon to invoke the aid of court of equity. The argument on the demurrer will come up in three weeks at the term of argument court beginning today.

The preliminary injunction which had been in force since Thursday, June 21, kept the select council from considering the ordinance for paving Monroe avenue. The dissolving of the preliminary injunction does not dispose of the case, but it enables the select council to proceed and consider the ordinance until such time as the demurrer is quashed or sustained. Judge Edwards in his opinion says:

OPINION IN THE CASE.

The contention in this case involves the action of the common council of the city of Scranton in relation to certain bids for the paving of Monroe avenue. On May 14, 1896, two bids were submitted to the council, one by Dunn Brothers and one by the Barber Asphalt company. While considering matters pertaining to the third bid, the council was advised by a vote of ten to nine adopted the majority report awarding the contract to the plaintiff. Before the council adjourned some of the members left the room, and after disposing of the eighth order of business, one of the councilmen, who had voted with the minority, moved to reconsider the action awarding the contract to the plaintiff.

Motions were then made and considered to lay the majority report on the table, and to adopt the minority report awarding the contract to Dunn Brothers. The apparent result of this councilman's suggestion was to nullify the earlier action of the council and to award to one firm a contract for the paving of Monroe avenue. The council was concerned, had already been awarded to another. The plaintiff maintains that the reconsideration, moved and second by members who had not voted with the majority, was irregular and contrary to the rules of procedure adopted by the council, and that the only legal action taken was the one awarding the contract to the plaintiff.

ASKED TO RESTRAIN.

We are asked to restrain the clerk of the common council from certifying the certificate of the council awarding the contract to Dunn Brothers, and to restrain the select council from receiving such certificate from the clerk and from acting upon it.

The defendants demurred to the plaintiff's bid on the ground that the bid does not set forth such facts as entitle the plaintiff to a standing in a court of equity; that the matters complained of are the interjectory proceedings of a legislative body and are not subject to correction by the court; and that the facts set forth, if true, do not constitute an injury in law.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

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Mount, and the sixth at Clark's Summit. William H. Swarts, of Madisonville, is chairman of the committee of arrangements for the Moscow institute; J. W. Case, of the Tomkinsville institute; G. N. Van Fleet, of the Wallville institute; J. W. Tiffany, of the Fleetville one; John Coon, of the one at Bald Mount, and William Streeter, of the one at Clark's Summit.

WILLIAM MONSEY DEAD.

Was Civil and Mining Engineer for William Connell & Co.

William Monsey, for twenty years civil and mining engineer for William Connell & Co., died at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning at his country home in Fleetville. He was able to work until a few days ago, then on June 10, he went to Fleetville. His death was in the nature of a surprise, notwithstanding that his health had been failing.

The funeral will occur this morning at 10:30 at Fleetville. Interment will be made at Benton.

Mr. Monsey was 72 years old, and was born in England. He came with his family to Scranton in 1870 and for six years employed by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company. Then he took charge of the surveying and engineering business of William Connell & Co. For many years he lived at Minoa.

Lately he had been residing with his daughter, Mrs. Mary Reynolds, at 216 Wyoming avenue. His widow and the following family survive him, Thomas, of Fleetville; Leonard and William, of New York; and Mrs. Beissie C. Niece, of New York; and Mrs. Reynolds, of this city. His death removes a man of refinement and education, and one who possessed noble qualities of mind and heart.

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COMMENCEMENT AT SEMINARY.

Annual Exercises at Wyoming Will Begin on Friday.

The annual commencement exercises of Wyoming seminary will begin on Friday. The following programme will be observed: Friday, June 12, 8 p. m., reception to seniors. Saturday, June 13, (on Wyoming field) 10:30 a. m., field day contests; 2:30 p. m., base ball game. Sunday, June 14—10:30 a. m., annual sermon by Rev. Bishop W. P. Malheux, LL. D., of Boston; 7:30 p. m., conference sermon by Rev. A. W. Cooper, A. M., of Hawley, Pa. Monday, June 15—8 p. m., musical soiree.

Tuesday, June 16—10:30 a. m., meeting of board of trustees; 2:30 p. m., prize speaking contest; 8 p. m., class day entertainment. Wednesday, June 17—9:30 a. m., commencement exercises; 12 m., commencement dinner; Judge D. L. Rhone, toastmaster; 2:30 p. m., anniversary address, by Rev. F. C. Ighichart, D. D., of Brooklyn, N. Y.

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PERSONAL. Mrs. F. H. Clemens is ill at Asbury Park. Andrew Summers, of Spring street, has gone to Atlantic City.

Assistant United States District Attorney David Cameron is in the city. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis, of Knightsville, Ind., are guests of Hon. and Mrs. D. M. Jones.

Attorney George B. Davidson will be toastmaster of the high school banquet on June 22. George A. Bennett, of Trenton, N. J., is visiting his brother, W. P. Bennett, of 1121 Mulberry street.

Alderman O. B. Wright was a witness in the Luzerne county courts yesterday. He returned home last evening.

Mrs. D. C. Jones, of Danville, has returned home after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. B. S. Harlan.

Bishop O'Hara, accompanied by Rev. D. J. Moondrill, of St. Thomas' college, visited Rev. H. A. McAndrew, of Wilkes-Barre, yesterday.

Miss Alice Louise Peck, of this city, won first prize last week, in the tennis tournament among the young ladies of the Fine Arts college, of Syracuse university.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peck are at Syracuse to be present at the graduation of their son, William Joseph Peck, who has been taking the classical course at Syracuse university.

William S. Rutledge, president of the Tourist club of Wilkes-Barre, is in the city at the St. Charles, in the interest of the Sunday excursions to Mountain Park via Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Frank Christian gave a theater party at the Frothingham last night which was attended by the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Connell, Mr. and Mrs. James Connell and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Christian.

Thomas P. Duffy, of Madison avenue, W. P. Sheehan and Joseph Jeffries, Scranton; W. J. Dickson, Avoca; Charles Bowman, Wilkes-Barre, and W. J. Glennon, of Pittston, who composed the graduating class in the Scranton branch of the Dickinson Law school and who went to the parent school to finish the year, have arrived home, each rejoicing in a sheepskin which entitles him to write LL. B. after his name.

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