

THEY DISOBEYED COURT'S ORDERS

JURORS IN ROSENCRANZ-LESH CASE REBUKED.

After Being Told by Judge Edwards That Under Her Own Testimony Miss Rosenkrantz Would Have to Be Convicted, They Returned Her Not Guilty and Placed the Costs on the Prosecutor—Verdict of Guilty Returned Against Jacob Erin—Other Cases Heard.

J. B. Lesh, the Ransom township warrior, who for years has been a conspicuous figure in the civil and criminal courts of this county, was the star figure in the proceedings before Judge Edwards in the main court room yesterday.

When court adjourned Wednesday afternoon H. S. Rosenkrantz, son of G. Judson Rosenkrantz, a neighbor of Lesh, was on trial charged with throwing stones at the ex-justice of the peace in defense of his action against Rosenkrantz said yesterday while on the stand that he was on his father's land and Lesh advanced toward him in a very threatening manner. To protect himself he threw stones at Lesh. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty and told Lesh to pay the costs. He escaped doing so through the medium of the insolvency act.

Three other Lesh cases against Rosenkrantz were at once called for trial. G. Judson Rosenkrantz, head of the family, was charged with pointing an old army musket at Lesh and his wife, Emma, and daughter, Kate, were charged with throwing stones at Floyd Lesh, son of the former magistrate, who is studying for the ministry. One of the stones hit him on the head and cut him.

All this trouble grew out of a dispute over the ownership of a piece of land in Ransom township. Father Rosenkrantz said he did not have a shot gun as alleged by Lesh. What he pointed was a dismantled air gun used as a toy by one of his children. His daughter admitted that they threw stones and that one of them hit Floyd Lesh. Judge Edwards in his charge said if the jurors believed Miss Rosenkrantz they would have to convict her.

Notwithstanding this instruction the jury returned the woman not guilty and placed the costs on Lesh. Father Rosenkrantz was also acquitted but directed to pay the costs. He was sentenced to that effect by Judge Edwards who refused to impose costs on Lesh because the jurors had seen fit to disobey his directions.

Youhavez Found Guilty.

John Youhavez was tried before Judge Edwards yesterday for keeping an unlicensed drinking place on Larch street, Dunmore. Complaint was made against the place by persons interested in the Presbyterian chapel on New York street which is only a short distance from Youhavez's house. County Detective Leyshon made an investigation and succeeded in buying liquor himself and also in finding a number of persons who had purchased liquor from the accused. They were on the stand yesterday.

The defendant denied having sold any liquor to Leyshon or any other person. He formerly conducted a licensed place on South Washington avenue but a year ago built a house on Larch street, Dunmore, for hotel purposes. He was not granted a license. The stock he had on hand when he moved to Dunmore he kept for the entertainment of friends who called upon him. He did not sell anything to any person. He earned a living by working in the mines. While on the stand Youhavez admitted that on July 13 he took out a license for which he paid \$25. This gained for him from the Federal authorities the privilege of selling spirits, etc. The case was submitted to the jury without argument by the attorneys. Nathan Vidaver appeared for the defendant and District Attorney Jones for the commonwealth. The

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CATARH OF STOMACH.

A Pleasant, Simple, but Safe and Effective Cure for It.

Catarh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; head-aches, irritable appetite, nervousness and a general played out, faint feeling. There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure of this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surface of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanston the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Glucose, Aspartic Pepsin, a little Nux, Glucon Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

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Sir Henry Thompson, F. R. C., M. B., London, in his lecture on the Preventive Treatment of Calculous diseases, states: "My belief, after a long and large experience of the employment of Carlsbad Water in this country, is that in most instances it is more useful than when taken at the spring itself." Sold by all druggists.

Jury returned a verdict of guilty after deliberating less than half an hour.

Bosak Burglary Case.

Before Judge Archbald yesterday the defense in the Bosak burglary case was heard. The testimony offered in behalf of the accused man was in brief as follows:

Constable Jesse Morris was seen going into the bedroom occupied by the defendants with a bottle of wine under his coat. He put it under a pillow and a moment later pulled it out, saying he had found it there. Neither of the defendants were out of their boarding house on the night of the burglary after 11 o'clock. The keeper of the boarding house locked the door after they came in and they could not go out again without awakening her. While on the stand the defendant denied having made the statement Constable Morris credits them with. They also denied having made threats against Bosak. The closing address to the jury was made by Attorney Lesh, O'Brien for the commonwealth and Attorney John P. Scragg for the defense. The case was given to the jury at 4 o'clock.

A Razor Was Used.

Payton Taylor, a colored man, was on trial before Judge Edwards who court adjourned yesterday on a charge of slashing the neck of Andrew Piny with a razor. The parties reside in Kelly's patch and the slashing was done one night last August. Attorney W. W. Baylor represents the accused and Attorney P. F. Loughran is assisting the district attorney to prosecute the case. One of the witnesses called was Mrs. Taylor, the white wife of the prisoner and the inciting cause of the slashing. She swore very positively that it was Julius Opawell who wielded the razor that narrowly escaped ending Piny's career. Mrs. Taylor practically knocked the bottom out of the commonwealth's case unless they have other important testimony to follow. Court adjourned for the day when she left the stand.

Saved Her Son.

Antonio Cardamoni, of Carlsbad, was acquitted yesterday by the jury before whom he was tried Wednesday on a charge of attempting to criminally assault Miss Lucia Cervi. The young man was directed to pay the costs. It was Cardamoni's mother who made such a sensational appearance in court Wednesday as the case against her son was about to be given to the jury. She was permitted to go on the stand and testify and what she had to say probably saved her son from conviction.

Erin Found Guilty.

Jacob Erin was yesterday returned guilty of having criminally assaulted Jennie Shimer, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shimer, of Northampton. The jury agreed early Wednesday night. The two cases against Grant Shafer, charged with similar offenses against the Shimer girl and Minnie Johnson, age 8 years, were yesterday afternoon continued until the next term of court.

Some Other Cases.

In the case of Patrick Flannely, of Full township, charged with selling liquor without a license by John C. Peck, a verdict of not guilty was taken and the prosecutor directed to pay the costs. District Attorney Jones says that since the indictment against Flannely was found, Peck, the prosecutor, has been indicted for robbery and has departed for parts unknown. He is supposed to be in Cuba with the United States army.

A Stuttering Prisoner.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean. A certain policeman who patrols a beat near Calumet avenue and Twenty-third street had not made an arrest in three years. It is a quiet neighborhood and really nothing of a riotous nature happens there. "Mike" said the captain one morning last week, "you've got to get to work, if you don't make some arrests pretty soon I'll turn you off the force." Mike left the station dejected and fully determined on arresting the first man he met. He overtook a very mild and unassuming gentleman who was

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Yesterday's Marriage Licenses. Charles M. Hollister, Moscow Anna Hahn, Scranton Nicolaia Fruelante, Sturmsville, Luzerne county. Angelina Musto, Sturmsville, Luzerne county.

INDUSTRIAL JOTTINGS.

The snow storm which raged through the coal valleys early in the week was quite fierce at and near Hazleton and interfered with the colliery operation thereabouts, several being compelled to cease work altogether. The Atkinson mine Santa Fe will test auto-motor coaches of two sizes to run from Flagstaff station to the Colorado Canyon. The wheels will be fitted with broad rubber tires, which will insure the ascent of hills and mountains with great ease. Gasoline engines furnish the motive power.

The tracks of the Jersey Central road on the Macadoo branch, near the main line, early in the week settled a distance of between four and six inches caused by a caving in of the underground workings of Trecklow No. 7 slope. A force of trackmen were put to work Wednesday and the tracks were raised to grade.

The Central Railroad company reports for the year ending Dec. 31: Gross earnings, \$1,187,570; decrease, \$25,502; operating expenses, \$8,098,313; decrease, \$108,258; net earnings, \$118,957; increase, \$1,855; other income, \$386,923; decrease, \$101,614; total income, \$5,712,482; decrease, \$26,758. Surplus, less charges and dividends, \$232,853; increase, \$16,116.

Several important changes among the inside mine foremen were recently made by the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company. John P. Jones, formerly foreman of No. 5 colliery, South Wilkes-Barre, becomes assistant general inside superintendent of all the company's collieries. Henry N. Martin, foreman at No. 9 colliery, Sugar Notch, succeeds Mr. Jones at No. 5. Assistant Inside Foreman Lewis Davis, at the Hottelback, succeeds Mr. Martin at No. 9. Wayne county's glassmaking industries are enjoying a period of prosperity. About 225 persons in all are given employment. Following is a summary of the condition of affairs at each plant: Dordring & Sons, at White Mills, and J. S. O'Connor, at Hawley, are unusually busy; T. D. Clark & Co., of Honesdale, have orders sufficient to keep their employees at work for several months to come; the Maple City Glass company is not far behind; Gibbs, Kelly & Co.'s force are working evenings to fill their orders, one large one being for the Stogie-Cooper company of New York city, while Krantz & Smith, the youngest plant, is being run to its utmost capacity.

QUEER ADVERTISEMENTS

Some Awkwardly Worded Notices Found in Newspapers. "No person," wrote an imaginative undertaker, "ever having tried one of these air-tight coffins of ours will ever use any other." This is supplemented by the truthful but discouraging advertisement of a dentist: "Teeth extracted with great pains." A western farmer advertises for a woman to "wash iron and milk two cows." An advertisement once appeared in a Washington paper for "a room for a young man 10 by 12."

This is an advertisement from the columns of an English court journal: "Blankets! Blankets! Blankets! For domestic and charitable purposes of every description, quality, size and weight." The following advertisement is from an Australian paper: "Wanted a young woman (the plainer the better) to help a small, genteel family in their domestic matters; one without ringlets preferred." An American paper published in Paris recently contained the following unique advertisement: "A young man of agreeable presence, and desirous of getting married, would like to make the acquaintance of an aged and experienced gentleman who could dissuade him from taking the fatal step."

Here is a specimen of domestic advertising from the columns of the London Times: "Mrs. George Ashton, 5 Victoria street, Westminster, takes this opportunity of thanking her numerous friends for their kind letters of sympathy on the dissolution of her marriage."

The court of Schloewitz-Holstein once issued the following curious notice: "At the request of Herr Peter Lohman of Altona, the seaman Dietrich Lohman, who was born in Kirchrohm in November, 1848, and was drowned on the journey from Stockton to Hamburg while sailing in the ship Bertha Jonny, is hereby called upon to appear before this court and report himself on or before Friday, Jan. 29, 1899, at 11 o'clock a. m. under pain of being declared dead."

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walking from the Illinois Central train. Mike placed him under arrest. The man, it turned out, stuttered dreadfully and was not able to make protest. Mike really knows so little about the law that he imagined he was within his rights in running anybody in. The next morning the pedestrian was brought up at the station. "What's your name?" roared Justice White, who had an attack of dyspepsia that morning. "Sis-est," stuttered the frightened lit-tle defendant. "What's your name?" demanded the justice, still more severely; "don't you trifle with this court, sir!" "Sis-est-est," stuttered the helpless man again. "Officer, what's this man charged with?" said the judge in disgust, turning to Mike. "I-I don't know, your honor," stammered Mike. "Soda water, I guess."

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Our little girl's humor commenced with a tiny sore on her cheek, but it kept on spreading till we thought she would never get it cured. We tried everything we could get, but it kept getting larger all the time, till both cheeks, the upper lip, a part of the lower lip, and up one side to the eye, were a solid sore. We thought there was no cure, and that she would be disfigured for life. Finally we tried CUTICURA REMEDY. We used CUTICURA Remedies and nearly a box of CUTICURA ointment, and in a short time she was entirely well, with no scar or trace of the humor. Mrs. W.M. CHESTER, Plainville, Ct.

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