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**JUDGE ARCHBALD'S SHARP REMARKS**

**DIRECTED AGAINST THE "CONTINUANCE" LAWYERS.**

He followed in the Footsteps of His Colleague, Judge H. M. Edwards. Practice of Lumbering the Trial List with Cases That There Seems to Be No Desire to Try Must Stop. McComb Divorce Case Will Not Be Heard in Public—Other Court Notes of Various Kinds.

Judge R. W. Archbald is presiding in the main court room during the third week of the March term of common pleas court. When he called the list of thirty-five cases arranged for trial this week, there was a rush by attorneys to secure the continuance of cases in which they are interested. So numerous were these requests that Judge Archbald spoke very sharply to the members of the bar along the lines followed by Judge H. M. Edwards a week ago. The practice of loading down the trial list with cases that the attorneys wish to place there on the list have apparently a desire to try must stop, Judge Archbald said, for it is seriously interfering with the work of the court.

Some of the cases the court was asked to continue yesterday have been on the list for several terms and each time application has been made for a continuance.

After the list was gone over yesterday it was found that only eighteen of the thirty-five cases on the list were ready for trial and that only three of these could be taken up yesterday. They were disposed of in a very short time and before the noon hour court adjourned for the day.

In the main court room the case of the Scranton Illuminating Heat and Power company against C. L. Rice was put on trial. It was an action to recover from Mr. Rice for light furnished. A verdict was directed by Judge Archbald for \$45.72, the full amount of the claim with interest.

In the action in assumpsit of George H. Diehl against Conrad Schroeder, a non suit was granted. No appearance was made on behalf of the plaintiff.

A verdict of \$1,258.84 was ordered for the plaintiff by Judge Gunster in the case of M. Butts against Mary E. Bird. It was an action to recover on a mortgage and judgment was given for the full amount of the claim.

The case of W. J. Barryscale against W. A. Gray was passed for settlement. Similar action was taken in the case of A. E. Tiffany against Francis Rivenburg.

**The McComb Divorce Case.**  
The divorce case of Mrs. Ida Eugenia McComb against John McComb will not be heard in public.

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**Street Ulsters**  
Of double faced (plaid back) rough chevrons. Tight fitting back and double breasted full straight front. The skirts of these "Ulster Coats" are 42 inches from waist to hem and are open front with tight back and hidden corners in front. Tailor-made and finished with strap-seams. The imported model is priced at \$65.00, these are \$19.98.

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**ISAAC LONG.**  
WILKES-BARRE, PA.  
APRIL 10, '99.

phant will be in town on Thursday evening, May 11.

**MEETING FOR CONVERTS.**  
Conducted by the Workers' Band at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms.

Many of the men who were persuaded to lead better lives by attendance at the Sunday afternoon meetings at the Lyceum, attended the "helpful" meeting conducted by Secretary Mahy and the members of the Workers' band at the Young Men's Christian association rooms in the Guernsey building last night.

Secretary Mahy introduced the speakers and the members of the Workers' band led in prayer and singing. E. D. Soper, the state college secretary of the association, told of the great work being done among the young men of the Pennsylvania colleges.

The address of the evening was made by J. G. Shepherd. He gave a beautiful description of the country round about the well of Sychar, where Jesus dealt with the Samaritan woman. He then spoke of the conversation recorded in the fourth chapter of John, and showed that God wanted to enter into the lives of men, and lead them to do His will. The disabling of a locomotive at the colliery where he is superintendent, by a small displacement in the throttle, which kept the power out of the cylinders, furnished him with an illustration of lives which are disabled, because the power of God is not in our lives. When that power comes we will grow, in faith, and clear vision, and power of testimony, and Christian service.

**MEGLASKI'S TURN NEXT.**

**Retaliation in Extremo Among Throop Residents.**  
Anton Meglaski, of Throop, was held in \$300 bail for his appearance at court by Alderman Kason Saturday, on a charge of larceny. Frank Cuppell, also of Throop, was prosecutor, and claimed that the defendant had stolen a watch from him during a melee in Throop Monday night, April 3. A watch which Meglaski was wearing when arrested was identified by Cuppell as being the stolen one.

Yesterday Meglaski was again defendant in a suit brought by Joseph Cuppell, brother to Frank, the prosecutor in the above case. The prosecutor alleged that the defendant had sorely beaten him on Monday night, April 3.

On Tuesday night, April 4, Meglaski was given a hearing before a justice of the peace in Jessup, charged with assault and battery. The Cuppell brothers were prosecutors. The defendant was held in bail and in default was committed to the county jail. He got out Friday last by securing bond. He then went before Alderman Howe and furnished information for the arrest of the Cuppell brothers, charging them with assault and battery. They were arrested and after a hearing were held in \$400 bail each. This game of "you arrest me, I'll arrest you" is up to Meglaski's now.

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