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THE FIRST DAY OF COMMON PLEAS TERM

NUMBER OF CASES DISPOSED OF IN VARIOUS WAYS.

Those That Were Settled and Stricken Off the List—As Usual. Applications for Continuances Were Numerous—Borough of Archbald Is Sued for Damages Because a Horse Broke Its Leg—Mary Borlase Suing to Recover Money She Says Is Due Her.

The three weeks' term of May Common Pleas court began yesterday with Judge H. M. Edwards on the bench in court room No. 1 and Judge F. W. Gunter on the bench in No. 2. When the list was taken up by the judges after court opened, cases were marked as follows:

Settled and Off List—Michael Dempsey against the Archbald Manufacturing company, wages; S. H. Hazlett against M. G. A. Evans, appeal; James May against Liza May, appeal; L. W. Brown against Western Railroad company, trespass; Bridget Brennan against Life Insurance Clearing company, assumpsit; M. Fughlin against Scranton Traction company, trespass; Martin Ferguson against Joseph C. Mauer, appeal; Thomas Healey against Scranton Traction company, trespass; Mary Healey against Scranton Railway company, trespass.

Continued—H. W. Stanley against Mary Welch, wages; J. Smith against F. E. Loomis, et al., ejectment; Henry Hull against H. M. Tuttle and others, appeal; George M. Cramer against William G. Miller, trespass; John M. Jones against Liza May, appeal; M. A. Sumpst; Mica Roofing company against P. F. Dunn and others, assumpsit; Jules Anselmi against W. M. Ackerman, appeal; James Kelly against city of Scranton, trespass; J. W. Sherman against Scranton Railway company, trespass; Selma Elias against Abraham Tanous, assumpsit.

BEFORE JUDGE EDWARDS.

The only case tried before Judge Edwards in the main court room was Mary Bartosch against Charles Myers, an action to recover wages which she alleges is due her for services rendered Myers as a domestic. The defendant resides on the West mountain with his wife and family. Mary Bartosch came to this country with Mrs. Myers when she was eleven years of age. Her father placed her in the Myers household and the agreement, it is alleged, was that she should be boarded and clothed in consideration of whatever work she was able to perform.

The Myers say they treated her in exactly the same manner they did their own children. When she was sick they cared for her, they provided her with clothing, pocket money, etc., and gave her an opportunity to attend school. The girl is now nineteen years of age. Mrs. Myers testified yesterday that several years ago she told the girl that if she wanted to go to some other place where she would receive wages she was at liberty to do so. The girl said she was satisfied with her home and did not want to leave it.

A year ago Mary left the Myers residence and entered suit for wages. She says that several years ago she had a talk with Myers, at which he agreed to pay her wages, but did not fix the amount. He said she was not old enough to handle money, and he would pay her such amounts as she wanted for pocket money and put the remainder in the bank for her. All of the testimony was in at adjourning hour and arguments will be heard Wednesday. There will be no court today. Decoration day will be observed.

John J. Bonner and H. M. Mulholland are attorneys for the plaintiff and Ward & Horn for the defendants.

OTHER CASES HEARD.

Mrs. Anthony Deitman was the plaintiff in a suit for wages brought against Samuel Porter. When the case was called for trial before Samuel Porter, the plaintiff, Deitman, did not appear and a non-suit was granted.

The Scranton Glass company did not oppose the suit of S. B. Whitlock, who

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A scrofulous taint in the human system is no less foul and fearful than a brood of devils accumulating in the blood springing up here, there and everywhere, causing a hundred mysterious and apparently incurable symptoms in all parts of the body. A terrible case of chronic scrofula is described by Mrs. James Murphy, of Fonda, Pocahontas Co., in a noteworthy letter to Dr. E. W. Pierce, of No. 653 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. "I will forever thank you for the advice you gave me," she says. "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has cured me of chronic scrofula of twenty years' standing. I had doctored for the blood until I was nearly discouraged. I also had chronic rheumatism for twelve years. I am in good health now—better than I ever was in my life, owing to Dr. Pierce's Discovery. I return thanks and it is with pleasure I send you my name to publish."

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SMITH IS AGAIN A MEMBER OF BAR

MADE AN APOLOGY AND WAS REINSTATED.

Ex-Judge E. N. Willard Presented the Petition for Reinstatement to the Court and Moved for the Re-admission of Mr. Smith—Order That Was Handed Down by the Court—Remarks Made by Judge Archbald in Handing Down the Order—Mr. Smith Congratulated.

Cornelius Smith, after a disbarment of several years, is again a member of the Lackawanna bar. Ex-Judge E. N. Willard presented Mr. Smith's apology to the court yesterday and made a motion for his reinstatement. The apology is as follows:

(To the Honorable R. W. Archbald, President Judge, the Honorable F. W. Gunter and the Honorable H. M. Edwards, Additional Law Judges of the Forty-fifth Judicial District of Pennsylvania: Without reiterating the circumstances resulting in the decree of the court of common pleas of Lackawanna county, debarring me from practicing as an attorney in the several courts of Lackawanna county, which decree was affirmed by the Supreme court, I now present myself at the bar of the court over which you preside and apologize for any and every act and deed by me committed or omitted in any way reflecting upon your honors, for any wrongs, found by Judge Purdy in the several courts of Lackawanna county, which I have committed (since the decree in my case was affirmed by the Supreme court), which in any way reflect upon the integrity or character of your honors, are hereby retracted and I apologize therefor.

The period of my probation fixed by the Supreme court having expired, I now, most respectfully, ask your honors to readmit me to practice as an attorney in the several courts under your jurisdiction. Respectfully submitted, Cornelius Smith.

May 24, 1899.

ORDER OF COURT.

After listening to the opinion Judge Archbald made the following order: In re: Application of Cornelius Smith, Esq., for Re-admission to the Bar: Now, May 25, 1899, the retraction and apology of Cornelius Smith, esq., having been duly presented and filed, upon due consideration thereof and on motion of Hon. E. N. Willard, the same is accepted and thereupon the said Cornelius Smith is readmitted as an attorney and counselor of the several courts of Lackawanna county, and directed to be sworn in as such.

By the Court, R. W. Archbald, P. J.

Application for a Divorce.

Harriet O. Bailey began proceedings yesterday to secure a divorce from John Bailey. Attorney W. Gaylord Thomas filed the papers for Mrs. Bailey. She alleges that she married Bailey May 25, 1871, and that they lived together until April 13, 1888, when her husband deserted her. They have not lived together since and Bailey has not contributed to the support of his wife.

Borough of Vandling.

A petition signed by 165 residents of Pell township was filed yesterday with the court by Attorneys Willard, Warren & Knapp. It asks that the borough of Vandling be created out of a portion of the township of Pell. The petitioners believe they will be able to get better government for the village of Vandling if a borough is created.

Yesterday's Marriage Licenses.

- J. Stanley SmithScranton, Pa.
- Mary G. CarrPhiladelphia, Pa.
- Mrs. Francis A. Loomis, who was granted license for a hotel in Scott township at license court, failed to take out the license and it was yesterday re-issued to John G. Allendike, the owner of the premises.
- Court made an order yesterday continuing from June 1 until June 10 the time for filing the bill of particulars in the election contest of John E. Walsh against W. H. Thomas for the office of constable of the eighth ward of this city.
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COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

The license of Lavena Frable for a hotel at 139 Franklin avenue was yesterday transferred to George A. Price and Thomas O. Price.

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PARADE INDICATES THE SHOW.

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Men's Dress Shoes at 98c, \$1.29 and \$1.49. Ladies' Shoes, made by Gray Bros. and Johu Kelley, hand turned and hand welt, A, B, C, D and E, all styles, russet and black, at \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50, worth \$4 and \$5.

Ladies' Patent Leather Shoes, cloth top, worth \$2.50, at \$1.69. Sizes 3 1/2 and 7. Ladies' Russet Shoes at 98c, \$1.29, \$1.49, all styles. Ladies' Oxfords, in russet and black at 59c, 79c, 98c, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

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