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Because Constable J. S. Miller Was Injured Intentionally by His Assailant, Lee Nicholas, He Is Debarred from Recovering by the Terms of His Policy—Verdict in the Bartosh Case Was for the Defendant—Case Against Archibald Borough Given to the Jury.

Constable J. S. Miller firmly believes that an accident insurance policy that does not insure is one of the things there ought to be a law against. Mr. Miller took out a policy in the Interstate Casualty company, of New York, and some time later in the discharge of his duty he was set upon and terribly beaten.

Because the injury was intentional upon the part of the man who assaulted him, Mr. Miller cannot recover. There is a clause in the policy which prohibits it. If Mr. Miller was hurt by his assailant without any intention upon the part of the latter to inflict injury, he would be paid accident insurance.

The case of Mr. Miller to recover from the Inter-State Casualty company on his insurance policy was called for trial before Judge Edwards yesterday. On February 18, 1896, while the plaintiff was a police holder in good standing, he went to the home of Lee Nicholas, on Vine street, this city, to collect rent or levy on his goods. Nicholas became angry and struck Miller a number of times with a large and somewhat warm flat-iron, breaking his jaw and arm and doing other injury.

REFUSED TO PAY.

His policy allowed him \$25 per week for total disability and \$20 per week for partial disability. Notice of the accident was given to the company and Mr. Miller sent in a bill for thirty-two weeks' total disability at \$25 per week and twenty-three partial disability at \$20, making a total of \$1,267.14. The company refused to pay, alleging that the policy did not cover injuries intentionally inflicted and the only amount Mr. Miller was entitled to receive was the last premium he paid, which amounted to \$20.

Mr. Miller thereupon brought suit. The facts in the case were practically undisputed and the only witness examined was the plaintiff. The defense asked for a non-suit, and when that was refused rested the case and asked for binding instructions. Judge Edwards granted this motion and in doing so he said to the jury:

"The responsibility of deciding this case is with the court. It appears that John S. Miller obtained an accident policy from the Inter-State Casualty company, of New York. This policy provided a certain specified sum for total disability and another sum for partial disability. The trouble with this case so far as the plaintiff is concerned is that there is a provision of the policy which says that if an injury is intentionally inflicted on the insured by himself or any other person he shall not be entitled to recover anything but the last premium paid.

"This condition of the policy must prevail, and for that reason Mr. Miller will not be able to recover anything but the last premium of \$20. I will also grant a rule for a new trial, so that the matter can come up for consideration before the three judges.

UGHT TO INSURE.

"The court would say that it believes an insurance policy ought to insure, but people must abide by the contracts into which they enter, and as Mr. Miller entered into this contract with the company he must be held to its conditions."

Mr. Miller was represented by Attorney C. L. Hawley and the defendant company by Attorney M. J. Martin. The latter asked for a rule to show cause why Mr. Miller should not pay the costs.

The case of Mary Bartosh against Charles Myers, which was heard Monday before Judge Edwards, was given to the jury yesterday morning. A verdict for the defendant was returned.

LOVE-CHARMS.

The love-charm still lingers, the last link to the old days of ignorance and superstition when charms were believed to be powerful to cure disease and deft death. The day of charms is gone, although some sweet miss now and again pressures a love-charm, not knowing that the great charm of all is the beauty of perfect health. And this charm is in reach of every woman when she takes Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for female disorders.

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CARPENTERS AND METAL WORKERS

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Over a week and the request was granted.

The Wood Worker's union appointed a business agent and he was directed to secure signatures among the builders, mill men and other connected with the wood-working trade who would refuse to handle other than union labeled trim and to use the label, if manufacturers. The majority of those approached have conceded the points asked.

Up the valley, the carpenters asked for a nine hour day and a few other things. A strike ensued upon the refusal by the mill men and master carpenters to grant the request. This difficulty is practically settled, though a few of the master men still are holding out. The union men have, it is claimed, the better of this argument.

Over a month ago an issue arose between the union carpenters and the Navy Lumber company on the point of employing a non-union man to work with the union men then employed by the above company. The union men were called off. This issue is yet unsettled, but the men called off were all put to work elsewhere.

A new union known as the Helper's union, taking in the hod-carriers, etc., was organized about two months ago and affiliated with the Building Trades council. This practically unifies all the branches of the trade which would come under the head of building trades. Every union in the Building Trades council has decided to stand by the Carpenters' unions, either morally or otherwise.

ANOTHER UNION.

Tonight a meeting of the men employed in electrical work will be held for the purpose of organizing an Electrical Workers' union. If organization is accomplished, the new union will be affiliated with the Building Trades council. This work will completely bring all classes of the building trades workers under the control of the council.

Several prominent workers in the national organizations under whose jurisdiction the various Building Trades unions would come have had conferences with the leading unionists here and have addressed the meetings. They offer support and encouragement.

The National Brotherhood of Carpenters announce that there is no other difficulty in it present anywhere in the United States where the carpenters are organized. Scranton is classed 97 per cent union, is considered a stronghold in the union world and

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they want the victory to be swift and sure for them.

Many outside unions, such as the Mine Workers and Car Builders, have adopted resolutions tendering moral support to the carpenters. From distant points where unions are fully recognized, where hours are shorter and wages better, have come offers of employment. Already about fifty first class workmen have been sent from this city in answer to these offers and more offers are being made along similar lines from day to day.

BROTHER IS ACCUSED.

Michael Chaborach, who boards with Mrs. Kate Hironock in the rear of 343 Capouse avenue, was arrested by Patrolmen Potter and Puester last night on a warrant issued by Alderman Millar at the instance of Chief of Police Robling.

The prisoner is under suspicion of being guilty of manslaughter, by having caused the death of his brother, Andrew Chaborach.

The latter is the man who died at the Luckawanna hospital Wednesday, May 17, from a fracture of the skull, received, it was said at the time, by a fall down the stairs at his boarding house.

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