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NON-SUIT GRANTED IN THE MITCHELL CASE.

Averments of Contributary Negligence, Fellow Employer's Negligence and Failure of the Plaintiff to Prove Satisfactorily That He Was Injured in the Manner Alleged Result in the Defendant Company's Victory—Verdict for Defendant in Coal Screen Case.

When common pleas court resumed yesterday, after the Thanksgiving day recess, Judge Weand took up the case of George W. Mitchell against the Pennsylvania Coal company, which was on trial all of Wednesday, and after listening to lengthy arguments from both sides, granted the defendant's motion for a non-suit, together with a rule to show cause why it should not be stricken off.

Mitchell claims he was permanently injured Dec. 3, 1898, while descending in a carriage to his work in the Sparrowbush colliery, at Old Forge, by a piece of coal falling down the shaft and striking him on the head and side. His skull was depressed and one of his ribs injured. The company was alleged to be negligent because of the fact that half the hood was missing from the top of the carriage.

The plaintiff's principal grounds on which the motion for a non-suit was based were that Mitchell was guilty of contributary negligence, in taking the obvious risk of riding on a defective carriage when he knew that by waiting a minute he could ride on the safe carriage at the other side of the shaft; that the company was exonerated from liability under the fellow employe liability act, because the headman was guilty of neglect in allowing a piece of coal to remain so near the opening that it could be caused to fall into the shaft, and that the evidence failed to show that Mitchell's injuries were caused as he alleges they were.

Ex-Judge Willard and Hon. C. P. O'Malley, of Willard, Warren & Knapp, represented the defendant. The plaintiff was represented by Taylor & Lewis and Hon. John P. Quinnan.

In the case of the Exeter machine works against the Pine Hill Coal company, which was on trial Tuesday and Wednesday, the jury yesterday morning returned a verdict in favor of the defendant. At the first trial of the case the jury disagreed. Watson, Diehl & Kemmerer represented the plaintiff. The defendant's attorneys were T. F. Wells and J. H. Torrey.

Before Judge Kelly in court room No. 2, a settlement was effected in the case of G. Mortimer Lewis and others, against I. F. Everhart and others, each side taking a one-half undivided interest in the land in dispute. I. H. Burns appeared for the plaintiff. The defendant was represented by Willard, Warren & Knapp and Watson, Diehl & Kemmerer.

A jury was out at adjourning time in the case of August Vockroth against John P. Thomas. It was a suit for $40 for damages, the defendant did to the plaintiff's wagon. The defense was that the claim was paid. He exhibited a receipt for $20 from the plaintiff's former attorney, and maintained that it was given to him as a receipt in full. W. S. Hulsander and H. M. Hannah appeared for the plaintiff, and John M. Harris for the defendant. The case was tried before Judge Edwards.

Another jury from Judge Edwards' court went out just before adjourning time to pass upon a $20 claim for plastering preferred by Arnold Moore against Daniel Wayne. The defense was that the plastering was included in the general bill and that the general bill had been paid. As a secondary defense it was alleged the work was defective. The plaintiff averred it was agreed that the plastering should be separately charged for, and denied that the work was deective. J. E. Watkins represented the plaintiff, and M. J. Donahoe the defendant.

The case of the Athens Furniture company against J. W. Sweeney was continued.

Preliminary Injunction Granted.

In the case of the Rocky Glen Water company against the Scranton and Northeastern Railroad company, Judge Kelly yesterday granted a modification of the injunction prayed for with a rule to make it permanent, returnable Friday, December 20.

The water company alleges that the railroad company is going outside the authority of its chartered rights, in changing the grade of the Spring Brook railway at Moosic, and that it is also diverting Green Run on to lands owned by the plaintiff; seizing the abandoned Pennsylvania gravity roadbed, which it is alleged reverts to the owners of the contiguous property, by reason of its having been abandoned, and that portions of the plaintiff's lands which have not been regularly condemned are being entered upon.

The railroad company contends that it has not done any of these things and does not propose to do them, and furthermore that the plaintiff is fully protected by the injunction heretofore granted.

At the hearing on the rule for the preliminary injunction yesterday, the plaintiff was represented by Willard, Warren and Knapp and the defendant by O'Brien and Martin and I. H. Burns.

Hearing in Orphans' Court.

A hearing was had yesterday before Judge A. A. Vosburg in the orphans' court in the estate of George Filer, deceased, in the matter of the citation upon the testamentary guardians of Ella and Daisy Chambers, to show cause why these minors should not be allowed to make choice of guardians, each of them being now over the age of fourteen. An allowance was also asked, for the support and maintenance of these wards, it being alleged that their father who lives in Washington, D. C., is unable to properly care for them.

Considerable testimony was taken, and arguments were made by Clarence Ralentine and Hon. E. C. Newcomb on behalf of the application, and by Hon. H. A. Knapp and A. D. Dean for the respondents. Judge Vosburg reversed his decision.

Today will be the last day of the regular session of the orphans' court, but special sessions will be held as occasion requires during the month of December.

Marriage Licenses.

William Farr	Carbondale
Lena Pettegrew	Carbondale
Charles Gunn	Old Forge
Mary Mosnak	Old Forge

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

The new orphans' court rules have been completed and will likely be promulgated next week.

An appeal has been taken to the supreme court by the executors of the Ira Tripp estate from Judge Vosburg's decision in the matter of the petition of Roscoe Tripp, giving the petitioner an allowance of $100 per month.

INDUSTRIAL JOTTINGS.

The D., L. & W. Board for Today. Order About Taking Air Brake Instruction—Other Notes.

The following is the make-up of the D., L. and W. board for today:

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29.

Wild Cats, East—6 p. m., M. J. Mosier; 10 p. m., M. R. McLane; 11 p. m., W. W. La Bar.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30.

Wild Cats, East—4 a. m., E. E. Stevens; 8 a. m., D. Wallace; 10 a. m., A. G. Hammitt; 11 a. m., H. Cosler, with A. H. Rowe's crew; 2 p. m., O. Kearney; 5 p. m., J. W. Devine; 6 p. m., M. J. Hennigan.

Summits, Etc.—6 a. m., east, J. Carrigg; 9 a. m., west, Nichols; 10 a. m., west, Thompson; 2 p. m., west, M. Gurley; 6 p. m., east, J. Hennigan; 10 p. m., west, M. Golden.

Pusher—6 a. m., Widner; 7 a. m., S. Finnerty; 8 a. m., Hower; 11.45 a. m., M. Ram; 2 p. m., L. D. Laffmer; 6 p. m., William Hoar; 7.30 p. m., Murphy; 9 p. m., W. H. Burkholomew; 10 p. m., Langdon.

Passenger Engines—7 a. m., Gallagher; 8 a. m., Singer; 10 a. m., Norman; 10 a. m., O. Miller; 6.45 p. m., Stanton; 8.30 p. m., McGovern.

Wild Cats, West—6 a. m., R. Casner; 7 a. m., C. Kingsley; 9 a. m., P. Cavanaugh; 11 a. m., E. Wolf; 1 p. m., A. C. Ketchum; 3 p. m., P. Van Wormer; 5 p. m., M. Connolly; 7 p. m., D. Randolph; 9 p. m., E. McDonnell, with John Gallagan's crew; 10 p. m., F. Boniface; 11 p. m., E. McAllister.

NOTICE.

Conductor M. W. Lanigan and crew will go to Buffalo on No. 5, Nov. 30, and report at superintendent's office 8 a. m., Nov. 30.

Conductor J. J. Duffy, with Rafferty's crew, will run 10.30 p. m. wild cat, Nov. 29.

Conductor Fellows will take his crew home p. m., Nov. 30.

O. W. Fitzgerald and crew will run 6 a. m. wild cat, Nov. 30, in place of J. H. Swartz and crew.

Air Brake Instruction Car.

The conductors, enginemen and trainmen on the Lackawanna railroad have been notified by Superintendent E. M. Kline that air brake instruction car, No. 161, of the International Correspondence schools of Scranton, will arrive at Kingston on No. 729, Monday morning, Dec. 2, 1901.

It is necessary that every employe in the train service receive instructions in this car in the handling of air brakes. The employes will attend the car as frequently as it is possible for them to do so; they will find it to their advantage in their examinations. Lectures from 10 a. m. to 12 m.; 2 p. m. to 4 p. m., and from 7.30 to 10.30 p. m.

This and That.

The October statistics of German trade show imports to the amount of 4,419,364 tons. This is a decrease of 373,984 tons from the imports of October of last year and the exports during October amounted to 2,980,681 tons, an increase of 7212 over the corresponding period of 1900.

Pittsburgers are seeking control of the Milwaukee street railways. As soon as the negotiations are closed the lines in that city will be reconstructed. W. Kelsey Schoepf, vice-president and general manager of the Consolidated Traction company of Pittsburg, has been in that city representing Pittsburgers and others.

President T. D. Nicholls, Vice-President Adam Roscavich and Organizer Llewellyn, of District No. 1, of the United Mine Workers, went to Bernice yesterday to endeavor to settle the strike at the mines of the State Line and Sullivan County railroad. The company has submitted a proposition, which is to be considered by the men in connection with the mine workers' officials.

Bowling

The members of the South Side Bowling club are making arrangements for a social and reception, which will be held in connection with the match games to be played in January. The team members are working hard in practice and expect to make a good showing against the crack city teams. The committee in charge of the tournament is making the necessary arrangements, and the visiting teams will be made welcome and comfortable.

The work of building the new bowling alleys for the Electric City Wheelmen is being pushed rapidly, and it is expected will be completed in a day or two. The club expects to open the alleys next week.

In this column is a picture of Harry L. Kays, the captain of the Black Diamonds, or No. 2 team from the Scranton Bicycle club, which now leads all the other teams in the Northeastern Pennsylvania Bowling league. Mr. Kays has long taken an active interest in

HARRY L. KAYS,
Captain of the Black Diamond Bowling Team.

bowling and was one of those most instrumental in organizing the present league. He is a member of the bowling committee of the Scranton Bicycle club, and this is his second year as captain of the Black Diamonds. A good, steady bowler himself, he has played an important part in keeping his team well in the fore-front. He has been for some time the local manager for the United States Casualty company, but has been in Washington for some weeks and his friends fear that he may take a position there.

The Black Diamonds have a pretty good lead on the other teams in the Northeastern Pennsylvania league, such a lead, in fact, that they will have to lose three games and either the Bicycle club or Backus team win three games to tie them. The team rolled their worst games of the season last Monday night, one man making only 231 in two games, but they managed to win out, because they were playing the tailenders.

The steadiest bowlers in the league are to be found on the Backus team, and it will not be many more nights, if is predicted, before this team will be closely crowding the Black Diamonds for first place. Meister, Peckam and Hopkins make up a formidable trio. It is generally admitted that Hopkins is about the steadiest and surest bowler in the city. He hasn't got a habit of making a 200 score every three or four games, but he can do what is much better—for match work—namely, maintain an average score of about 165 or 170 for three games. The man who makes a phenomenally high score now and then is not always the safest and surest bowler.

The games which are scheduled for Monday night are as follows: Black Diamonds play West Ends on the latter's alleys; Green Ridge Wheelmen play the Backus team on the latter's alleys, and Scranton Bicycle club plays the Elks on the latter's alleys.

MR. ANDERSON PROMOTED.

Made Assistant to the Chief Engineer of the D. & H.

W. E. Anderson, who has been connected with the Delaware and Hudson Canal company for the last twenty years, has received a deserved promotion at the hands of the company. He has been appointed assistant engineer in charge of the office of the chief engineer at Albany, N. Y. As such he will have supervision of some seven hundred miles of the company's railroad.

While his many friends in the city will regret exceedingly to lose him here, yet they will rejoice in the good fortune which has come to him. He takes possession of his new office December 1. His family will remain here until next spring.

PENN'S "BONE LIBRARY."

A Complete Collection of Skeletons of Animals Known to Science.

The Wister institute of the University of Pennsylvania is now in possession of a "Bone Library," which is said to be the only one of its kind in existence.

The bones which make up this peculiar library include the skeletons of almost every animal known to science. Dr. Jayne, who is at the head of the Wister institute, has adopted an entirely new method of classifying and arranging these bones. Instead of mounting the complete skeleton, as is commonly done, the skeleton is disarticulated and the bones are catalogued and placed in separate trays, following the order of cataloguing the books in the university library.

By this means it is made possible to study every bone in its proper class. The collection is so complete that the evolution of any particular animal can be studied through many generations. In the same way it is possible to trace out the relationship to some allied animal.

Dr. Jayne and his assistants are continually adding to the bone collection. The latest addition received is that of the skeletons of three European apes, said to be the only ones in America. The apes were natives of Southern Spain, having been taken over there from Algiers at a very early date. They have been carefully protected by the Spanish government, and for this reason none of them have ever before found their way to any American museum.

Another notable collection which is soon to be put on exhibition consists of the skeletons of six orang outangs. In the same case with the skeletons will be placed specimens of the fruits and foliage on which these animals live in their native home.

Another interesting skeleton now in the institute is that of a horse which is believed to be the last of those which served in the Civil war. The horse died recently at the ago of 45 years.

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By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Nov. 29.—No more foreign orders for anthracite are to be accepted by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company at present. These have become so large and so numerous in the last month that to supply them would seriously interfere with meeting the demand for home consumption. If all the recent orders were accepted by the company it would mean the immediate shipment to foreign ports of not less than 20,000 tons.

Present low rates to European ports on outgoing vessels are principally accountable for the foreign demand. The freight to French ports now costs only $2.37 per ton, the price formerly being at least $4. The present rates enable the foreign consumer to obtain coal for $6.12 a ton.

LITERARY NOTES.

The December number of Country Life in America emphasizes the unique character of this large magazine with beautiful illustrations. Besides the flowers and gardens, this month, there is much about the world outside—sports in December, including a special Christmas cover of unusual design, and a large photograph, over three feet long, of the big-tree forest in California, put in as a supplement. "An Outlook on Winter," by L. H. Bailey, is the leading article, being a rhapsody on the charm of snowy landscapes and frozen brooks; while "Sacrobirdit" is a poem by Joel Benton, and "Christmas Greens" an informative article about the trees and foliage of mountain and swamp that contribute to the brilliance of the holiday season.

The story of the "Caterpillar" Winter House" is told with a series of photographs showing the spinning of the cocoon.

Among other leading features are "The Chesterbrook Stock Farm," by Francis Nelson Bachelds, which tells how A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, raises blooded horses, cattle and sheep on his famous blue grass estate in Eastern Pennsylvania, and "A Flower of the Million and of the Millionaire" which is the title of two large photographic studies of gardenias and orchids. Henry Troth's superb series of photographs, entitled "Harvesting," which won the first prize in the recent Country Life photographic competition, are to be presented; and A. Radclyffe Dugmore contributes two wonderful photographs of live fish amid all the beauty of their natural surroundings. Plant growing in garden, field and greenhouse is treated in many practical aspects with numerous illustrations, and "Storing and Keeping Fruits and Vegetables" is a long and comprehensive article by John Craig, a well known authority. A more beautiful publication has never appeared.

The World's Work for December covers an even wider range of topics than ever and it is well written—with a swing and movement that vivines the workaday activities of the month. Particularly striking because of its author and his recognized interest in the subject is President Roosevelt's article concerning A. G. Wallihan's remarkable Camera Shots at Wild Animals, illustrated by some of Mr. Wallihan's best pictures. Julian Ralph's outline of the results of the Boer war to date contains much that is new about the conditions now existing in South Africa. Greater New York is being re-built, and M. G. Cundiff and Arthur Goodrich, in a splendidly illustrated article, tell how the new city "built on steel and founded on a rock," is replacing the old. By a recent election, also, New York has been politically remade, and Lindsay Denison sketches a number of stirring scenes from the recent unique municipal campaign. Frederick Emory Mills of the Greater America showing how the backbone of American expansion is in the character of the people. There is a timely character sketch of Li Hung Chang. The work of the industrial commission is outlined by its secretary, E. Dana Durand, and there is a mass of other timely matter covering practically the whole field of human industry.

Rich in illustration and with a varied collection of articles, short stories and poems, the Christmas number of Ainslee's Magazine is especially interesting. The leading article, entitled "America in England," by Allan Sangree, is a dramatic study of the triumph of American business methods in British enterprise. "Senator Aldrich, the Most Influential Man in Congress," by L. A. Coolidge, is a very readable study of the personality of the leader of the senate, and also a clear analysis of the wonderful congressional machine at Washington. "In Remote Newfoundland," by Norman Duncan, is the kind of special article that has all the value of news and all the impressiveness of a well-wrought work of fiction. The description of this stony country, where gardens and grass yards are painfully built by the hands of men, is illustrated with many unusually good photographs. "Melba at Home," by William Armstrong, gives a delight account of the home life of this great singer, which is illustrated with several new pictures. A striking poem by Bliss Carman, entitled "A Forest Shrine," is the most notable poetic contribution to the Christmas Ainslee's. There are, of course, a number of good stories.

The Hon. John A. Kasson, who negotiated the reciprocity treaties in which the late president took so keen an interest, will contribute to the December Century his "Impressions of President McKinley." He lays considerable stress, it is understood, on the man's personal kindness, cheerfulness and sense of the dignity of his office. His study of the character of his old friend is accompanied by photographs by George Cox, taken at Canton especially for the Century Magazine.

The problem of "Reciprocity in Foreign Trade" is discussed in the December Forum by E. A. Gibson, who collects the most important statistics on the subject and deals in particular with the question of the proposed treaty with France.

Excused on Account of Sickness.

The torn and tattered remnant of a Canadian regiment one day toward the close of the war was lined up by its colonel and told that the commanding general was to pay a "visit of inspection" on the following day. The soldiers were admonished to "do their prettiest."

"Just brace up as though your clothes were brand new uniforms and as though you had the best on earth to eat and plenty of it. We haven't any bugles but, but Smith there has got a drum, and it's a plumb fine one—as it ought to. Now, Smith, when I give you the word tomorrow you let her go for all she's worth." Thus spoke the colonel.

The next day came the general to "inspect" the poor, half-starved shifters, and as he appeared in the distance the colonel gave the order to "line up." As the commanding officer drew near, the colonel shouted "Now, Smith, let her go!" and turned to salute the general.

But not a note came from the big snare drum. The colonel, red in the face, turned toward the drummer and again shouted his order to "Smith."

But still the drum remained as mute as the harp of Tara's Hall tunes.

Infuriated at this open disobedience of orders, and in the presence of his commanding officer, too, the colonel rode down the line, and as he reached the refractory drummer, cried out:

"Say, Smith, what in——and——do you mean by not beating that blankety-blank drum?"

"I can't, colonel," whispered Smith. "This old drum is full of chilblains, and lots of 'em are for you."

The colonel passed a moment before he allowed so that the general and his subordinates might hear.

"All right, Smith, boy. If you were too sore to play the——drum, why in——didn't you say so?"

Killed by a Farm Hand.

Wytheville, Va., Nov. 29.—John G. Watts, a prominent citizen of Tazewell county and former United States marshal for the western district of Virginia, was today shot and killed by Robert Jones, one of his farm hands. Mr. Watts discharged Jones, and the latter thereupon shot Watts, who died within a few minutes. Jones escaped.

BANKING.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLE'S BANK

of Scranton, No. 118 Washington avenue, Lackawanna county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business Nov. 25, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 12,904 96
Checks and other cash items	9,911 61
Due from Banks and Bankers	17,647 69
Loans and Discounts	26,548 20
Investment securities owned, viz.:	
Stocks, Bonds, etc. $87,500 00	
	87,500 00
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	9,291 53
Overdrafts	51 22
Miscellaneous assets, revenue stamps	49 50
	$164,852 01

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	100,000 00
Surplus fund	25,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,058 27
Deposits, subject to check $85,591 18	
Deposits, special 121,006 59	
Certified checks 193 00	
	206,793 77
Cashier's checks outstanding	800 00
Due to Banks and Bankers	102 57
	$164,852 01

State of Pennsylvania, county of Lackawanna, ss.:

I, HENRY M. IVES, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) HENRY M. IVES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of November, 1901.

(Signed) W. M. CURRY, Notary Public.

(My commission expires Jan. 19, 1903.)

Correct—Attest:

(Signed) THOMAS SPRAGUE,
M. J. HEALEY,
C. S. WOOLWORTH,
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BANKING.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

SCRANTON SAVINGS BANK

of Scranton, No. 122 Wyoming avenue, Lackawanna county, Pa., at the close of business November 25, 1901:

RESOURCES

Cash on hand	$[illegible]
Checks and other cash items	[illegible]
Due from Banks and Bankers	175,812 [illegible]
Loans and discounts	1,152,145 [illegible]
Investment securities owned, viz.:	
Stocks, bonds, etc. $805,568 [illegible]	
Mortgages 63,931 [illegible]	
	[illegible]
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	50,000 00
Overdrafts	141 98
Miscellaneous assets	6,062 50
Total	$2,417,[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund	300,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	[illegible]
Deposits, subject to check [illegible]	
Deposits, special [illegible]	
Demand certificates of deposits [illegible]	
Certified checks [illegible]	
	[illegible]
Cashier's checks outstanding	[illegible]
Total	$2,417,[illegible]

State of Pennsylvania, county of Lackawanna, ss.:

I, H. G. DUNHAM, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) H. G. DUNHAM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of November, 1901.

(Signed) YARGO V. BOWER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

(Signed) CHARLES DU PONT BRUCE,
C. S. SEAMANS,
SOLOMON GOLDSMITH,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

DIME DEPOSIT AND DISCOUNT BANK

of Scranton, corner of Wyoming avenue and Spruce street, of Lackawanna county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business Nov. 25, 1901.

RESOURCES

Cash on hand	$ [illegible]
Checks and other cash items	[illegible]
Due from Banks and Bankers	[illegible]
Loans and Discounts	[illegible]
Investment securities owned, viz.:	
Stocks, Bonds, etc. [illegible]	
	[illegible]
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	[illegible]
Overdrafts	[illegible]
	$1,[illegible]

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ [illegible]
Surplus fund	[illegible]
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	[illegible]
Deposits subject to check [illegible]	
Deposits, special [illegible]	
Demand certificates of deposits [illegible]	
Certified checks [illegible]	
	[illegible]
	$1,[illegible]

State of Pennsylvania, county of Lackawanna, ss.:

I, H. G. DUNHAM, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) H. G. DUNHAM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of November, 1901.

(Signed) YARGO V. BOWER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

(Signed) JAMES AIRBRALD,
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