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Spring Assizes

From the O. S. Papers

The adjourned sittings of High Court of Justice were opened at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in the Court House by Mr. Justice McMahon. His Lordship, it will be remembered, came very prominently before the public as the presiding judge at the famous Birchall murder trial. Owing to the death of the Clerk of the Court, Mr. George Inglis, the duties of the office are being performed by his deputy Capt. Tait Robertson. Besides the members of the local bar, Mr. H. P. O'Connor Q. C. of Walkerton was in attendance.

After the Court had been formally opened the following Grand Jury were sworn in: Jas. S. Wilson, S. A. Smelser, Wm. Kyle, Thos Hoath, Jas. Smith, Walter A. Gillies, Geo. Wright, Francis Pole, Isaac Traynor, M. Howey, Geo. Turner, Geo. H. Arthur. The jury chose Mr. Jas. Smith as their foreman.

His Lordship in his charge to the Grand Jury was happy to be able to give it the assurance that its duties on this occasion would not be at all onerous. According to the calendar which the Sheriff had presented to him there were only two persons in the jail awaiting trial for criminal offences. Considering the extent and large population of the county this was a remarkably good showing. The Judge then explained the nature and circumstances surrounding the charges which would come before them, and informed the jury that if they considered it advisable they might inspect the jail and other institutions upon which public money is expended. In closing his charge His Lordship expressed his deep regret, and the regret, he remarked, which every one who was in the habit of attending the Court would feel at the untimely death of the late Clerk. For himself, and he thought he voiced the sentiments of the vast majority of the citizens of the county, he considered him one of the most efficient and courteous officials who ever presided in a court of justice. His death occasioned a great loss to the Court and to the community in which he lived.

WILKINSON VS. TUCKER.—Action for $5,000 damages for libel. Verdict for the defendant. J. M. Kilbourn and R. Christie for Pff.; H. ... O'Connor for Deft.

Rush vs. Murphy, for damages for injuries received at the raising of a frame of a building at Murphy's village. Judgement for plaintiff of $400. W. J. Hatton for plaintiff; H. G. Tucker for defendant.

Hall vs. Galbraith, slander, was dismissed, the plaintiff's case not being prosecuted. A. G. McKay and C. E. Stewart, of Tara, for defendant.

Dickson vs. Meir, another slander action, brought a verdict of $600 for the plaintiff. The plaintiff, D. A. Dickson, and the defendant, Geo. Meir, had had extensive dealings with one another in different ways, the former at one time selling sewer pipe on commision for the latter. Plaintiff complained that the defendant had made statements to different persons charging him with having stolen a quantity of the pipe, and that the defendant had said to Constable Pearce that plaintiff had stolen a pony. A verdict as above was brought in. A. G. McKay for the plaintiff; J. W. Frost for the defendant.

Regina vs. Christian Weltz of Normanby. Prisoner was charged with an offence under the Charlton Act, but was discharged, the judge, after the case had been partly heard taking it from the jury add directing a verdict of not guilty to be entered. Crown Attorney McKay for the prosecution; H. G. Tucker for the prisoner.

Regina vs. Carney McIntyre, theft. Prisoner was charged with having stolen $7 from Mr. John W. Hartman, a St. Vincent farmer, in June last. Verdict of guilty. Sentenced to six months in prison. Crown Attorney McKay for prosecution; W. J. Hatton for defendant.

Johnston vs Sydenham Mutual Fire Ins. Co., brought to recover $350 under a policy of the defendant Company, for loss of contents of barn, took up the most of Thursday morning. Defendants pleaded fraud, and the lapse of the policy by default in payment of assessments. Judgement for plaintiff for $193 and the County Court costs. Messrs. Kilbourn & Kilbourn for plaintiff; Messrs. A. G. McKay and Jno. Armstrong for defendants.

Harrison et al vs. Bannon, brought by the executors of the late Alfred Ward, of Flesherton, to enforce payment of a mortgage made by the defendant to the deceased, was heard, and judgement reserved. The defendant relied upon being able to show that the deceased had given him back the mortgage in expectation of death. Lucas & Wright for plaintiff; J. W. Frost and A. G. McKay for defendant.

Harrison vs. Ward and Sproule was referred to Judge Creasor. It is brought by the executors who sought to recover from the defendants the estate of the said late Alfred Ward under a will alleged to be his last will. Defendants, one of whom is the widow of the deceased, claim under a subsequent will, said to have been discovered a short time ago. Lucas & Wright for plaintiff; J. W. Frost and A. G. McKay for defendants.

Hopkins vs. O.S., G. & B., L., & S. Co., brought by Benjamin Hopkins to have a sale under power of sale in a mortgage, of property on the east side of Poulett street owned by plaintiff, declared invalid, was settled by the parties without the aid of the court, the plaintiff receiving $975 as a satisfaction of his complaints. J. McCullough and Thos. W. Forwood for plaintiff; Armstrong & Telford for defendants.

Broad Tyres on Wagons

Some interesting experiments have been made recently at the Agricultural Experimental Station, Ohio, comparing the draught of broad and narrow-tyred wagons. In nearly all cases it was established that the draught was materially lighter when tyres six inches wide were used than with tyres of standard width. On a macadam road, the same draught required to haul a ton load with narrow tyres hauled more than a ton and a quarter with broad tyres. On gravel roads the draught required to haul 2,000 lbs. with narrow tyres, hauled 2,610 lbs. on the broad tyres. On dirty roads, dry and hard and free from ruts, the broad tyres pulled more than one-third lighter. On mud roads, spongy on the surface and underneath, the broad tyres draw one-half lighter than the narrow tyres. On mud roads, soft and sticky on top and firm underneath and where they were wet to a great depth and the mud became stiff and sticky, the narrow tyres pulled lighter than the wide ones. With these exceptions the wide tyre pulled lighter in every case.

On meadow and pastures the results also were strikingly in favor of the broad tyres. When meadows are soft, from 300 to 4000 lbs. may be hauled on the broad tyres with the same draught as that required to haul a load of 2,000 lbs. on the narrow tyres. The benefical effects of the wide tyre on dirt was also strikingly shown in the tests. The results of these carefully conducted experiments prove almost conclusively that the broad tyre is better one for those having heavy teaming to adopt. It should be of special advantage to the farmer for use in the fields and on the road. Aside from this, if all those who do heavy teaming would use broad tyres we would have better roads; or at least the roads would not be cut up so badly during wet weather as they are now.—Farming.

The Markets.

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Following are the market quotations for Flesherton for the present week, corrected up to 10.30 of Wednesday:

Flour	$4 70	to	$6 00
Oats	28	to	29
Wheat, white	80	to	82
Wheat, red	84	to	86
Barley	20	to	30
Peas	56	to	56
Butter	14	to	15
Eggs, fresh	12	to	12
Potatoes bag	50	to	50
Pork	500	to	5 75
Hay per ton	5 00	to	6 00
Hides	7 00	to	7 00
Sheepskins	25	to	50
Geese	6	to	6
Turkeys	9	to	9
Chickens per pair	20	to	30
Ducks per pair	40	to	60
Wool	17	to	20

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