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RAILWAY IS WINNER

Judge Ramsay Renders Decision in Suits Brought by Sears.

IMPORTANT VICTORY FOR COMPANY

Temporary Injunction Granted by Master Against Village Stands.

The questions at issue between the village of Sears and the Tri-City Railway company which resulted in the argument of two motions for injunctions early in the present term of court have been decided by Judge Ramsay, before whom they were argued, in favor of the company. The finding of the judge was filed here today.

One of the motions argued was made by the counsel for the village for a dissolution of the temporary injunction granted by Master in Chancery Entriken at the time that the citizens of the village tore up the track across the Twelfth street road, restraining them from a further molestation of the property of the company. The other was also made by the counsel for the village and prayed an injunction to prevent the company from operating its cars in the village limits. Both were argued at the same time and both were taken under advisement by the judge. Today it was learned that the motion for the dissolving of the injunction in force had been overruled and the petition for the other had been refused.

Decision Important One. This is considered an important victory for the company in its bearing upon the other suits now pending with the villages of Sears and Milan. Of course, the plaintiffs may take an appeal, but that will require time, and it is doubtful if the people of Sears will be willing to back up a prolonged fight for the amount that is at stake. The company is represented in the case by Jackson, Hurst & Stafford, while Kenworthy & Kenworthy are conducting the case of the village.

Opinion of Court. The court holds that as to the question raised by the village that no notice was given for the renewal of the franchise, that no notice was necessary because that law requiring notice applied only in cases where it was an original construction of the road, and not where it was a renewal of a franchise, and that this same question is involved as to the petition of the abutting land owners. That no petition was necessary in case of a renewal.

The court holds that the ordinance was legally passed; that it received three votes of the four trustees in the village board; that the words, "in the village board," applied to trustees, who were then members of the village board, and that the vote that the ordinance obtained of three for and one against was a legal vote, when there were only four members in the village board.

The court also holds that the Tri-City Railway company is a railroad within the meaning of the law of 1897, and that it is excepted from its terms.

Power to Extend Franchise. The court also holds that the village board had power to extend the franchise at any time before the expiration of the old license.

And on the contention that the village board had no power to extend the franchise to a foreign corporation, the court holds that such a question is not properly involved in these injunction suits.

EVIDENCE OF THE DEFENSE IN THE SENSIBAUGH CASE

The Sensibaugh case was at once taken up on the convening of court yesterday afternoon and E. J. Delano, principal of the Orion schools; Charles Riebig, of this city; Miss Nannie Sullivan and Julius Linke, of Port Byron, were examined as witnesses. Mr. Delano testified that he had seuffed with the plaintiff last winter and that he had not noticed anything the matter with his arm or leg. Mr. Riebig was called as an electrical expert and testified that the machine used in giving the plaintiff a shock in the process of initiation would produce a current of from 30 to 25 volts. Miss Sullivan and Mr. Linke were members of the Port Byron lodge at the time of the initiation and defendants in the suit.

There was no session of the circuit court this morning, business being suspended to permit attendance at the funeral of Mrs. S. D. Cleland. This afternoon the taking of evidence for the defense in the Sensibaugh case was resumed. The first witness placed on the stand was Dr. H. N. Moyer, who holds a chair at Rush Medical college, and who was formerly here on the same case. He went on as an expert to testify concerning the effect of electricity upon the human system. The defense has considerable evidence yet to introduce and the case is expected to last till the end of the week.

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FIRST ICE OF THE SEASON IS FORMED LAST NIGHT

Ice formed last night for the first time this fall and Oct. 14 will be set down as the date of the first killing frost in the season of 1902. Had it not been for a southerly wind that set in during the night and helped to moderate the temperature the mercury would have been found at a considerably lower point this morning than it was.

PERSONAL POINTS

Rev. T. J. Johnston, of Edgington, was in the city today.

Mrs. Arthur Jackson, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Morris Rosenfield.

Miss Fay Warren has returned to the city, after visiting a month with her sister, Mrs. J. Paul Duffin, in Morrison.

Maj. C. McD. Townsend returned this morning from St. Louis and left at once for Chicago to be present today at a meeting of government engineers.

Sheriff and Mrs. L. F. Cralle returned last evening from Washington, where they attended the national encampment of the G. A. R. and U. V. U. last week.

Hotel Arrivals—Harper House: J. H. Pugh, Chicago; J. H. Richford, Peoria; H. M. Sherman, Peoria; M. J. Gates, Clinton; F. M. Lewis, Chicago; F. D. Tucker, Chicago; J. Eisman, Baltimore; J. Thomas H. Eustace, Chicago; H. B. Simon, Chicago; E. J. King, Chicago; S. F. Dudley, Chicago; James McCartney, Chicago; James Wilson, Des Moines; P. B. Smith, Chicago; Jessie Bridger, Hopewell; O. B. Thompson, Denver; Charles Gill, Muncie, Ind.; A. Palmer, St. Louis; W. A. Ains, Chicago; E. L. Coman, Chicago; H. V. Reisen, New York; E. P. Greer, East Moline; Miss H. Kaufman, Chicago; F. W. Joers, Chicago; D. T. Whealan, Chicago; C. S. Edward, Peoria; W. M. Behman, New York; R. Wagner, Chicago; R. Steel, New York; C. C. Weed, Chicago; P. A. Laxalle, St. Paul; F. Gilch, Cleveland; S. C. Pumph St. Louis; George A. Cooke, Aledo, Ill.; G. L. Cleaveland, Prophetstown, Ill.; L. C. Welch, Chicago; Dr. A. L. Craig, Chicago; George H. Dunham, Chicago; P. C. Hale, Chicago; A. M. Downing, Chicago; Samuel Gordon, New York; J. G. Rollson, Freeport; George W. Temple, New York; W. C. Penn, Chicago; Albert Gilliz, Peoria; L. J. Lenhardt, New York; H. J. Brockenhoff, Chicago; E. Shaeffer, Chicago; John Cotter, Sterling, Iowa; R. F. Ketchum, Chicago; W. O. Phillips, Chicago; C. A. Rosengreen, New York; H. M. Cooley, Chicago; P. M. Vermas, Chicago; R. J. Henry, Rockford; W. Bailey, Detroit; J. E. Russell, Chicago; H. J. Viermas, Chicago; W. J. Bailey, Detroit; J. E. Runner, Chicago; H. H. Fenimore, Chicago; A. S. King, New York; W. W. Newhall, Kansas City; C. S. Saunders, Council Bluffs; M. B. Biney, New York; R. Levitt, Chicago; J. F. McBride, Chicago; H. E. Cobb, Chicago; Thomas R. Keyes, Chicago; George S. Salem, Oshkosh; G. W. Butters, Minneapolis; Harold A. Moyer, Chicago; W. M. Simpson, Chicago; Benjamin D. Smith, Mankato; R. D. Hurley, Chicago; Lee Levi, Chicago; Adolph Kohn, Chicago; D. D. Spear, Chicago; J. C. Moon, St. Louis; C. R. Crawford, St. Louis; L. W. Berry, Beardstown; T. L. Smith, Beardstown. Rock Island House, Harry W. Hill, Cable; R. T. Hams, St. Louis; C. W. Jackson, Chicago; W. H. Stokes, New York; William S. Block, M. D., Port Byron; John Schaefer, Port Byron; F. N. Cunningham, Alexandria; M. J. Evans, Milwaukee; J. P. M. North, Chicago; Frank Donnelly, Springfield, Ill.; M. McCartney, Reynolds; W. G. Davis, Reynolds; W. E. Winkler, Orville, Ohio; G. Storms, Clinton; C. E. Grove, Mt. Carroll; H. W. Long, Chicago; O. D. Becker, Chicago; J. C. Swank, Coal Valley; T. J. Murphy, Coal Valley; Thomas Hudson, Galva; H. E. Timothy, Perry, N. Y.; J. S. Dray, Wheatland, Iowa; D. H. Weimer, Barstow; C. Greenwood, Dayton, Ohio; W. H. Hyde, Guadalupe, Mexico.

Financial Condition. In the financial report is shown total receipts of \$4,914.38, including subscriptions amounting to \$1,289.35 paid, and \$240 unpaid. The balance Oct. 1 was 96 cents and the expenditures included \$118.40 for improvements, \$464.29 for repairs and \$420.33 in the new boys' department. The current indebtedness at the end of the year amounted to \$10,938.95, which, less the \$2,600 bequeathed by the late J. F. Robinson, will be reduced to \$8,338.95. It is stated that the sum of \$1,500 is needed in addition to the above amount to expend on repairs, and the cooperation of the public is asked in a scheme for the raising of \$10,000 by Jan. 1.

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RETAIL MERCHANTS DISCUSS PROPOSED RAILWAY LOOP

The Rock Island Retail Merchants' association held its regular meeting last evening, transacting nothing but routine business. Some time was spent in discussing the proposed loop of the Tri-City railway to the bluff district and the matter will probably be taken up again after the ordinance is presented to the city council.

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SELECT DIRECTORS

Members of Young Men's Christian Association Have Annual Meeting.

FIVE TO FILL BOARD VACANCIES

Officers to be Elected Next Monday Evening—Secretary's Report.

The annual election of directors took place at a meeting last evening of the members of the Y. M. C. A. The following were chosen to fill vacancies on the board:

For three years—O. L. Benway, H. K. Walker, O. Yerbury, Dr. F. H. First.

For one year—H. B. Hayden. The new board will meet to organize next Monday evening.

The annual report of Secretary J. S. Freeman was presented last evening, the same being the 18th annual report of the institution. It covers one of the best years in the history of the work, although not so satisfactory from a purely financial standpoint. The work during the year just ended has been expended in new directions and everywhere willing hands have taken hold and success has been met with. The membership has also very nearly reached the 500 mark.

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Annual State Convention.

Secretary Freeman is arranging for a delegation to attend the annual state convention, which will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week at Kaukaee. Last year at Dixon the Rock Island delegation at Dixon was the largest of that from any city in the state outside of Chicago, but this year the number will not be so large on account of the greater distance and the difficulty of reaching the convention city from this point.

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34-inch damask lunch cloths, large size and new patterns, each..... **1.38**
Hemstitched damask and plain linen open work tray cloths, choice each..... **25c**

Men's Shoes \$1.69.
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Fine shirting chevots, assorted fancy patterns, 12½c quality, all week if they last, at..... **8c**
Star mills fine bleached muslin, 7½c quality at, per yard..... **5c**
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