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The Kent News.

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A PATENT QUESTION DECIDED.

A Judgment Which is of Great Importance to the Fertilizing Trade.

The following is the substance of a decision of very great importance to the fertilizing trade which was rendered by Judge Morris in the United States Circuit Court last Wednesday, a brief reference to which only has been made in the city papers. Boykin, Carmer & Co. filed a bill against R. J. Baker & Co. for an alleged infringement of patent No. 206,-077, granted the complainants July 16, 1878, for an improved fertililing compound. The respondents admit that they have been selling the same materials for fertilizing purposes in the same proportions as mentioned in the patented formula, but they claim that they had been doing so long before the date of the patent, and that the patent is invalid for want of novelty. The compound described in the patent is composed of dissolved bone, ground plaster, nitrate of soda, sulphate of soda, sulphate of ammonia, dry peat muck, unleached ashes or any refuse matter having fertilizing properties in the proportions set forth in the patent.

It was shown that a formula for a fertilizer alleged to have been prepared and published by Baron Liebig has been known and in use amongst farmers and others for twenty-five or thirty years, and that it was printed and circulated by both complainants and defendants long before the date of the patent. It is identical with the patented formula as to the ingredients, their proportions, and the directions for mixing them in every respect, except that the Liebig formula called for ground bone instead of dissolved bone, and calcined plaster instead of ground plaster. The issues raised by the pleadings and evidence were whether the formula as patented, calling for dissolved bone and ground plaster, was in public use or on sale for more than two years before March 1, 1878, the date of the application for the patent; and whether, if not so in use, or on sale, the patented formula differs from the Liebig formula in any patentable respect, and if so, whether the complainants were the inventors or discoverers of the change constituting that difference.

It was proved that there was in common use prior to March 1, 1876, very numerous formulas for fertilizers, intended to be compounded by the farmers themselves, called by the witnesses "home-fertilizers." and that these formulas differed but slightly from each other. It appears that it was the practice of dealers in chemicals to publish and draw attention to these formulas in order to get persons to buy the ingredients of them. Many of these, including the Liebig formula, were used and published by both the complainants and defendants, and in some of them ground plaster and dissolved bone were called for. There is testimony tending very strongly to establish that in compounding the Liebig formula—that is to say, in a composition in which the ingredients were to be used in the same proportions as in the Liebig formula—there were instances prior to Mar. 1, 1876, in which others than the complainants used dissolved bone instead of ground bone, and ground plaster instead of calcined plaster.

The defendants produce a written order from Parker & Watson, Warrenton, N. C., dated January 24, 1876, in obedience to which they supplied the materials in substantially the same proportions as mentioned in the Liebig formula, substituting dissolved bone for ground bone, and ground plaster for calcined plaster, and numerous instances are proved from the books of defendants immediately subsequent to March 1, 1876. Dr. Starke, of Petersburg, Va., produces a printed circular containing the formula exactly as patented, which he says is the same that he has been using since the Fall of 1875. Dr. Nicholson, of South Hampton, Va., testifies very positively that the printed circular produced by him, which is identical with the Liebig circular, except that it calls for ground plaster instead of calcined plaster, was printed and circulated by him in 1875.

That the Liebig formula was the foundation of the one patented by the complainants there can be no doubt. The ingredients, with the changes above mentioned, are the same, the directions for mixing are in the same words, and the general similarity such as could not have been accidental. The complainants of course do not claim to have discovered the merits of dissolved bone as a fertilizer, for it had been well-known for 15 or 20 years. Whenever it was that they began substituting the dissolved bone in the Liebig formula, it is very evident that they did not themselves think that they had made a discovery or had originated anything which they could claim as new. This appears conclusively from a circular they issued in 1875 or 1876, which contains the formula precisely as patented and concludes, "we do not claim it as any specialty of ours."

"It seems to me," the judge concludes, "that this disclaimer so made is entitled to great weight, and considering it in connection with all the other facts and testimony in the case, I am convinced that the change made by the complainants in the Liebig formula, even if they were the first to make it, which would appear extremely doubtful, was not the result of invention or discovery. With regard to substitution of ground plaster for calcined plaster the same considerations apply with still greater force. Indeed it appears somewhat doubtful whether any one skilled in compounding fertilizers would in 1876 have used calcined plaster in the Liebig formula. When plaster for fertilizing purposes or land plaster is mentioned, it seems to be generally understood to be ground plaster, and it certainly required no invention to make use of it in the Liebig formula."

"In my judgment the complainants' patent is invalid, and the bill must be dismissed."—*Balto. Times.*

A BURNT child fears the fire: "Will you hold my baby while I look out for my baggage?" asked a woman of a railroad employee in a Chicago depot the other day. "No," said the man, "but I will hold your baggage while you look out for your baby." He held a baby for a woman once and she never came back for it, and that was what made him so careful.

"CAN there be happiness where there is no love?" solemnly queries an author in a book on marriage. Not much happiness, perhaps, but if the girl is awfully rich, there can be lots of fun.

IT is a noticeable fact that a hog has to be killed before he is cured. This is true of two-legged-hogs as well as of quadrupeds.

BEWARE of enemies reconciled and meat twice boiled.

Spare Moment Thoughts.

1. Stars shine brightest in the darkest night.
2. A man losing his fortune will generally find himself.
3. Who never fasts, never enjoys a banquet.
4. An acorn is not an oak-tree when sprouted.
5. Men are frequently like tea—the real strength and goodness is not properly drawn out of them till they have been a short time in hot water.
6. Light another man's candle with your own.
7. Difficulties are God's errands.
8. You cannot afford to read a bad book, however good you are.
9. To believe a business impossible is the way to make it so.
10. A scratch of a pin has sometimes caused the lockjaw, so is a bad book in a good household.
11. Little and often fills the purse.
12. Moments are the golden sands of time.
13. The rose of Florida, the most beautiful of flowers, emits no fragrance; the bird of Paradise, the most beautiful of birds, gives no song; and—dandies, the shiniest of men, and ball-room belles, the loveliest of created creatures, generally have no sense.
14. Be a friend to yourself, and everybody will be your friend.
15. Talent is desirable, but perseverance should be more so.
16. They that sow to the wind shall reap the whirlwind.
17. Continual hammering will drive the nail home.
18. Like Samson, who met the roaring lion, subdued, then found honey in it.
19. He who rises with crutches will generally fall with crutches.
20. Friendship is a flower that blooms in all seasons.
21. Some refuse roast meat, and afterwards long for the smoke of it.
22. What may be done at any time will be done at no time.
23. Avoid a lie as you would a rattlesnake.
24. Habit in a child is at first like a spider's web, if neglected, it becomes a twine; next, a cord of rope; finally, a cable—then who can break it?
25. Gaze not on beauty too much, lest it blast thee; nor too long, lest it blind thee; nor too near, lest it burn thee; if virtue accompany it, it is the heart's paradise; if vice associate with it, it is the soul's purgatory; it is the wise man's bonfire, and the fool's furnace.

SCIENCE vs. CHRISTIANITY.

Tyndall calls the ultimate force in nature the inscrutable; Huxley, the unknowable; and Christianity, the infinite. All these are only negative terms, showing that there is something beyond the range of mere human conception. All these terms designate what is not known, not what is known. Job travelled along this pathway in his inquiry, "Canst thou in searching find out God?"

Consciously or unconsciously there is, after all, a wonderful agreement between the leaders in science and Christianity. It must be so. We are all in our helpless ignorance thrown back upon God and his revelations for guidance. We are but quarrying in the same great mine for truth, albeit we do not know it, or may be unwilling to recognize it. When science shall have achieved her ultimate triumps, she will be shown to be the handmaid of religion. There is "one God over all, and blessed forever."—*N. Y. Methodist.*

A FORT MADISON man went home the other evening, and found his house locked up. Getting in with considerable difficulty at the window, he found, on the table, this note from his wife: "I have gone out. You will find the door-key on one side of the door-step."

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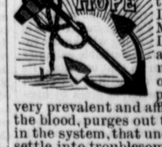

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