

**PROCEEDINGS AGAINST LEEDS TRACTION ENGINE OWNERS.**—Yesterday, at the Dewsbury West Riding Police-court, John and Henry McLaren, engineers, &c., Hunslet, were charged with neglecting to have a man in front of their traction engine in Mirfield, on the 17th inst. —Mr. Wheatley, chairman of the Mirfield Local Board, stated that on the day in question the engine belonging to the defendants came down a lane on the public road, which for a time was quite obstructed.—Defendants pleaded guilty, and were fined 20s. and costs.