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BUSINESS — LONDON STORES.

LEGAL BATTLE TO TAKE OVER

THEIR PROPERTY AT 267-269 LONSDALE STREET

PROPERTY BEING OCCUPIED BY Mrs A. WILSON

AN ESTATE AGENT

LEGAL BATTLE FOR PREMISES

LONDON STORES LOSES

SECOND ROUND

—Because wrong person
proceeded against

London Stores failed in an application to Dandenong Court on Friday against Mrs. Annie Ellen Wilson, estate agent, to gain possession of that part of their premises occupied by her in Lonsdale Street.

A fortnight ago the company failed in a similar application against Alex Decker, butcher.

The company was represented by Mr. J. Gray (instructed by Hedderwicke, Fookes and Alston) and defendant by Mr. R. Brookling (instructed by Evans, Rockman and Co.).

Mr. Gray said London Stores sought possession of part of the premises it bought in Lonsdale St. some time ago. Mrs. Wilson occupied the shop and two rooms behind at 267-269. Although the company failed in its application to get possession of the other part of the premises occupied by Mr. Decker, butcher, it had since made strenuous efforts to obtain other premises for him, but without success. A lease of a shop in Walker Arcade had been obtained and this was available to Mrs. Wilson at £8 per week, and they were prepared to pay her £500 if she vacates the present premises in three months.

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