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PINKERTONS IN FOR IT.

Congress Thinks the Detective Agency Needs Investigating.

AN INQUIRY TO BE ENTERED UPON.

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THE SENATE TACKLES A MESSAGE

WASHINGTON, May 12 .- At last the House has adopted a resolution for the investigation of the Pinkerton Agency. The threat made yesterday by Mr. Watson, of Georgia, that he would object to all requests for unanimous consent was carried out this morning. A request made by Mr. Sayers, of Texas, that a Senate private bill remain upon the Speaker's table for the present ran up against his objection, as did likewise Mr. Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, who made a similar request.

Mr. Oates, of Alabama, as a privileged question, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported back a substitute for the Watson Pinkerton detective investigating resolution. The substitute recites the allegation that a certain organization known as the Pinkerton Detectives has been employed unlawfully and to the detriment of the public by the railroad corporations engaged in the transportation of United States mails and inter-State commerce, and directs the Cominter-state commerce, and directs the Com-mittee on Judiciary to investigate the said Pinkerton detectives, the charac-ter of their employment by corporations engaged in the transportation of inter-State commerce or of United States mails, the number so employed, and whether such emnumber so employed, and whether such em-ployment has provoked a breach of the pence or caused the destruction of property, and all the material facts connected with their alleged employment. The committee is given the usual powers as to summoning witnesses, etc.

Why the Inquiry Was Demanded.

Mr. Watson said he had offered the original resolution because many people be lieved the Pinkerton Agency is a standing body of armed militia. He cited the in-stance of the New York Central strike. At that time these men shot down, in Albany, men, women and children who were non-combatants. The Governor of New York had said that the State authorities could have preserved the peace; the Mayor of Albany had said the municipal authorities could have done so. He was in favor of law and order.

If the authorities could preserve the peace, Congress wanted to know it; if they could not, Congress wanted to know it, in order that it might strengthen their hands. He was as much opposed to the maintenance of a standing army by labor as by capital. Let the House find out what this Pinkerton Agency really was—whether it deserved to be restrained, not in the interest of labor as labor, or of strikers as strikers, but in the interest of citizens, whether laborers or capitalists—in the interest of peace and society.

Opposition to the Investigation,

Mr. E. B. Taylor, of Ohio, opposed the resolution. No reason had been presented why the House should make the investigation. It had not been alleged that there was any interference with inter-State com-merce. If the Pinkerton detectives had killed persons they should be governed by the law of the State where the act was done It was not the affair of the general Government. He protested against the interfer-ence of Congress in State affairs. Whatever wrong had been done had been a wrong of that kind, which was exclusively within the jurisdiction of the State courts. Mr. Scott, of Illinois, thought the inquiry

was an eminently proper one. He believed there had been times when inter-State commerce had been paralyzed through the action of these men

Mr. Simpson, of Kansas, said the House

tended to the City of Paris and the City New York. The China is a steamship of 5,000 tons, built in Glasgow in 1889. She plies between San Francisco and China, in the Pacific Mail Line, but flies the British

thag. Mr. Call offered a resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Re-lations, requesting the President to open negotiations with the Government of Spain for the purpose of inducing that Govern-ment to consent to the establishment in the idead of Cohe of a fer and inducendent ment to consent to the establishment in the island of Cuba of a free and independent Republic, such consent to be given on pay-ment by Cuba to the Government of Spain of a sum of money as may be equivalent, both to the value of the public property belonging to Spain in the island and to the relinquishment of her sovereign rights; also, for the negotiation of a treaty to se-cure such material commercial advantages as may be agreed upon. as may be agreed upon.

Harrison's Message Considered,

The message of the President on the subject of an international conference on bi-metalism was taken up and Mr. Peffer ad-dressed the Senate. He declared his con-viction that if the voters who favored free viction that if the voters who havored free silver coinage would combine to secure that result they would be surely successful. They would secure a majority of members of the House, who would have the courage of their convictions, a majority in the Senate and a President who would not threaten a veto in advance of Congressional action

action, The naval appropriation bill was then taken up. It was not till 39 pages of the bill had been read, with hardly a break, that any important amendment was reached, and that was one to insert an item of \$50,000 toward the expenses of the international need readersons and raying in connection naval rendezvous and review in connection with the World's Columbian Exposition. Mr. McPherson asked Mr. Hale-in charge of the bill-whether \$50,000 would

be sufficient for the purpose. "No," said Mr. Hale, "not by any means; but it is all that can be expended for the

present. The Secretary of the Navy thought it would cover all he needed for the present. Next winter there would be more needed. The amendment was agreed to without discussion. The bill went over until tomorrow, and the Senate, after a brief executive session, adjourned.

DR. PURVES RESIGNS

The Pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church to Accept a Professorship in the Princeton Theological Seminary-His Congregation Regrets His Depart-

A meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church was held in the chapel for the purpose of considering the resignation of Dr. Purves. Mr. John W. Chalfant was called to the chair and Mr. H.

C. Westervelt was elected secretary. Doctor Purves stated that it was out of a deep sense of duty to the best interests of the work of the church at large that he felt it incumbent upon him to accept the posi-tion offered him by the Princeton Theological Seminary. He had carefully considered the question in all its bearings and could come to no other conclusion but that the field of labor opened before him was the one for which he had been prepared by the Master, and that it was on this ground—that of duty to the whole Church—that he asked his people here to release him, and, however

reluctantly, yet cordially agree with him in making such request to Presbytery. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The members of the First Pres-byterian Church and congregation have this day been asked by our pastor, Rev. George T. Purves, D. D., to unite with him in re-questing the Presbytery of Pittsburg to dis-solve the relation now existing between him and this church, stating that as a loyal ser-vant of Jesus Christ he feels himself bound in duty to accept the position recently ten-dered to him by the Directors of Princeton Theological Seminary, and, further hearing from him that it is his earnest desire that, however reluctantly, we should yet cor-dially agree with him in making said request to Presbytery; therefore, Resolved, That as a mark of our affection for him, and in response nlone to his ex-presed wishes, we do as a congregation unite WHEREAS. The members of the First Pres

for him, and in response alone to his ex-presed wishes, we do as a congregation unite with him and make the request asked for, stating, however, to Presbytery, that our entire congregation, younger and older, church members and non-communicants, view this departure from among us with the most sincere regret. We would keep him if we could, almost against his strongly ex-pressed convictions of duty, but it is ours to yield, and we heartily, though sorrowfally, bid him God speed to his new field of labor. We have spent six very happy years to-gether as pastor and people (disturbed occa-sionally from without, but never from within), the remembrance of which, we are sure, will for both him and us, brighten all our future years, and sweeten coming toil until earthly days are over, and we lay all burdens down at the feet of the Good Shep-herd.

DELIA CAIN IS FREE. A Jury Acquits the Pretty Prisoner of Murdering Her Child. INSANITY ENTERED AS A PLEA.

PITTSBURG

The Young Girl Freaks Down When the Verdict Is Returned.

ALL THE NEWS OF THE COURTS

The case of Delia Cain, charged with the murder and concealment of a new born male child in Millvale, went to the jury shortly before 6 o'clock last evening, and at 8 o'clock a verdict of acquittal was returned. The defendant is only 17 years of age. The body was found in the rear of Samuel

Murphy's property in Millvale. The little one had a garter tied twice around its neck, and it was supposed to have been strangled. The parentage was traced to Miss Cain. Dr. A. K. Lyon, Dr. G. T. Mac Cord, Mr. Murphy, Miss Cain, the defendant, and a few others constituted the list of witnesses, Messra McGeary and Braddock defended the girl, and Assistant District Attorney

The question of insanity was raised as a defense, on the ground that both parents of

Judge Slagle in charging the jury said there were three important points for the jury to consider. First, was the child born alive? If so, did the defendant destroy its life, and third, was there malice? The Court expressed an opinion that there could not be a first degree verdict. There were also no elements of man-slaughter, so that with respect to the killing of the child Judge Slagle intimated that the verdict must either be one of second de-gree or acquittal. When insanity is set up as a defense, His Honor said the burden of proof is on the defendant to prove that in-sanity existed at the time of the commis-sion of the crime. It was for the jury to say whether or not this had been done. Might Be Guilty of a Minor Offense. Judge Slagle in charging the jury said

In regard to the fourth count of the indictment, it made no difference whether Delia Cain had killed her child or not, if she concealed its death, she was guilty of an offense punishable under the statutes of Pennsylvania. Judge Single announced to the jury that he would convene court again at 7:30, to take the verdict, providing they decided upon one.

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filed in court yesterday. It was filed by George B Preston, trustee of Carroll P.



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Moses Dean. Dean is a hotel keeper in Har-rison township, and, it is alleged, sold the husband of Mrs. Graham drinks which caused his death. We only keep the best makes in A BILL in equity was filed yesterday by black from 38c, 50c, 75c to \$1; also Cardinal, Tan and Gray new style A black McGregor and John Peterman against the People's Natural Gas Company, They asked for an injunction to restrain the company from laying a pipe line through their farm in Penn township, A prelimi-nary injunction was granted. Silk Gloves at 50c a pair-excellent nary injunction was granted. A BILL in equity was fied yesterday by Cavanagh Bros, against F. B. Smith and the Smith Manufacturing Company. The plain-tiffs state that they held the sole agency for Pittsburg and vicinity for the sale of house-hold articles patented by Smith. The de-fendants, however, sold direct to customers in the plaintiffs' district, and they want them restrained from so doing.

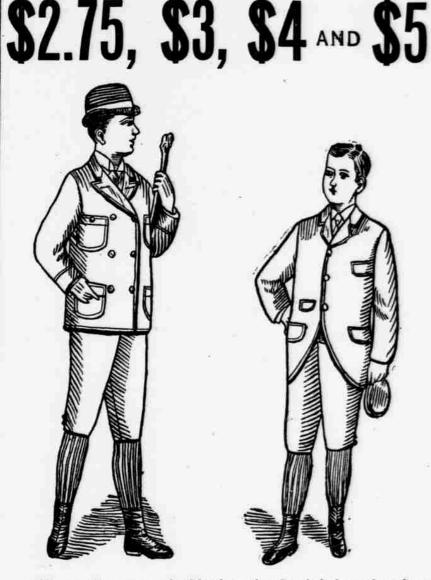




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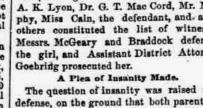


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Miss Cain were of unsound mind. Mr. Mc-Geary in addressing the jury made a very sympathetic plea for the liberation of the defendant. Mr. Goehringasked for a second legree verdict.

Might Be Guilty of a Minor Offense.

the verdict, providing they decided upon one. It was 8 o'clock when the jury came in with a verdict of "not guilty." The prisoner, who was so weak from the excitement that she had not been able to walk without as-sistance, sat quictly for a moment after the verdict was given, and then burst into tears. Her friends were there, and it was some little time before she was in condition to be taken away. The girl has been practically alone in the world, but it is understood that a good home has been found for her. The jurors were greatly interested in the prisoner, and it was plain that her extreme youth and the hard circumstances surround-ing her past life had induced them to bring in the verdict that released her from any further punishment for her act.

A Trustee Wants to Pay Money to Two Young Beneficiaries. etition in an unusual transaction was

Davis and Nellie F. Davis. It states that in 1888 M. A. Preston, H. M. Preston, Lizzie D. Schoyer and the petitioner made an agree-

ment creating a fund for their nephew and niece, Carroli P. and Nellie F. Davis. Each contributed \$3,000, and it was placed in the hands of the trustee to invest. When Car-roll P. Davis became 24 years of age and Nellie Davis 21 years each was to receive half of the fund. In case of the death of one the other got all. Both have arrived at the age, and the trustee now files his peti-tion asking leave to pay the money over to the pair and be discharged from his trust. PLEADED GUILTY IN BULK. Twenty Oleomargarine Dealers Waive a Trial in Court, Twenty of those who have been indicted or the illegal sale of oleomargarine in various parts of the county pleaded guilty be-

fore Judge Collier yesterday. The remain-der of the 242 indicted were given until Satder of the 242 indicted were given until sat-urday to make up their minds as to what they want to do. Unless they plead guilty they will be placed on trial Monday next. Those who have pleaded guilty or may yet do so, will not be sentenced until the Su-preme Court has passed on the constitu-tionality of the law, which will be raised in cases to be taken up.

DISPATCH, FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1892.

tionality of the law, which will be raised in cases to be taken up. Those who pleaded guilty were: F. C. Ed-wards, Matthias Henke, Joseph Zenger, J. L. Ackerman, Catharine Shannon, Caroline Wilson, Sophia Breitweiser, J. Y. Canghey, W. D. Chisholm, H. Coleman, Wm. Cadman, John L. Hahn, R. S. Hemiup, Park Painter, Jacob Painter, Jr., Edward Kenna, Mrs. C. W. Roberts, A. P. Coak, John Leonard and Emma Sayers.

To-Day's Trial Lists.

Common Pleas No. 1-Miller vs McConnell etal; Ewing vs Springer; Knowles vs Sheffler; Conts vs Byers; Floyd & Son **e**s Seibert; Pfeil vs Kohen.

Common Pleas No. 2-Harrison vs Mo-Keesport Borough; Ekendorver vs Philadelphia Company; Montgomery vs McGin-niss; Overman Wheel Company vs Banker;

niss; Overman Wheel Company vs Banker; McCormick et al vs Taylor; Peiper vs Ains-worth et al; Bole vs Bole; McKelvey vs Demmler; Lewis vs Ratigan. Common Pleas No. 3 – Whitehouse vs Whitehouse; Hill, administrator, vs United Life and Accident Insurance Association; Krouse vs Whiteman; Glass vs Philadelphia Company et al; McCoy vs Philadelphia Com-pany et al; Kenney et al vs Wolf, Jr.; Gund-isch vs Wolinski; Ritchie vs Kindlin; Gluske vs Zerbe; Wagner Bros. vs Chalfant. Criminal Court-Commonwealth vs John Timothy, J. J. Richards, August Danner (2), W. H. Walker (2), Charles Suter (2), C. Reinhardt (2), Richard Kroesen (2), George A. Nye (2), A. L. Nye (2), Joseph Ryan, J. D. Lupher (4), C. J. Cassity, Matthew Best, J. Geib, George Dark, J. R. Woodlock, W. E. Howley, Alex, Sayers (2)

Shelton against C. Logan, an action for dam-ages for the alleged refusal to give posses-sion of premises rented by the plaintiffs.

A vession for \$300 was rendered for the plaintiff in the case of Jane Graham vs

them restrained from so doing.

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The Hum of the Courts

H. A. F. BRIGGAN was convicted of embez zlement before Judge Collier yesterday in selling some machinery and refusing to turn over the money. A NON SUIT was entered against the plaint iffs in the case of John Clark and C. W. quality guaranteed the best.

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had been investigating everything that was suggested, but here, when the laboring class appealed to it, asking if there was any way that Congress could put down this band of assassins, gentlemen shielded them-selves behind the Constitution. After further debate the resolution was

adopted. Burrows Makes Quite a Point.

The House then went into committee of the whole, Mr. Lester, of Georgia, in the of the whole, Mr. Lester, of Georgia, in the chair, on the sundry civil appropriation bill. Mr. Burrows, of Michigan, made the point of order against the proviso that all articles imported for the use of the light-house establishment shall be admitted free of date. It seemed to bin to be the head of duty. It seemed to him to be the beginaning of an effort to revise the tariff on an appropriation bill. It wasn't germane to the subject matter of the bill, and the Committee on Appropriations had no juris-diction of the tariff.

The chair sustained Mr. Burrows, and ruled the proviso out of order. Mr. Reed, of Maine, moved to increase the appropriation for the lighthouse establishment from \$370,000 to \$408,000. Mr. Reed said the bill as reported appropriated \$370,000 plus the duty, or in all, \$408,000. This was exactly what his amendment proposed. Mr. Holman hoped the increase would

not be made. Mr. Reed inquired whether the gentle-

man had not approved the bill as reported. Mr. Holman declined to state.

Reed Insists on His Stand,

Mr. Reed again suggested that his amendment did not increase the appropriation as n ade by the original bill.

Mr. Holman did not care whether it did or not. He believed that the appropriation in the bill was sufficient, and he hoped that it would not be increased.

Mr. Reed said the gentleman from Indi-ana had declined to state whether he ap-proved the bill as reported. If he had not approved it he would have said so. Therefore the committee has his economical ap-proval of the proposition he (Mr. Reed) had made. He sincercly hoped that the committee would follow the gentleman in his first proposition, and not in his desire to keep his totals where they were.

On a division the vote stood 42 to 101. Mr. Burrows made the point of no quorum, but in the course of a quarter of an hour a quorum appeared, and the amendment was rejected.

On motion of Mr. Sayers, of Texas, the appropriation for the Life Saving Service was increased \$21,000. The proviso that none of the money appropriated for estab-lishing life saving stations shall be used for World's Columbian Exposition was amended by adding that such a station may be erected if a site therefor is first donated to the United States, as long as it shall be devoted to the uses of the station.

Some Sarcasm on Both Sides.

Mr. Butler, of Iowa, charged the Repub-licans with violating the rules by remaining in their seats and not voting.

in their seats and not voting. Mr. Reed made one of his caustic speeches in which he criticised the Democrats for making no explanation of the reductions they proposed. If the people knew of these performances they would soon put a stop to them. But, unfortunately, if there was anything the people of the country did not think much about, it was the House of Rep-resentatives. [Laughter.] That could be seen by the hands that they put it in. The argument in favor of the reduction was argument in favor of the reduction was argument in ravor of the reduction was brute force. The Democrats had three to the Republicans one. That was the only reason for the reduction. The committee, pending further action, rose, and the House adjourned.

A Pretense of Work in the Senate. Among the bills introduced in the Senate to-day, were the following.

By Mr. Dawes-Authorizing the Presi-dent to proclaim a general holiday com-memorating the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America, October 12,

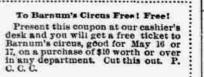
By Mr. Hiscock-To encourage American shipbuilders, extending to the steamship China the same privileges as have been ex-

herd. The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to secure a new pastor: Thomas P. Day, C. E. Rumsey, James Laughlin, Jr., Samuel Ewart, Colonel William A. Robinson, Charles E. Speer, William C. Lilley.

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