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YOU WILL KICK YOURSELF IF YOU SHOULD FAIL TO READ "A STUDY IN SCARLET."

SHOT TO KILL MAN WHO HAD EMPLOYED HIM

Anthony Ferrer Meant to Do Desperate Work with His Revolver. THREE MEN ARE WOUNDED BY HIM

The Bullets Were Intended for Timothy Burke, of the Firm of Burke Bros., Contractors, but Deputy Sheriff Humphrey Bradley and Joseph Chapman Each Received One--Burke Shot in the Hand--Ferrer Captured After an Exciting Chase--Talk of Lynching--The Would-Be Murderer Dragged Out of the Infuriated Crowd and Placed Under Arrest.

GOLD RESERVE TO BE INTACT

Conclusion Reached After Discussion by the Senate Finance Committee.

FULL AUTHORITY EXISTS BY LAW

Whatever Deficiency in the Revenues May Exist During the Current Fiscal Year, Will Be Promptly Provided for by Appropriate and Efficient Legislation at the Earliest Practicable Moment, Declares Mr. Voorhees.

DE GAMA'S POSITION IS CRITICAL

His Forces Are Without Fresh Water and Five Torpedo Boats Will Soon Confront Him.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The admission of Admiral Da Gama contained in the dispatches from Rio Janeiro published this morning regarding the possible length of time which the insurgents in the bay of Rio can hold out under existing conditions, are confirmed by advices received in Washington.

WHO ANTHONY FERRER IS

The would-be murderer is a man about 30 years of age, unmarried, and has been in this country for the past three years, and has a fair command of the English language. He is a native of Italy and apparently a man of nervous, impulsive temperament. His home is at Moosic.

IN OUR OWN COMMONWEALTH

Pittsburg had women barbers. Stab wounds received on Christmas day resulted fatally to John Lee, Shamokin. Dr. Weatherill declares that wife-sterling Shurtledge is undoubtedly insane.

GRINDING A SACRED GRIST

Great Precautions Taken in Making Flour for Passover Bread.

ACTIVE WORK IN CONGRESS

Tariff Was the Principal Topic Under Discussion in Both Houses.

MANY AMENDMENTS ARE PASSED

A Pennsylvanian Introduces a Bill Providing That no Alien Emigrant Shall be Admitted to the United States Unless He Shall Have a Certificate Signed by the United States Consul Setting Forth That the Emigrant Does Not Belong to the Class of Alien Immigrants Excluded from the United States and Does Not Come Under Contract or Agreement to Perform Labor.

SENATOR WILSON'S SUCCESSOR

Some Facts in the Career of Senator-Elect John H. Gear.

DES MOINES, Jan. 16.—John H. Gear, who was nominated by Monday night's Republican caucus to succeed James F. Wilson as United States senator from Iowa, has been a leading figure in politics for many years.

SAYS IT WAS A COMPASS

Pedagogue Joyce Denies Having Flourished a More Deadly Weapon. He Still Holds the Fort.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH

Eastern capitalists plan to invest \$12,000,000 in Sioux City, Mo. The American Physicians' and Surgeons' congress will meet in Washington, May 29.

THE DIVISION ENCAMPMENT

Generals Snowden and Greenleaf Select the Ground at Gettysburg. GETTYSBURG, Jan. 16.—Adjutant General Greenleaf and Major General Snowden, commanders of the Pennsylvania National Guard, were today inspecting the ground which will be occupied by the division at its encampment next summer.

RIVER AND RAILROAD MEN TO STOP

Unanimous Rate Is Paid There Will Be a Great Strike.

WASHINGTON NEWS NOTES

Acting Secretary Curtis has disallowed the claim of Miss Phoebe Cousins for \$6,000 salary as secretary of the lady board of managers of the World's Fair commission.

BRISK BATTLE WITH ANARCHISTS

Eight Persons Altogether Were Killed and a Number Were Wounded.

AVERTED A HUG BY A PISTOL

Two Tramps Routed by a Plucky Schoolmarm.

BOWDEN PLAYS HIS LAST CARD

He Makes a Final Appeal in Behalf of Corbett and Mitchell, but to No Effect.

SEVERAL NOTEWORTHY DEATHS

Major William B. Negley, at Pittsburg. George Polindner, editor at Lansing, Mich.

SALARIES WITHOUT ANY WORK

Schenck County Commissioners Refuse to Give Auditors the Books.

INCOME-TAX BILL CONSIDERED

About Two-Thirds of the Original Measure Adopted by the Committee.

BOLD BURGLARY AT WYOMING

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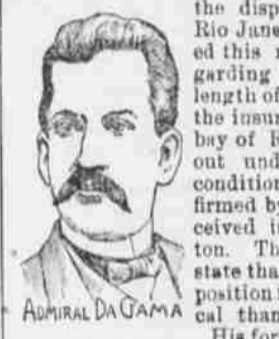
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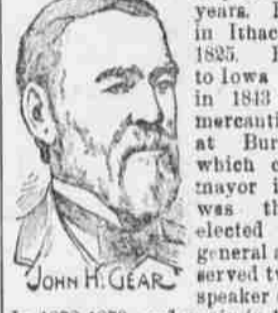
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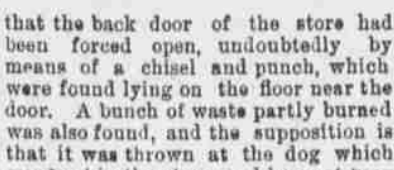
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ADMIRAL DA GAMA



JOHN H. GEAR



J. T. BOWDEN

Major William B. Negley, at Pittsburg. George Polindner, editor at Lansing, Mich.

Ex-State Senator George Z. Erwin, of Potsdam, N. Y.

Herman Siegel, editor-in-chief, of the Milwaukee Abend Post, aged 53.

At Saratoga, N. Y., Thomas B. Carroll, an old-time Democrat and ex-journalist, aged 78.

General Nelson Taylor, ex-congressman and soldier, at his home in South Norwalk, Conn., aged 75.

Robert H. Carter, 65 years old, the founder of daily journalism in Burlington, at Riverton, N. J.

William B. Mount, a wealthy investor and well known politician of Perth Amboy, N. J., at the age of 76.

At Auburn, N. Y., Nelson Beardsley, millionaire and oldest bank president of the United States, aged 90.

Nicholas Andre, ex-member of Pennsylvania legislature; John Houck, Warwick township's oldest resident, aged 87, and John Gearing, aged 90, of Emmaus, Pa., all died of grip.

Augustus G. Richey, 75 years old, of Trenton, N. J., deceased was a director of the Bound Brook railroad, and one of the best known lawyers in the state. He was largely interested in coal and mining industries in Pennsylvania, and leaves an estate valued at \$1,000,000.

OUR TRANS-ATLANTIC COUSINS. Drought has ruined the corn crop in Argentina.

Bomb-thrower Vaillant will be executed Feb. 5 if his appeal is dismissed.

Franco proposes to convert her 4 1/2 per cent. bonds into 3 1/2 per cent.

Fifty-ton guns will be used on the new English battleship, instead of 67-ton monsters.

Four bullets fired from his own revolver ended the life of Julius Schulz, of New York, at a Berlin hotel.

Belgium's Ministerial crisis is over, Prime Minister Beernaert having won his point on the anti-trust bill.

Found guilty of libelling Capriotti, Maximilian Harden, the Bismarckian editor of the Berlin Zukunft, was fined \$125.

Paris Figaro says the sion of Mrs. Estlin, wife of the American ambassador, will be the most brilliant of the season.

Coming direct from Galveston, the British steamer Rinsbury is the first cotton-laden vessel to enter the Manchester (Eng.) ship canal.

Eighty young men, members of the (Indiana) secret society, whose founder, Mr. W., was recently assassinated, are on trial at Frank, seventy-seven for treason and three for killing Mr. W.

WEATHER FORECAST. CLEAR. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Forecast for Wednesday: For eastern Pennsylvania, generally fair, with a few showers, probably cloudy and threatening Wednesday night, winds shifting to east and slightly colder.