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The mayor of Scranton has a good many powers, but not even he can remove a man for cause without specifying the cause.

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The Manufacturer of Philadelphia, representing the manufacturing interests of the state, announces that on the occasion of the Pan-American conference of the Philadelphia Commercial museum, which will draw to this city delegates from Mexico, and nearly all the South and Central American republics, it will publish a special international edition, consisting of 50,000 copies or more and containing a special report of the proceedings of this important meeting.

Governor Bradley, of Kentucky, threatens to pardon every juvenile criminal now in jail or hereafter to be put there if the legislature does not provide a suitable reformatory.

Mr. Wanamaker now explains that he didn't aim at McKinley at all, but at the "dwelling senate." Yet we cannot believe that he would spurn a senate seat.

The whole amount of it is that our kindness and forbearance have been wasted upon the Spaniard, and it is time to try another kind of treatment.

Gossip at the Capital

Reading the various proposals which are appearing in the daily newspapers, announcing with apparent "official authority" the policy the president has formulated in relation to Cuba, one can foresee that the day of censorship of the press is not far distant.

There is one of these familiar "no president who solemnly announces that the president has determined upon his Cuban policy, that as a matter of form he will await the report of Commissioner Calhoun, and then he will at once address a note to the Spanish government, suggesting that the Cubans be permitted to purchase their independence—that is, pay for the possession of a God-given right in cold cash.

An anti-tipping crusade would entail the hearty support of thousands of Americans. For centuries the Old World have cultivated the obsequious spirit that takes a tip as a necessary gratuity, even when no real service has been rendered.

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Cuba, who seem to have been as savage as the most savage of the Spaniards here, and that since are being taken to relieve the organization of their membership, it is alleged that the cruelties of Spanish members of the order in Cuba, which have been reported in the newspapers are but a moiety of the truth.

Commissioner Calhoun is not earning laurels in the opinion of the administration by his first days at Havana. It is thought to be very curious that he should have passed two or three days in rather sportive performances, at Spanish dinners, and the Spanish Casino of evenings.

Broker Chapman is in the district jail, and does not seem to be in a very good mood. Indeed, he remarked to a visitor that he seemed to have been born for that sort of life, meaning not that he was born to consort with criminals and to be shut in a dungeon, but that it is his liking to be coddled and pampered and fed on the best the market affords.

TO TIP OR NOT TO TIP. From the Syracuse Post.

The practice of tipping has grown in this country enormously in the last few years. In some localities it has almost reached European proportions, but with the added disadvantage that much larger tips are expected and they are given without discrimination elsewhere in Europe.

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