MONDAY MORNING, JAN. 26.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

From Saturday's Evening Edition.

THE LATE HOMICIDE.

Investigation of the Coroner's Jury.

At ten o'clock Saturday morning, Coroner M'Clung proceeded to investigate the circumstances attending the murder of John M'Cormick, by Miss Elizabeth Beatty, the particulars of which we have already published.

District Attorney Kirkpatrick appeared for the Commonwealth.

The following testimony was elicited:

TESTIMONY OF DR. FARRELL.

Dr. George E. M'Cague, sworn.—Was sitting in my office, on Friday morning, when I heard the shots; I ran out and discovered Mr. Cormick standing in the alley; I ran to him, when he carried out his arm and said that Miss Beatty had shot him; I then went with him into the house; I found the deceased lying on the platform, and had him carried in and placed upon a settee.—He died in about five minutes after I first saw him. The ball, after passing through the body of the victim, penetrated the lower part of the lower lobe of the right lung. The balls were found in the body.

TESTIMONY OF MRS. MASON.

Mrs. Mason, sworn.—Was in my house on Friday morning; I heard the report of a pistol and a scuffle; I ran out to see what was the matter, but didn't pay much attention to it. The next I saw was Miss Beatty, inside the door, saying, "Squire, I give myself up." I told her to go home, and went to look how serious the accident was, and found M'Cormack lying on the platform of the entrance to the office door. Dr. M'Cague and his two friends were then with him.—The doctor feeling his pulse. We carried him and laid him on the floor, after which he was placed upon the settee, when he died in a very few minutes. I saw the pistol, but I think it was in the constable's hand.

HOW THE DECEASED WAS SHOT.

Henry Johns, sworn.—When I came into the office I asked John what was the matter; he said he was arrested. I asked him if he was going to stand trial with the girl. He said: Yes, I suppose so." I said to him, "Give bail and let the girl said to be Squire's that she was married." After the bond was signed, I said, "I suppose you are through with us." The Alderman said: "Yes." I started to go out, and just as I was turning the first step on the platform, I heard the pistol. John M'Cormack put his hand to his side, and said: "Oh, dear, I'm shot!" He fell on his side against the wall, and I got hold of him as he fell. He was the last of the three going out. When I first caught sight of Elizabeth Beatty, she was standing about three feet inside of the office door, with the pistol in her hand; it pointed toward M'Cormack. She snapped the pistol a second time, but it did not explode. M'Cormack told me about the trouble with the girl, but said he did not believe that she was in the condition she said she was in, and said he wanted her to wait and see. He did not say he would or would not marry her.

A. M. Johns, sworn.—This witness was in the office when M'Cormack and Henry Johns left. When the girl was seated in the chair with the ball, she said, yes—and at the same time she commenced taking off the glove from the right hand. Henry Johns passed out first, the witness next, and M'Cormack last. He heard the pistol shot, and on turning round saw the girl with the pistol in her hand, and then heard one through the office door. I heard no conversation between the deceased and the girl. The witness stated that he knew, as a fact, that M'Cormack had gone away, at one time, to avoid arrest.

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Officer John Barry, sworn.—Got a warrant on the 6th of December, for John McCormack; served it on the 8th; 45th ward copper works, but one of the teamsters told me that he had gone to Canada. In a couple of days after, Mrs. Beatty came to the office and stated that Mr. Cormack had gone to Canada, and said she would not see Mr. L. had permitted him to go through bribery or neglect. On Friday I heard the man was in town, and I went out with a new warrant and arrested him. When they came into the office this girl was sitting in the rocking chair. McCormack said "Lizzie, how are you?" She replied that she was the same as ever. He was answered "No," and replied that Johns was in the city, after which he started out to hunt him. While he was gone Mr. Johns came in. Then read the information to McCormack, and he acted as he had told me he would. I replied, "Sir." Mr. Johns said to him, "You are going to stand a trial." McCormack said, "Yes, I think I'll stand a trial." Mr. Johns entered the bail, and I asked her if she was satisfied. She replied, "I suppose so." Some one of the party said, "I suppose you are done with us." I said, "Yes, for the present." They left the office, or were leaving, when I heard the report of a pistol and a scuffle at the door. I don't pay much attention to it. The next I saw was Miss Beatty, inside the door, saying, "Squire, I give myself up." I told her to go home, and went to look how serious the accident was, and found McCormack lying on the platform of the entrance to the office door. Dr. McCague and his two friends were then with him.—The doctor feeling his pulse. We carried him and laid him on the floor, after which he was placed upon the settee, when he died in a very few minutes. I saw the pistol, but I think it was in the constable's hand.

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