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If Maj. McKinley invites a visitor to come in off the porch it doesn't necessarily follow that he is to go into the cabinet.

"To put to sleep," is a favorite bit of slang of the prize ring. It should be "to put to death" in some cases. This would be more striking and nearer the truth.

KENTUCKY has reached the place where her troops can frighten away a lot of robbers who are after a toll gate. Maybe with sufficient experience they can scare off a crowd that merely wants to hang a negro.

THAT daughter of Claus Spreckels who gave up her fortune of $2,000,000 because her father objected to her marriage will probably live to regret it. She will find that, in married life, $2,000,000 is a very handy thing to have in the house.

THE State of Delaware is so small as to be scarcely visible on the map, but she can raise just as much of a row as the biggest. She now has two Legislatures and enough political fights on hand to cause a revolution in a South American republic.

A WOMAN in Kansas, a new one, of course, has written a letter to the Governor asking him to have a law passed to abolish corsets. She wants the manufacture, sale and use of them prohibited. The Governor did not embody the suggestion in his message to the legislature.

"OLD HICKORY'S" name is not revered in the Democratic party of the present day as it was in the past. Only those Democrats who respect honesty in the affairs of the nation which he presided over now gather to honor his memory, those who favor repudiation have no use for a Democrat of Jackson's type.

THE Delaware and Hudson Railroad has reduced its dividend from 7 to 5 per cent, and the stockholders feel none too good over it. If the stockholders of the Reading could see that much of a dividend in sight how happy they would be! But times are looking brighter for them and everyone in Schuylkill is anxious for the time when it will be in condition to pay a dividend.

SENATOR-ELECT MONEY learned enough in Cuba to warrant him in saying that the fertile island is ruined, and even if the Spaniards are successful in conquering the revolutionists it will be a dead weight on her hands for many years to come. The course of the present administration of American affairs should be such that would put an end to the state of affairs now existing there and an end put to the brutalities of the Spanish butchers who are as remorsely cruel as Cortez and Pizarro three centuries ago.

IN the death of John A. Grant Shenandoah loses one of its best citizens. Quiet, unassuming and modest to a degree, he was highly respected by all who knew him. His sympathies were always readily enlisted in behalf of everything which tended to better the town and its people, and many stories of his kindness and generosity have been told since his untimely demise on Saturday last, after a short illness. By close attention to his duties he had attained an enviable position in the business community and worthily upheld the honor of the name which has been identified with the town since its settlement in the early 20's when his father was almost a father to everyone in town, and many and sincere are the regrets expressed that he has been removed at the beginning of a career which gave such bright promise for the future.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

If there is one thing more to be regretted than another in the discussion aroused over the case of Superintendent Bogart it is the manifest attempt to stir up the worst feeling possible over the matter, and the people who have been in the background and who have been stirring up this feeling that are responsible for a condition of affairs which the town has not seen for 20 years. Irresponsible mouth pieces in public print have been found who have been only too willing to assail those members of the School Board, who were not to be swerved from their duty by a minority for interested motives, and abusing the majority members of the Board only adds fuel to the flame and it behooves the people who have kept in the background to call off these mongrels, now that the case has been disposed of by a conviction which would be much more convincing had it been secured through other instruments. The members of the board were not to be swerved from their idea of duty by personal blackguardism, and we question whether they will be influenced by any such exhibitions of malignant hostility in the future, but will discharge their duties according to their best judgment, not according to the wishes of a faction which has been in the minority for some years past. It is well known that these gentlemen have patiently borne all the vituperation heaped upon them for their expressed intention to see that the accused superintendent was given that fair treatment every one is entitled to. That their ideas of what was proper under the circumstances differed from those of the minority was to be expected, but that they should be subjected to the abuse of irresponsible scribblers whose sole interest in the matter appears to be to array different classes against each other is outrageous, and for the good of all concerned it would be well if those who are behind the scenes commanded them to halt ere the mischief grows to larger proportions.

Now that the matter has been disposed of by a jury we believe the School Board will take such action as they deem proper, regardless of the persecution they are likely to be subjected to. They did not swerve from their duty in the past when strong influence was brought to bear upon them to recede from their position, and we believe they are just as courageous to-day and will do what they consider is right regardless of outside influences or disappointed parties.

H. M. S. TERRIBLE.

The British Marine Monster Speeds Over Twenty-two Knots an Hour.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—H. M. S. Terrible, the new first-class cruiser, had her trials over a twenty-three mile course off the Cornish coast on Saturday. The speed developed showed an average of 22½ knots an hour, beating, it is claimed, the record of every war vessel afloat. The Terrible was launched at Glasgow in 1895, and she is equipped with forty-eight boilers of the Belleville water tube type. This great ship is built of sheathed steel and is of 14,200 tons displacement. Her length is 500 feet and her beam 71 feet, while the maximum draft is 27 feet.

The Terrible has twin screw propellers, and is provided with an indicated horse power of 25,000. She is rated as a protected cruiser, the armored deck extending over the whole length of the ship. In its thickest part it is four inches and tapers to three inches at the end. Her coal capacity is 3,000 tons. The complement of officers and men provided is 840. The twin screws are each three bladed, 19 feet 6 inches in diameter. Both screws rotate inward, which is the reverse of the ordinary practice. The engines are of the vertical three stage compound type, with four cranks, there being two for low pressure cylinders.

The speed of the United States cruiser Columbia in her trial trip was 22 8-10 knots an hour.

Benham Held for Wife Murder.

BATAVIA, N. J., Jan. 11.—Last Monday morning Florence T. Benham, the young wife of Howard C. Benham, of this city, died suddenly from what was reported as heart failure. Ugly rumors caused Coroner Bassinger to hold an inquest and autopsy. The latter disclosed that death was due to atrophy and degeneration of the heart. Last Friday Samuel J. Elliott, a drug clerk, confessed that Benham had purchased prussic acid from him on two occasions recently, for the ostensible purpose of killing a dog. Benham was arrested on Saturday. At the age of 18 his wife inherited $75,000 and eloped with and married him.

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Brutally Treated by Robbers.

HINSDALE, Ills., Jan. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Wartenburg, an old couple living near here, were brutally treated by two robbers who were given lodgings for a night. The men arose in the night, filled a washtub with snow and salt and, after tying the old people, placed their bare feet in the mixture. They then searched the house and, finding no money, left. The predicament of the unfortunate couple was not discovered till four days later. The woman was then unconscious and neither is expected to survive.

Bishop Keane Will Remain in Rome.

ROME, Jan. 11.—It is now certain that Bishop Keane, formerly of Washington, will be nominated as Bishop assistant at the pontifical throne, though the nomination has not yet been officially made. The pope will also nominated him as titular archbishop and canon of the patriarchal basilica and adviser to some Roman congregations. Hence Bishop Keane will make his stay here, in order to render services to the Vatican in American religious matters.

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Harper's Weekly

IN 1897.

With the end of 1896 HARPER'S WEEKLY will have lived forty years. In that time it has participated with all the zeal and power at its command in the great political events of the most interesting and important period in the history of the country, and it has spread before its readers the accomplishments of science, arts, and letters for the instruction of the human mind and the amelioration of human conditions and of manners.

What the WEEKLY has been in its spirit and purpose, as these have been manifested principally in its editorial pages, it will continue to be.

It is impossible to announce with precision all that the WEEKLY will contain during the year 1897. It were as easy to announce what is about to happen in the world, what triumphs for good government are to be won, what advance of the people is to be made, what is to be the outcome of the continuous struggle between the spirits of war and peace, what is to happen in the far East, what is to be the state of Europe twelve months hence, what new marvels of science are to be revealed, or what are to be the achievements of arts and letters, for the WEEKLY is to be a pictorial record of all this.

Cartoons will continue to be a feature.

Serial Stories. A New England story by Miss MARY E. WILKINS, will begin in January. A tale of a Greek uprising against the Turks, by Mr. H. F. BROWN, the author of "Bodo," will follow. A sequel to "The House-Boat on the Styx," by Mr. JOHN KENDRICK BANGS, illustrated by Mr. PETER NEWELL.

More Short Stories will appear in the WEEKLY than it has been possible to publish during 1896.

Departments: Mr. W. D. HOWELLS' "Life and Letters" have been among the most charming features of periodical literature; Mr. E. S. MARTIN, and others will contribute observations on what is going on in "This Busy World," "Amateur Sport" will remain the most important department of its kind in the country.

The WEEKLY will continue to present to its readers the world's news most interesting to Americans, to make important advances in both the literary and artistic features, and to retain for itself the leading place in the illustrated journalism of the world.

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The man who neglects his health for the sake of the excitement of work and money-getting, is dancing with Death. It is a dance in which Death always comes out victor. If a man will only spare enough time to take care of health, to eat, and rest and sleep properly, and when he feels slightly indisposed will resort to the right remedy, he may work as hard as he pleases, and pile up money steeple high, without fear of untimely death.

The worst enemy with which hard-working men have to contend is a disordered digestion. It is the starting point for most sickness and disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery prevents sickness and disease. Its use insures a hearty appetite, and healthful, restful sleep. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, invigorates the liver and purifies the blood. It tones the nerves. It makes pure, rich blood, builds firm healthy flesh, and strong, elastic muscle. The man who resorts to it whenever he feels out of sorts, may, within reason, work as hard as he pleases. Druggists sell it.

"Enclosed please find 21 one-cent stamps," writes James Trent, of Clarendon, Donley Co., Texas, "for which please send me a copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser in paper covers. I have been taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the blood and think it is the best blood-purifier in existence."

One of the best-known of American medical men said: "If you want to reform a man, begin with his grandfather." That would be wise if it could be done. Since it cannot be done, try something else. Reform the future grandfathers and grandmothers. Do this through education. The greatest thing for a man or woman to know is himself or herself. To know one-half the capabilities and disabilities of the human body is a liberal education. A good start for this education is Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. Any one can have this finely illustrated 1000-page book for the small price of twenty-one one cent stamps. This is simply to pay for mailing. If you would like the book in fine cloth binding instead of paper, send thirty one stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Cardinal Richard, of Paris, has forbidden the priests of his diocese to attend dramatic performances.

In fear of becoming penniless and helpless, Henry Stone, 65 years old, a broker of St. Louis, poisoned himself.

Sir Charles and Lady Tupper will sail from London for Canada on the Allan line steamship Mongolian on Feb. 4.

Queen Victoria has donated £500 to the India famine relief fund which has been opened by the lord mayor of London.

Taylor Brent, bookkeeper for the German National bank, of Covington, Ky., committed suicide while insane.

Edward M. Clark, of Glen's Falls, N. Y., who was reported to have perished in a California desert, has returned to his home.

An English syndicate is said to have secured an option on six breweries at Toledo, O., whose aggregate capital is $1,000,000.

Five tramps, ejected from a freight train near Ashland, Pa., fired a volley of bullets at the train crew and narrowly missed the conductor.

George W. Skinner, pension agent for the Pittsburg district, in a Jackson Day speech last night criticised the president and predicted that Mr. Bryan would be the next president.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

Schoolboy Killed by Spaniards.

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 11.—A schoolboy of 10 years was killed in Guanabacoa last Thursday evening by a Spanish patrol because he refused to hurrah for Spain. The lad smiled when the soldiers asked him to hurrah, not comprehending what they wanted. They cursed him as a "Cuban whelp," shot him not two squares from his home, and left his dead body in the street.

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Starved to Death in Altoona.

ALTOONA, Pa., Jan. 11.—A middle aged woman named Mrs. Oscar Andrews was discovered dead here Saturday in a Fourth street tenement. Investigation showed that she had died of starvation and exposure. Coroner McCartney will investigate the case. The report of the board of public charities shows that sixty-five families, comprising 200 persons, are dependent on public contributions for support. It is a situation unparalleled in the history of Altoona.

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The Pope's Notice to the Powers.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Standard's Rome correspondent asserts that the pope has decided to notify Austria, France, Spain and Portugal that the powers will not be allowed to exercise a veto at the next papal election.

Miss Terry Barred from Monte Carlo

PARIS, Jan. 11.—It is reported that the Casino at Monte Carlo recently refused admission to Ellen Terry on the ground that she was too ill dressed.

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Three Murderers Paroled.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 11.—Governor Matthews yesterday decided upon the final disposition of six pardon cases. Five paroles were granted and one remission of a fine. Three of the men paroled were murderers. They were Daniel W. Smith, sentenced from Wayne county in 1882 for the murder of his father. He was but 17 years old at the time and the deed was done at the instigation of his mother, who was sent to prison for life. George Stoler, of Delaware county, who was sentenced to prison for life in 1868 for the murder of the two sons of the farmer for whom he was working, and Michael Reinhart, sentenced in 1885 for twenty-one years for the murder of Joseph Robinson at Francisville, Pulaski county.

A Household Necessity.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

PENNSYLVANIA AGRICULTURISTS

Recommendations in the Report of Agricultural Secretary Edge.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 11.—Thomas J. Edge, secretary of agriculture, has submitted an elaborate report, showing the operations of the department during the past year, in which he suggests the enactment of a law by the legislature defining the legal status of the state board of agriculture, which has refused state aid since the close of the last legislature. The secretary also recommends the enactment of legislation designed to prevent the spread of San Jose scale, and that its enforcement be assigned to an officer of the department of agriculture, and not to one acting independently.

He states that with the exception of the hay crop the farmers of Pennsylvania have little cause for complaint as to the yields of the past season. Nearly all the crops were above the average, and that of corn was one of the largest for years. There was an unusual amount of irregularity in some crops, which was due to the fact that certain districts of the state suffered more than others from the universal drought of the past summer.

Secretary Edge also advises that as soon as the condition of the state treasury will permit an attempt should be made to obtain control of a portion of the timber areas on the watersheds of one or both branches of the Susquehanna in this state by imitating the examples of other states, and be placed in position to influence the water supply by controling the character and condition of the forests upon the watersheds.

In advocating better roads Secretary Edge says under the present system of taxation in Pennsylvania, which hardly has its parallel in other states, it is not just that all of the expense of the permanent improvements of roads should fall upon the local, or rural taxpayer, for in that case the cities, towns and boroughs whose inhabitants use the roads fully as much as the farmer, pay no proportion of the expense. If both state and township pay the total cost the cities, towns and boroughs still fail to contribute their share.

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Striker Shot by a Policeman.

LEADVILLE, Colo., Jan. 11.—The killing of Frank Dougherty, a striker, Saturday night by Policeman Curyton has caused intense excitement throughout the city. Owing to threats of lynching armed citizens turned out and reinforced the police guard at the county jail, and there is apprehension that trouble may yet arise. It is claimed by the police that about a dozen strikers, including Dougherty, had planned to "do up" the special police force Saturday night. Dougherty was shot while resisting arrest. After the shooting no further effort was made to wipe out the police. A crowd of several hundred collected where the shooting took place, and a provost guard had to fix bayonets and charge before the street was cleared.

To cure all old sores, to heal an indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Court Martialing Coleman.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—This afternoon, at the navy department, was commenced the court martial trial of Ensign Noah T. Coleman, of the navy, who is charged with having neglected his duty while stationed at Harrisburg for the purpose of inspecting steel to be used in building naval vessels. The specifications declare that he was guilty of "culpable inefficiency" and also of "disobedience of orders."

The old lady was right when she said, the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Three-Day Tour to Washington.

Washington at present is the cynosure of all eyes; not only because it is the Nation's Capital and of the interest which attaches to the deliberations of Congress, but the brilliant Presidential reception on New Year's Day formally opened the season of fashionable festivities, and it has now become the great social centre of the country. Brilliant minds, waiving for the time the cares of government, abandon themselves to the gay whirl of the social world. Receptions, dinners, balls follow each other with bewildering rapidity.

The state of the Cuban question and the possibilities of Congressional action is also claiming attention, and the never-dying interest which attaches to the many departments of the Government is attracting its usual number of visitors.

The three-day personally-conducted tour of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which leaves New York January 21, affords the best opportunity of visiting the National Capital at this season. The party will be under the care and guidance of an experienced tourist agent, and the program in Washington has been prepared with an accurate knowledge of the location and best time to visit each of the principal points of interest.

Round trip tickets, including railroad transportation in each direction and accommodations at the best Washington hotels, will be sold at the following rates: From New York, $14.50; Trenton, $13.75; Atlantic City, $12.75; Pottsville, $14.30; Philadelphia, $11.50, and at proportionate rates from other points.

Apply to ticket agents, Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Senator Proctor Refuses to Talk.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Senator Proctor, of Vermont, has returned from Cleveland where he was in consultation Saturday with President-elect McKinley. The senator declines to discuss for publication the object of his visit, as he says his conference with Major McKinley was entirely confidential. Mr. Proctor, however, felt free to say for himself that it has been known that he personally did not want and would not accept a cabinet position or any other office.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Diamond Robbery in Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 11.—Thieves entered the residence of David J. Lindsay, 1501 Pennsylvania avenue, Saturday night, and stole $2,500 worth of diamonds and jewelry. The robbery is the largest that has occurred here for years, and, although the police and detectives want to work on the case in an hour after it happened, they have no clew to the thieves. The thief or thieves gained an entrance to the house while the family was at supper.

Accidentally Killed His Sister-in-Law.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 11.—William H. Harvey, an engineer on a tugboat, accidentally shot and killed Clara Armor, his 12-year-old sister-in-law, Saturday night. He was examining the weapon when it suddenly went off, the bullet going through the child's left eye.

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HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLES.

Do Not be Alarmed, But Look For the Cause.

Heart troubles, at lead among Americans, are certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble, is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by that form of poor digestion, which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food; there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart troubles is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can best be done by the regular use, after meals, of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements, in a pleasant, convenient form.

It is safe to say that the regular, persistent use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at meal time will cure any form of stomach trouble, except cancer of stomach.

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Little book on stomach troubles mailed free. Address Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

Socialism in Belgium's Army.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Chronicle's Brussels correspondent reports the discovery that there are organized socialist clubs in the Belgian army, and that seventeen non-commissioned officers have been suspended for belonging to them.

Kremis, Mercer County, Pa. We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best remedy in use. We use it in our own families, and it is a favorite among our customers. Hecker Bros. & Co. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Gruhler Bros., druggists.

Tours to California.

California has been most fittingly termed the "Italy of America." All the delicious balm, the cloudless sky, and the rich verdure of the great European peninsula are duplicated in this sunny land of the Pacific. Here nature basks in the sunshine of her own beauty; and here she has established her own sanitarium, where eternal spring inspires everlasting youth. With the snow-mantled peaks of the Sierras upon the one hand, the calm Pacific with its soft breezes upon the other, and a veritable paradise of flowers, fruits and plants between, man can find and needs no lovelier land. To visit such a country is a privilege, a blessing.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, recognizing the need of a more comfortable and pleasant way of crossing the continent, inaugurated a series of annual tours to California, running a through train of Pullman palace cars from New York to the Pacific Coast, and stopping at the principal points of interest en route. The great popularity of these tours demonstrates the wisdom of the movement.

For the season of 1897 three tours have been arranged to leave New York, Philadelphia, and Pittsburg, January 27, February 24, and March 27.

The first tour will run direct to San Diego via St. Louis and the Santa Fe Route, and return from San Francisco via Salt Lake City, Denver, and Chicago, allowing five weeks in California.

The second tour will run via the Mammoth Cave and New Orleans to San Diego, stopping at the "Crescent City" during the Mardi Gras Carnival. This tour will return via Salt Lake City, Denver, Omaha, and Chicago, allowing four weeks in California.

The third tour will run via Chicago, Denver, and Salt Lake City, allowing passengers to return by regular trains via different routes within nine months.

All of these tours, either going or returning, will pass through the famous Colorado region, Glenwood Springs, Leadville and the Garden of the Gods.

Rates from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad System east of Pittsburg: First tour, $310; second tour, $350; third tour, $210 round trip, and $150 one way.

For detailed itineraries and other information, apply at ticket agencies, special booking offices, or address George W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

One of the most remarkable cures of rheumatism on record is related by Mr. J. M. Thompson, post master at Decker's Point, Pa., as follows: "While out driving one day last winter I was caught in a cold rain. The next morning I was unable to move my head or arms, owing to an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. My clerk telephoned for a physician, but suggested that I use Chamberlain's Pain Balm, there being a bottle open on the counter. He rubbed the affected parts thoroughly with Pain Balm and built up a hot fire. I dozed off to sleep and when I awoke about half an hour later the pain had gone entirely, and I have not been troubled since. People come here from many miles around to buy Chamberlain's medicines." For sale by Gruhler Bros., druggists.

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THE DEFENSE OF IVORY.

His American Lawyer Charges a Conspiracy Against the Suspect.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Former Assistant District Attorney McIntyre, of New York, who resigned that position to come here to conduct the defense of Edward J. Ivory, charged with complicity with P. J. Tynan in a dynamite conspiracy, was interviewed yesterday. Mr. McIntyre asserts his conviction that certain officials are manufacturing evidence in the case to advance their own interests.

Mr. McIntyre says he is satisfied that a few years ago, Jones, the informer, undertook for a large stipend to furnish Scotland Yard with evidence. Failing at that time to do so, he is now swearing against Ivory, says Mr. McIntyre, in order to fulfill his promise.

"Several of Ivory's (or Bell's) American witnesses have preceded me by one steamer," proceeded Mr. McIntyre, "and are now secreted in London. They will prove that while he was in America Jones advocated such infamous measures against England that the lodge expelled him.

"I find evidence here of a determination to convict Bell or Ivory at any cost. I learn that every favor is to be extended to me by the English bar, and I may be allowed to plead, and, at any rate, cross-examine Jones. This is the first time that such favor has been extended in a quarter of a century."

Bank Cashier's Attempted Suicide.

LEBANON, Pa., Jan. 11.—John M. Gossler, aged 40 years, cashier of the Lebanon National bank, attempted to commit suicide at his home yesterday by shooting himself in the head while his wife and two children were at church. The ball lodged behind the right ear, and when found a few minutes afterward he was unconscious. His death is looked for momentarily. Besides his connection with the bank Mr. Gossler was teacher of the large Bible class in the Lutheran church. For some time past his health has not been good and this is believed to have prompted him to end his life. His accounts with the bank are said to be correct.

Crazed Mother's Awful Crime.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Bridget O'Brien, of Brooklyn, seized her 10-month-old baby girl Saturday night and pitched it out of the second-story window, killing it. The mother was arrested. When a policeman went to investigate the case he found the mother laughing in her kitchen. He asked her how the child got on the sidewalk, and she said she had thrown the baby out of the window with the intention of killing it. "It had a devil in it," she said, "and I didn't want any devils around me, so I threw it out of the window."

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Manager Hanley Acquitted.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11. The jury in the case of John A. Hanley, former traffic manager of the Atchison railroad, charged with having violated the interstate commerce law, returned a verdict of not guilty. The charge against Mr. Hanley was that in October, 1892, as general traffic manager of the Atchison railroad system, he had knowledge of a rebate of $2,680 which was said to have been paid to the George H. Hammond Packing company and Isaac Thompson on some stock shipments during the year.

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