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A TENSE SITUATION The action of the United States in denouncing the treaty of 1852 with Russia, followed as it is by somewhat bellicose utterances by the St. Petersburg press, leaves matters in a very awkward position.

There shall be between the territories of the high contracting parties, a reciprocal liberty of commerce and navigation. The inhabitants of their respective States shall, mutually, have liberty to enter the ports, places and waters of the territories of each party, wherever foreign commerce is permitted.

RECEIVERS MUST GIVE BONDS OF \$300,000 Will Take Charge of Wabash Railway as Soon as This Is Done St. Louis, Dec. 19.—Receivers will take charge of the Wabash railway as soon as they appear before Judge Adams in the United States court and qualify by giving \$300,000 bond each.

MR. MONK'S MISTAKE "I and my colleagues on assuming office, immediately found ourselves confronted with questions of the utmost difficulty and importance. The man in office is not only torn away from the contemplation of these questions waiting for settlement by the opportunity of office seekers, but he is left by them with a feeling of disappointment that he has not been able to satisfy the large, and not perhaps unnatural though mistaken, demands for patronage that are made upon him."

FATHER SHOTS SON AND KILLS HIMSELF Low Angeles, Cal. Dec. 19.—Samuel P. Ayres, of Boston shot and wounded his son at a hotel here and then committed suicide. The Ayres, father and son had here about three months. The elder man lost his wife some time ago, and last week remarked that he had nothing to live for.

POPE CONSECRATES CARDINAL DELAI AS BISHOP OF SABINE Rome, Dec. 18.—The Pope yesterday performed a most fatiguing ceremony, proceeding himself to consecrate Cardinal Delai as bishop of the Sabine district, also bishop of Cracow. After a long function the Pope gave refreshments to all those present, presiding himself at the table a seat higher than the guests. The sight was most interesting, as according to etiquette the Pope never takes meals with anybody.

WALL STREET NOTES OF TODAY Wall Street Notes. (J. M. Robinson & Sons, Private Wire Telegram) New York, Dec. 19.—Americans in London irregular. Persian National council refuses to disavow Shuster and Russian soldiers expected to advance on Thursday.

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A PARTIAL OBSERVANCE.

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FATHER'S PREDICAMENT

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