

on the Friday previous, and my divulging my intended marriage, which, by the way, if I had chosen, I could have contracted secretly, neither you nor any one else would have cared more than you have ever cared for my religious opinions, or conduct, that is to say, not a twopenny piece. I do hope and pray that both Winslow and Bartlett will be very soon convinced of my perfect sanity, and that as Englishmen and Christians they will hasten to wash their hands of this matter. If not, and it were possible that you could succeed in keeping me here, why then, I might as well be in Rome and imprisoned in the Inquisition, for denying the supremacy of the Pope or Transubstantiation; save and except that there is no rack or torture, but, on the contrary, much comfort, and everyone trying to do the best they can for us. Sedden, cease, I beseech you, from this unmanly conduct, and show yourself a man, and somewhat worthy to live in such a country as this, where Sabbaths, and clergy, and Bibles, compel almost every man to know right from wrong—where responsibility is therefore greater, and retribution, in cases of injury, must be most terrible.”

The jury returned a verdict by a majority of 19 to 4 that they were of opinion that Mr. Leach was of sound mind and perfectly competent to manage his affairs.

*The late PROFESSOR HARRISON, M.D., Dublin.*

With much and sincere concern we have to record the passing away from amongst us of the above distinguished member of the profession, whose decease occurred suddenly at the age of 65, on the 23rd of April last, at his residence Hume Street, Dublin. Dr. Harrison was an anatomist of European fame, and his works on the “Surgical Anatomy of the Arteries,” with his “Dublin Dissector,” obtained for him name of the first order in the ranks of science.

For the last 20 years Dr. Harrison has been the Professor of Anatomy to Trinity College, Dublin. He was also surgeon to Madam Stevens and to Jervis Street Hospitals, and Visiting Medical Officer of the State Asylum for Criminal Lunatics. In consequence of his connection with the latter establishment he was elected a member of our Association in 1855, and it is with profound regret that we have to record the loss of an Associate second to none for professional distinction and social worth.

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