

# WHY DID THEY TIE HIM?

Tommy is still mystified over the Mrs. Nathan Hale's death. Mrs. Nathan Hale's death over from Brooklyn with her previous nine-year-old son Tommy and walked with him across the City Hall park. Tommy manifested a lively interest in the Nathan Hale statue. He wanted a good look at it, and his mother humored him.

"Mamma, what's he tied for?" was Tommy's first question after his searching examination. "So he can't get away," the proud mother replied. "Is he alive?" was the next question. "No, Tommy; he's made of bronze, and there's no life in that."

"Then he couldn't get away, could he, mamma?" "No, dearest."

"What was he tied for?" "That was the soldiers caught him and bound him that way, and then they hanged him."

"Did they kill him, mamma?" "Yes, darling."

"Then he is dead, isn't he?" "Yes, love."

"Then how could he get away?" "Tom—why, Tommy?" "Then why did they tie him, mamma?"

# NEW FUR FASHIONS.

MANY NOVEL FANCIES INTRODUCED IN SKINS AND TRIMMINGS.

Pony, Leopard and Mole Skins—For Epaulettes and Collars Represent Incoming Modes—Collars Are Broad and Turned-down.

Decided revolutions have occurred in skins and trimmings. These have taken new departures, and many unusual skins are to be applied to our warm garments. Leopard and pony are prominent among them. One fur trim another, and ermine is introduced as an addendum to the popular gray squirrel, which is being converted into pelotes, jackets and capes.

Motoring is responsible for a number of new skins which have been turned to women's uses in dress. Leopard, mink and fox are the next question. "No, Tommy; he's made of bronze, and there's no life in that."

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