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GUITEAU'S INSANITY.

There are few people who have the hardihood to express the conviction that GUITEAU, the assassin of President GARFIELD, is legally responsible for his act; but there are people including some of the legal fraternity who say that they think he is crazy. And this opinion of GUITEAU'S insanity is usually coupled with the remark that he ought to be hung at all events.

GUITEAU'S story as told by himself in his precise, dry and circumstantial way, is thought by some to suggest a suspicion of his sanity. Closely inspected, however, will not sustain that suspicion. It reveals a coarse and blunted nature, which is incapable of comprehending the enormity of the crime which he committed; but such a nature and irresponsible insanity are altogether different things.

A NEW ILLUMINATING POWER.

WHEN EDISON discovered the electric light and demonstrated its practicability for illuminating purposes it was thought that the ultima ratio of discovery in that direction had been reached. But now Mr. BALMAIN, of Louisville, Ky., comes to the front and announces to the world that he has succeeded in making a composition which can be laid on any object as easily as any ordinary paint, and that it possesses the property of involving enough light during the day to remain luminous at night.

CONFEDERATE BONDS.

THE RECENT demand for Confederate bonds has created considerable surprise, and has been accounted for from the fact that there is on deposit in the Bank of England to the credit of the Government of the Confederate States of America \$7,000,000, which with the accrued interest amounts now to quite a handsome sum.

worthless. Orders have been received from abroad for the purchase of all these bonds which can be obtained and Brokers in Wall Street and many of our Southern cities are advertising for some of the denominations of \$500 and \$1,000, and offering to pay from one-half to three-fourth of one percent of their face value.

WE ARE gratified to learn that the work on the Midland Road is progressing so rapidly from Goldsboro towards Smithfield. Our city, contemporary the Messenger says: "Several miles of the road have already been graded and the track-layers will not be able to overtake the grading hands before they reach Smithfield.

GENERAL MAHON declines to call General JURAL EARLY to personal account for branding him in a recent speech at Richmond, as "a liar and a coward." He referred the matter to his Republican friends, who thought "discretion the better part of valor," especially in this instance.

THE ARREST OF PARNELL and DILLON members of Parliament and prominent Land League agitators, has created intense excitement in Ireland. Other less prominent leaders have also been recently arrested and imprisoned.

A DUEL was fought near Richmond, Va., last Saturday, between the famous H. H. RIDDLEBERGER and Hon. GEORGE D. WISE. Four shots were fired without damage to either of the belligerents, mutual explanations were made, wounded honor was satisfied and an amicable adjustment followed.

THE ELECTION of Senator BAYARD, to the Presidency of the United States Senate last week, called forth from the press of the country of all shades of opinion, expressions of confidence which would have followed the elevation of no other Senator.

GENERAL LONGSTREET has been mentioned as a possible member of President ARTHUR'S Cabinet. But we are not informed as to what Department it is supposed he will be assigned.

WE HAVE received from J. L. Scott & Son, of Graham, Alamance county, N. C., a package of their celebrated brand of Smoking tobacco, "The Highland Chief." We learn that it is having an extensive sale not only in this State, but that it has been introduced in several others, and everywhere is regarded as the best smoking tobacco in the market.

NORTH CAROLINA NOTES.

The citizens of Tarboro raised \$68.00 for the Michigan sufferers. Webster's Weekly: Col. J. McLeod Turner fell at Ashville the other day and broke his right leg just above the knee.

Mr. Burrell Martin, of Caldwell county, brings the Lenoir Topic an ear of corn measuring two feet and four inches. Rocky Mount Progress: Everybody now is, or ought to be, interested in the approaching Fair. Only a short time and it is upon us.

Mr. Alry Yarr: Our farmers are sowing a large quantity of wheat this fall. The tobacco in this section has improved very much since the rains a few weeks ago. There will be a good deal of tobacco in Surry this year after all.

Raleigh Visitor: There are one hundred and forty-five students enrolled at Wake Forest College. Mr. James S. Manning, son of Hon. John Manning, of Pittsboro, who has been on a tour to Europe arrived home on Friday night last.

Kinston Journal: Eli Russell, about 40 years old was killed by the South bound train on the R. & A. L. R. R. It was supposed he had laid down on the track and went to sleep. He was killed about five miles from Hamlet near the section house. He was well thought of and highly respected. He was supposed to be under the influence of liquor.

Laureburg Enterprise: About ten days ago a young man named Charley Wicker, living in the western suburbs of town walked into the woods in front of his house, and when about two hundred yards away from home, was attacked by several ferocious dogs, hauled down and severely bitten in several places on his body. His screams were his mother, who hastened to his rescue and saved him from the horrible fate of being torn to pieces.

Beaufort Tribune: From a gentleman at Peloties Mills we learn that a huge war was waged on rattlesnakes in that neighborhood about a week since. Messrs. "White" and "Black" and "David" were the chipping pipes. David was the largest and most successful. He made a track which dragged on the ground, and had it rattles and a button. The next day the same men on visiting the battleground of the day before, saw numbers of rattlesnakes of various sizes and destroyed 15 measuring from two to four feet in length.

Statesville American: The loss of corn by a temporary overflow of the Catawba river recently, is not much; the water passed off in a few hours, receiving no supply from affluents.

Sunday night, last week, a thief entered the bed-room of W. B. Mayhew, in Davidson township, this county, and robbed his pockets of \$61. No sign of the thief was seen. The thief, which is good in a large portion of the State, will help out wonderfully for food this fall and winter—being both bread and meat. A negro boy committed a diabolical outrage, last week, in Rowan, upon a small and respectable white girl, only 8 years old. He was arrested and lodged in jail. Such offenses should be summarily dealt with. When the proof is positive, swift punishment should follow. It is the only plan for society to protect itself.

Monroe Enquirer: We sincerely regret to learn of the sad death of Rev. A. B. Bushammer, which occurred at the Methodist parsonage in Raleigh, on Wednesday, Oct. 12th, after a protracted spell of typhoid fever. He had acquired a reputation as one of the brilliant pulpits orators in the State. The announcement of his death will be received with much regret throughout the North Carolina Conference.

A strange dog came about the premises of Mr. R. G. Howie near Pleasant Grove, Wednesday the 12th inst., and made several attempts to bite Mr. Daniel Howie, and finally succeeded in inflicting a slight wound on one of his fingers. The dog afterwards bit two dogs which were immediately killed, and two hogs, and was snapping at bushes, and everything that came in his path, as he ran. John Howie pursued the dog on horse back, for the purpose of killing him when the dog turned and tried to bite the horse but was shot down. The wound on Daniel's finger was a slight one but soon became inflamed. He came to Monroe this morning, (13th), and had the wound cut and cauterized by Dr. Crowell.

"ALL THE health I enjoy, and my life I may say, is in consequence of Simmons' Liver Regulator. I would not take one million dollars for my interest in that medicine. W. H. Wilson, Welborn, Fla."

On Our Table.

The November number of the Sunday Magazine affords a rare literary and artistic treat; the articles possess great merit, and the embellishments are excellent. The opening article, entitled, "Some American Theological Semitaries," by James L. Bowdoin, LL. D., is exceedingly interesting, and is the first publication of the kind that we have met with. Life in Brittany, The Catacombs of Rome, Martha's Vineyard, Philip Doddridge, D. D., are a few of the noteworthy contributions. Mrs. Denison has a most interesting story, As from the Dead, and the second installment of May Cunningham's Trial, will not fail to command particular attention. The Rev. Dr. Deems continues the admirable essays entitled, Only. The Home Pulpit has a sermon by the Rev. Calvin Lincoln, and the poems are usually meritorious. There are sketches, with portraits, of Rev. Geo. Osborn, D. D., and Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., who it is announced, assumes editorial charge of the Sunday Magazine with the December number. His fine literary taste and great popularity will not fail to increase the already large circulation of this favorite periodical. It will continue to be sold at \$3 per annum, or 25 cents a number, post-paid. Address Frank Leslie, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

WILSON MARKET REPORT.

Table with market prices for various goods like Cotton, Bacon, Hams, etc. Columns include item name and price per unit.

L. EDWARDS. CLEAR THE TRACK FOR I AM HERE AGAIN.

WITH the greatest bargains ever seen in Wilson. I take this method of informing my old customers and the public at large, that I have returned to this place to again lead the market in selling the very cheapest goods, the greatest bargains, and in fact to again assume the title of the

CHAMPION OF LOW PRICES—THE ORIGINAL.

I was fortunate enough to procure the most select variety of goods at the lowest imaginable prices, and am therefore prepared to astonish you with the bargains that I am offering. I have excelled all my former efforts, and have for this season the very largest and best selected stock of goods and hereby challenge the entire trade to compete with me. I am determined to carry the day as the Original Champion of the low price system established by me at Wilson.

A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR MADE.

And I am satisfied that even in the small purchase of only five dollars worth of goods at my place, I can save you the above named dollar—for I am determined to sell you any article in my line at least twenty per cent. cheaper than the same can be bought for at any other store in town. My aim now is as it ever was, to give to my patrons the benefit of bargains that I can ever receiving. An experience of nearly twenty years enables me to know just

WHAT THE PUBLIC WANTS.

And where to procure the same at the very lowest prices. My stock of goods for the fall trade is unusually large and varied, and embraces

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, and CAPS, LADIES and GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, LADIES HATS, MILLINERY, FANCY GOODS, EMBROIDERY, HOSIERY, NOTIONS, TRIMMINGS, CLOAKS, SHAWLS, TABLE and OIL CLOTHS, TRUNKS, VALISES, SATCHELS, &c.,

In short anything usually found in a first class Variety Store, and each branch is complete in all its details. To give you an idea of what you can expect please note a few of my prices:

Table listing prices for various items like Calicoes, Alpaca, Woollen, Bleaching, etc.

In short I will merely say that no matter at what price you are offered any goods at any other store, come to the ORIGINAL CHAMPION and get the same goods twenty per cent. less. I am in earnest and will do just what I tell you. I therefore advise all in want of goods to avail themselves of offer and standing challenge.

Come and satisfy yourselves That I mean to maintain my title of the old and only original champion of low prices

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WE have purchased for this season an immense stock of goods which in variety of styles and low prices cannot be duplicated elsewhere. Our stock of

CLOTHING

is complete. Don't buy until you have examined our stock and low prices. In the line of

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A large and varied stock of men's, ladies, misses, boys, youths, and childrens.

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Laundered, Price \$1.25--the best shirt in the market for the price. Collars and Cuffs. A full stock of Furnishing Goods at lowest prices. A large lot of

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Our stock is large, embracing all that is desirable. Our line of prints cannot be surpassed. DRESS GOODS lower than ever before.

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You can find anything you want at our store at extremely low prices.

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QUAKER CITY SHIRT

Laundried and unlaundried, and sell a good shirt for one dollar. Come and see them. A nice line of

CLOTHING.

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LAST THIRTY DAYS.

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Included in Material, in Finish, and in operation.

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James T. Wiggins, WILSON, N. C.

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On The 5th Day of November 1881. Will be sold at public auction for account of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company, the following described goods for the freight, storage, and other charges standing unpaid thereon:

Table with columns: ARTICLES, OWNER or Assignee, DESTINATION, RECEIVED. Lists various goods and their owners.

By order of

Sol Haas

General Freight Agent.

JAMES W. LANCASTER,

Attorney at-Law, WILSON, N. C.

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S. S. A. L. S. O. P.

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Battleboro and Enfield, N. C.

I will hereafter have my office on Friday and Saturday of each week, and will be glad to serve the public of Nash and Edgecombe counties. On every other day will be in my office at Enfield, [Oct 7th.]

WANTED

A situation as clerk in a Dry Goods or grocery store, by a young man of five years experience in the business. Best of reference given if desired. Address

F. B. R. HILLIARDSTON, Nash county, N. C.