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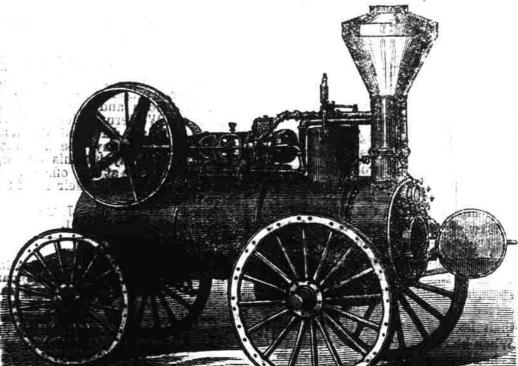
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lows:

"The interest felt by the public in the details of the assassination and the many stories published justify me in stating that the fellowing is a correct and accurate statement concerning the points to which reference is made:

The assassin Charles Guiteau came to Washington City on Sunda stening, March 6, 1881, and stopped a the Ebbitt House, remaining only one day. He then secured a room in another part of the city, and has boarded and roomed in various places, the full details of which I have. On Wednesday, May, 18, 1881, the assassin determined May, 18, 1881, the assassin determined to murder the President. He had neither money or pistol at the time.
About the last of May he went

About the last of May he went into O'Meara's store, corner of Fifteenth and F streets, in this city, and examined some pistols, asking for the largest calibre. He was shown two similar in calibre and only different in price. On Wednesday, June 8, he purchased the pistol which he used, for which he paid \$10, he having in the meantime borrowed \$15 from a gentleman in this city, on the plea that he man in this city, on the plea that he wanted to pay his board bill. On the same evening, about seven o'clock, he took the pistol and went to the foot of took the pistol and went to the foot of Seventeenth street, and practiced, firing at a board, firing ten shots. He then returned to his boarding place, and wrapped it in his coat, and waited his opportunity. On Sunday morning, June 12, he was sitting in Lafayette Park, and saw the President leave for the Christian Church, on Vermont avenue, and he at once returned to his room, obtained his pistol, put it in his hip pocket, and followed

Raleigh Non-observer. On Monther the President to church, the entered the President to church, the entered the Church, but found he could and kill him there without danger of killing; some one else. He noticed that the President sat near a window; after church he made an examination of the without any trouble, and that from this point he could shoot the President without any trouble, and that from this point he could shoot the President without any trouble, and that from this point he could shoot the President without any the learned from the papers that the church the following Sunday. He learned from the papers that the President would leave the city on Staturaly, the 18th of Jones with Mars General Company to the river, at the foot of Seventeenth street, and first him at the depot. He had been the president and he certain his pit of the pot, and was in the ladies' waiting room of the pepot, with his pistol ready when the presidential party entered. He says Mrs. Garried looked so weak and frait that he had not the heart to opportunity was given. On Friday evening, July 1, he was sitting on the seat in the park copyoint the Willed States Marshall Henry, his pistol and followed them, and watched them for some time, in hopes the carringe would stop, but no opportunity was given. On Friday evening, July 1, he was sitting on the seat in the park opposite the White House, when he followed him down the avenue to Fifteenth street, and then kept on the followed him down the avenue to Fifteenth street, and then kept on the park opposite the White House, when he followed him down the avenue to Fifteenth street, and then kept on the park opposite the White House, when he followed him down the seat in the park opposite the White House, when he followed him down the avenue to Fifteenth street, and then kept on the park opposite the White House, when he followed him down the avenue to Fifteenth street, and then kept on the park opposite the White House, when he followed him down the seat in the park opposite the White House put it in his hip pocket, and followed the President to church; he entered the church, but found he could not kill nim there without danger of killing

THE SCENE OF THE SHOOTING.

The district attorney in company with the minister from Venezuela, visited the haltimore and Potense depot this aftermon, and Sener Camaces who was an eye-witness pof the shooting, pointed out to Col Corkbit the location time than the transaction, which the minister says is photographed on his brain. When he first saw Guiteau raise the pistol, the assassin's features were set as marble, and his air was that of a calm, determined man. The first shot fired took effect, the President staggered

thought was to escape the people's fury and gain the shelter of the jail." He is, the district attorney thinks, an arrant coward, who had braced himself up to that one deed of blood, and then found that all his courage forsook him.

NEWS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Statesville Landmark: It has been determined that the proposed toll bridge across the Catawba river, of District Attorney Corkhill has furnished and authorized the publication of a statement of the circumstances attending the attempted assassination, as derived from Guiteau himself and from other authentic sources, as follows: bridge across the Catawba river, of which we have heretofore spoken, shall be a stone pair bridge, and yesterday our merchants were waited upon to subscribe to a fund to be used in its erection. A very handsome amount was realized, and the bridge is almost an assured fact.—Good rains have fallen in different parts of the county within the past week, reviving both crops and farmers.—The winter oats crop in this county turned out splendidly. The spring crop is rather indifferent.—The big hail and rain storm of two weeks ago was not, after all, an ferent.—The big hall and rain storm of two weeks ago was not, after all, an unmixed evil. It quite abated the great caterpiliar plague from which we had been suffering for several weeks preceding.—A Mrs. Andrews, agad about 40 years, who died near Sparta, Alleghany county, committed suicide on the 2nd inst. by hanging. She had for sometime been a visim of mental aberration and it is supposed that it was in such a fit that she took her life.—Cotton in this county is small but Cotton in this county is small but healthy. Corn, where well worked, has not been materially damaged. The has not been materially damaged. The gardens have been burned up, it is quite true, but all in all the agricultural situation has been much worse.—The appropriation for that purpose having been exhausted, the raiding force of the internal revenue department, has been retired for the present. A number of these officials make, Statesyille headquarters and seem to have a "general good time" enjoying their ease.—Mr. Aleck. Hoover, of Chambersburg township, sustained a painful accident last Saturday afternoon. He was driving a young and spirited horse when near Bethesda church it became frightened and ran away, running against a fence, throwing Mr. Hoover out and causing him very painful injuries.

Raleigh News-Observer: On Mon-

Raleigh News-Observer: On Mon-day President Andrew's road, the West-ern North Carolina, will be in operation as far as Alexander's, with a sched-

dertakers, have sent out nine or more coffins in the past week, sometimes one, sometimes two or three a day.—Mr. Robt. Caldwell, so well known and esteemed in town where he has lived among us for a long time, is very sick, at his plantation near Harrisburg. There are no hopes for his life, we regret to learn, though there was slight improvement in his condition yesterday.—The Germans who were released from quarentine camp a week or two ago, have settled down to work and are proving themselves useful citizens. The men are breaking stone to macadamize Depot street and the women do washing. They understand how to work and do it well.—The new brick church building for the colored people, adjoining the seminary on Depot Street, is rapidly being finished. It will be quite stylish and attractive.

Wimington Review: We record to-

put reliance in all its statements.

the ladies' waiting-room, and as soon as the President entered advanced behind him and fired two shots. These facts, I think, can be relied upon as accurate, and I give them to the public to contradict certain false rumors in connection with this most atrocious of atrocious crimes."

Col. Corkhill says that the paper is by no means "Guiteau's confession," but merely a parrative of ascertained facts, derived sometimes from Guiteau and corroborated; sometimes from other parties and corroborated. It is in a few words what the district attorney conwords what the district attorney con- naturalized citizen two years ago. His son became of age, and was admitted to citizenship under the law, he having been under eighteen years of age when he came to this country, and was ad-mitted under his father's papers. He has since been a voter and a soldier in the First Regiment, C. N. G. four years, His service in Germany is, of course, a direct violation of the treaty with this country. A preliminary statement of the case has been sent to Secretary Blaine by Congressman Buck, and the necessary proofs of Brink's citizenship will be immediately forwarded, when the Secretary will, no doubt, place the facts before the American Minister at

In fact I would not attempt a trip without it

siders to be a complete report of such of Guiteau's movements as have a relation to his attempt to assassinate the President. Guiteau's own statement is still in possession of the district attorney, and Col. Corkhill is not disposed to

pointed out to Col. Corkhill the location of all the parties whom he knew at the time the shooting took place. The narration necessarily took very much more and threw up his arms, and in an instant the assassin became agitated and shot the second time more at random. Then all appearance of determination and firmness seemed to leave him, and

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