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Assassination!

GARFIELD'S LIFE IN DANGER ARREST OF THE WOULD- BE MURDERER HOPES OF THE PRESIDENT'S RECOVERY

GUITTEAU EITHER A VILLIAN OR A
LUNATIC

On Saturday morning President Garfield was shot twice while purchasing a ticket at the Railway depot at Washington. One of the bullets entered his back and lodged in or near his liver. The event created intense excitement throughout the civilized world. At first no hopes were entertained of his recovery, but now that he has survived so long strong hopes are being indulged in, and his condition is materially improving. The Assassin's name is Charles Guiteau, a Chicago lawyer, theologian, and politician, according to his own account, who thus confesses: "I was forced to do it by inspiration from God. I did it for political purposes, and through patriotic motives. I conceived and executed the affair myself. I wished to retire Garfield and save the Republican party. The simple solution of the problem seems to be that he was a disappointed office seeker. He is thought by some to be insane. He was arrested almost immediately, and his only regret seems to be that he didn't kill him instantly. At present it is difficult to say what the outcome may be. President Garfield is a man of sterling integrity and christian principle. Should death ensue, it would be a calamity realized not only by the Federal Union, but by the civilized world. Despatches of sympathy have been received from almost every nation in the world, including Sweden, Italy, Japan, and the city of Rome, expressing hopes of his recovery. LATER.—The President continues to improve, and it is expected that he will recover.

Correspondence.

NOBLETON.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Dominion Day was not celebrated in this village. Most of the people think that the event that gave rise to the occasion is sufficiently clear before their mind not to require any demonstration to improve it.

An exciting horse race took place during the day, between two village horses. One of them was trained down to racing flesh and was ridden by an excellent jockey and won easily. Distance ¼ mile time 3 min. 17 sec.

Haying is progressing rapidly. The crop is good.

Mr. Wm. Lundy died on Saturday, 2nd inst. The old gentleman suffered very much from some affection of the toe, brought about by an in-growing toe-nail. Dr. Brereton in consultation with Dr. Mahaffy decided to amputate the toe which was done on the 28th inst., but the old man sank gradually and died on the 2nd.

Mr. Elwood Hamby, who has attended the St. Catharines Coll. Inst., has returned for his vacation. It is his intention to try the senior matriculation examination in September.

KING.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The weather for the past week has been very favorable for haying, though rather hot the fore part. The farmers in this vicinity report the hay crop above the average. The prospect of a good grain crop this harvest are very promising, though some fields are not so good as might be expected.

Mr. Lawrence teacher at Temperanceville is to have a picnic for his school in Mr. Love's bush this Friday. Mr. Nicholls, teacher at White Rose, well known on Richmond Hill is to bring his school out. Between the united efforts of these young gentlemen and the desire of their pupils for a day of general recreation, amusements and sylvian feasting. We bespeak a grand time for them. Picnicking is a happy termination of a long and tedious term at school.

Messrs E. J. Davis & Son of Kinghorn have been, and are still making unprecedented improvements in their tannery. Tanks, leeches, storerooms and other buildings have been built at considerable expense. The old boiler has just been replaced by one that does credit to the establishment, and a new 40 horse-power engine is expected to arrive per N. R. R. this week.

The demand for Mr. Davis' leather has been so great that he has found it advisable to make these improvements in order to supply a larger fraction of those asking for his manufacture.

NEWS JOTTINGS.

COUNTY.

Markham has a Lacrosse Club.
A man was found dead on the Dundas Road, near Islington, last week. He is supposed to have fallen from his wagon.

In the Bell case, of Milliken's Corners, the man Bell was not a member of the Primitive Methodist Church, as stated. The deceased Mrs. Bell was.

On Friday a thunderbolt fell on the farm of Mr. Mustard, 5th con. Markham, and broke down trees and tore up the ground fearfully in its descent.

Stayner and Newmarket cricket clubs had a set to, on the grounds of the latter on Dominion Day.

Yorkville is agitating for incorporation as a town or city.

CANADA.

A fisherman of Sarnia named Wm. Seward committed suicide on Monday. He had been drinking heavily.

At Huntsville, last week, while Alfred Wilder was out hunting, he shot and killed what he supposed to be a deer, but turned out to be a man named Henry Lasseter. An inquest was held, and a verdict of man-slaughter was returned.

A Stevensville Customs officer was fined \$20 for kissing Miss Bogardus against her will. He was hunting for smuggled oil.

A true bill has been found against Eugene Riendau for the murder of Roy, on the Gatineau.

Miss Thornton who disappeared at Hamilton more than a week ago has not been heard of yet.

The Ottawa celebration committee is \$1000 short of the amount required to meet the expenditure of Dominion Day.

A man named Russell committed suicide on Sunday night, by taking Paris green and whiskey.

Venno's Predictions for the Summer.

Ottawa June 23.—Venno, in a letter this morning, says:—"I believe that the present summer is one in a triad of similar summers, probably the middle one. It is likely to resemble that of 1880, and to differ in some of its minor details. The approaching month of July will give a great deal of rain, as in 1880, over a large portion of the United States and Canada, while in Great Britain the weather will in all probability be likewise stormy and wet. The storms of wind, thunder, and lightning are likely to be severe and frequent. The heaviest rains for New York and vicinity would locate after the 20th, and probably on the 21st or 22d dates; between the 10th and 15th days an exceedingly hot term is likely to be experienced in both the United States and Canada. Within a few days from the close of the month, probably about the 27th or 28th, a cool wave will occur, carrying frosts in Canada, and cool weather generally, with storms of wind and rain throughout the United States. Where storms have been severely felt in the western and south-western States during June, there also will the severest storms of July be experienced. Notwithstanding these frequent and severe storms during the month, frequent alternations of fine hot weather will counteract to a great extent the damage done to crops in general in the west. The entrance of July in Canada, and also to a considerable extent in the United States, will be cool and showery, and the present look out for the fourth is not a very promising one.

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The LIBERAL, believing the reading of trashy novels to be injurious, has decided to make an effort to introduce a new era in literature in this vicinity. No such trash as Wide Awake, Arm Chair, or other such libraries kept. Our works of fiction shall only be the very best. But we purpose giving more especial attention to high class Literature. We are prepared to supply these at one tenth their original prices. The following are a few of the works and prices: LOTHAIR. By Hon. Benj. Disraeli, Earl of Beaconsfield, two parts, each 25 cents formerly \$3. SARTOR RESARIUS. By Thos. Carlyle, 25 cents formerly \$2.75. THE BIBLE AND THE NEWSPAPER. By Charles H. Spurgeon 25 cents formerly \$1.50. CALAMITIES OF AUTHORS. By I. D. Israel, 20 cents formerly \$2. ROWLAND HILL. Life anecdotes and pulpit sayings, with introduction by C. E. Spurgeon, 15 cents formerly \$1.50. MACAULAY'S ESSAYS. Milton, Dryden, Bunyan, History, Samuel Johnson, etc. 15 cts. formerly \$1.50. LIFE OF CHRIST. By Canon Farrar, in two parts, each 25 cents formerly \$2.50. LIFE OF ST. PAUL. By Canon Farrar, in two parts, each 25 cts, formerly 6.00. KNIGHTS CELEBRATED HISTORY OF ENGLAND. Complete in eight parts. Formerly \$18.00, per part 5 cts. Any of the above works or any others of the Standard Series sent post free on receipt of price.

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Richmond Hill Council.

The above council met in the Council Chamber on June 27th. The Reeve in chair. Councillors present, Messrs. Duncumb, Pugsley, Redditt, and Sanderson. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The claim of Mr. W. H. Glass, for damages by unknown dogs killing two sheep, laid over from Council meeting of 18th April was taken up. Mr. Glass was examined, and made affidavit in such case made and provided.

Moved by Mr. Redditt, seconded by Mr. Sanderson and resolved.

That the Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay to Wm. H. Glass the sum of \$7.33 being two thirds of the amount of his claim for damage to sheep by dogs, the owners thereof being unknown.

Moved by Mr. Pugsley, seconded by Mr. Sanderson and resolved.

That the treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay the Fire Extinguisher Manufacturing Company the sum of \$9 being amount of account dated 21st May 1881, for two fireman's coats.

Moved by Mr. Sanderson seconded by Mr. Pugsley and resolved.

That the Treasurer is hereby instructed to pay Mr. John Elliott the sum of \$25, as his salary for assessing the village for 1881.

Moved by Mr. Duncumb seconded by Mr. Redditt, and resolved.

That Messrs. Pugsley and Sanderson are hereby appointed a committee for purpose of putting the ditch and sidewalk on Church St. into a good state of repair.

Moved by Mr. Pugsley, seconded by Mr. Redditt and resolved.

That the Reeve is hereby requested to call a public meeting of the ratepayers to consider the advisability of opening a street from Yunge Street to intersect the continuation of Church St.

The Council then adjourned to meet on Monday, August the 1st at eight o'clock p. m.

M. TEEFY,
Clerk.

"Look at It."

Somebody in Charlottetown, P.E.I., sends us a paper in which the following advertisement is conspicuously marked:—

A CARD OF THANKSGIVING.

Mr. Justice Young cannot return to his Chambers in the Law Courts after an absence of TWELVE MONTHS, owing to the painful accident he met with in Brunswick Street Church, Boston, Mass., U.S.A., in June last, without publicly thanking God for sparing his life, and blessing the means employed for his recovery. He would gratefully acknowledge the marked consideration shown him by every member of the Bar; and also the sympathy and kindness extended to him by all classes of the community.

The sender of the paper writes in the margin, "Look at it!" Well, we have looked at it. Perhaps our funny correspondent expects us to poke a little ridicule at Mr. Justice Young for being so old fashioned as to imagine that he is under any obligation to the Deity for his recovery. If so, he must find somebody else to do the poking—somebody with less respect for the religious convictions of other people, and less sense of what constitutes a fair subject of humor. We do not know Mr. Justice Young, but we venture to say he is as much of a man as anybody who would take this ad. and "look at it" with the eye of ridicule.—Grip.

VOTER'S LIST.

1881.

Municipality of the TOWNSHIP of VAUGHAN, County of YORK.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the third and fourth sections of "The Voter's List Act," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered, of the list made, pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at Elections for Members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that said list was first posted up at my office at Richmond Hill, on the 5th day of July, 1881, and remains there for inspection. Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

JAMES M. LAWRENCE,
Clerk of said Municipality.

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