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The National Horror. morning to the Baltimore and Po- add that this event has given a sult. tomac station at about twenty shock to the minds and hearts of tomac station at about twenty shock to the hereican people only less minutes past nine, intending, with the American people only less the American people only less dent, New York: a portion of his cabinet, to leave grievons than that caused by the on the limited express for New York. I rode in the carriage with him from the executive mansion and was walking by his side when he was shot. The assassin was immediately arrested, and the presi-dent was conveyed to a private room in the station building, and surgical aid at once summoned. The assassin wasan in the political confusion which must surgical aid at once summoned. on the limited express for New assassination of President Lincoln, surgical aid at once summoned. The surgeons regard his wounds as very serious, though not neces-sarily fatal, as his vigorons health gives strong hopes for his recovery. He has not lost consciousness for a moment.

JAMES G. D. ATAP. Soc. of State Statement of an Eye Witness.

A gentleman who was an eye witness of the attempted assassi-

thing wrong, and ran after the car-riage. When it reached the de-took them down when he learned pot the man jumped out an entered the president was not dead.

the ladies' room. He had not been A reporter called at the Fifth as assassination of presidents there more than three minutes Avenue hotel Saturday morning should occur. It seems the work when President Garfield arrived, about an hour after the reception dent should die I have every reastepped out of his carriage and of the first dispatch and sent his son to believe that President Arentered the ladies' room. The card to the rooms of Vice Presi- thur would prove himself a safe president, after passing through deut Arthur and Senator Conk. president and an intelligent adthe door, was just turning the cor- Img. Word was immediately rener of a seat, when the assassin, turned that the subject of the who was standing on the left of presidents assassination was too the door, fired. The bail struck serious a subject to be talked of in lowing dispatch is received by Secthe president in the back, and he a moment, and neither would be retary Lincoln from Gen. Grant: fell forward. I ran to the depot, seen under any circumstances. To Secretary Lincoln, Washington: and just then the man fired again The reporter saw Conkling in the Please dispatch me the condiwhile the president was falling, hallway near his roota a few min- tion of the president. News re- cents a bottle,

cate political motives on his part probing the wound at 3 o'clock. may well be taken for symptoms of There are strong grounds for hope, The president went Saturday insanity. It is hardly necessary to and at the same time the greatest

J. G. BLAINE. (Signed) At this hour, half-past three, the

The surgeons regard his wounds ensue from such a change of the am profoundly shocked at the

the country beyond measure. The in which the whole American peoact was so dastardly and diabolical ple will join.

C. A. ARTHUR. that friend and foe alike are out-NEW YORK, July 3.-Blaine, Secretary of State, Washington: raged by it. There is only one

lies in the fact that such a thing

ministrator of public affairs.

Telegram from General Grani. Wasmannov, July 3 .- The fol-ELBERON, New Jersey. Cinchorn Rubra

Cuschows Rubra The Count Cinchon was the Spanish Viceroy in Peru in 1630. The Countess, his wife, was prostrated by an internit-tent fever, from which she was freed by the use of the malive remedy, the Peru-vian bark, or, as it was called in the imguage of the country, "Quinquina," Grateful for her recovery, on her return to Europe in 1632, she introduced the remedy in Spain, where it was known under various names, until Linnaus

No preparation has ever performed

nation gives the following statement of the occurrence: "I was coming down Pennsylvania ave-mue when I saw a carriage country in America, in view of such argo enough for political assassing to live in. In the breasts of fifty millions of people there is but one so fast that I thought they were running away. As the carriage arrived in front of me a man put his head out of the window and said: 'Faster,' After hearing this remark I thought there was something wrong, and ran after the carriage. When it reached the dewide a reputation, as AYER'S CHERRY OLD Capital. FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS. Mothers ! Mothers !! Mothers !!! Are you disturbed at night and broker

of your rest by a sick child suffering and cr.ing with the exeruciating pair of cuiting teeth? If so, go at once an get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Southing Capital. syrup, it will relieve the poor little suf-ferer immediately—depend upon it here is no mistake about it. There i

OF LONDON. The undersigned are prepared to ISSUE POLICIES dumbia kiver to



policeman who was standing at opinion of the shooting begged to the depot door keeping the way be excased. He said: "The news sympathy and hope that he may clear for the president and his has found me so unprepared and speedily recover. party, grabbed the assassin by the overwhelmed with personal cares neck and as he pulled him out of that it has almost stunned me. the depot another policeman came May God grant that it may not be to his assistance. Just after firing true. It is the most terrible incithe shot the assassin exclaimed, dent in our history since that of "I have killed Garfield. Arthur is Lincolns assassination, but if it is president. I am a stalwart." While true may heaven help the country." the president was lying on the Conkling then turned away and shown to be that of a madman. floor in the ladies' room, he was went to his room.

surrounded by secretaries Windom, James and Blaine. Mrs. Just before Mrs. Garfield's arri-

Hunt, Miss Windom and Mrs. rival and while she was expected, James were also standing near the | Secretary Robert Lincoln was pautes after the shooting Dr. Bliss library with a downcast air, eviarrived. The president was then dently recalling the scene of the put on a bed and carried up stairs, said tragedy of sixteen years ago.

where an examination was made As the hour approached at which by the doctors. General Sherman Mrs. Garfield was expected a sorlance to carry the president to south portico of the White-house describes the removal of the presi- before seven o'clock she arrived dent to the White-house: "The and was met at the front door by president lay in the ambulance Attorney General MaeVeagh, Mrs. propped up with pillows and with P. M. Gen. James and Mrs. Gar-His face was ashy white but bore has arm about her waist and led her a calm placid look. He seemed into the house sobbing. Strong perfectly conscious and opened his men who witnessed this sad scene eyes frequently to view the sur- coming turned away and wept as

roundings. While he was being they heard the heartbroken sobs carried up the stair he smiled sadly of the President's wife. Mrs. Garand waived his hand in recogni- field was immediately taken to tion of friends who were gathered the bedside of her husband who about him. His sufferings must sign of it, and was gentle and submissive as a child."

The Voice of the Press.

special edition Sunday morning. an hour after her arrival was at- God; and that the celebration be heads, but there is no evidence of to 112. At 9:40 he was sleeping hope of recovery. political crime. It seems to have quietly and Mrs. Garfield felt conbeen the act of a half-crazed lu- siderably encouraged, although natic. Regicide is an intelligible physicians shook their heads and crime, but to kill one president to maintained the opinion that the make room for another is an act case was hopeless.

favorable may be confirmed. Express to the president my deep U.S. GRANT.

Telegram from Gen. Hancock. GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, July 2, 1881. To Gen. W. T. Sherman, Washingt I trust that the result of the assault upon the life of the president to-day may not have fatal consequence, and that in the interest of the country the act may be Thanks for your dispatch and for

your promise of further informa-A Sad and Touching Scene. tion.

Sympathy from Abroad.

The secretary of state has represident. In three or five min- cing the floor of the Presidents ceived the following from the governor-general of Canada: AMERST, N. S., July 2.

Pray express my warmest sympathy with the president and his family at the dastardly attempt on his life. I am shocked at the then came and called an ambu- rowful group gathered on the news, but trust the wound is not mortal. I shall be very glad of the White-house. A spectator thus to receive her. A few minutes further intelligence. Reply to Halfax.

(Signed). LORNE, Governor-General. Sympathy from the Queen

W.S. HANCOCK.

WASHINGTON, July 3.-The following cable message was received his right arm thrown over his head. field's eldest son. Her son placed this morning by the Britisi minister:

WINDSON CASTLE, July 3 The queen is most anxious to earn as to the state of the president. Please wire the latest news. SIN H. PONSON.

Proclamation by Gov. Foster.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 3 .- Governor Foster to-day issued a proclamation that, in accordance with quieted her with affectionate cheerhave been intense but he gave no fulness. The scene that followed with his feelings in the matter, he numerous suggestions that ac, ird was indescribable. The presence of Mrs. Garfield seemed to cheer her husband and the favorable turn in his condition observed within The London Observer printed a in his condition observed within engage in prayer to Almighty

It says: The first impression is tributed by the physicians to that conducted in accordance with what that the dastardly act is due to the fact. The presidents pulse, which may then be known of the condisame agencies as have attempted had been for some time at 140 run tion of the president. Thanks to kind providence, it is a great joy the lives of so many crowned down to 12S, and soon afterwards to add that present advices give

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