

DEEDS OF ASSASSINATION

A Few of These Grosser Crimes of the Nineteenth Century.

- Napoleon I, attempt by an infernal machine, Dec. 24th, 1800. Paul, Czar of Russia, by nobles, on March 24th, 1801. Spencer Perceval, Premier of England, by Bellingham, May 11th, 1812. George IV., when regent, attempt Jan. 28th, 1817. August Kotzebue, German dramatist, for political motives, by Earl Sand, March 28th, 1819. Charles, Duc de Berri, father of the Comte de Chambord, Feb. 13th, 1820. Capo D'Istria, Count, Greek statesman, torture, Oct. 9th, 1831. Andrew Jackson, President United States, attempt, Jan. 30th, 1835. Louis Philippe, of France, many attempts, by Fieschi, July 28th, 1835; by Alibaud, June 25th, 1836; by Menier, Dec. 27th, 1836; by Darmon, Oct. 15th, 1840; by Lecomete, Dec. 14th, 1846; by Henry, July 29th, 1846. Denis Affre, Archbishop of Paris, June 27th, 1848. Bossi, Comte Pellegrino, Roman statesman, Nov. 15th, 1848. Ferdinand, Charles III, Duke of Parma, March 27th, 1854. Isabella II, of Spain, attempts by La Riva, May 4th, 1847; by Madina, Feb. 2nd, 1852; by Raymond Puentes, May 28th, 1856. Napoleon III, attempts by Pianori, April 25th, 1855; by Bellemare, Sept. 8th, 1857; by Orsini and others, France, Jan. 14th, 1858. Daniel, Prince of Montenegro, Aug. 13th, 1860. D'Arcy Magee, at Ottawa, April 7th, 1865. Abraham Lincoln, President of the United States, at Ford's Theatre, Washington, by John Wilkes Booth, on the evening of April 14th; died April 15th, 1865. Michael, Prince of Servia, June 10th, 1868. Arim, Marshal of Spain, Dec. 28th, died Dec. 30th, 1870. George Darboy, Archbishop of Paris, by Communists, May 24th, 1871. Richard, Earl of Mayo, Governor-General of India, by Shere Ali, a convict, in Andaman Islands, Feb. 8th, 1872. Amadeus, Duke of Aosta, when King of Spain, attempt, July 19th, 1872. Prince Bismarck, attempt, by Haged, May 7th, 1866; by Kullman, July 13th, 1874. Abdul Aziz, Sultan of Turkey, June 4th, 1876. Hussein Avni, and other Turkish Ministers, by Hassan, a Circassian officer, July 10th, 1876. William I., of Prussia and Germany, attempt, by Oscar Becker, July 14th, 1861; by Hodel, May 11th, 1875; by Dr. Nobling, June 2nd, 1878. Mehmet Ali, Pasha, by Albanians, Sept. 7th, 1878. Humbert I, King of Italy, attempt, by John Passaranti, March 17th, 1888. Lord Lytton, Viceroy of India, attempt, by Bussa, Dec. 12th, 1878. Alfonso XII, of Spain, attempts, by J. O. Moncazi, Oct. 25th, 1878; by Francisco Otero Gonzalez, Dec. 30th, 1879. Boris Melnikoff, Russian general, attempt, March 4th, 1880. Brazian, Premier of Roumania, attempt, by P. Petraru, Dec. 14th, 1880. Alexander II, of Russia, attempts, by Karakozov, at St. Petersburg, April 18th, 1881; by Berezowski, at Paris, June 6th, 1867; by Alexander Solovieff, April 14th, 1879; by unidentifiable railway train, Dec. 16, 1879; by explosion in winter palace, St. Petersburg, Feb. 17th, 1880; killed by explosion of a bomb thrown by a man who was himself killed, St. Petersburg, 2 p.m., March 13th, 1881. Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke, the Phoenix Park murder, by Irish Invidibles, in May, 1882. James A. Garfield, President of the United States, shot by Charles Julius Guiteau, Washington, July 2nd, 1881; died from his wounds Sept. 19th, 1881; Guiteau convicted of murder in the first degree, Sept. 18, 1882; sentenced Feb. 2nd; hanged on June 30th, 1882. Marie Francois Carnot, President of France, stabbed mortally at Lyons by Cesare Sarto, an anarchist, Sunday, June 24th, 1894. Stanislas Stamboloff, ex-Premier of Bulgaria, killed by four persons, armed with revolvers and knives, July 25th, 1895. Naser-Eddin, Shah of Persia, was assassinated May 1st, 1896, as he was entering a shrine near his palace. The man who shot him down was disguised as a woman, and is believed to have been the tool of a band of conspirators. He was caught and afforded the most horrible death that a criminal ingenuity could invent. Antonio Canovas Del Castillo, Prime Minister of Spain, shot to death by Michael Angelo Lo, alias Goli, an Italian anarchist, at Agostu, Spain, while going to the baths, Aug. 8, 1897. Juan Ibarra Borda, President of Uruguay, killed Aug. 27, 1897, at Montevideo by Avenida Arellano, of floor in Uruguayan army. President Diaz, attempt, in the City of Mexico, by M. Aranafo, Sept. 20, 1897. Jose Maria Reyna Barrios, President Guatemala, killed at Guatemala City, Feb. 8, 1898, by Oscar Solinger, an anarchist, stabbed in the heart by Luchenti, a French-Italian anarchist, at Geneva, Switzerland, while going from her hotel to a boat, Sept. 10, 1898. William Goebel, Democratic claimant to the Governorship of Kentucky, shot by a person unknown, Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1900, while on his way to the State Capitol, in Frankfort, Ky. Humbert, King of Italy, shot to death July 29, 1900, at Monza, Italy, by Gaetano Bresci.

SWINDLING THE FARMERS.

Two Schemes Which are Being Operated Just Now.

JUST KEEP YOUR EYE SKINNED.

Farmers should beware of a gang of swindlers who are travelling through the rural districts claiming authority to examine wells. They examine the water through a microscope and find all kinds of bacteria, cholera and typhoid germs, and permit the farmer and his wife to look through the microscope, when they see, of course, a manager that will always be found in a drop of water. The frightened farmer is advised to apply certain remedies, which the farmer sell at high prices, and which prove to be a little bit of water. A Shakespeare man sends the Stratford Beacon this: A cream separator for \$4 that will do the work of a \$100 article is the best. The glib-tongued gentlemen are holding out in this country to the simple farmer. It is a tin tube, two feet long, to be used in pouring cold water. It will milk can, and can be had of any tin-man for 25 cents. If any farmer wants to water his own milk, why let him, but why he should be asked to pay \$4 for the liberty is what a fellow can't understand. Put the farmer is not the victim the traveler is after, but the local agent he is trying to appoint. Said agent is to get \$2 for every separator he sells, but look at the conditions. He has to sign an order for five dozen separators, with the promise that if he does not sell them inside of thirty days he can return them at cost. And here is the story, as when he is sued on his order, the cost, 25 cents, will be put in as evidence against him. The headquarters of the company is the same town that a good many agents will sorrowfully remember as having sent out a gang of fellows who victimized them a number of years ago with a \$4 tin washing machine, supplied on the same kind of an order. The agents on returning their unsold tin toys were allowed 65 cents, the cost of making, but by the court were compelled to pay \$2 for each machine ordered. So Embro agents take warning and beware in time.

Blood Disorders

are simply kidney disorders.

The kidneys filter the blood of all that shouldn't be there. The blood passes through the kidneys every three minutes. If the kidneys do their work no impurity or cause of disorder can remain in the circulation longer than that time. Therefore if your blood is out of order your kidneys have failed in their work. They are in need of stimulation, strengthening or doctoring. One medicine will do all three, the finest and most imitated blood medicine there is.

Dodd's Kidney Pills

Even With the Lawyer. A certain lawyer was in his office one day when a stranger came to the door and said: "Beg your pardon, but can you sell me where Messrs. Smith's office is?" "Yes, it is on the fourth floor." The stranger thanked him, and climbed upstairs. Returning presently, he looked up at his face as he left the building, but it was peaceful again when he returned next day and enquired of the lawyer: "How much will you charge me for a verbal opinion about a little matter?" "Oh, about a guinea." The case having been stated, the opinion was given, and the stranger was moving away, containing the lawyer said sharply: "My fee, please." "I haven't a halfpenny to pay you with." "You haven't?" "Of course not; if you had asked me that question in the first place, I should have answered by telling you so. Good morning, sir."

When Baby Cries at Night

There is always cause for it. Perhaps it is cramps or colic, a little wind in the stomach; it may be stiff neck, a cough, cold or headache. For any of these complaints the best remedy is to give the baby a few drops of "Polson's Nervine." It is a mother's best friend; and no household should be without it. Pleasant to take inwardly, and ten times stronger when used as an external application. Always use with caution. Catarrh cures Bronchitis and Asthma.

A New Yorker's Opinion of the Chinese Capital.

"You have collected many instances," writes "J. D. R." "showing that residents in China foresee what has taken place. What will you say to the following extract from that fascinating book, 'China: Characteristics,' by A. H. Smith? "Still we must confess to a decided conviction that human life is safer in a Chinese city than in an American city—safer in Pekin than in New York. We believe it to be safer for a foreigner to traverse the interior of China than for a Chinese to traverse the interior of the United States (p. 239). "This was written five years ago by a citizen of the United States who had lived 22 years in China, and wrote one of the very best books ever written on that country."

French Gratitude to England.

Four ornamental volumes were presented to Queen Victoria in 1874, containing the names of all the principal towns of France. This was to mark the gratitude of the Frenchmen for the relief given to France by Great Britain after the war of 1870. The volumes contain some millions of signatures, and inscribed upon the covers are the words, "Britannia Grata Gallia."

Miller's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Don't Blame 'Em. "Yes," says a rural local, "we could stand Hiram Redding's daughter signing her name Mae Redding, and the new school teacher writing her name Emma instead of plain Emma, but when old Bill Fish got to scrawling himself as Byll Fish, we just run him out of town.—Chicago News."

Types and Spacing.

"You," he cried, "are the type of perfect womanhood." "And you are the type of perfect manhood," she faltered shyly. "We are spaced out too much, don't you think?" he whispered. "And as he drew her to his bosom he encountered only the feeblest and most perfunctory resistance."

Miller's Grip Powders Cure.

"Why do they keep you here?" asked the prison visitor. "Oh!" replied the man who had burned down his residence to get the insurance, "for home consumption, I suppose."

Paul's Advice.

"Hello, central!" "What number, please?" "Give me Pekin, and connect me with the palace of the dowager empress."

Reduced to Ashes

Here is a story which General Burgoyne used to tell: At a great dinner party in India the sun was so powerful that on a blind being moved accidentally for a few seconds the rays lighted upon the hostess and reduced her to ashes. Her husband, having noticed the catastrophe, called to a servant and directed him to sweep up his mistress and bring another bottle of claret.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Mrs. G. Howell, Dante, Ont., says: I find Miller's Worm Powders a good medicine.

Flims Usually Well Read.

According to a book on the Flims recently published by the Russian author, Mrs. O. R. Popow, of St. Petersburg, there is not a single peasant's hut in all Finland where a political paper is not regularly read, and most of the Flims, even the peasants, can recite from memory long portions of the writings of Runeberg and Topelius. Of the thirty-five smaller villages in the country, not but five have at least one periodical, the total number of such publications being 186.

My daughter has improved so much that you would scarcely know her—Miller's Compound Iron Pills did it.

"Are you a member of the church?" "O' yes." "Are you, really? I never saw you there." "No; you see I'm—er—well, I'm a non-resident member."

FOREIGN MARRIAGES

Enlille Thinks They are Not to be Disapproved of.

The number of international marriages—that is, marriages between rich American girls and titled Europeans—is annually increasing. Some oppose these marriages because, they say, Americans make better husbands than foreigners. They contend that American girls who marry foreign husbands thereby cast a slight upon American men. Others oppose these unions because they believe that divorce and desolation mark their progress. Yet another class disapproves such marriages upon the plea that they take too much money out of the country.

Let me say that I do not disapprove of the marriages of American girls with titled foreigners. Theoretically, at all events, he should be the best husband whom the girl freely chooses. A girl may merely love a title. It is better to be in love with a title than with nothing. American girls who marry foreigners do so, not for the purpose of begetting their own countrymen, but in the exercise of that liberty to which they are entitled by their birthright. The proportion of these marriages which turn out badly is not as large as is generally supposed. Whenever a marriage of this kind does not go well, its failure is heralded all over the world. People matrimonial misfits among those who like to unearth scandals in high life are not socially conspicuous do not attract so much attention. As to these marriages taking large sums of money out of the country, I have only to remark that the owners of money presumably spend it where they please. Spaniards do not find fault with me because I spend my money outside of Spain. Whenever a marriage of this kind does not go well, its failure is heralded all over the world. People matrimonial misfits among those who like to unearth scandals in high life are not socially conspicuous do not attract so much attention. As to these marriages taking large sums of money out of the country, I have only to remark that the owners of money presumably spend it where they please. Spaniards do not find fault with me because I spend my money outside of Spain. Whenever a marriage of this kind does not go well, its failure is heralded all over the world. People matrimonial misfits among those who like to unearth scandals in high life are not socially conspicuous do not attract so much attention. As to these marriages taking large sums of money out of the country, I have only to remark that the owners of money presumably spend it where they please. Spaniards do not find fault with me because I spend my money outside of Spain.

School Gardens to Belgium.

School gardens were established in Belgium many years ago, and it is said that to them is due the prosperity of the rural population, the larger portion being engaged in truck gardening. After the introduction of agriculture into the public schools of France by a law passed in 1885 school gardens increased in that country. Annual appropriations have been devoted to an extension of the system in Switzerland since 1885.

Arsonic Eaters in Europe.

The practice of taking arsenic in minute doses is very prevalent among the peasantry of the mountainous districts of Austria-Hungary and France. They declare that this poison enables them to ascend with ease heights which they could not otherwise climb.

Something in It.

The question, "What's in a name?" may be answered from one point of view by narrating a bit of experience confided to one of his friends by a man named Coward.

"Now, be it known that there are branches of the Coward family who can trace an honored lineage back to old colonial days, and are quite as proud of their ancestry as the Vere de Veres or Fitz Montmorencys. "Have you never thought of changing your name?" asked the friend. "I," answered the Coward, "in question. "There are too many thrilling associations connected with it."

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Merchant Tailors wanted in every town and village in Canada to sell made to measure Tailor Made Clothing. For particulars, Crown Tailoring Co., Toronto.

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Nature planned that infants should have only milk for at least the first year of life. But thin milk, skimmed milk, will not nourish. It's the milk that is rich in cream, or fat, that does the work. This is because fat is positively necessary for the growing body.

Scott's Emulsion

contains the best fat, in the form of Cod-Liver Oil, for all delicate children. They thrive greatly under its use. Soon they weigh more, eat more, play better and look better. It's just the right addition to their regular food. The hypophosphites of lime and soda in it are necessary to the growth and formation of bone and teeth.

At all druggists; see and get. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

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GLOOM AND DESPAIR

Give Way To Vigor, Health And Happiness.

An Attack of La Grippe Left the Sufferer Weak, Nervous and Enfeebled—A Victim of Insomnia and Heart Trouble.

Naturally every sick person to whom help is promised, will ask, "has the remedy been successful? Whom has it helped?" We cannot better answer these questions than by publishing testimonials received from grateful people who are anxious that other sufferers may profit by their experience. One of these grateful ones is Mrs. Douglas Kilts, of Perry Station, Ont. Mrs. Kilts says: "Three years ago I had a very severe attack of la grippe, and the disease left me in an extremely worn-out, nervous, and enfeebled condition. The nervousness was so severe as to have almost resulted in St. Vitus dance. Sleep forsook me. I had had attacks of heart trouble, and the headaches I endured were something terrible. I had no appetite, and was literally fading away; I was not able to work about the house, and was so weak that I could scarcely lift a cup of tea. I was treated by a good doctor, but with no benefit. Almost in despair, I resorted to patent medicines, and tried several, one after another, only to be disappointed by each. I ingested in this condition until the winter of 1899, when a friend prevailed upon me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I began taking them. From the first the pills helped me and I could feel my strength gradually returning. I continued the use of the pills according to directions until I had taken eight boxes, when I was again enjoying perfect health. My strength had entirely returned, my appetite was splendid, the heart trouble and nervousness had ceased, while the blessing of sleep, once denied, had again returned. I had gained over thirty pounds in weight, and was able to do all my house work with ease. In fact, I had received a new lease of life. I believe my cure is permanent, as more than a year has since passed, and I feel so strong and well that I venture to say there is not a healthier woman in this section; indeed, I am enjoying better health than I have for 20 years; and this has been brought about by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I feel that I cannot say enough in their praise, for I believe they saved my life. My son has also received the greatest benefit from the use of these pills in a case of spring fever.

The Cause of the Duke's Absence

Among the many stories told lately in connection with the late Duke of Argyll the following seems to have escaped repetition: A distinguished officer of the army called on the Duke at Inverary Castle, and was told by the servant that he was not at home. "Where is he?" asked the officer. "He's awa'—awa'—" was the doubtful hesitating reply—"awa' washing himself."

Blessed are the merciful!

For the mercifulness is God's medicine—one of the restoratives of the world.—H. W. Beecher.

Two neighbors, Messrs. Giles and English, Strathcona, Alberta, got into an altercation, and English struck Giles over the temple with an axe, almost killing him. At last accounts he was still living, but unconscious most of the time, and in a very precarious condition.

A SPANISH VIEW

Infanta Enlille on American Girls and Their Ways

In the United States the young women have reached the very acme of feminine independence. I like this, first of all because it is my way. When I visited the United States I found myself not quite so content with American girls upon this point of independence. It differentiates the American girl from her sisters of Europe. It has enormous advantages, and, properly understood, it implies the reverse of harm. Independence, rightly conceived and practiced, is neither harmful nor unbecoming. In southern countries the difference between honest independence, on the one hand, and what is improper, or what is merely not correct, on the other, is not quite so comprehended. National customs and traditions have much to do with this. In some of the older countries, where social usages are strictly conventional, women could be induced more easily to violate a commandment of the Decalogue than a rule of society. The genesis of the various national customs regarding certain feminine properties may be traced to the difference between eastern and western civilizations. For instance, in southern Spain, where Arab or Moorish customs prevail, women cannot go out alone without calling forth adverse comment. The Arabs, or Moors, as we style them in Spain, are very jealous of their women. They have known a lady to sit for hours in the house of a friend awaiting the return of her maid rather than cross the street alone to her home. She was neither young nor pretty. Where oriental civilization is strongest in Europe women have the least liberty. In northern Spain female restrictions are not quite so severe as in the south. In France they are growing gradually less. In England women have more freedom than on the continent. In the United States, as I have said, the fair sex have reached the plenitude of independence.—The Infanta Enlille, in Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for August.

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