Secretary Seward and His Two Sons
Also Attacked and Dangerously Wounded.

## ASSASSINS NOT YET ARRESTED J. Wilkes Booth Identified as One

of the Murderers.

Sec'ry Stanton to Have Been a

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The recovery of Seward is doubtful. It is not probable that the President will like through the night.

live through the night.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 15-4:10-To Moj Gen Dix:—The President continues inecessible and is sinking. Secretary Sew and remains without change. Frederick Seward's skull is fractured in two places and a severe cut in the head. The attendant is alive, but hopeless. Mej Seward's wounds are not dangerons. wounds are not dangerous.

It is now accertained with reasonable

tes now secretained with reasonable certainty, that two assassins were engaged in the horrible crime; Wilkes Booth being the one that that the President and the other, a companion of his, whose nime is not known but whose description is so clear that he can hardly, ecape.

It appears from a letter found in Booth's truck that the murfer was planned before the 4th of March, but fell through the ha

the 4th of March, but fell through then because the accomplice backed out until Richmond could be heard from. Booth and his accomplice were at the livery staand his secondice were at the livery sta-ble at 6 o'clock last evening, and left there with their horses about 10 o'clock or short-ly before that hour. It would seem that they had for several days been seeking their chance, but for some unknown reason it was not carried into effect until last night. One of them has evidently made his way to Baltimore, and the other has not been traced.

EDWIN M. STANTON Death of President Lincoln-

Washington, April 15.—To Maj. Gen. Dix:—Abraham Lincoln died this morning at 22 minutes after seven oclock. E. M. STANTON,

#### Secretary of War. LATER.

Washington, April 15.—The assassin of President Lincoln left behind his bat and a spir. The hat was picked up in the sent an official communication to Hon. President's box, and has been identified by arties to whom it has been shown, as the United States, stating that in consequence one belonging to the suspected man, and of the sudden and unexpected death of the authorities. Consider described by other parties not Ohiof Magistrate, his inauguration should allowed to see it, before describing it.— take place as soon as possible, and request.

The spor was dropped on the stage. That ed him to state the place and hour at also has been identified as the one procured at the livery stable, where the same

man had bired a horse early in the evening.
Two gentlemen who went to the Secretary of War to apprise bim of the attack on President Lincoln, met at the residence of the former a man muffled in a cloak who when accosted by them hastened away. when accosted by them hastened away.—I out of the fact, and repaired to the appoint that been Mr. Stanton's intention to accompany Mr. Lincoln to the theatre and company Mr. Lincoln to the theatre and coupy the same box, but the press of business prevented. It therefore seems evident that the sim of the plotters was to paralize the country, by at once striking down the head and heart of the Administration. As soon as the dreadful event At 11 o'clock the oath of office was administrated by the Chief Insting of the II. was announced on the streets. Serg't Richardson and his assistants were at work in the name solemn and impressive man-to discover the assassin. In a few moments her. Mr. Johnston received the kind ex-

Every road leading out of Washington was strongly picketed and every possible avenne of escape was also thoroughly guarded. Steamboats about to depart down the Potomac, were atopped. The Daily Chronicle says it is suspected that this conspiracy

oirginated in Maryland.

The telegraph fished the mouroful news to Baltimore and all the cavalry was put upon active duly, and every road was pick eted and every precaution taken to prevent the escape of the assassios. A prelimina-ry examination was made by Mesers. Richdson and his assistants. Several persons were called to testify and the evidence that was elicited from an informal tribunal

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Sec'ry Stanton to Have Been a Victim.

Washington, April 15.—The Star extra says: At7:20 o'clock the President/breathed his last, closing his eyes as if falling to to sleep, and his countenance assuming an expression of perfect generity. There were no indications of pain; and it was not known that he was dead until the gradually decreasing respiration ceased altogether. The Rev. Dr. Gurley, of New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, immediately on its being ascertained that life was extinct, knelt at the bedside and offered an impressive prayer, which was

ard who was kindly assisting in the room all but the persons of the bousehold and of Secretary Seward, received a stab in the back, his shoulder blade preventing the kind or dagger from penetrating into his among the number. The body is being body. The prospects are that he will re-

A report was circulated and credited by almost everybody, that Booth was captured 15 miles this side of Baltimore, and if it be true as asserted that the War Department has received such information, it will doubtless be officially promulgated.

The government Departments are closed by order, and will be draped with emblems of mourning.

f mourning.

The reads leading to and from the city are guarded by military, and the utmost circumspection is observed as to all at-tempting to enter or leave the city.

About 12 o'clock at night two men crossed the Ancosta bridge, one of whom gave his name as Booth and the other as Smith: The last is believed to be John Suratt. Last night a riderless horse was found, which has been identified by the found, which has been identified by the proprietor of one of the stables previously mentioned as having been hired from his establishment. Accounts are conflicting as to whether Booth crossed over the bridge on horseback or on foot, but as it is be lieved that he rode across it is presumed that he had exchanged his horse.

From information in the possession of the authorities it is avident that the cope of the plot was intended to be much more comprehensive. The Vice President and other prominent members of the administration were particularly inquired for by

tration were particularly inquired for by suspicioned parties and their precise local-ity ascertained, but providentially in their cases the scheme miscarried.

A beat was at once sent down the Potomac to notify the gunboats on the river of the awful dragedy, in order that all possible means should be taken for the arrest of the perpetrators. The most ample precautions have been taken and it is not believed the culprits will long succeed in evading the overtaking arm of justice.

#### Andrew Johnson Sworn in as Presi-

dent of the United States. WASHINGTON, April 15-12 m .- Andrew Johnson was sworn into office as President Johnson was sworn into office as President of the United States by Chief Justice Chase, to-day at 11 o'clock. Secretary McOuljech and Attorney General Speed and others were present. He remarked, "The duties are mine, I will perform them, trusting in God"

ed him to state the place and hour at which the ceremony should be performed. Mr. Johnston at once replied that it would be agreeable to him to have the proceed-inga take place at his rooms in the Kirk-

wood Rouse.

As soon as the arrangements could be perfected, Chief Justice Chase was informed of the fact, and repaired to the appoin-

ministered by the Chief Justice of the U. S. the teirgraph had aroused the whole police force of the city. Mayor Wallach and several members of the city government were soon on the spot, and every precaution was taken preserve order and quiet in the city.

Every street in Washington was patroled at the request of Mr. Richardson. General Augur sent horses to mount the police.

Algur sent horses to mount the police with the solemnity of the occasion and the with the solemnity of the occasion and the solemnity occasio with the solemnity of the occasion and the responsibility of the duties of the office I am assuming. Mr. Johnson appeared to be in reasonably good health, and has a high and realizing sense of the hopes that are cantered upon him. His manner was solemn and dignified, and his whole beer than the content of log produced the most gratifying impres-sion upon those who participated in the deremonles. It is probable that during the day President Johnson will issue his first proclamation to the American people. It is expected, though nothing has been definitely determined upon, that the funeral of the late President Lincoln will take place on or about Thursday next. It is and not under oath, was conclusive and supposed that his remains will be tempoto the point.

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soh, Vice President, upon whom the Con-cittution devolves the office of President. was identified as one of those which he had sob, Vice President, upon whom the Conchained from the stable where he hired affution devolves the office of President. The Pust also publishes a dispatch to Chirles A Seward, which says Mr. Sewards which say

and the facility with which he escaped behind the scenes is easily understood.

The person who attacked Secretary Seward, left behind him a slouched hat and an oil rusty navy revolver.

The chambers were broken loose from the barrel, as if done by striking. The loads were drawn from the chambers, were drawn from the chambers, were smaller than the chambers, wrapped in paper, as if to keep them from wrapped in paper, as if to keep them from falling out.

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15—1:30 a. m.—Mg. Gen. Dix: — This even ing about half past 9 o'clock, at Ford's Theatre, the President, while sitting in his private box, with Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs. Harris and Mr. Jor Rathbourn, was shot by an assessin, who suddenly entered the box and approached behind the President.

The assassin then leaped upon the stage braddishing a large dagger or knife, and made his escape in the rear of the Theatre. The pistol ball entered the back of the President's head, penetrating nearly through the bead. The wound is mortal. The President has been insensible ever since it was tradicted and is now dying.

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Washington, April 15 — The President's Body was removed from the private real corps. He was remained to the breath of the consolidation of the family.

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#### Circular.

WAR DEPARTMENT. PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL'S BUREAU, WASHINGTON, April 15, 9:40 A. M.—It is believed that the assassins of the President and Secretary Seward are attempting to escape to Canada. You will make the providence of the p will make a careful and thorough examination of all persons attempting to cross from the United States into Canada and will arrest all suspicious persons.

The most vigilant scrutiny on your part and the force at your command is demand-ed. A description of the parties supposed to be implicated in the murder will be telegraphed you to day, but in the mean-time be active in preventing the crossing of any suspicious persons. By order of the Secretary of War. Signed. N.T. JEFFERS,

Brevet Brig. Gen., Acting Provost Marshal.

Mayor Wood issued a proclamation closing all public places of the municipality and directing all the flags to be half masted and bells tolled. The firemen of Williamstondition.

Bualinaron, N. I., April 15. Main Gen. Grantleft for Washington at 6 o'clock this morning.

(Signed) Mas. U. S. Grant.

MRS. U. S. GRANT.

### STILL LATER.

Washington, April 15.—Gen. Grant, who left yesterday for New York, and who was informed of the assassination as he was leaving Philadelphia this morning, arrived here in a special train about noon, and immediately proceeded to the President's house. dent's house.

The second extra of this evening's Star

Hookstown, Md., seems to implicate Booth.
The writer speaks of the mysterious affair n which he is engaged, and urges him to proceed to Richmond and ascertain the views of the authorities there upon the subject. The writer of the letter endeav ors to persuade Booth from carrying his design into execution at that time, for the reason, as he alleges, that the Government had its suspicions aroused. The writer of the letter seems to have been implicated with Booth in the mysterious affair referred to, as he informs Booth in the letter, that would prefer to express bis views verbally, and then goes on to say that he was out of money, had no clothes, and would be compelled to leave home, as his family were desirious that he should dissolve his onnection with Booth.

This letter is written on note paper in s

small neat hand, and simply bears the sig-nature of "Sam."

At the Cabinet meeting yesterday, which lasted over two hours, the future policy of the Government towards Virginia was dis-cussed. The best feeling prevailed. It is the towers.

The best feeling prevailed. It is said that it was determined to adopt a very liberal policy, as was recommended by the

President.
It is stated that this meeting was the most harmonious held for two years, the President exhibiting throughout that magnanimity and kindness of heart, which has over characterized his treatment of the reellious States, and which has been so illy equited on their part.

One of the members of the Cabinet re-carked to a friend that he met at dinner, that the Government was stronger than it had been for three years past.

New York, April 16.—Dispatches have been received from all parts of the country expressive of the grief of the people at the

nation's calamity.

NEW YORK, April 15 —A special to the Pest from Washington, says: Mr. Hansell, the messenger of the State Department, who was in attendance upon Mr. Seward, is dead. Secretary Seward is

in a very precarious condition.

It is reported that Booth was captured this morning. The story is that his horse threw him and lojured him so severely that he was obliged to seek relief in a house on

the 7 h street road.

ical condition and the surgeons are remov-ing the broken fragments of his skull, A private dispatch to Mr. Seward's

A private dispatch to Mr. Seward's nephew in this city, from a member of the family, saye: I have just left Mr. Seward's house. His wounds are not mortal. He has lost much blood, but no arteries are cut. Frederick's skull is fractured badly in two places above the temple. He is insensible and I fear he will die. Secretary Seward's throat would have been cut if he had not rolled out of bed. He has been informed of Mr. Sincoln's death

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Acother private despatch states that
Frederick Seward is out of danger. Major

Seward is not dangerously wounded.
Several impromptu street meetings have been held so day, addressed by prominent gentlemen, the unanimous expression being so hold the rebel leaders to a just account for their crimes. Two men expressing respect for Jeff Davis were driven out of a newspaper counting room and hunted by the crowd, they seeking safety in flight.

The steamship Etna sailed at 6 30 this afternoon with efficial dispatches to our life and strongth of the spirit of the rebellion. We must now crush out the soul of treason. o hold the rebel leaders to a just account for their crimes. Two men expressing respect for Jeff. Davis were driven out of a newspaper counting room and hunted by
the crowd, they seeking safety in flight.
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afternoon with efficial dispatches to our
ministers at foreign ports from Washington.
An official dispatch was also sent out per
Nova Scotia from Portland.
Bishop Potter has issued an address to
all clergymen, appointing appropriate prayers to be read to-morrow, and recommending the cluthing of the churches in moure.

ing the clothing of the churches in mourn-ing in Brooklyn.

Mayor Wood issued a proclamation clos-

public funerusi obsequy.

# Address of Gen. Stone WASHINGTON, April 15.—Gen. Stone of lows, has issued the following address to the people of that State: WASHINGTON, April 15.—The Federal city

is shrouded in mourning. In the midst of joy and triumph, the nation is suddenly called to deplore the loss of its greatest and truest friend, foully murdered by a traitor-The second extra of this evening's Star These condexts and Struck down in the fullness of says Colonel lograham, Provost Marshal of the defences north of the Potomac, is engaged in taking testimony to-day, all of which fixes the assessination on J. Wilkes Booth. Judge Oliver, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and Business of the public headquarters on Tenth Street in taking the testimony of a large number of witnesses.

Licut Tyrell, of Col. Ingraham's staff, last night proceeded to the National Hatel, where Booth had been stopping, and took possession of his trunk, in which was found a Colonel's military dress coat, two pair of hand cuffs, two boxes of cartridgae, and a package of letters, all of which are now in the possession of the military authorities.

One of these letters bearing the date of Hookstown, Md., seems to implicate Booth. The writer seems to implicate B ous hand. Struck down in the fullness of

HALIPAX, April 15 -The government had ppointed to day for giving assent to the sills passed with the usual ceremonies, but pon receiving the news of President Linoln's murder, he sent the following mes-

sige to the Council:

Government House, N. S., Saturday, April
15.—My Dear Sir: The very shocking intelligence which has just reached me of the
murder of President Lincoln, by the hand
of an assassin, and my sense of the loss which the cause of order has sustained by the death of a man whom I have always regarded as eminently upright in his inten-tions, indisposes me to undertake any pub ic ceremony, such as I had contemplated n my intended visit to the Legislative Council this day. I beg therefore, to no-ify you of the postponement of that visit, and perhaps under the circumstances, men of all parties may feel that the suspension of further public business for the day would be a mark of sympathy, not unbe-coming the legislature to offer, and one which none could misconstrue.

Believe me to be, my dear sir, mest repectfully, yours, &co RICHARD GRAVES McDonald. To EDWARD KINNEY, President

egislative Council.

The citizens generally will noite in an expression of the deepest sympathy for the stions loss.

The flags on the Colonel Lamb, were orered down by the Naval authorities. WASHINGTON, April 15,-There is no con-

firmation of the report that the murderer of the Precident has been arrested. Among the circumstances tending to fix participation in the crime on Booth; were letters found in his trunk, one of which is apparently from a lady, supplicating him to desist from the perilous undertaking in which he was about to embark.

An Intelligencer extrassys:
From the evidence obtained it is rendered highly probable that the man who stabbed Mr. Seward and his sons is John Surratt, of Prince George's county, Mary-land. The horse he rode was hired at Nay-lor's stable on 14th street. Surratt is a young man with light hair and goates.— His lather is said to have been a Postmas-ter in Prince George's county.

New York, April 15-9 a. m .- Intense | than mortal energy in the accomplishment

the disability of Mr. Soward, and his son, Frederick Seward, the Assistant Secretary. Third, The President formally anabunced that he desired to retain the present Secretaries of departments of his cabinet, and they would go on and discharge their respective duties in the same manner as before the deplorable event that had changed the head of the government. All business in the departments was suspended during the day.

The surgeons report that the condition of Mr. Seward remains unchanged. He is doing well. No improvement in Mr. Frederick Seward.

The underere have not yet been apprehended. (Signed) E. M. Statton, Sec'y of War.

Removal of the President's Body.

Washington, April 15—The President's body was removed from the private residence opposite Ford's Theater to the Executive mansion this morning at 9:30, in the disability of the desirable formally and produced from a source perfectly reliable intaturing a conversation of Spenies in the during a conversation of Spenies and the streets are assuming a sombre hue. The various hotels, the New Rogland Rooms, Post Office, Custom House and other public places are being draped. The gold room closed. The regular board of Brokers adjourned after passing appropriate resolutions. All the banks in the city are closed. An immense meeting of merchants and citizens is being held in Wall street, presided over by Mr. Draper.—Specified over by Mr. Draper.

8 P. M.—The city is pervaded with almost a Sabbath quietness. Stores and abops are closed and crape is rapidly appearing at all points. Broadway is hung in gloom and blackness. On the principal avenues the scene is the same. Wall street, Broad, William, South and other strictly business streets, are covered with mourning emblems. The shipping in the harbor have flags at half mast, and many are in drapery. All the newspaper buildings are shrouded and great crowds of sorrow stricken people are gathered in front lugs are shrouded and great crowds of sorrow stricken people are gathered in front
of their bulletin boards. The great meeting of merchans in Wall street, was the
most impressive ever held here. Prayer
was offered by the Rev. Dr. Vermilyen.—
Ex.Gov. King and Judge Pierpont addressed the meeting, counselling the utmost
support to the new President under the
trying circumstances under which he assumes his new duties. Mr. Butler addressed the meeting, saying a great and a good lion, so that our cities will not be in dan-ger of the torch of the traitor. Mr. John-son is able to deal with the rebellion, therefore let every man take heart. Not

in a spirit of revenge should we demand reparation for this great wrong, but retri-bution must be brought against the per-petrator of the terrible crime. His re-marks received unanimous response from

the masses present.

Daniel S. Dickinson addressed the meeting, saying all that remained for slavery to do, was to show its villanious and ho to do, was to show its villatious and hor rible batture by this atroclous assausing atton. It must now be hunted out like a feroclous beast. Let our assumesty extend to faithful men. Let it behirdes all whose bearts are right. Let us dig out the roots of slavery and burn up the seeds. Everything belonging to the rebellion must be abolished, their murderers and thieves must be hunted from the abole of men.

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Gen. Peck also addressed the meeting.

The resolutions pay high tribute to the patriotism, high integrity and love of cosm try evinced by the President; expresses heartfelt grief at the horrid event, but bow submissively to the will of God.

Geo. Wells was arrested to day for openly rejoicing over the death of the President, and sent to the penitentiary by Judge Donling.

All trains arriving here are thoroughly searched, and a force of detectives have

notoriety, was taken down by the crowd, from Israel's show case and thrown into the street and stamped upon by the peo-pie. Berdan's photograph gallery was also visited, but the proprietors had prudently removed certain obnoxious pictures. I bad on hand a picture of Booth, the assassin, who is well known here, this belog his native city. This picture, however, was removed before the mob reached the place, or serious consequences might have result-ed. The military and police authorities are making every effort to preserve the peace. All the avenues and roads around it are strongly guarded and vigorous search is going on in the hope of possibly cap-turing one or both of the assassios, who may have fled in this direction.

DETRUIT. April 15 -The assassination of President Liacoln has produced in this community. The utmost grief not unmingled with a feeling that stern justice must be served to all the rebels and their sympathizers.

At an early hour all places of business

were closed; public buildings, stores and many residences were draped in mourning. An immense meeting of the citizens was held in front of the city hall. After prayer by the Rev. Dr. Duffield, resolutions were adopted appropriate to the sad occasion Gov. Craps issued a proclamation culo

gistic of the i lustrious dead, saying that it gistic of the i lustrious dead, saying was a was becoming and proper that the people should devote a time to fasting and sorrow for this sad and unlooked for calamity,— He only abstains from fixing a day for olemn observance in expectation that the authorities at Washington will issue a proclamstion fixing the time which the nation can express, in a suitable manner, its sense of its lamentable bereavement. While we mourn over the dead and con-

dole with the bereaved family, letus swear never to give up this contest until the hy-dra-headed monster of slavery and despo-tism is eff-ctually destroyed and buried be yond resurrection. Let free and loyal men of Michigan stand firm in this hour of our country's peril. The blood of our be-loved martyr, and the death of our noble and heroic soldiers will nerve us with more

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Boston, April 15 .- The citizens of Bos ton, overwhelmed with grief at the awful calamity which has befillen our common of the President. No flags were hoisted in this city this morning until the state of the President was known, when they were all placed at haif mast. The people appear perfectly horrified and the utmost rage is undoubtedlyfelt towards all known secessionists and rebel sympathisers.

All places of business are rapidly closing and the streets are assuming a sombre hue. The various hotels, the New England Rooms, Post Office, Custom House and other public places are being draped. The gold room closed. The regular board of tion to give their undivided and unfalter. ing support, imploring the blessing of God to goard him with the wisdom and virtue which characterized his lamented predeces

Sor. (Signed.)

Alexander H. Rice, Samuel Hooper, A. Plummer, Alpheus Harry, E. S. Torry, Phiness Stone, Geo. B Upton, James S. Little, E. R. Mudge, Committee.

San Francisco, April 15—The news of Linguistan means in a linguistance of the most li

Lincoln's assassination created the most intense universal feeling ever witnessed on this coast. It is known already through-Interes universal feeling ever witnessed on this coast. It is known already throughout the state wherever the telegraph extends, and everywhere the demonstations of public grief and borror are the same Business has been entirely suspended, bells are tolling and public and private buildings are draped in mourcing. The authorities have thought it prudent to take precautions against popular rumults resulting from expressions of joy by secessionists. Several treasonable brawlers were saved from lynching by the police.

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inflamed condition of the public mind.
The popular voice demands the enforcement of the sternest justice against all connected with the assassination and against
the obdurate rebel leaders.

Saw Fennesson April 15. A publication

San Francisco, April 15.—A mob just entered the publication offices of the Demicial Press, News Letter, Monitor and Occidental, copperhead organs, and emptied their contents into the streets, amid the applause of an immense crowd. A large body of armed police were ordered out, but arrived too late to prevent these acts of violence and destruction. Other democratic offices are threatened.

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The coffin is of mahogany and is covered with white satin. A silver plate upon the coffin, over the breast bears the following inscription: "Abraham Lincoln, Sixteenth President of the United States, born July 12th, 1809 died April The remains have been embalmed."

The remains have been embalmed few locks of hate

ment of President Lincoln's death, the Par-liament of Nova Scotia adjourned, and the flags on the Government House, the Citadel, the American Coosulate and the American vessels in port were half mast. Deep sympathy prevails in the minds of the friends of the Union.

The blockade runner Col. Lamb, was

gaily decked with flags.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 15—The announcement of the death of President Lincoln reated the most profound sensation.—
Susiness was entirely suspended in twentyminutes after the news was made public; every business house and public office, as if by common consent, closed their doors. The whole city is draped in mourning, flags on all the public buildings are displayed at half-mast and appropriately

At a public meeting held in Capitol

At a public meeting held in Capitol Square, at 12 o'clock, after prayer and singing addresses were made by Governor Morton, Ex-Gov. James A. Wright, Senator Hendricks, and others. Governor Morton introduced the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, In the midst of our rejoicing on account of the victories with which heaven has blessed our arms, the same spirit which has attempted the life of the nation has now succeeded in assailing our great and good Chief Magistrate, and probably his Secretary of State, therefore:

Resolved, That in the death of our beloved President, one of the great and good men of the world has fallen and the nation is called upon to mourn the departure of our second Washington.

Resolved, That our heartfelt sympathy is tendered to the family of President Lincoln in this terrible affliction.

Resolved, That we humbly and devoted-larger the Fethers of all transit in the series of the great and sevents.

Resolved, That confiding to the fullest extent in the ability, patriotism and integrity of Andrew Johnson, upon whom the presidential office now devolves, we with all the loyal men of the country will reluy accound him and give his administration of the government the same cordial and generous support which was accorded to that of his lamentable predecessor. COLUMBUS, April 15-The news of the

COLUMBUS, April 15—The news of the death of President Lincoln cast a gloom over the city. Business is suspended and the city is draped in mourning. Bells tolled most of the day.

Rev. Col. Granville Moody delivers a

uneral sermon in Capitol Square, to-morrow, Sunday.

St. Louis, April 15.—News of President Lincoln's death caused the most profound sorrow throughout the city and State. Preparations for festivities in honor to the recent victories are suspended or to the recent victories are suspended, and a day for rejoicing turned into a day of gloom. Business is entirely suspended, even liquor saloons are closed.

All public buildings and nearly all the business houses and private residences are draped in mourning, flags are disalayed at helf-max.

are draped in mourning, flags are disalayed at half-mast. Appropriate services will be held in many of the churches tomorrow, and the day given up to mourning, and deep depression.

Men speak in whispers on the streets, and the hush of a sick chamber pervades everywhere. No such day was ever experienced before in the history of this city. Dispatches from the interior and

city. Dispatches from the interior and from Kansas are burdened with sorrow. Bells are tolling and minute guns are firing. People everywhere show feeling of profound sorrow. of profound sorrow.

Nashville, April 15.—The news of President Lincoln's death reached here as the procession postponed from yester-day, in honor of the recent victories, was being formed. When the news was read the procession broke up, and with arms reversed and the bands playing a funeral march they slowly returned to their camps. march they slowly returned to their camps. Intense horror at the untimely death of the President fills all loyal hearts. Great preparations had been made by the Quartermaster's department and other govern

mourning. Business is entirely suspended, and the streets thronged with sad and anxious faces. As the facts of the murder become more definite a bitter feeling of retaliation seems to prevail against rebels and rebel symppathisers Minute guns are being fired from the Capitol.

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Cincinnati, April 15th.—The news of the assassination of President Lincoln produced profound sorrow, grief and indignation. Business was entirely suspended throughout the city, flags displayed at half mast, and the city draped in mourning. Street thronged all day with sad and solemn faces.

Junius Brutus Booth, brother of Wilkes Booth, aunounced to appear at Pike's Opera House to night, it is understood, was compelled to leave the city. All places of amusement are closed to night. Rumors prevail of several persons having been killed for expressions of joy at Lin-coln's death, but it is believed they are false.

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TORONTO, C. W., April 15th.—The news of the assassinations at Washington caused a profound sensation. The flags on the Custom House, American Consul, at the shipping in the harbor, and in the city were displayed at half mast, stores and places of business owned by Americans, are closed. The feeling of grief by the Canada people is intense, and it is contemplated giving some public expression.

Cairo, April 15th.—The city is in the

CAIRO, April 15th.—The city is in the deepest mourning over the news from Washington. Business is suspended, people appalled and profound sorrow depicted upon every countenass. Gen. Bank's delivered, a sure and impressive address in front of his leadquarters at noon, closing with the following resolution, which was unanimously and fervently adopted: fervently adopted:

Resolved, That we mourn deeply and

Washington, April 15 — An autopy was held this p. m., over the body of President Lincoln by Surgeon General Barnes and Dr. Stone, assisted by other eminent medical men.

15th, 1865."

The remains have been embalmed. A few locks of hair were removed from the President's head for the family, previous to the remains being placed in the coffin.

Buppalo, April 15.—The Governor of New York has issued a proclamation revok-ing the proposed thank-giving for our re-cent victories on April 20th, and changing Washington, April 15, 5 30, p. m.—To-lay no one is allowed to leave this city by

rail, conveyance or on loot, and the issu-ing of passes from the beadquarters of the department of Washington has been sus-pended by Gen. Augus. Boston, April 15 -Elwin Booth has been plunged into the despest grief by the desperate act of his brother, and it is telling fearfully upon his sensitive nature. For night he wis to have taken his farewell of the Boston public for a time, but it is said.

he has expressed a determination never to

ppear upon the stage again. Washington, April 15 -The Richmond Whig of yesterday contains the following: Whig of yesterday contains the following:
"HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF VIRGINIA." RICHMAIND, April 13.—Owing to
recent events, the permission for the reassembling of the gentleman recently actassembling of the gantlemen recently acting as the legislature of Virginials reacinds ed. Should any of the gentlemen come to the city under the notice of re-assembling, already published, they will be fursished passports to their homes. Any of the persons named in the call signed by J. A. Campbell and o hers, who are found in the city twelve hours after the publication of this notice will be subject to arrest, unless they are residents of this city.

[Signed] E. O. C. Ond,

Mej Gen. Com'dg Dept.

The Mayor issued a plant of business commending a suspension of business and public mourning throughout the city are heavily draped. The different club rooms are also draped. In Jersey city, Brooklyn and all the neighboring cities and towns, the most intense grief and rage is exhibited by the citizens.

Baltimorr, April 15.—Business at the Stock Exchange is entirely suspended. The Stock Exchange is entirely suspended. The streets are crowded. Great indignation is manifested by the crowd on Baltimore street, in regard to the obnoxious pictures street, in regard to the obnoxious pictures.

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ment. The Provost Murshal General is charged with the execution of this order. By command of Maj G-n. Ord.

(Signed) E G Smith, A.A. G.

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