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EVENING BULLETIN THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1864.

SECRET SOCIETIES AT THE SOUTH

We have had at the North the secret organization known as the Knights of the Golden Circle, whose known purpose was the overthrow of the Federal Government.

rebel armies, of the existence of secret organizations among the soldiers themselves. A recent letter from Chattanooga says: "Deserters coming in all reiterate the previously well-founded stories of demoralization in the army, and the determination to desert on the first favorable opportunity that presents itself."

It must be a pleasant state of affairs in an army, when three-fourths, or even one-fourth, of the soldiers cannot be trusted for picket duty. No wonder that deserters by hundreds are continually reported. It will be no more than retributive justice if "the Confederacy," which was created by secret treasonable plots, should receive its last and fatal wounds from secret organizations among its people and soldiers.

General Robert Toombs has come to grief. General Robert Toombs was formerly the Honorable Robert Toombs, United States Senator from Georgia. The Honorable Robert Toombs once expressed an intention of calling the roll of his slaves from the top of Bunker Hill Monument.

General and the late Honorable Robert Toombs has thus been treated to a fine specimen of the liberty that is accorded to the people of the Southern States under the glorious rule of the power he helped to create. In an address to the Georgians, dated December 23d, 1860, he said "Secession should be thundered from the ballot-box by the unanimous vote of Georgia. Such a vote will be your best guarantee for liberty, security, tranquility and glory!"

SPiritUALISM AND BLASPHEMY. We always go for the largest liberty in the discussion of all questions, whether of religion, politics, or of real or pretended science; we go upon the principle that error is harmless where truth is left free to combat it.

adroit management, that any professor of legerdemain could readily excel, in respect to sleight, they contrive to get rid of the corns with which they are tied, and to their box, and play some barbarous tunes upon a violin and a tambourine. The medium, who gives a supplemental performance in an adjoining room, first plunges the apartment into absolute darkness, and with known confederates scattered about the room, the table is rapped upon, a dinner bell is rung, guitars are played upon, and then flung about the room in all directions, and this wretched piece of foolery, that any two or three men with an ounce of brains between them could perform just as well, is called a "Spiritual Manifestation."

What we object to in these exhibitions is the scandal given by them to religion and to sacred things, that all persons who possess a sense of common decency, show at least an outward respect for. These imposters played upon the dead walls of the city, in huge flaring type, and impudently announce it orally in their blasphemous exhibitions, that the spiritual agency which ties and unties the common showmen in a wooden box, which rings dinner bells in the dark, and which plays a wretched tune upon a banjo and then sends the instrument flying across the room, is the same as that which rent the veil of the temple in twain at the time of the Crucifixion; that released Paul and Silas from prison, and wrote upon the wall at the time of Belshazzar's feast. If there is no law to stop this shocking exhibition of blasphemy, public opinion should put it down. Since Saturday night last, when the spectators in the audience revolted at the indecent imposition that was practised upon them, policemen have been stationed nightly in the hall to preserve the peace. If the Mayor would find it in the line of his duty to compel these imposters to keep within the legitimate line of their profession as showmen, or to close their doors, he would be sustained by almost universal public sentiment.

THE MALDEN MURDER. About ten years ago the people of Massachusetts and of the country were horrified at receiving tidings of one of the most diabolical murders ever recorded upon the pages of the criminal calendar. The murderer and the victim were both men of high standing in Boston, and money the motive which prompted the deed. Within a few days another tragedy has appalled the same Commonwealth—a tragedy which assimilates not a little to the Webster and Parkman murder. The perpetrator and the slaughtered victim were both well-known citizens, occupying positions of trust, and respected in the communities in which they resided, and money, the root of all evil, was the object to be gained by the crime.

Edward W. Green, the Postmaster of Malden, a thriving town within a few miles of Boston, made desperate by debts which had accumulated, it is said, by his own recklessness, devised a plan by which he could secure an amount sufficient to cancel his obligations. Purchasing a pistol, he proceeded to the Malden Bank, and seeing that no one was there but young Converse, the clerk, he drew his weapon, and placing the muzzle within a foot of the head of his victim and friend, fired, the ball taking effect back of his ear. He instantly discharged a second barrel, the shot from which took effect in the temple. The deed having been consummated, Green seized the bills in the drawer, amounting to about five thousand dollars, and returned to his office.

For nearly two months no suspicion attached to the perpetrator of the deed, until at length the sleepless vigilance of experienced detectives was rewarded by the discovery that Green was the murderer. His reserve while others were excited, his disinclination to speak of the tragedy, and the fact that he had, in order to hide delinquencies in his accounts with the Government, attempted, a few weeks previous, to burn the Post Office, induced suspicion, which was confirmed by his own confession after arrest.

Few more deliberate murders have been perpetrated in this country; but the early discovery of the author in the person of a respectable member of society, is convincing evidence that the man who thus outrages the laws of God, be he rich or poor, must, sooner or later, meet with that retributive justice which is the fate of all criminals.

TENTH WARD AND THE DRAFT

The Executive Committee of the Tenth Ward, appointed to solicit subscriptions to the Bounty Fund, whereby the quota of the Ward may be filled by Volunteers instead of drafted men, would greatly call the attention of those who have not subscribed to the necessity of doing so immediately.

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