

STUDIES ON CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND LIMITED RESPONSIBILITY. By Charles Follen Folsom, A.M., M.D., Formerly Visiting Physician for Nervous Diseases, Boston City Hospital. Privately printed, 1906.

These studies of Jesse Pomeroy, Charles Guiteau, Marie Jeanneret, Christiana Edmunds, Sarah Robinson and Jane Toppan have been collected and put together in a book of some 150 pages. We can recommend these short studies, since Dr. Folsom labored earnestly with the problem of criminal responsibility. Although not showing deep insight into the methods of more recent clinical psychiatry they have a good common-sense ring and from the English standpoint may be considered as valuable documents. One would not turn to the volume for any help in clarifying one's notions of the difficulties of medico-psychological problems but will gather good clear accounts of instances which may be useful.

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