

PREMIER DUPUY OUT

French Ministry Resigns Because of Adverse Votes.

GOVERNMENT HAS SMALL FOLLOWING

The Dreyfus Affair Largely Responsible for the Cabinet's Downfall.

M. Poincare Thought to Be the Coming Leader.

PARIS, June 13.—A resolution was offered by M. Ruan in the chamber of deputies yesterday afternoon respecting the conduct of the police on Sunday.

The government, on M. Vaillant's interpellation respecting the violence and brutality of the police yesterday, was defeated, and the order of the day carried against the ministry by a vote of 321 to 173.

The premier immediately thereafter sent the resignation of the cabinet to President Loubet.

There have been persistent assertions within the last few days that M. Dupuy would seek an opportunity to resign before the arrival of Dreyfus in France.

Many deputies agree that the Dreyfus affair is largely responsible for the cabinet's downfall.

Music Moves the Caterpillars.

CATSKILL, N. Y., June 12.—Up in the Catskill mountains, where the caterpillars have been very destructive to maple and apple trees, a novel and effective way to fight the pests has been discovered.

Our Export Trade.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The monthly statement of the exports of domestic products of the United States shows that during May, 1908, the exports were as follows:

Topedo Factory Blown Up.

MARIETTA, O., June 13.—The factory of the Marietta Torpedo Cap company was blown up yesterday with terrible effect.

Wreck on Long Island.

NEW YORK, June 13.—In the center of the long four mile trestle over Jamaica bay, with the water from 10 to 20 feet deep on either side, a wedding special from Far Rockaway crashed into the regular train from Rockaway Park at 11 o'clock last evening.

A Banquet to Mark Twain.

LONDON, June 10.—The Savage club last night had the honor of giving the first banquet to Mark Twain (Mr. Samuel L. Clemens) since his return to London.

New Industry for Sing Sing.

ALBANY, June 13.—State Superintendent of Prisons C. V. Collins goes to Sing Sing prison tomorrow to inaugurate the sash and blind industry which the state prison commission has directed shall be introduced in connection with the other industries.

Large Gun for Sandy Hook.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., June 9.—A large 12 inch gun to be used in the defenses at Sandy Hook was shipped last night by the Bethlehem Steel company. It weighs 30 tons.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and tersely told.

The racing season was opened at Ascot in the presence of many royalties.

Dr. Lawson Tait, the pioneer of abdominal surgery, died in London in his fifty-fifth year.

The Italian general Gillette de St. Joseph was arrested at Nice, France, accused of being a spy.

Baron Christian, the assailant of President Loubet, was sentenced at Paris to four years' imprisonment.

The chamber of indictments at Paris decided that there was no case against Lieutenant Colonel Picquart.

It was reported that Japan had decided to give back to China all the warships captured during the late war.

The navy department has been informed of the safe arrival of the cruiser Newark at an island off the coast of Patagonia.

A report has been received at Cheyenne, Wyo., that the Union Pacific robbers have been surrounded and are almost certain to be captured.

Tuesday, June 13. Mexico's gold production was estimated at \$12,000,000 this year.

Yellow fever was reported unusually virulent at Vera Cruz, Mexico.

Negroes at Sardis, Miss., lynched a negro for assault on a woman of his own race.

Rev. William Garden Blaikie died at North Berwick, Scotland, early Sunday morning.

After lying in a cataleptic state for 100 hours Viola M. Brown, aged 20 years, died in Philadelphia.

At Sumnerville, Pa., Henry Reynolds of Binghamton, N. Y., shot himself with a revolver, inflicting fatal injuries.

The will of the late Nathaniel Noyes of Haverhill, Mass., bequeaths \$50,000 to four public institutions of Salem.

Crops in Albany, Schenectady, Saratoga and Washington counties were reported seriously damaged by the long continued drought.

The Stella Polare, with the Duke of Abruzzi, nephew of the king of Italy, and his polar expedition on board, started from Christiania.

Fire, which started in the lumber yards of the Ansonia (Conn.) Brass and copper company, caused damage estimated at about \$15,000, covered by insurance.

Monday, June 12. Three cases of yellow fever at Panama have proved fatal.

A mammoth street car strike has been inaugurated in Cleveland.

The Grand Prix of Paris was won by Perth, with Velasquez second.

Two boys, each 10 years old, were arrested in Binghamton for burglary.

Buffalo freight handlers have again struck. They ask an advance of 1 cent an hour.

A tornado in the province of Valladolid, Spain, destroyed many lives and wrecked 150 houses.

The new government torpedo boat Stringham has been launched at the Wilmington yards.

In Womansocket, R. I., a stable was burned containing 13 horses. The fire was of incendiary origin.

A general strike of tailors and knee pants makers began in New York city, and 4,500 workmen are out.

The yacht Columbia, which is to sail in the international race in October, has been successfully launched at Bristol, R. I.

At West Berlin, Vt., Patrick Broughal was treated to a coat of tar and feathers for alleged intimacy with another man's wife.

Saturday, June 10. A revolt was reported in Borneo.

Five cases of virulent smallpox have been discovered in Brooklyn.

Percy Cox, 14 years old, son of J. T. Cox of Wetfield, N. J., hung himself.

Four military prisoners escaped from Castle Williams, on Governor's island.

Twenty-one plague cases and seven deaths have been reported at Alexandria.

At Rochester a monument was unveiled to the memory of Frederick Douglass.

Lieutenant Colonel Picquart has been provisionally released from custody at Paris.

A. J. Cassatt was chosen president of the Pennsylvania railroad to succeed Frank Thompson, deceased.

Keeping Up Appearances.

A "licensed pawnbroker" who does a great deal of work in the west end of London lately gave to the writer particulars of a strange sort of pledging that has become common of late and that often defeats men of his kind.

Backing up his statement with actual names and dates, he said:

"A bailiff and I enter a showy flat, say, and my accustomed eye at once falls on a handsome or at least a pretentious piano. I say to myself that this piano will sell for what I require. I go to it, but find that it is locked. I ask for the key, and when this is reluctantly produced I find that there is in reality nothing but a case. All the inside of the instrument is gone. The fact is that people in difficulties who still want to keep up appearances can borrow money, while still apparently retaining their piano, by allowing the lenders to take away the main part, or inside, of the instrument. One man in the west end in particular does a considerable business by lending money on pianos in this way.

"I suppose that when visitors want to play on an instrument of this kind the host lends that the key is lost. Anyhow I have in my own business had quite 50 examples of gatted pianos during the last two years, and I never mark a piano down in an inventory now till I have closely examined it."

London Answers.

A Neighing Cock. Camden says the Thames was once called the Cockney, and therefore a cockney means simply one who lives on the banks of the Thames.

Wedgewood says a cockney, or cockerney, is one pampered by city indulgence, in contradistinction to rustics hardened by outdoor work. There is, however, a legend, almost too good to be true—namely, that a Londoner who had never before slept out of sound of Bow Bells had occasion to go into the country and was detained all night.

He was much disturbed by the lowing of the cattle, the grunting of the pigs and other sounds of country life, which he could not understand, and in particular he was frightened by the crowing of the cock. In the morning, in response to the farmer's inquiries, he said the sound of the wild beasts had kept him awake. Just at that moment the cock crowed again, and the Londoner said: "That's the one! He's been neighing like that for hours!" Since then Londoners have been called cock-neighs, or cockneys.

Learning the Truth.

A school inspector was examining a class in grammar and trying to explain the relations of adjectives and nouns by a telling example.

"Now, for instance," said he, "what am I?"

That was an easy question, and all the children shouted, "A man!" and then looked around triumphantly, as much as to say, "Ask another."

"Yes. But what else?" said the inspector.

This was not so easy, but after a pause a boy ventured to suggest, "A little man."

"Yes, but there is something more than that."

This was a poser for the youngsters, but after a moment's puzzled silence an infant phenomenon almost leaped from his seat in his eagerness and cried to the inspector:

"Please, sir, I know—an ugly little man!"

Drummond Was on Top.

Professor Henry Drummond had a boyish spirit when a man, and at the age of 26 invented a game for some friends at a country house one rainy evening. He said: "They play it in America with bowie knives. Four men are locked in a dark room, each in a corner, and the survivor wins. We'll do without the knives; the door and the shutters shall be shut, each of us will stand in a corner, and the first who gets on another man's back will be the winner."

Dr. Smith was in the game, and he says it was the most exciting one he ever played. "Nobody stirred from his corner for 20 minutes. Then I heard a scuffle between two of the others, felt my way to fling myself on both of them, when Drummond pounced on me, and we all rolled in a heap, he, of course, on top, as he always was."

The English For Canaille.

During the Tichborne trial, where Mr. Justice Hawkins was opposed by Dr. Kenealy, in the course of a discussion whether equivalent terms could be found in English for French words, and vice versa, Mr. Hawkins was asked whether he thought the word canaille could be adequately rendered in our language. He answered without a moment's hesitation, "Yes, 'Kenealy.'"—Green Bag.

Inferiority of Nature.

Visitor (at art store)—Here is a family group, now, that illustrates what I was talking about a moment ago. The figures are correctly enough drawn, but so utterly stiff and unnatural that I can't imagine where the artist got his idea.

Dealer—My dear young lady, that is not a painting. It is a colored photograph from life.—Chicago Tribune.

Japan's Area.

The empire of Japan is composed of four large and 2,000 small islands, forming an arc of a large circle extending from the northeast within a few miles of Kamchatka, southwest about 2,000 miles, and with Formosa nearly 3,000 miles from an arctic climate, to one of perpetual spring and everlasting summer.—Keystone.

The British court is called the court of St. James because St. James' palace, London, is its official headquarters.

A horse will eat in a year nine times his own weight, a cow nine times, an ox six times and a sheep six times.

Hotel Life in Washington.

At breakfast the other morning a Washington young woman found a little note at her plate saying that her aunt had arrived from the east the night before and was at a well known hotel.

About 9 o'clock she went to the hotel indicated and asked the clerk whether the newcomer had been down to breakfast yet. The clerk informed her that he did not believe she had been down and offered to send up a card.

"Oh, never mind doing that!" she replied. "You just tell me the number of her room, and I will go up."

"No. —," promptly replied the clerk, and the young woman took the elevator.

Upon arriving at the door of No. —, instead of rapping, she softly put her ear to the door and listened in order that she might not disturb her aunt if she were asleep. She heard no noise and so took out one of her cards, and after writing, "Will come again at 10—Jane," she tied a little bunch of flowers to it and left it on the knob, where it would fall into the doorway when the door was opened.

At 10 o'clock she came again. The clerk had not seen her aunt and did not believe that she had left her room. So, after looking about the parlors in vain, she went to the door of No. — and softly tapped.

"Who is it?" came a gruff voice, and at the same time a man opened the door and stepped out into the hall.

"Oh, you are the party who was coming again at 10, are you?" continued the man smilingly. "Well, what can I do for you?"

"Nothing, thank you," she replied, "unless you come down stairs and help me thrash that hotel clerk."—Washington Post.

The Poverty of Rome.

There is a terrible poverty in Rome, of which the beggars who await you at every street corner are but too genuine a sign. The first gesture learned by the children of poor people in Rome is to hold out their hands for alms. They begin when they are so young that they can only totter, and they are still holding out their hands for alms when they can only totter because they are so old.

Yet another sign of it I find in the 3,000 cabmen of Rome, sitting hungrily on their boxes, in their worn eaten fur coats, too lazy to do anything but sit there holding out their whips to solicit every passer and unable to make a decent living even in a place so frequented by strangers and a place where every one drives. But even here, in these beggars and cabmen, is there not a certain participation, at all events, in that open air life which is the felicity of Rome? "Abbiemo pazienza," say the poor people, and sit in the sun.—Arthur Symons in Harper's Magazine for April.

Cured Him.

An intimate friend of Rear Admiral John W. Philip tells the following anecdote of the gallant naval officer: Though Philip's religious side has been much emphasized and commented on, he is a determined man and will brook no opposition. Once when he was in charge of the Pacific Mail steamer China he carried two passengers of foreign nationality who persisted in smoking in their staterooms during the hours when smoking was prohibited. Philip, then captain, called their attention to the fact, but instead of heeding his warning one answered him impudently. Nothing further was said at the time, but the next morning the offensive passenger was handcuffed to the upper deck for three hours, and for the remainder of the trip that particular person seemed to have lost all desire to indulge in back talk to the captain.

The Ashes of Love.

The women are telling of an Atchinson man who treated his wife with indifference and cruelty in their early married life. They say he is now down on his knees blowing into the dead ashes of her love trying to revive a spark of affection for him. How women love to picture a man in such an attitude! It is probably the dream of every neglected wife that some day her husband will try to warm his hands like a frozen Cupid at the fires of her love, and will find only dead ashes there. There are enough dead ashes in the average woman's dreams to macadamize a road.—Atchison Globe.

A Subtle Plea.

While Sir M. E. Grant-Duff was governor general of Madras a judge imposed a fine on a native Christian. The latter had no lawyer to defend him, but he put in the following remarkable plea: "Your honor may be right, I may be wrong; I may be right, honor wrong. Let honor give me back the fine, and then at day of resurrection, when all hearts will be open, if I am wrong I will most gladly, sir, return your honor the money."

They Were Both Right.

Hicks—I saw Gable and Maander a little while ago. I was quite delighted.

Wicks—Delighted to see a couple of such outrageous bores?

Hicks—They had just separated as I came within earshot. Gable soliloquized, "That fellow makes me so weary!" and Maander said to himself, "I'll bet I've lost a pound of flesh."—Boston Transcript.

Why Letters Go Astray.

In the United States there are 30 Washingtons, 38 Williamsburgs, 35 Dayton, 25 Springfield, 34 Portlands, 32 Richmonds, 19 Columbiuses, 18 Brooklyns, 17 Burlingtons, 17 Charlottes, 16 Buffaloes, 15 Louisvilles, 15 St. Josephs, 15 Quinceys, 15 Lovells, 14 Nashvilles, 13 Wilmingtons, 13 St. Pauls, 11 Bostons and 10 Cleavelands.

A Belle of Other Days.

Tommy—Mamma, why have you got papa's hair in a locket?

His Mother—To remind me that he once had some, Tommy.—Jewelers' Weekly.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of F. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1889,

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