

CORDIER SPEAKS OUT

The Colonel Testifies Strongly In Favor of Dreyfus.

BOTH SIDES ELATED AT INTERVALS.

Cordier Tells Why the Prisoner Couldn't Have Written the Bordereau—De Freycinet on the Stand.

RENNES, Aug. 30.—Neither side was pleased with the outcome of yesterday's proceedings before the court martial that is trying Captain Dreyfus. The Dreyfusards expected that Colonel Cordier, who was deputy chief of the intelligence department under the late Lieutenant Colonel Henry, would testify that the bordereau was received directly by the late Colonel Sandherr. Had this expectation been realized, the testimony would have been a strong point in favor of the accused, because it would have been a reply to the anti-Dreyfusards, who have all along contended that Henry received the bordereau and forwarded it to Sandherr, a thing he would not have done had the bordereau been, as the Dreyfusards assert, written by his accomplice, Esterhazy; for, in that event, Henry would have recognized the handwriting when he received the bordereau from the German embassy and would have suppressed it, instead of forwarding it to Sandherr.

Colonel Cordier, however, testified that he was absent from the intelligence department when the bordereau arrived, but that he believed it was received by Henry. Naturally this statement elated the anti-Dreyfusards, but the Dreyfusards had good reason to congratulate themselves upon the remainder of Cordier's testimony, as it was wholly in favor of Dreyfus. On the other hand, the prosecution of generals and officers of the general staff who demanded an opportunity to confront Colonel Cordier was a good piece of tactics from the point of view of the anti-Dreyfusards, because all the points they contested were not of the first importance, yet their very appearance on the stage and their contradictions of some of Cordier's statements left a disagreeable impression.

Colonel Cordier gave an interesting account of the workings of the intelligence bureau of the French war office. The staff, he said, lived for eight years in peace and mutual confidence till Colonel Henry came. It was believed that Henry was General Miribel's spy. From that time there was eavesdropping and suspicion. Colonel Henry's forgery, the witness declared, had for its sole object the ruin of Colonel Picquet, whom Henry was trying to supplant.

Cordier fixed the date of the bordereau at Sept. 24 to 26, 1894. It was not in the office, the witness said, when he left for a holiday on Sept. 22. Colonel Sandherr told him, on his return on Oct. 8, that they had fixed upon Dreyfus as the traitor. The witness believed until after Dreyfus was condemned that he was guilty. His reason for this belief was not so much his personal knowledge of the evidence, but the unanimity of the judges and those who prepared the case. It became evident, however, that Dreyfus could not have furnished some of the items of the bordereau, and it was discovered that there were other leaks in the war office, which continued after Dreyfus was transported.

The appearance of General Mercier to question Colonel Cordier came as a surprise to many in the audience, who had supposed that after last Saturday's scene when Mercier was confronted with Captain Freystratter he would remain quiet. But Mercier is game to the death. His action is interpreted as intended to show that he is not going to throw up the sponge. The part he played in 1894 lays him open to arrest, and this is a constant topic of discussion in the cafes and at other meeting places in Rennes. There appears, however, to be an excellent reason why the government will not take any such serious step until the trial is over. Colonel Jouaust, president of the court martial, could adjourn the trial indefinitely if Mercier, who is an important witness, were arrested. If the trial were adjourned for more than 48 hours, it would lapse, and the proceedings would have to be gone over again from the beginning.

The attendance was the largest since the opening of the trial. Everybody was on the qui vive to hear the testimony of M. Charles Louis de Saussure de Freycinet, senator, former premier, former minister of foreign affairs and former minister of war. This adroit politician, the "white mouse" of French politics, sat upon the fence as well as he could. His expression of a fear that the Dreyfus agitation would injure the discipline of the army greatly annoyed the Dreyfusards, as calculated to influence the judges against the accused. But he followed it with a eulogy of the pioneer of the Dreyfus campaign, M. Scheurer-Kestner, former vice president of the senate, whose character, he said, he held in the highest esteem.

Maitre Labori then secured another concession favorable to Dreyfus by getting M. de Freycinet to admit that he could not recall a single fact going to prove that money had been sent into France from abroad to promote a campaign in favor of Dreyfus. The general feeling is, however, that his appearance on the witness stand has not materially helped the counsel of the accused.

Can't Convince an Unwilling Mind. BERLIN, Aug. 30.—The Cologne Gazette, in an inspired article replying to the foreign press, says: "After the failure of Major Paulzard and Colonel Schneider to convince the French people, Colonel Schwarzkoppen's intervention in behalf of one innocently sentenced would be futile, especially since Germany has already done more than could be expected by Count von Helow's solemn declaration, which were given as representing the empire and the emperor, and Colonel Schwarzkoppen's word of honor in his declaration in November, 1897, that he never had any relations with Dreyfus." The Tagblatt says the government might name the real spy.

Another Dreyfus Case. PARIS, Aug. 30.—A case somewhat similar to that of Captain Alfred Dreyfus, now being tried before a court martial at Rennes for treason, is reported at Nancy. The police claim to have found at the residence there of a French artillery subaltern a valuable French map of the man belongs to an old Alsatian family, other members of which are suspected of complicity in the affair.

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Trial List. FOR WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, OCT. 20. Myron I Low vs Edward Ivey. George Ivey vs Edward Ivey. Ellen Shoemaker vs Joseph W Faussey. E J Kitchen vs David Savage et al. H H Gritz, executor of Ezekiel Cole, vs Almas Cole, Charles W Miller and Samuel Roberts.

Mahala Craig, Adms of Susan Cooper, dec'd, vs Margaret Averal et al. Same vs Daniel Miller. Martha A Case vs D L & W R Co. Wm Case vs same. John Schell vs the Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co.

Howard K Snyder, indorsee of Mary Mae Snyder, vs James Magee, 2d. The Farmers Mutual Ins Co of Middle Penna, now to the use of Harry S Knight, Receiver, vs Bartold Kierholz. Same vs Sylvester Heath. Same vs J B Robbins. Same vs Elijah Peterman. Charles R Buckalew and Sophia Miller, executors of Solomon Helwig, dec'd, vs Franklin L Shuman. Lamar VanSyckel vs S S Dreisbach. Loyd K Vetter vs the Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. John W Shuman vs same. G W Haack vs same. Loyd Lungenberg vs same. Mary Biech vs same. Frederick Hummel vs same. Mary Leshar, widow of Mathias Leshar, vs Lehigh Valley Coal Co. John Rovats vs same. Wm C Sponster vs Wm Walp, Adm of Mary A Walp, deceased, vs William George, James and Samuel Walp, Lydia Claywell and Jennie Deitrick, heirs of Mary A Walp, deceased.

J B Robinson vs Benjamin H Karns, tenant, and David W Campbell and Elmira J C Walker, claimants. Charles Trent vs the Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. Rebecca Croop vs Henry Deifus and Fannie Deifus, his wife. Simon Abelis' use vs B J Doyle et al. O B Mellick vs The Penna Railroad Co. Beaver Twp School District use vs Nathaniel Ney, et al. Frank P Pursel vs John K Grotz. Wm Berninger vs the S H & W B Railway Co and its lessee, the Penna R R Co. George K Hess vs Albert Kinetob and Wesley Siler. Thomas M Golder vs the Township of Fishingcreek. Frank Shuman vs the Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. Theodore Yeager vs W H Stebbins, of Wellston, Tioga county, Pa. The Citizens' Building & Loan Association vs Margaret Grady. The Locust Mountain Coal & Iron Co vs

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Hudson Owen, late of the Borough of Luzerne, deceased. The undersigned appointed an auditor by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the fund in the hands of the Executor, of said deceased, will attend at the office of C. B. Jackson Esq., at Berwick on Tuesday, September 18th, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in the fund in the hands of the Executor, or of said deceased, will appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. JOHN G. FREEZE, Auditor.

Maria Dyke et al. Same vs Same. Mrs Mary Strauss, wife of Augustus Strauss, vs Jacob H Rhodes. Stegmaier Brew Co vs Harvey Deiterrick. G W Sharretts & Co vs Thos Sealmore. B F Gardner vs Bloomsburg Car Co. E H McHenry vs J T Brady. John Barret vs Patrick Brailey. Road in Briarcreek Twp, near Adam Salt. Catharine Frey vs S H & W B R R Co. Creasy & Wells vs Wm Berninger et al. Leonard Hess vs J W Harvey. Estate of Peter Appelman, deceased.

Jurors for September. The following jurors have been drawn for September term, beginning on the fourth Monday of September: GRAND JURORS. Benton Boro—Joseph D. Fullmer, carpenter; Richard J. K. Bittenbender, farmer; Fishingcreek—Samuel B. Crouse, farmer; N. W. Hess, farmer. Franklin—S. S. Haines, farmer. Locust—Wilson Rhoads, carpenter. Millville—Josiah Heacock, miller. Montour—W. M. Monroe, manufacturer. Orange—Amos Neyhard, undertaker. Pine—Milton H. Bittler, farmer. Sugarloaf—Peter K. Shultz, blacksmith. TRAVERSE JURORS—FIRST WEEK—FOURTH MONDAY OF SEPTEMBER.

Benton Boro—Britton Lantusch, dentist. Bloomsburg—J. K. Bittenbender, farmer; Jos. K. Billeman, clerk; Fred Beagle, carpenter; John E. Gruver, teamster; James Muselman, contractor; Stephen Knorr, blacksmith; Harry Rhoads, carpenter; P. K. Vanatta, painter. Briarcreek—L. J. Adams, doctor; Wm. Furman, laborer. Catawissa Boro—O. D. L. Kostenbauder, butcher. Centralia—Walter House, laborer. Cleveland—John Gable, farmer; Harrison Kreischer, farmer. Conyngham—Emanuel Levan, laborer; Chas. Weideman, miner. Fishingcreek—John Kramer, farmer; Lloyd Zener, veterinary surgeon. Greenwood—Lloyd Yeager, farmer. Jackson—Elmer Straub, farmer. Main—Lewis Miller, farmer. Madison—C. E. Crawford, laborer. Millville—C. W. Messinger, miller. Millville—Chandler Gves, farmer. Mt. Pleasant—Bradley Ruckle, farmer; Amos Wanich, farmer; Chas. Whitemight, farmer.

Orange—Geo. M. D. Herring, mason. Pine—Wesley P. Sones, sawyer. Scott—Harry Townsend, farmer. Sugarloaf—Charles Cole, laborer; Cornelius Hess, laborer; F. P. Hartman, farmer; Wellington Kocher, laborer. SECOND WEEK—FIRST MONDAY OF OCTOBER. Benton Boro—Andrew T. Keeler, gent. Benton Twp—Thomas Edward, miller; N. W. Hess, farmer. Berwick—Daniel Reedy, carpenter. Bloomsburg—Samuel Geiger, gent; W. A. Hartzel, landlord; Wm. E. Kinker, bookkeeper; Samuel Shaffer, carpenter. Briarcreek—Samuel Adams, farmer; O. F. Ferris, farmer; Henry Keck, farmer. Catawissa Boro—Chas. Brown, merchant; Jesse Oberdorf, laborer; George W. Reifnyder, merchant; W. G. Vetter, civil engineer.

Centralia—John W. Goldsworthy, landlord; James Quigley, miner. Cleveland—John H. Parker, farmer. Conyngham—Jacob L. Faus, laborer; Jas. Kostenbauder, laborer; John Judge, miner; Michael Rowan, teacher. Fishingcreek—E. S. Stoker, farmer. Franklin—Jeremiah Kostenbauder, farmer. Greenwood—John W. Watts, laborer; Geo. F. Kindt, farmer; Geo. Diefenbach, carpenter. Main—Samuel Alstetter, farmer. Millville—Edward Eves, hack driver. Montour—Asa Dely, farmer. Mt. Pleasant—Frank Kline, farmer. Scott—Hurley Angle, undertaker; E. A. Brown, laborer; Wesley Crawford, laborer. Sugarloaf—Irwin Diltz, farmer; C. W. Hess, farmer.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE. The undersigned, assignee of J. R. Fowler, of Bloomsburg, Pa., by virtue of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, will offer at public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, Pa., on FRIDAY, SEPT. 15, 1899, at ten o'clock a. m., the following described real estate: A GOOD FARM, situate partly in Pine township, Columbia county, and partly in Franklin township, Lycoming county, containing 274 ACRES, more or less, and bounded as follows: On the south by lands of S. M. Kisor and Lew Heddings, on the west by lands of Joseph T. Crist, on the north, by lands of the estate of Jacob Crist and Howard Lyons, and on the east by public road, whereon are erected a PLANK FARM HOUSE, HOTEL, and Hotel Barn, and frame cottage, and other outbuildings. Terms made known on day of sale. W. W. BLACK, Sheriff.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, 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, SEPT. 23, 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a lot, or piece of ground, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner of land, late of Eli Barton, and the public road, leading from Bloomsburg to Lupert; thence north along the line of land of the said Eli Barton sixty and one-half degrees, east one hundred and sixty-eight and eight-tenths perches to a stone corner, on land late of Caleb Barton, deceased; thence south along same and lands late of McKelvey & Neal south twenty-three and three-quarters degrees, west twenty-three and four-tenths perches to a post; thence along line of land of same south fifty-four and one-half degrees, west twenty perches to a stone; thence along line of land of same south twenty-nine and one-half degrees, east forty-four and one-half perches to a stone; thence along line of same south forty-five and one-quarter degrees, west twenty-three and one-half perches to a stone; thence along line of same north twenty-eight and one-half degrees, west forty and one-tenth perches to a post; thence along line of same south twenty-seven and one-quarter degrees west ten perches to a post; thence along south twenty-one and three-quarters degrees, west twelve and eight-tenths perches to a stone oak; thence south forty-nine and one-half degrees, east twenty-six and eight-tenths perches to a white oak; thence south eighty and three-quarters degrees, west sixteen and six-tenths perches to a post; thence south forty degrees west, four and four-tenths perches to an oak stump; thence south twenty-five and three-quarters degrees, west eleven and one-half perches to a corner; thence south forty-nine and one-half degrees, east twenty-eight and eight-tenths perches to a post, in line of land of Pennsylvania Canal; thence south fifty-three and one-half degrees, west twenty-two and one-half perches to a post; thence north forty-three and three-quarters degrees, west three and five tenths perches to a corner; thence south five and three-quarters degrees, west forty-eight and two-tenths perches to a post; thence along the race, the course of the same, twenty-eight and four-tenths perches to a corner; thence north twenty-seven and one-quarter degree, west twenty-nine and nine-tenths perches to a corner, on line of public road aforesaid; thence along said public road aforesaid, extending along east bank of Fishingcreek, the course of the same, one hundred and twenty-four and three-quarters perches to the place of beginning, containing 126 ACRES and one hundred and thirteen perches, it being the undivided three-quarters interest of said Josiah B. Boone, Frank W. Boone and John S. Boone, in said described land, under the last will and testament of S. V. Boone, late of the said town, deceased, duly admitted to probate, and recorded at Bloomsburg, in the office for recording of wills, etc., in Will Book No. 7, page 191, etc.

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PARTITION NOTICE. In the matter of the partition of the estate of Julia Vandine, deceased. To Julia Vandine, widow of Ezra Vandine, deceased, of Millville, Columbia county, Pa.; Charles B. Vandine, whose last will and testament was New Haven, Conn.; Ezra Shetterly, whose last known address was Williamsport, Penna.; Minnie Vandine, Cora Vandine, Julian Vandine, guards of Anna Vandine, Elsie Vandine, and Irvin Vandine, of Millville, Columbia county, Penna. You are hereby notified that in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Penna., a writ of partition has issued from said Court to the sheriff of said county, returnable on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1899, and that the request will be held for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said deceased, on Friday, September 22, 1899, between the hours of one and four o'clock p. m., on the premises, in Madison township, Columbia county, Pa., at which time and place you may attend, if you desire. W. W. BLACK, Sheriff.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. Estate of J. M. Hulshizer, late of Scott township, deceased. The undersigned appointed an auditor by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the fund in the hands of the Administrator, of said deceased, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Monday, Sept. 11th, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m. to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in the fund in the hands of the Administrator, or of said deceased, will appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. O. B. MELLICK, Auditor.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County and that they will be presented to the said Court on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1899, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute: 1. First and partial account of Ellis Ringrose, committee of Nancy Sponberger, a lunatic. Account of John M. Buckalew, committee of Benjamin C. Hess a lunatic, late of Fishingcreek township, now deceased. 3. First and partial account of William Gingles, sequestrator of the life estate of A. C. Hess. 4. First account of Charles Beaver, committee of Clark B. Stewart, a lunatic. W. H. HENRIE, Prothonotary.

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