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THE DAILY POST.

Execution of Orsini and Pierri.

Paris, Saturday, March 13. Six P. M. - At half-past five o'clock last evening the warrant to execute the sentence of the Court of Assize upon those convicted of the attempt in the Rue de la Roquette was received by the Procureur General.

Since their condemnation it was judged proper to supply the streets with the three convicts as a precautionary measure against any possible act of violence either on themselves or on those placed in contact with them.

The execution did not take place yesterday, instead of to-day, it was in no way owing to the superstitious feeling about Friday, but it happened that the Friday of this week followed the Thursday of the Rue de la Roquette, and it was very largely due to this circumstance that the execution was postponed.

Since the trial you are aware that the prisoners were transferred from the Conciergerie to the prison known as the *Maubert Prison*, in the Place de la Roquette. In former times the Place de la Roquette was the Place de l'Hotel de Ville, was the spot where criminals were put to death. Indeed, it might well be called the Field of Blood; its pavement has been many times stained with the blood of the victims of all executions, as well as of those who have fallen by the hand of justice.

Since the completion of the execution of Orsini and Pierri, the Place de la Roquette is in front of those buildings, and in the small square which separates them, the guillotine is erected. The Rue de la Roquette extends from the Place de la Bastille to the Barriere d'Annon on the extreme Boulevard, close to the famous burial-ground of Pere la Chaise. The guillotine stands on the left of the Rue de la Roquette, at right angles, and is continued on the other side in a straight line in the Rue de la Roquette. From that point of intersection the guillotine is calculated to inspire more melancholy thoughts than that street. You feel long that you emerge on to the Rue de la Roquette, and you appear to be a great receptacle of the dead; more than half the upper part of La Roquette is filled with the shops of dealers in tombs, head-stones, coffins, and funeral carriages, and endless variety. Early on the morning of the execution, the guillotine was surrounded by a large number of people, and the streets were filled with the cries of the people.

This morning the weather was bitterly cold, and the ground wet from the snow which had fallen. The sky was covered with clouds of a slate color, and under that small canopy of dark gray mist, transparent like funeral caps, were drifting about. The streets in the more distant part of the city were deserted, but you entered the quarter contiguous to the prison, detached squads of sergeants-de-ville might be seen moving in various directions. The place of the execution was surrounded by a large number of people, and the streets were filled with the cries of the people.

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