

PIERCE FRENCH DUEL

Between General Boulanger and Primo Minister Floquet.



GENERAL BOULANGER.

Duel has been fought on Count Dillon's lawn near Paris, between M. Floquet, French Prime Minister, and General Boulanger, the well-known member of the Chamber of Deputies.

Duel was the direct result of violent personalities used in the Chamber of Deputies during which General Boulanger derided M. Floquet as an impudent liar.

General Boulanger, who has been charged with the duty of demanding resignation of a resolution that the Chamber should take on a dissolution.

General Boulanger's conduct was characterized by the utterance of a badly educated usher, and then brandished him as an enemy.

General Boulanger was cheered by the masses emerging from the Press office at 1 o'clock in the morning on his way to the grounds, and he responded to shouts by raising his hat.

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FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

In the Senate, the following bills were reported from committees and passed: The House bill to extend the limits of the Port of New Orleans.

In the House, Monday, the call of States for the introduction of bills were dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole.

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THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE.

STORIES THAT ARE TOLD BY THE FUNNY MEN OF THE PRESS.

The Pretty Waiter Girl—Doing the Continent—No Resemblance, Etc., Etc.

Her dainty hand brushed the crumbs away. (Both kinds' sauce on that apple dump.)

Doing the Continent. "Had a nice trip?" "Yes rather."

No Resemblance. "Miss Smith, do you know who that very amiable looking old lady is, with soft gray hair and pleasant eyes, and such a sweet expression?"

All in the Family. "Brown (at an evening party)—'Who is that rank and scrawny-looking party near the piano, Robinson?'"

Like Father, Like Son. "Tapa," asked the small boy, "why does the Umpire wear that wire net over his face?"

Heard it Before. "Maude," he said softly, as he pulled out the tremulo stop in his larynx, "will you marry me?"

Harsh Treatment. Bobby (looking out of the window)—"What's the matter with that horse, mamma?"

Couldn't Find a Rhyme. "Fain would I write a poem on the delights of fishing; but, ah, me! I cannot find a word to rhyme with 'anglerworm.'"

She Was a Baseball Girl. "I have no reason to doubt your sincerity, Mr. Hankinson," said the young lady, with unaffected sadness.

Pharmaceutical Accomplishment. "Druggist—'Yes, I want a prescription clerk. Have you a diplomat?'"

In the Congressional Graveyard. "What do you think of the speech that I handed you last night?" asked one Congressman of another.

Boy—'Yes, sir.'

Ice Dealer—'H-m. What would twenty pounds of ice amount to at a cent and a half a pound?'"

A Narrow Escape. They were sitting together on the veranda in the dim twilight.

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Alice Gordon, Essex, England, giantess, 7 feet. Died 1757.

Anna Hansen, of Nova Scotia, 7 feet. La Pierre, of Stratgard, in Denmark, was 7 feet 11 inches.

Henry Blacker, 7 feet 4 inches, and most symmetrical. Born at Cuckfield, in Sussex, in 1724.

Louis Frenz, Frenchman, 7 feet 4 inches. His left hand is preserved in the museum of the College of Surgeons, London.

John Bushy, of Darfield, 7 feet 9 inches. His brother was about the same height.

Joseph Brice, 7 feet 8 inches. At the age of 20 years he was exhibited in London, 1825.

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