

A COMPLETE HISTORY OF THE DREYFUS CASE.

With a Concise Summary of the Evidence Given at the Second Court Martial.

On Jan. 4, 1895, while all Paris was physically freezing...

placed a life of horrible suffering. His guards were not permitted to speak to him.

But there was some sympathy for the lonely prisoner on Devil's Island.

There were sporadic efforts made in his behalf during 1895 and 1896...

It came out that Emperor William of Germany had written to President...



CAPTAIN DREYFUS.

Later, his regiment was the Fourteenth artillery. Five years before his disgrace...

For some time prior to his arrest Captain Dreyfus had been attached to the second bureau...

Dreyfus was defended by M. Demange, one of the most distinguished advocates in Paris...

He was promptly forbidden by Colonel Maurel, president of the court martial...

All that took place in the court martial has never before been known...

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Worse than this, he was compelled to live in a huge iron cage...

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October, 1898, saw the beginning of the real fight for the condemned man on Devil's island...

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place Zola on trial. Zola's conviction was predetermined.

Colonel Henry, who was really the chief accuser, roared and belabored about the honor of the army and official and state secrecy...

It was in this trial that the most important piece of evidence came out, the thing which above all others led people who were unprejudiced to believe that Dreyfus was unjustly convicted.

This letter was not shown to the prisoner or his counsel. The letter purported to have been written by Colonel von Schwarzkoppen...



LIEUTENANT COLONEL PIQUART.

All the world knows of the disgraceful scenes in the Zola trials, the attacks made upon him in and out of court...

The next step resulted in Colonel Picquart's arrest. He appeared in the chamber of deputies where he declared that the "ce canaille" letter was a forgery.

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MAITRES DEMANGE AND LABORI.

fused his aid. He repeated his declaration made before the court of cassation that when he informed General Gouse...

Roget also confronted Picquart, who refused to modify his testimony in the slightest degree...

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as a result of watching his demeanor. It was developed that if it had not been for Fornietti Dreyfus would have committed suicide.

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was promptly denied. Lebrun-Renaud became tangled in the cross examination and later stated that Dreyfus had volunteered that if he had given anything to a foreign government...

M. Bertillon, the famous anthropometrical expert, attempted to prove by diagram that Dreyfus must have written the dossier. He was immediately contradicted by Charavay...

Colonel Cordier, who had been Sandherr's assistant in 1891 in the intelligence bureau, said that Henry's entrance into the office had been followed by disorganization and suspicion...

Colonel Picot stated that Colonel Snyder, the Austrian military attaché, had told him that the pieces enumerated in the dossier were of little value...



MAJOR ESTERHAZY.

Major Esterhazy was a swindler, who cared for nothing except money, and that Colonel Schwarzkoppen had written the "petit bleu" in answer to a communication from Esterhazy...

At this time the testimony had practically all been taken, and while a number of witnesses who had previously given their evidence were recalled...

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