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F. W. HALES, Secretary. Sept 21 d 128

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THE MORNING GUARDIAN

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1899.

DREYFUS PARDONED.

Our despatches have made the announcement that Captain Albert Dreyfus, charged and convicted of the crime of treason, has been pardoned by President Laubet of the French Republic.

Deubtless Dreyfus will seek a home in some foreign country, far from the scene of his sorrow and persecution, and strive to renew his health which has been so cruelly ravaged by the brutality attendant upon his incarceration at Devils' Island and by the terrible mental strain which he was daily subjected to during his long trial at Rennes.

It must be admitted that the patience of his friends in persisting for his freedom, even "when the sand ran low in the glass" and at present are persisting that the glass should receive one more turn and by it they hope that the authorities in France will admit Dreyfus' innocence.

Whatever may be the action of the pressure of public opinion in securing his innocence, millions upon millions, the nations in general, are rejoicing that "Dreyfus is at liberty." Many will regret that their significance is not different from what it is, that freedom does not come as the righteous acquittal which the case demanded, but as an act of executive clemency.

But some person may ask why has he been liberated? Some days ago the GUARDIAN published a letter from Mr. Michael Davitt, the Irish Nationalist Member of Parliament in which he claims that "English sympathy for the prisoner is entirely due to the fact that Dreyfus is a rich Jew instead of a poor one and to a desire to rival a nation."

Aside from the point of his being guilty or not, the causes that led to the release of the recently convicted captain are not far to seek. It was not because of illness. Such a condition would certainly have no effect upon the feeling of the men who were the means of his conviction. The pardon was purely and solely a diplomatic ruse to avert the storm of obloquy which has descended on France.

In this perhaps the French Republic have been to a certain extent successful. But the facts of the injustice in the Dreyfus trial will remain as a blot upon the history of France forever. Naturally Dreyfus' first duty will be to himself, and his first task should be to try and restore his health. His friends will continue the agitation and will work with sturdy will to the end that justice may be his at last.

Undoubtedly an appeal will be made to the Court of Cassation for a reversal of the verdict of the Court Martial. But whatever may be the course of the procedure all the nations will rejoice and bless the day of freedom and justice—when Dreyfus is declared "innocent."

There is perhaps something of a degree of selfishness in the following which is contained in a recent issue of the Boston Record:—

"The best way to boycott the Paris exposition is to stay away, and say

nothing. We shall have two or three "expositions" of our own running next year, and, if any one wants to get into a crowd, he will have chances enough this side the ocean. They are getting to be a form of speculation about as common as the country fair was a generation ago.

In speaking of the native Boer, a writer in the Boston Traveller says:—"The Boer is taciturn, obstinate-pig headed, one might properly say, so it is small wonder that the Transvaal refuses to give way in the least to the demands of the English or Outlanders. Their bravery is unquestioned. They are determined fighters and will stand by their one idea that the British are endeavoring to seize the Transvaal to the last gasp. It is apparently useless to argue with them. Arguments have as much effect as water on a goose feather and the average diplomat, clear and cold-blooded as a diplomat should be, would be driven frantic in arbitrating a matter with a Boer. If the Boers could be brought to grant the residents of the Transvaal who are not of their own race a few concessions the difficulty would be quickly settled.

A VICIOUS CAT.

A Child meets a Horrible Death from a Stray Cat.

TORONTO, Sept. 18.—A month old baby the child of Mr. White, who keeps a restaurant at 487 Queen Street west, met with a horrible death last night. It had been put to sleep, and left alone in the room without any thought of danger. During the mother's absence, however, a stray cat, which had been prowling about the neighborhood, got into the room in some way, and when Mrs. White returned she found that it had attacked the baby and literally eaten a portion of its face. A piece of the nose and cheek was entirely gone. Dr. Stewart was called in, but nothing could be done for the infant, which died in a short time.

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