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## SAYS DREYFUS IS INNOCENT

His Counsel Talks With the Greatest Freedom.

## HE WILL BE ACQUITTED

Assert That The Judges Are Already Assured of Dreyfus' Innocence—The Accused Man Has All the Outward Tokens of Innocence That Are Possible of Disclosure by a Human Being.

PARIS, Aug. 8.—The Jour today says there were grave contradictions between General Mercier and former President Casimir-Perier before the court of cassation, and it is understood that counsel for Dreyfus are preparing a dramatic coup. Counsel propose when the respective depositions are presented to the court-martial to charge either Mercier or Perier with perjury. Arrest would then occur instantly, while the accused is still in the witness box.

**Dreyfus Physically Weak.**  
RENNES, Aug. 8.—The condition of Dreyfus is disquieting. His wonderful will power alone lending him strength to go through the present ordeal. Physically, he is extremely weak. His stomach refuses all solid food. His family is very anxious. It is understood today's discussion of the secret dossier was of a general character and more in the nature of a preliminary examination.

**Court Convened Early.**  
RENNES, Aug. 8.—The police arrangements in the vicinity of the lycée this morning were exactly the same as those of yesterday, but not more than a hundred persons had gathered at the early hour fixed for the opening of the day's proceedings in the trial of Captain Dreyfus. The prisoner was conducted to the lycée at 6:15 and exactly the same precautions were observed as on yesterday. As soon as Dreyfus was inside the lycée, however, the police cordons were removed and the few spectators were allowed to circulate freely in the streets around the building.

General Chanoine was accompanied by an officer carrying a leather wallet in which were M. Chanoine's notes and other papers referring to the dossier, which itself remains in a strong box in a room contiguous to the courtroom. This strong box is guarded night and day by an officer specially detailed for this duty.

**Defense is Confident.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—A dispatch to the World from Rennes says: Maitre Labori talks with remarkable freedom on the attitude of the judges. The correspondent of the World asked him: "Do you feel quite sure of victory this time?" "Yes, entirely," he said confidently. "The judges are already assured of Dreyfus' innocence. Only old Colonel Jouaniste seems—seems—shall I say afraid, lest he appear prejudiced. So he appears unnecessarily harsh toward Dreyfus." "Do you think the general opinion is that Dreyfus is too vehement?" "Put yourself in his place," answered Labori, with feeling. "Naturally he is anxious to impress his judges. This wretched joke has already lasted too long."

"How long will the trial last, do you think?" Labori shrugged his shoulders. "Anywhere from eight days to three months. I have no idea what tactics the government commissioner intends to adopt. I am not in his confidence. All these fine soldiers keep as much from me as they possibly can." Madame Dreyfus was not in court because of the increased number of anonymous threatening letters she daily re-

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ceives. Her villa is now protected night and day by an increased force of gendarmes. De Mange, one of Dreyfus attorneys, says that he is convinced the examination of the much-talked-about "secret dossier"—the war department's mysterious budget of documents on which Dreyfus was condemned five years ago—will not require more than two sessions.

He said: "As soon as they exhibit the documents we will puncture their famous secret dossier, and it will be shown that there is nothing in it. Colonel Jouaniste knows it."

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**Converted to Christianity.**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—A special to the Chronicle from Toledo, O., says: On the evening of August 15, in the middle of the street in front of the Memorial United Brethren church, this city, the elegantly bound volumes which compose the library of Marshall O. Waggoner, formerly one of the most pronounced agnostics in the world, will be burned. He was recently converted to Christianity, and made a public declaration of faith a few weeks ago and became a member of the United Brethren church. The library is valued at several thousand dollars.

**A Night of Terror.**  
"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from Pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of Consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store. 1

**Says There Will Be No More War.**  
LONDON, Aug. 8.—Joseph H. Choate, United States ambassador to Great Britain, was interviewed today by a representative of the Associated Press in regard to the recent war or arbitration speech delivered by Sir Wilfred Laurier, the Canadian premier. He said: "There will be no war. It is safe to say no amount of political talk by politicians in other countries could occasion war in this connection." Choate added negotiations were progressing, "but," he explained, "they are always slow, and I can say nothing at present as to their status."

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### Peculiar Accident.

MONROE, Or., Aug. 7.—John Ferguson, an old resident of this vicinity, is lying at his home above town in a precarious condition, caused by liver trouble. Being quite old it is thought that he cannot recover from the attack. A curious accident happened to Chas. Denny, head miller, at the Liverpool mills, recently. In his work at the mill, a splinter caught in his shoe-sole, and his foot was raised so that the splinter could be removed. Upon endeavoring to return the foot to its normal position, Mr. Denny was surprised to find it "stuck fast." Much patience and time was used before the refractory member could be induced to return to its natural place. The hip and leg are both still stiffened as a result of the mishap.

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## AGUINALDO'S GOVERNMENT

Is Making Sincere Efforts to Secure Recognition.

## CHINA HELPS THE REBELS

By Declaring Horses Bought By Americans as Contraband—War Must Be Ended Quickly—Or the Belligerency of the Filipinos Is Likely to Be Recognized by Foreign Government.

MANILA, Aug. 8.—Aguinaldo has appealed to the powers for recognition of "Filipino independence" in a document dated Tarlac, July 27, and signed by Buencamihio. It has been received by all the foreign consuls in Manila with the request that they forward it to their respective governments.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Some uneasiness prevails in military circles relative to the attitude of China with respect to the Filipinos, as the result of her refusal to permit the shipment of horses purchased by agents of General Otis to Manila on the ground that they are "contraband of war." While the Peking government has not formally recognized the belligerency of Aguinaldo, her announcement that horses are contraband is regarded as dangerously near her recognition.

Officials interpret their action to mean that China holds that this government, instead of being engaged in the suppression of an insurrection, is involved in a war, and that goods purchased by it in her empire for the use of the American army are consequently contraband. This government has taken no diplomatic notice of China's declaration that horses are contraband.

Reports received here have shown the desperate efforts made by the Filipinos to secure recognition of Aguinaldo's government. They have gone so far as to refuse to permit the release of Spanish prisoners unless Spain first recognized their belligerency. Because of the great change which would occur in the status of the Filipinos by recognition of their belligerency by any nation, this government is doing everything possible to prevent it. It is believed these efforts will be successful at least until the result of the next campaign is apparent.

Should the dry season end with the insurgents still in the field, the difficulty of preventing foreign recognition will be materially increased.

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