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POLICE OF RUSSIA

The Trick They Work to Gather In Political Suspects.

CAUGHT IN THE MOUSETRAP.

When, After a Secret Arrest, the Snare Is Set It Holds All Who Enter, Regardless of Nationality, Dress, Social Position or Official Rank.

Although the peculiar form of police ambuscade known as a mousetrap has had its highest development and its widest application in Russia, writes George Kennan in the Century, it did not originate in that country, nor did it receive there its strikingly appropriate appellation.

It was imported from France a century or more ago, and the name that it bears was given to it by Alexandre Dumas in 1829. The distinguished French story teller described it in "The Three Musketeers" as follows:

"The invention of the mousetrap does not date from our days. As soon as societies in process of formation created police the police in their turn invented mousetraps. As our readers may not be familiar with the slang of the Rue de Jerusalem and as it is fifteen years since we applied this term for the first time to the thing, we may be allowed perhaps to explain to them what a mousetrap is.

"When in a house of any kind a person suspected of crime is arrested the arrest is kept secret, four or five men are placed in ambuscade in the first apartment, the door is opened to all who knock, it is then closed after them, and they are arrested so that at the end of two or three days the police have in their power all the persons who are accustomed to visit the place And that is a mousetrap."

Dumas does not explain that the trap is set and the first arrest made at a late hour of the night, generally between 1 and 3 o'clock a. m., so that the mice will not become aware of it and avoid the dangerous locality. You may call upon a "politically untrustworthy" friend in the evening, drink tea with him, discuss the state of the country and go home at midnight without having seen or heard anything to excite suspicion or suggest peril, but if you return to the same house or apartment early the next morning you are liable to fall into a mousetrap.

The trap, moreover, catches and holds every person who enters it regardless of nationality, dress, social position or official rank. Russian revolutionists are accustomed to assume all sorts of disguises, from the blue frock coat and wrinkled top boots of the gendarmerie to the sword, epaulets and golden cords of the general staff, and if the czar himself in the uniform of the Preobrazhenski guards should visit incognito a house in which a trap had been set he would be arrested promptly and sent to the nearest precinct station house for identification.

No discretionary power of any kind is given to the police officers in charge. The mice caught may not look at all like the mice for which the trap was set, but even if they appear to be ermine or lizards or small, blind kittens they must go to the station house for examination and judgment.

In every large Russian city the police keep an alphabetical list of all persons who are believed to be in sympathy with the revolutionary movement or who for one reason or another are regarded as politically untrustworthy. Such persons are liable to be arrested on suspicion at any time and are almost sure to be taken into custody after the assassination of a high official when there is no clew to the assassin, and the police hope to get a clew by a dragnet system of arrest and investigation.

At such times a hundred arrests or more are often made in a single night, and in the houses or apartments of the persons made prisoners mousetraps are set to catch all comers. The police in charge of the traps are strictly enjoined to send to the nearest precinct station house every person caught, no matter what he may look like and no matter what plausible account he may give of himself. Revolutionists and terrorists often wear uniforms, and a man who declares that he is a colonel of gendarmes or even a general of division may really be a dangerous conspirator in disguise. The instructions given to the trap tenders are always implicitly obeyed, and they sometimes bring about results of an extraordinary and wholly unforeseen character.

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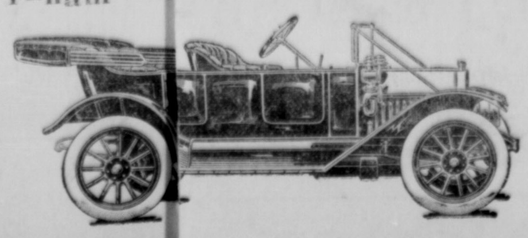
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