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Political fire, a revolutionary
Trouble seemed to follow times aplenty

Views unpopular, but determined indeed
Found himself jailed, but shortly released

A romantic interest, a broken affair
Prompted a rivalry to clear the air

Convinced entirely of his impending doom
He scrambled around his solitary room

He frantically wrote down all that he knew
The very next day he died, the result? A duel

Twenty years old, a life cut short
His contributions to math an inspiring report

Group theory and Algebra will stand in awe
Of the fiery young man whose name was Galois