ROPE BREAKS AT HANGING OF RAISINGER

Jersey Farmer Who Murdered Wife Pitched Headlong from Gallows.

THEN HELD UP ON GIBBET

Sheriff's Men Hold End of Strand Until the Prisoner Is Pronounced Dead.

NECK BROKEN, DOCTOR SAYS.

Witnesses Horrified and Throng Outside the Jail Call Out to Save Man's Life.

(Special to The Evening World.)

BRIDGETON, N. J., Feb. 15.—In one of the most revolting exhibitions at a hanging ever seen, Frank Raisinger, wife murderer, paid the penalty for his crime here to-day.

The rope broke the instant the weight of his body felt upon it. Then five men picked him up from the ground, where he lay writhing in apparent agony.

The rope was passed up through the aperture in the gallows and the five men standing on the scaffold platform held the corpse in midair for exactly ten minutes.

At the end of that time physicians declared all signs of life were extinct.

It was a question whether the fall had broken the prisoner's neck or whether he had been slowly strangled to death while held up by the Sheriff's men with the noose about his neck.

Women Hysterical.

During the time intervening between the breaking of the rope and the announcement that the man was dead a crowd of 2,000 men and women which surrounded the jail yard ran about talking angrily and declaring the man's life ought to be spared.

Two women attached to the Sheriff's household, to whom Raisinger had nodded a last farewell as he walked through the kitchen on his way to his doom, became hysterical.

Inside the yard where the gallows stood and which was surrounded by a fence sixteen feet high, the crowd of 100 favored eye-witnesses to the tragedy stood rooted with horror at the sight.

Men who had declared only a few minutes before that hanging was too good for the slayer of his wife now cried out that mercy should be shown, but the death warrant read that he should be "hanged by the neck until dead."

And thus he was hanged, with five men holding the broken end of the rope.

Prayers Ceased.

As Raisinger walked to the gallows the clear morning air had been filled with the mingled hymns from a special choir and the praying of three ministers. When the rope broke, the singing and praying ceased.

The utter horror of the execution put an end even to the religious service.

It was just 10.01 o'clock when the trap fell. It was just 10.12 when Dr. Elsmore Stiles pronounced Raisinger dead. Then his body was taken away in an undertaker's wagon, followed by the frantic crowd.

Dr. Stiles declared that Raisinger's neck was broken as soon as the rope passed. Others disagree with him and believe he was still alive when the five men picked him up. Be this as it may, he showed signs of life after his body had struck head first on the frozen ground.

Like a Bag of Sand.

After he had been hanged the second time as if he were a bag of sand, his body twisted convulsively for several minutes.

The rope which thus made a scene of the utmost horror at the legal execution was one-half inch Italian hemp. It was tested yesterday by Sheriff Diament.

The rope stood a test of 1,000 pounds.

Only one reason can be assigned for the break and that is friction at the top of the gallows where the rope came out through a hole one inch in diameter. The supposition is that the violent jerk accompanying the drop whipped the rope against the sharp edges of the hole and severed it.

Raisinger was game to the last, as he had declared he would be. Convicted of slaying his wife with a shotgun on Oct. 18 last for no apparent cause, he declared to the very last he deserved death and would go to it willingly.

Three ministers remained with him all night. He slept fitfully, and when awakened they prayed with him. Heading these ministers was Rev. D. L. Stults, pastor of the First Methodist Church. At 6 o'clock three men, comprising the church choir, arrived. From that hour until the time the death walk began there was continual praying and singing.

Not Afraid to Die.

Sheriff Diament did not let Raisinger know the hour at which he was to be hanged, but he realized that it would be between 8 and 12. Promptly at 8 o'clock Raisinger called Dr. Stuts to one side.

"I want to make my last statement," he said. "I want you to tell every one to know that I die knowing that I deserved it. I want to say also that I do not know what impelled me to kill my wife. That is all I can say. God bless my little baby."

The baby referred to was his one year old son Paul who at that moment was crowing and screaming with delight at the home of Raisinger's father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ananias Wentzel. The minister promised to give out the statement and this was all Raisinger added to his murder story up to the hour of death.

Crowds began pouring into Bridgeton at daylight. By 8 o'clock they swarmed curiously about the big fence inclosure the gallows.

Spoke of His Baby.

Raisinger ate a hearty breakfast, and when Sheriff Diament called at 9 o'clock to see how he was getting along the condemned man said: "I feel all right, Sheriff. I will die with courage in my heart. There is only one thing that worries me. I am afraid my little baby might grow up to be a wicked man. You know I never smoked, drank nor chewed in my life. I wasn't a good man, but I don't believe in smoking, chewing or drinking.

"I wish somebody would promise to look after the kid."

"He will get enough care," said the Sheriff in an effort to keep up Raisinger's spirits. "Don't worry about the little fellow."

"I can't help it," insisted Raisinger. "It seems kind of tough for a father only twenty-six years old—to be taken away from his kid like that. I know I've got it coming to me, but I feel mighty bad leaving the lad."

The baby was his only worry in the last minutes of his life.

Gallows Near the Barn.

When Diament left Raisinger he began clearing a passageway from the jail to the gallows, as crowds surged through his home and out into the fence inclosure. He was ready then for the execution, but all of the jurors who were to witness it had not arrived. The last reached the jail at 9.30.

Then preparations for the last act of the law were begun. The death walk was to be out of the jail, through the Sheriff's office in his own home, through a narrow hall into the dining-room and kitchen and then to the fatal yard.

The gallows stood near a large barn on the top of which a score of sparrows were perched, gazing in apparent curiosity at the silent throng. The top of the scaffold was almost on a level with the top of the barn.

The platform upon which the doomed man was to stand was reached by a wide stairway. The trap door of the gallows were to be released by a lever. In pulling this lever it has always been the custom of the sheriff to face toward the stairway with his back to the prisoner, jerk the lever and then hasten down the stairway and into his home without taking any further part in the execution. When the trap doors dropped the victim was to fall four feet.

Walk to the Scaffold.

Before starting the death walk Diament tested the mechanism of the scaffold. Then he went for Raisinger. "He's coming out," was murmured through the crowd. The voices singing in the death-room gradually grew fainter, died almost out and then increased in volume.

Raisinger was walking through the jail, through the Sheriff's home to his doom. He wore a gray suit of clothes, no collar and was bareheaded. As he reached the kitchen he nodded to the two women there.

"Goodby," he said. The women wept. There was no air of bravado in his bearing. He noticed no one after addressing the women. As he reached the yard and gazed at the scaffold he quickened his pace.

"The Great Jehovah is our master and we are creatures of his will," rang out the deep bass voice of one of the ministers above the singing of "Rock of Ages" by the choir. "The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away," proclaimed another minister.

Raisinger almost ran up the wide stairway, leaving the two deputies who guarded him. He turned his back toward the crowd and the black cap was placed over his head. Sheriff Diament unslung the noose and the row of sparrows on top of the barn fluttered away from the scene. The noose was adjusted.

Raisinger stood like a statue. Diament pulled the lever and ran down the stairway.

Rope Parted with a Snap.

With a snap like the crack of a whip the rope broke.

Sheriff Diament turned and staggered. Raisinger was hurled from the scaffold and struck the ground on the back of his head. He lay with his muscles twitching and giving signs that he was still alive.

The horror of the situation seized all, but the officials quickly recovered themselves and Constable Toomey, of Nicholson, rushed forward and picked up the man. Frank Lore, of Port Elizabeth; C. B. Dunham, Paul J. Ludlam, Peter Custer and S. B. Dunham ran up to the platform.

An end of the rope was passed up to them and thus they held Raisinger till the doctor pronounced him dead.

Bishop McLaren Better.

The condition of Bishop McLaren, who has been seriously ill at the residence of Mrs. Henry Binible, No. 93 Madison avenue, was reported to-day as greatly improved. Dr. Kalsenbach, of No. 17 West Forty-fifth street, said to-day he hopes for the best.

FLAMES HELP RAZE HOUSE.

Building in Fifth Avenue Being Torn Down, Partially Destroyed.

Crowds in lower Fifth avenue and Fourteenth street were diverted at the luncheon hour to-day by a fire in one of two houses at Nos. 98-100 Fifth avenue, now being torn down to make way for a big office building. The blaze was in the house at No. 98, which is at the northwest corner of Sixteenth street. It started from a fire made by workmen.

The crowd required the summoning of mounted traffic squad officers and the reserves of the West Thirtieth street station to maintain the fire lines.

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Women's 3.50 Patrician Shoes
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The Men's

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The Women's

The names are the Sorosis, the Patrician and the Portia. The leathers are Vici kid, patent coltskin, patent leather, box calf and coltskin. All kinds of heels. Sizes run from 2½ to 8; widths A to EE.

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