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PATRICK WILL PAY DEATH PENALTY.

Court of Criminal Appeals Refused to Grant a New Trial--Only Chance Is Pardon.

New York, June 10.—The court of appeals yesterday denied the motion of the lawyers of Albert T. Patrick for a new trial. He must pay the full penalty of the law for the murder of William Marsh Rice in this city on September 23, 1900.

The date of his electrocution will be fixed by the court of appeals. He was convicted on the 7th of April, 1902, of murder in the first degree, and has been in the death house at Sing Sing for more than three years, with the exception of a trip to Albany when his appeal was being argued. It is thought that the action of the court of appeals practically determines Patrick's fate, as there is little likelihood that Governor Higgins will interfere. The decision is rendered by a divided court. Four judges affirming the opinion and three dissenting. After an exhaustive resume of the evidence, all of which he held to point conclusively to Patrick's guilt, Judge Gray continues:

"There was no hasty trial and conviction. It can not fairly be said that the recorder was lacking in indulgence to the defendant in his rulings, and it is not claimed that his charge to the jury was either unfair or erroneous. "In my judgment the evidence upon which the new trial is demanded would not change the result."

Judge O'Brien in his dissenting opinion says the defendant, through his counsel, has presented the legal objections, involving questions of the gravest character, that can not be silently ignored. The opinion holds that it is not shown whether Rice was dead or alive when the chloroform was administered to him. District Attorney Jerome, on hearing the Patrick decision, said: "The decision puts an end to all the efforts of counsel to secure a new trial for Patrick. There is only one thing left, and that is an application for a pardon, which is not likely to be made in view of the affirmation of the conviction by the court of appeals."

Farmers' Congress.

Bryan, Texas: Prof. J. H. Connell of Dallas, president of the Farmers' Congress; J. M. Vance of San Antonio, J. W. Carson of College Station and Mr. Hanson of Rockdale, members of the executive committee, were in Bryan yesterday in the interest of the Farmers' Congress. A meeting was held at Carnegie Hall, at which it was decided to make an effort to have a county exhibit of agricultural products at the congress, also to arrange for a special train between Bryan and College Station during the congress, and to arrange for the entertainment of 100 or 200 visitors to the congress in Bryan. A resolution was passed that the matter be taken up at once and the necessary committees were appointed.

Oil to Morgan City.

Galveston, Texas: The first shipment of oil from the Humble oil field through the port of Galveston was made yesterday on the barge Spindle Top. The shipment went to Morgan City, La., and consisted of 108,000 gallons. The oil was piped to the barge at Clinton and was cleared from this port yesterday afternoon.

Visit to Virginia.

Washington: President Roosevelt left Washington at 11:15 a. m. yesterday on a brief trip to Rapidan, Va., where he will be the guest of Jos. Wilmer, an old friend of himself and Mrs. Roosevelt.

Shot Divorced Wife.

Memphis, Tenn.: A Commercial Appeal special from Aberdeen, Miss., says: Harvey Balding has shot and killed his divorced wife and Harvey Hill near Gibson, Miss.

Balding was divorced last January from the woman and subsequently remarried. Going to the home of his divorced wife he found Hill there and killed both. He escaped.

Old Feud Renewed.

Louisville, Ky.: A special from Falmouth, Ky., says: Dr. Edward Courtney, a young physician and member of one of the best families in this section, has been murdered near Neave.

Courtney formed a partnership with Dr. William Karney, of Litchfield, two years ago. During the partnership they had a misunderstanding and Karney was shot and killed in a December. Since the occurrence there has been a feud in the neighborhood.

Daguhob Killed.

Manila: Enrique Daguhob, the leader of the insurrection movement in the island of Samar, was killed, together with thirty-nine of his followers, June 4, according to a dispatch just received.

Galveston, Texas: C. H. Moore has purchased the Southern congress property, comprising an entire block between Twenty-sixth and Thirtieth and G. and H. The consideration was \$30,000.

Manchurian Status.

St. Petersburg: General Linewitch, in a dispatch to Emperor Nicholas, dated June 8, says: The Japanese attacked the outposts on our left flank June 5, but were checked by our advance post fire. The same day troops sent to Tsin valley pushed back the enemy's advance guards and occupied the village of Santsiatoy. Another force in the Hun valley advanced southwest from Boybe and a third force sent southward drove the Japanese from the village of Nanchentchensi so far as Tsouangow."

Embezzlement Charges.

St. Paul, Minn.: Thomas B. Clements, former president of the defunct First National Bank of Fairbault, Minn., was yesterday indicted by the United States grand jury on twenty counts, alleging embezzlement and misappropriation of funds. The amount covered in the indictments is more than \$150,000, but, according to the estimate of the receiver, the total amount involved is nearly \$240,000.

Backed Zemetvo.

St. Petersburg: The municipality of St. Petersburg has decided to give its adhesion to the address to Emperor Nicholas adopted by the all-Russian congress at Moscow, and has appointed a number of members to join the deputation from the Moscow congress, will present the address to the emperor.

Cattle Are Dying.

Markham, Texas: Something very like charmon is killing stock in this community. Two mules belonging to Anderson Bros. have died, and two more on the same place are sick; one cow belonging to Mrs. Moore, an adjoining place, and one other, a few miles away, are afflicted the same way, and no doubt will die. County Judge Matthews has been called on to get the state veterinarian here to help in the matter.

Danger Is Past.

Grand Rapids, Mich.: The crest of the Grand river flood has passed, and although the river remains practically stationary, a probable fall is reported by the weather bureau. Hundreds of residences are surrounded.

Cameron, Texas: The Milam County Enterprise, Cameron's new paper, made its first appearance yesterday evening. Edited by J. H. Ainsworth, J. G. Evans proprietor.

Writ of Error Denied.

Albany, N. Y.: Judge Peckham of the United States supreme court yesterday refused to grant a writ of error which would allow the case of Mrs. Rogers of Vermont, now under sentence for the murder of her husband, to go to the United States court.

Hundred Were Shot.

London: The Times St. Petersburg correspondent reports that there has been severe rioting in Minsk, during which nearly 100 persons were shot.

Don't try to make a man eat his words. Some men would rather fight than eat.

Don't accuse a woman of telling falsehoods because she has false hair or teeth.

Don't think because a man is a poet that he is unable to appreciate a square meal.

Don't turn over a new leaf unless you have something sensible to write on the page.

Don't forget that a man never earns half as much as his wife thinks him capable of earning.

Don't imagine your milkman has pedigreed cows because he supplies you with blue milk.

Don't refer to a spinster as one of your oldest customers if you desire to retain her patronage.

Don't think, because the old cat looks the picture of innocence that it is wise to leave her alone with the canary.

Don't stay away from church on account of your clothes. The Lord is too busy to notice the handiwork of tailors and dressmakers.

EN PASSANT.

Flattery and tact are twin sisters.

The egotist is always the other fellow.

A thorn in the flesh is never worth two in the bush.

Many a man has traded a bank account for experience.

Ambition and contentment seldom travel in double harness.

A little knowledge is generally paraded with a brass band.

Many a musical conductor couldn't get a job on a trolley car.

A man's greatest inspiration is the knowledge that he needs the money.

An average man is one who feels that he is a little above the average.

We would never fully realize how great some people are if they didn't tell us.

The opinion a man has of himself isn't always of value to the rest of the world.

It is well to remember that you can't throw mud without soiling your own hands.

People who eat onions are not to be mentioned in the same breath with those who don't.

SERMONETTES.

Keep your promises even though the doing so causes you inconvenience.

Opportunity is a visitor who should be made welcome without regard to circumstances.

Let the other fellow do most of the harsh arguing and your road to victory is sure.

Contention carries the mind into directions that are productive of little that is able.

THE MILLCREEK PHILOSOPHER.

The selfish always repel true friendship.

A city is known by the billboards it tolerates.

The blowhard sadly misuses the breath of life.

The rolling ice foe distributes much damage.

The pitiless winter ought to bring clarity to a melting mood.

The attribute of wisdom is to the man who knows when to keep mum.

One man can lead a woman to the altar, but ten can't make her obey.

Time teaches many lessons, but the student body is too often inattentive.

It is well to be off with the old growth before you are on with the new.

Originality often consists in the ability to plagiarize without being ketchy at it.

When Dryden wrote, in his "Maiden Queen," "I am resolved to grow old young till 40," he little thought of the use that would be made of it by a modern physician.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

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A woman lives on the memory of certain moments and the hope of others, a man on each day's little pleasures as they come. That is why he is the happier.—Jessie S. Storrs.

FOOD FOR REFLECTION.

In all things it is better to hope than to despair.—Goethe.

We trust that somehow good will be the final goal of ill.—Tennyson.

The less we parade our misfortunes the more sympathy we command.—Dewey.

If we encounter a man of rare intellect we should ask him what books he reads.—Emerson.

Provision is the foundation of hospitality and thrift the fuel of magnificence.—Sir Philip Sidney.

SUNFLOWER PHILOSOPHER.

It is mighty easy to go to the dogs. Better watch yourself.

When a man has two sons as tall as he is it is a sign of age.

It is very easy for a girl to be a belle of a town, in the telegraph.

A man can feel in his pocket at any time and bring out a little ball of fuzz.

Did you ever notice with two sisters that one is always nicer than the other?

If you must own a fancy dog, don't get a fancy one that will attract particular attention to you.

Hint to busy people: Read the first chapter of a novel and get the lay of the land. Then turn to the last ten lines of the book and you have located the heroine in the hero's arms, without worrying your head about what happened in between.

We claim that when the children have their noses flattened against the pane watching for father to come home it is a good sign; he's good to them.

In course of time, if sympathy is great enough and interest is maintained, the bull a neighbor pricked for a woman becomes by repeatedly telling of it a surgical operation attended by four trained nurses, five doctors and great risk of life.—Aitchison (Kan.) Globe.

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Small farm 3 miles from town, 15 1/2 arpents, house and barn. \$50 per arpent.

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Lots on upper Bank avenue \$100, near new canal.

House and lot No. 421 St. Peter street, \$2000.

Lot 149x210 with 8 room house, barn, buggy house, stable and office. Prairie avenue, between Main and Bayou; easy terms.

Lot 98x150 with good house, 9 rooms, 2 halls, No. 124 West Washington street, near French. Easy terms.

120 acres good land, with improvements, near St. Martinsville, La. Cheap.

House and lot, corner of Main and Chestnut streets, 8 rooms, in good order, \$2,250.

House and lot No. 510 Main street.

Lot 50x200, running through to Jane street, 5 rooms and hall, large barn, fruit trees, \$2,400; easy terms.

House and lot on Corinne street, \$700.

House and lot on Corinne street, fine residence, \$1,900.

180 acres, cane farm, with mules, tools, seed cane; 5 1/2 miles from town, on west side Bayou Teche, 9 acres front, dwelling, barn, laborers' houses, 12 acres woodland.

House and lot on Dupreier avenue, running to Hortense avenue, 96x232 feet. Price, \$1,250.

House and lot on Laughlin lane, very cheap.

Lot 55x100 feet, corner Vine and Main street, \$600.

Lots on Bank avenue. 747 acres in St. Martin Parish, good new house; 60 acres in cultivation, all high land. Price, \$10 per acre.

Lot in Lee addition, \$250.

House and lot on Bank avenue, lot 90x300 feet. Price, \$300.

House and lot, corner Fulton and Lasse's streets, lot 50x95. Price, \$500.

House and lot on Dupreier avenue, lot 210x186, 6-room house, 5 minutes from bridge.

The Turner place, corner Bank avenue and public road, one mile from town, 16 acres, improved; pear orchard and other fruits.

Lot on Madison street, near Bank avenue, 90x200.

Neat cottage, No. 922 Iberia street, \$500.

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