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MRS. MARY M. ROGERS'S EXECUTION

Went to the Gallows Unassisted and Perfectly Calm---Asked Sheriff Kiniry to Give Glasses to Her Sister

THE DROP FELL AT 1.13 AND LIFE WAS EXTINCT AT 1.27 1-2

No Truth in the Report that the Sheriffs Bungled in Their Work---Left a Note to Superintendent Lovell

Mrs. Mary Rogers paid on the gallows at Windsor Friday afternoon the extreme penalty of the law for the murder of her husband, Marcus Rogers, at Bennington the night of August 12, 1902.

All of the events leading up to the hour of the execution, including Gov. Bell's final refusal, at the request of Mrs. Rogers's attorneys, to grant another reprieve, were recorded in The Phœnix last week, and the announcement concerning the execution itself appeared in all editions of this paper issued after 1.45.

The drop fell at 1.13 and the woman was pronounced dead at 1.27½ o'clock.

The execution was without incident unusual in such sombre scenes save for the fact that the victim was a woman and that the appearance of pitiful helplessness, hopelessness, and despair, always characteristic of the poor wretch that figures as principal in the tragedy, was in this instance inexpressibly intensified as strong men hurried this weak and faltering woman to her death.

This was the first execution in the state in 14 years and Mrs. Rogers was the third woman to be hanged in the history of Vermont.

About 10.30 o'clock Friday forenoon Mrs. Rogers dressed herself with care in the clothes she was to wear on the scaffold and went down to the sitting room to await the call to her death. She had arrayed herself in a plain black dress, turnover collar, and wore some jewelry, asking that she might be buried in the garments she wore. The death warrant was not read again as it was considered that the reading last February was sufficient.

Before leaving her cell for the execution Father C. C. Delany, as the spiritual adviser of Mrs. Rogers, recited prayers for the dying.

At 1.06 o'clock Deputy Sheriffs Romaine A. Spafford of White River Junction, J. H. Kiniry of Windsor, P. C. Tinkham of Rochester, and Henry A. Bond of Chester, entered the room to escort her to the scaffold. The condemned woman went to the scaffold with great composure. The only remark she made on the way was to hand her glasses to Deputy Sheriff Kiniry, asking him to send them to her sister.

Awaiting the party, on the scaffold, were Deputy Sheriffs Angus MacAuley of Wilder, E. A. Thomas of Woodstock and James McDermott of Tyson. Deputies Kiniry and McDermott tied the woman's hands in front and tied strips around her legs outside of her dress. She was then led to the trap at 1.10½ o'clock. A large black sack lying open on the trap was quickly brought up about her body and tightened around her neck. When asked if she had any final statement to make she shook her head. Her behavior on the scaffold was calm and collected, although she was pale. Her eyes were closed, and occasionally she moistened her lips. At 1.12 o'clock Deputy Sheriff Spafford adjusted the noose, in another minute the black cap was drawn over her head, and at 1.13 o'clock Deputy Sheriff MacAuley sprung the trap. The woman fell six feet and her neck was broken. For two or three minutes after the fall a few convulsive twitches were noticed and then the body hung rigidly at the end of the rope.

At 1.27½ o'clock Drs. Dean Richmond, the prison physician, and O. W. Daley of White River Junction, pronounced her dead.

Under the provisions of the statutes Sheriff Henry H. Peck, of Hartford, was ex-officio executioner. As a matter of fact, however, owing to the sheriff's recent severe illness, he did not take any part whatever in the hanging itself, but was present in the prison and guarded the door to the execution room.

Among the witnesses at the foot of the scaffold were the 12 legal witnesses, the physicians, the deputy sheriffs, the prison officials, Charles A. McCarthy, counsel for Mrs. Rogers, and the military guard. The statute requires that 12 persons shall be present at the execution to witness and certify that the sentence of the law has been duly carried out.

As soon as the body was cut down it was placed in the coffin and removed from the scene and the prison employes at once began to take down the gallows.

By agreement between Gov. Bell, Sheriff Peck, and Supt. Lovell, Frank L. Greene of the St. Albans Messenger and Frank E. Howe of the Bennington Banner, representing the Vermont press, and Frank Clark of Windsor, the local correspondent of the Associated Press, were admitted to the prison Friday morning. They furnished the following official account of Mrs. Rogers's last days by the prison authorities. The death watch began Nov. 28 when Mrs. Rogers was placed in solitary confinement in a cell on the southwest corner of the women's department on the third floor of the main building, or over the guard room. The death watch consisted of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Loukes, of the prison staff who have passed every hour of the day and night with Mrs. Rogers except for an occasional brief relief by some other prison official.

This room has contained two beds, curtained off from each other and here Mrs. Rogers and her death watch have slept night after night and here too on a small table they have eaten regularly together. The windows over-looking the prison yard are painted so that the inmates of the room have had absolutely no opportunity to see out of it. The only visitors to the death cell since solitary confinement began were Supt. Lovell, Warden Palmer, Miss S. J. Durkee, the matron, the prison chaplain, Rev. William H. Haynes, Rev. Father C. C. Delany, and the four year old girl, Marguerite, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loukes, who has from time to time been Mrs. Rogers's companion and helped to divert her mind by her childish prattle.

Mrs. Rogers had slept well most of the nights since the death watch began and her appetite had not failed. Thursday night she did not go to bed without some urging and then about 11 o'clock. She slept fairly well until 5 o'clock Friday morning. Mrs. Rogers had been in good spirits all the time, considering, of course, what might have been passing in her mind in anticipation of the hour of execution. She had visited with the death watch but had talked but little of her case except when Supt. Lovell was present. She had occupied her time to a great extent in crocheting lace for aprons to be sent to relatives and persons who had sent money to her. She had written a few letters to relatives and sympathizing persons, but she had not written any messages for any newspapers nor had she received any messages from any newspapers and all reports to the contrary are false. She had never lost hope that in some way her life might be spared and even Friday morning appeared to retain some faint idea that at the last moment something might interpose to save. The gallows was erected Thursday but every precaution was taken to muffle the sounds of the hammer and no intimation whatever that the work was in progress reached Mrs. Rogers's cell. Even the death watch did not know about it. Mrs. Rogers, however, was curious and kept inquiring through the day if the gallows was being made ready. Finally, toward night, Miss Durkee, the matron, told her that it was.

Friday morning Rev. Father C. C. Delany of the Roman Catholic church at Windsor administered communion to Mrs. Rogers and gave her spiritual consolation. In the afternoon Rev. William H. Hayes, the prison chaplain, visited her cell and read the Scriptures and prayed with her and after he went away Mrs. Rogers joined with Mr. and Mrs. Loukes in singing hymns. Mrs. Rogers asked for the visit of the clergymen and appeared to believe that her sins were forgiven and that she would be saved. She had not confessed her crime directly and positively nor had she explicitly denied it. Indeed, she had said little about it lately. She said she did not consider it brave to go to the scaffold and make a confession and that it would not do her any good to tell what other people had done. When she allowed herself to dwell upon the ordeal of Friday she appeared to be making every effort to go to her fate bravely and with firmness. The usual talk has been current of course 'bout some kind of an opiate being administered to her to deaden her sensibilities, but it is unqualifiedly false. Mrs. Rogers did not drink even coffee or tea, but contented herself solely with cold water.

Supt. Lovell visited Mrs. Rogers's cell Thursday night and talked with her a few moments. She was in good spirits and even told a story just before he left. She said her case was not properly managed and that if it had been she would not have been there.

Immediately after being informed that Mrs. Rogers was dead, Gov. Bell made the following statement to the press:

"I am much relieved to know that the execution of Mrs. Rogers was accomplished promptly, according to law and without a hitch or unnecessary delay. It was a disagreeable duty I have been called upon to perform but notwithstanding my personal views in regard to the matter, I have acted on my oath as chief executive and I believe I have acted in the interests of the public good and according to the law abiding sentiment of the people of Vermont. The incident is closed and I do not care to say anything more at this time."

Although Mary Rogers before she went to her death on the gallows made no confession of her awful crime she did leave a short statement which she prepared during her last hours. It is a letter to Superintendent Lovell and is as follows:

"Dear Mr. Lovell: As I am not much in speaking I pen you a few words as in expression of my extreme gratefulness for your friendliness bestowed upon me since in your care.

Mr. Lovell, I may not always have done as well as I might have done perhaps but my only means of atonement now for what is past is to tell you that I am sorry; and heartily sorry. I know that you have a very kind heart and I am bound to think that I may obtain from you forgiveness. You know that Jesus tells us 'If thy brother trespass against thee and turn again to thee saying, 'I repent,' forgive him. Be ye tender hearted and forgiving even as God for Christ's sake has forgiven you.'

In His Name
Mabel."

Mrs. Rogers also left short letters to her mother and sister. These were shown by her to Supt. Lovell and were mailed immediately after her death. The reports printed in the yellow city papers on Saturday that her feet touched the floor are untrue. An allowance was made for the stretch of the rope but the body was so heavy that the stretch as the body hung was more than had been anticipated and at one time it looked as though her feet might touch the floor before death came but they did not.

The body of Mary Rogers, accompanied by Louis Haussler of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., an undertaker who went to Windsor and received the body, arrived at her mother's home in Briggs hollow, about half way between Bennington and Hoosick Falls, Friday evening. arrangements had been made by the undertaker so that the train was stopped at Hoosick, near the condemned woman's home, so that the large crowd waiting at the station at Hoosick Falls was disappointed. Burial took place Saturday in the family lot in St. Mary's cemetery, at Hoosick Falls. Mrs. Rogers's mother, her three sisters, and about a dozen onlookers were the only ones present and there was no service at the grave.

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THE GALLOWS ROLL.

Review of the Instances in Which Capital Punishment Has Been Inflicted in Vermont.

Counting that of Mary Rogers, there have been 18 legal executions in Vermont since the beginning of her existance as a commonwealth. In their order the victims of the gallows were:

Executions.

David Redding at Bennington, June 11, 1778. This was previous to the organization of Vermont as a state but after the constitution had been adopted. Redding was found guilty of "enemical conduct," supplying the British on the lake with provisions, etc.

Cyrus B. Dean at Burlington, Nov. 11, 1808, for the murder of Jonathan Ormsbee and Asa Marsh in the affair of the notorious smuggling boat, the Black Snake, August, 1808.

Samuel E. Godfrey at Woodstock, Feb. 18, 1818, for the murder of Thomas Hewlet, warden of the state prison.

Luther . Virginia, (colored), at St. Albans, May 23, 1820, for the murder of Rufus W. Jackson, of Highgate, Nov. 14, 1819.

Archibald Bates, of Shaftsbury, at Bennington, Feb. 2, 1839, for the murder of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Philorman Bates, in Shaftsbury, by shooting her through the head while she was nursing her babe. This was the last public execution in Vermont.

Sandy Kavanaugh, of Burlington, aged 71 years and William Barnet, of Burlington, aged 60 years, at Windsor, Jan. 20 1864, each for the murder of his wife.

John Ward, alias Jerome Laveque, of Burlington, aged 26 years, at Windsor, March 20, 1868, for the murder of Mrs. Ephriam Griswold at Williston, Aug. 28, 1865.

Hiram Miller, of Richford, aged 32 years, at Windsor, June 25, 1869, for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua G. Gowing at Ascutneyville, July 23, 1867.

Henry Welcome, of Hinesburg, aged 18 years, at Windsor, Jan. 20, 1871, for the murder of Perry Russell, of Hinesburg, Oct. 3, 1867.

Henry Gravlin, of Weathersfield, aged 49 years, at Windsor, March 14, 1879, for the murder of Herbert O. White, of Weathersfield, Oct. 6, 1876.

John P. Phair, of Rutland, aged 33 years, at Windsor, April 10, 1879, for the murder of Mrs. Anna Frieze, of Rutland, June 9, 1874.

Asa S. Magoon, of Barre, aged 59 years, at Windsor, Nov. 28, 1879, for the murder of Russell Streeter, of Corinth, at Barre, Oct. 14, 1875.

Edward Tatro, of Highgate, aged 23 years, at Windsor, April 2, 1880, for the murder of Mrs. Alice Butler, of Highgate, at Highgate, June 2, 1876.

Edwin C. Hayden, of Derby Line, aged 32 years, at Windsor, Feb. 25, 1881, for the murder of his wife at Derby Line, Aug. 31, 1876.

Royal S. Carr, of Worcester, aged 45 years, at Windsor, April 29, 1881, for the murder of William Wallace Marcommack, of Worcester, Dec. 11, 1878.

Emeline Lucy Meaker, of Duxbury, aged 46 years, at Windsor, March 30, 1883, for the murder of her niece, Alice Meaker, at Duxbury, April 23, 1880.

Sylvester H. Bell, of Fairfax, aged 58 years, at Windsor, Jan. 1, 1892, for the murder of his wife at Fairfax, Dec. 26, 1889.

Edson Fuller, of Readsboro, aged 62 years, hanged himself in his cell at Windsor in the state prison, March 2, 1882, while under sentence of death for the murder of Melville L. Witham at Readsboro, Aug. 22, 1881.

The Mary Rogers Case.

[Springfield Union.]

There has been expressed much maudlin sympathy for Mrs. Rogers, the Vermont murderess who paid the penalty for her atrocious crime, and in equal measure there has been expressed bitter condemnation of Gov. Bell, who refused to reprieve the unfortunate creature. We find in the recent message of President Roosevelt—a message remarkable for the wide range of subjects it considers—the following: "Centuries ago it was especially needful to throw every safeguard around the accused. The danger then was lest he should be wronged by the state. The danger is now exactly the reverse. Our laws and customs tell immensely in favor of the criminal and against the interest of the public he has wronged." It is well to keep that in mind in any consideration of the Rogers case.

Gov. Bell deserves the support and the commendation of every right-minded and right-thinking person. When he took office, he swore that he would uphold the law, and at a time when it took very great courage he has remained true to his oath. Our sympathy goes out to him far more than to that woman who broke the great commandment and suffered the consequences of her rash act. It took a brave heart and a clear mind to withstand the tremendous pressure brought upon him to reprieve Mary Rogers. We can well imagine that he must many times have hesitated between his duty and his inclination. Where many a man would have yielded, he stood firm. The law was plain. It provided the penalty of death for premeditated murder. There was nothing in the law which made the crime less heinous when it was committed by a woman; there was nothing in the law that made the punishment less severe when it was to be meted out to a woman. There was absolutely no question of Mary Rogers's guilt. There was not a flaw in the evidence. Her accomplice in the crime had confessed everything. Skillful lawyers had resorted to every known technicality to save the woman's life. The highest court in the land had passed judgment on the case. A fiendish murder had been committed, the murderer, who happened to be a woman, was found guilty of the crime, and the law said she should give her life for the life she had taken. There was no reason, no possible excuse, for executive interference.

It is appalling, an awful thing, to execute the sentence of death upon a human being. It seems more appalling and more awful when the human being is a woman. The very nature of man revolts against such a thing. The chivalry inbred in him by ages strongly asserts itself. He feels himself to be the natural protector of the weak, and woman is the weaker sex. It is entirely natural, because it is entirely human, that Mrs. Rogers's fate should have excited widespread sympathy, even when the crime she had done was remembered and due consideration was given her conduct since her arrest. Try as one would to judge this case by the inflexible rules of justice, the mental picture of that woman going to the scaffold, and being hanged by the neck until the last flutter of breath had left her body, could not be obliterated. That picture must have come many times to Gov. Bell, and we say that it took a man of extraordinary courage not to be influenced by it.

The passing away of the old leaders in the Senate was strikingly emphasized in a little incident that happened just before the upper house was called to order, Dec. 4. Senator Teller met Senator Allison in the corridor and said: "Mr. Allison, 29 years ago today I was sworn in as a senator of the United States. You're the only member of the body besides myself who was here then. I also learned today that there is not a single employe of the Senate who was here at that time. We are getting old, senator, we are getting old." Tears sprang to the eyes of both of these gray headed veterans, and as Teller moved away, Senator Allison said to the friend to whom he was talking: "Senator Teller is right; we are getting old. It won't be long before there are other boys here to take our places." During the last year five old leaders passed away; namely, Platt and Hawley of Connecticut, Hoar of Massachusetts, Bates of Tennessee and Quay of Pennsylvania.

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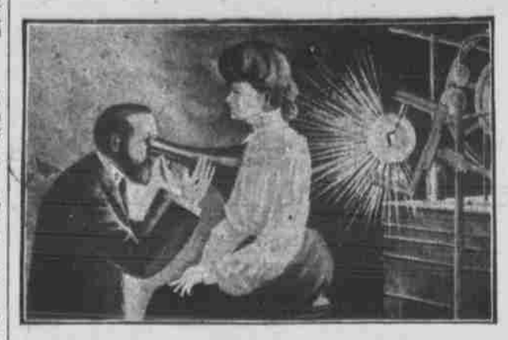

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Frank L. Greene of the St. Albans Messenger, who witnessed the execution, is authority for the following statement:

It is only just to the men that had to perform the awful task imposed by law upon them, it is due the good name of the commonwealth of Vermont, to emphasize with the utmost weight of the authority that can come only from eye-witnesses that the execution of Mary Rogers in the state prison at Windsor Friday afternoon was not bungled in any way and that there was no incident connected with it any more ghastly or revolting than is to be expected of such an event even under normal circumstances.

Certain sensational newspapers published outside the state are industriously circulating reports that the feet of the woman touched the floor as she fell through the trap and that it became necessary for two deputy sheriffs to quickly catch up the rope and hold her body from touching the floor until she slowly strangled.

This is not true. The execution was performed successfully. The drop of her body through the trap and the quick bringing up of the rope broke the woman's neck instantly and the execution, so far as the direct cause of death is concerned, was a finality right then and there. It was at once discovered, however, that the rope had stretched to an unusual extent even after a very liberal allowance for this contingency had been made by the most experienced executioner in the state. The dislocation of the spine and the consequent stretching of the woman's neck also lengthened the reach of her body and her toes were barely grazing the floor. Of course, the settling would continue, and so as a most natural and instinctive precaution, the rope was raised a few inches and the body held thus suspended while the physicians made the customary occasional examination of the heart until life was pronounced extinct. There was no unusual contortion of the body after the drop, the sole movement being a few characteristic automatic muscular contractions and they not particularly marked.

There was no bungle in the execution as it fortunately turned out. But if the rope had been a little bit longer there might have been serious trouble.

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