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Feminism in France. The prediction of the countess of Aberdeen made at the International Council of Women in Paris, that the French woman will be the first to obtain the vote upon any large scale may well have caused surprise among the British, German and American delegates. American writers upon "the woman question" have often fallen back upon two absurdities: the first, that Tacitus described the Germans whom the Romans fought as paying special deference to their women; the second, that "the French have no word for home." Add to this the misapprehensions of a five-weeks' tripper "seeing Paris by night" and a hasty observation on the Salic law and you have the genesis of an impression of the position of women in France which is as prevalent as it is preposterous. The fact is that Tacitus' observations would have applied quite as well to the Franks as to other early northern tribes; that the French get along very well with the word "home" so long as they have the thing: that French family life is at its best of almost ideal beauty, and that their sticking so long to the Salic law was one of the blunders of the Bourbons which does not in any case affect opinion of the republic. Since the revolution in France many things have changed. For one thing, the waste of men in war has famil iarized women with varied industry and with the management of estates and business establishments as in perhaps no other country. The French "family council" system retains for a woman not only the respect of her grown son, but even considerable measure of legal control over him long after English and American law would emancinate him He canont even marry without his parents' consent. In a hundred ways, says the New York World, France is the country of the married woman. That young girls are still carefully

watched and secluded is of minor importance. The system works not badly. There may even be lands where daughters have too much freedom and power for their own good and where mothers are too meek. The growth of "feminisme" in France of recent years has been rapid. It compelled the institution of a divorce law. Woman suffrage is a cardinal tenet in socialism, which has nowhere more power in actual government than it has attained in France. In Russia, which is largely dominated by French thought, the douma has declared for the woman's vote. American woman suffragists were for years divided into two bitter hostile factions on the question whether to work with the public in the several states or to appeal direct to congress. The French feminist adopts the latter course without hesitation. According to the countess of Aberdeen, she has comabstract ideas have always had a fascination for public men.

The "Silence Cure."

Some noble and deep thinking physician has discovered what he calls the "silence cure" for all diseases of that is necessary is for the woman to sit apart for an hour each day, in absolute silence. Husbands who have been able to try this cure report great benefit, but, of course, it is very hard upon the ladies. Only the self-sacrificing devotion of a wife, who places her husband's welfare above everything would be capable of carrying out the terms of this cure, and it is an ordeal. that cannot but be injurious to them if persisted in. So far, there have been no explosions, but suppressed conversation is very dangerous, and at any time we may expect to hear of such an accident, wrecking the home and maining the family. Whilst the "silence cure" is undoubtedly of benefit to the patient, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, it is attended with such grave menaces that it is doubtful if it ever become popular. Our native chivalry would cause us to refuse to take advantage of it. We would prefer to go on having our nerves frazzled, rather than have our devoted wives and mothers make this heroic sacrifice. And, after all, there are other means, answering the same end, and safer. There is the "vacation cure." A man takes the "vacation cure" by sending her home to see her folks. It is expensive, but safe. And it does not entail suffering upon the part of his devoted help-

A large sum of money has been raised for the purpose of providing a memorial of the poets Keats and Shelley in Rome. One of the remarkable things about poets is that people are generally willing to do a good deal for them after it has been made certain that they will never produce any more poetry.

"Keep your eyes on the stars," says the president to the graduates. But most of the dear things would rather

The Dallas News says a good husband is a man who brags on his wife's cooking. There are millions of husbands longing to be good, but, alas, the wives won't cook.

The president of Dartmouth advised his graduates to get wisdom. That's what the average college graduate needs most of all.

The king of Cambodia says that French women wear too many clothes. He was not speaking of the chorus.

### J. W. BURLEIGH, Publisher. LIFE THE STAKE

Albert T. Patrick's Long Fight to Prevent the Carrying Out of the Grim Sentence of Death.

#### HAS MADE THE LAW A PLAYTHING

Sentenced in 1902 for the Murder of Millionaire William Marsh Rice, By Skillful Maneuvering He Has Thus Far Evaded the Hands of the Executioner.

derer. Sentenced to die, he bows to days from the date of Rice's death the seeming inevitable. Like a thing detectives began to shadow Patrick, whose spirit has already crossed the and finally, on October 4. Patrick border-line, from life to death, he and Rice's valet, Charles F. Jones, mechanically waits for the end, some- were arrested, not on a charge of times moaning, sometimes praying, murder, but for forgery connected but always waiting-waiting for the with Rice's will and a \$25,000 check executioner to beckon him forth.

Nowhere can a more striking contrast to the above be found than in the amazing and even brilliant fight Patrick and Jones were held in \$10. of Lawyer Albert T. Patrick against | 000 bail each on the forgery charge. the law, his own stock in trade, says The bail was purposely placed at that the New York World.

murder of William Marsh Rice, an the investigation of the circumeccentric old millionaire who had stances surrounding the mysterious been found dead five months pre- death of Mr. Rice could be probed. viously under suspicious circumstances in his apartments at No. 500 Madison avenue, Patrick was tried, found guilty and sentenced to die in him now than he had on April 7, 1902, lionaire had been poisoned. when the grim death sentence was

everybody is already familiar. This more detailed confession, shouldering article concerns Mr. Patrick alone, all the guilt on Patrick to save his is playing a long drawn out game cut his throat in prison, but the pohis own life as the stake.

If Patrick wins, as he really be- sions. chiefly to himself as his own life. Patrick made his first move to get to appeal from the verdict, and to of the supreme court and sentenced menced by trying to convince the leg. entirely new move calculated to place rick had already left his cell and was islator instead of the public. It is a his opponents in the position of hav- almost free, when orders came to reing to play the game all over again

Patrick has been forced time after was formally charged with the murtime, but by skillful maneuvering he der of Rice and held without bail has evaded the executioner's hand pending a hearing. and obtained another respite. As the least until next October, when the clared that Patrick had admitted to the nerves. To apply the cure, "all United States supreme court will his lawyers in Jones' presence, that pass upon the writ of error granted he had killed Rice. On April 12 Pat-

New York.-Take the average mur- | learn that he was a suspect. Six which Patrick had tried to cash after Rice's death.

On the day following their arrest, high figure, in order that the two Arrested in February, 1901, for the prisoners might be detained while

#### Had Been Poisoned.

Then, while Patrick and Jones were endeavoring to get somebody to bail the electric chair in the week of May them out, the police and coroner 5, 1902. More than four years have worked hard to solve the murder myspassed since then, and yet Patrick tery. On October 27 the result of is still very much alive, and actually the analysis of Rice's body was anhas a longer lease of life ahead of nounced, showing that the aged mil-Next the police turned their at-

pronounced for the first time upon tention to Valet Jones. They "thirddegreed" him for thee days, and then It is not the purpose to present on he told them what they already susthis page a review of the celebrated pected: Patrick had murdered Rice. Patrick murder case, with which Two days later Jones made a still and the ingenious ways in which he own neck. Having done that, Jones against death and the law, and with lice doctors stitched up the gash diately following the announcement of decision in the case. His motion was and saved him for further confes-

lieves he will, he will be indebted Then, suddenly, on February 25, saver. If he loses he may go to the out. The bail, \$10,000, necessary to move for a new trial. electric chair, or he may make an liberate him, was produced, and Patbail and put Patrick back Dangerously near to the dead-line, in his cell. Two days later Patrick

Events in Patrick's case came swiftcase now stands, Patrick is safe at ly after this. On April 9 Jones deon June 12 by Justice Day. This rick was remanded on the charge of



tions for putting the condemned man

Patrick ever had. When Millionaire Rice was found Recorder Goff and remanded for dead in his apartments at No. 500 trial. Madison avenue, on September 23, body sent to the morgue, did Patrick his trial.

writ was granted at Canton, O., with | murder. Four days later, at a prein six days of the time set for Pat- liminary examination, he was held for rick's execution, and after prepara- the grand jury, and on April 25 that body returned an indictment against to death had already been commenced Patrick, charging him with murder at Sing Sing. It was the closest shave in the first degree. Next day Patrick was formally arraigned before

Then it was Patrick's turn to move 1900, there was absolutely no suspi- On May 10 his lawyers attacked the incion that his lawyer, Patrick, had mur- dictment and asked for Patrick's redered him. Not until four days later, lease. This move failed. Exactly when the funeral had been stopped one month later Patrick entered a by order of the coroner and Rice's plea of not guilty and prepared for

On October 14, when more than a and nothing more could be done to year had passed since the death of ward carrying out the death sentence Rice, Patrick's lawyers went into for another six months at least the district attorney bringing Patrick judgment of conviction.

to trial. This motion was denied. get out of the Tombs. He obtained for his execution that he be either tried or released

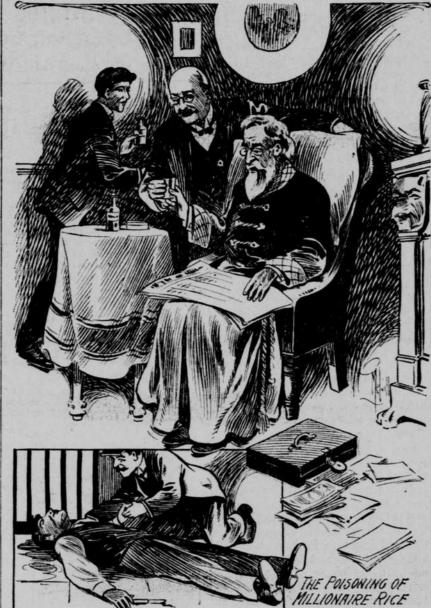
John D. Campbell, and it was not un- ment.

court and made a motion for their | The court of appeals the following lient's release on the ground that June decided against Patrick, refusing two trial terms had passed without to grant a new trial and affirming the

Two days later Patrick prepared Another month went by, and then new appeal for presentation to the Patrick's office boy, who had gone to court of appeals for a new hearing and Germany, returned and confessed argument. This time it took the court that he had bought poison for Patrick of appeals just three days to decide before the death of Rice. The clos- against Patrick's newest move. On ing act of 1901 came on December 9, June 14 his application was refused and when Patrick made another effort to the court fixed the week of August 7

a writ of habeas corpus and demanded Patrick's next move was more successful. The court of appeals on July on bail. The district attorney check- 24, just 14 days before Patrick was to mated this move by announcing that die, granted a stay of execution pendhe was ready at last to call the case ing a new hearing and re-argument on for trial, and with that understand- the grounds of newly discovered eviing Patrick had to go back to his cell dence. This was followed on October 2 by a motion for a re-argument of Pat Patrick was placed on trial for his rick's original appeal, but on October life on the following January 20. 27 the court of appeals decided against Postponements came on February 4 Patrick by refusing to reopen his case and 5, owing to the illness of Juror and denying the motion for a re-argu

til March 26 that the trial ended! On November 10 Patrick asked the



JONES CONFESSED, THEN ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

with Patrick's conviction. Imme-|court of appeals to amend the record of the jury's verdict of "guilty of denied. Matters began to look grave.

#### Sentenced to Die.

bar on April 7, and after denying the stay of execution. The appeal was demotion for a new trial and another motion for the arrest of judgment, peal for "a square deal." This was on he sentenced Patrick to die in the electric chair in the week beginning May 5.

Patrick was now within four weeks of the dead line. He began a fight for his life, which, although four years have elapsed since then, is by no means ended.

He fought against the powerful le gal machinery dragging him toward the dead line, breaking away time after time but only as far as the length of chain which holds him se-

A notice of appeal was at once filed with the court of appeals. This acted temporarily as a stay of execution and the dreaded week of May 5 passed with Patrick still alive.

A delay of almost three years followed, during which Patrick successfully checkmated every move made to end his life.

Five great volumes of testimony, involving more than 3,000 pages of printed matter, had been taken during the murder trial. For the proper presentation of Patrick's appeal before the court of appeals it was necessary to prepare all this testimony for the printers in narrative form, and the wording had to be agreed upon by the lawyers on both sides. Then new briefs had to be prepared, and all this took up considerable time.

Patrick's lawyers had six months from the date of the notice of appeal in which to present their case to the court. The six months expired on October 7, 1902, but on the day previous went before the court of appeals and asked for an extension to January 15, within which to file Patrick's appeal for a new trial.

the application for an extension

court record stopped with the court's rick, had no jurisdiction to fix a new his most constant adviser. date for carrying out the sentence. Public sentiment in New York has Things were at a standstill.

year 1962 closed with Patrick wait- death of Rice. ing in his cell for Recorder Goff to During his stay in jail Patrick has

motion for a new tial or not. an extension of time under which to carried out. file his appeal if necessary.

On March 2 Recorder Goff denied immediately filed his notice of appeal, ment for his misdeeds.

murder in the fist degree" Patrick's On July 6 Justice Rogers called Patlawyes filed notice of their intention rick to the bar in the criminal branch him to die in the week beginning January 22 of this year. Then Patrick made results. Mrs. W. F. Griess, Clay Cen-Recorder Goff called Patrick to the a personal appeal to Gov. Higgins for a ter, Neb., Oct. 23, 1905." nied. Patrick then made a public ap-

> and Patrick's resources seemed exhausted. As a result of Patrick's appeal many petitions reached Gov. Higgins on December 30, asking him to save Patrick's life. Patrick followed these with another appeal to the governor for a stay a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, of execution, but this, too, the gover- and see that it

December 23. Time was getting short

nor refused to grant. When January 15 came and Patrick's execution was only distant seven days, the governor granted Patrick an extension to March 19 in order that he might present the testimony of the Texan witnesses who came to New York city later to tell what Valet Jones had told them about Patrick's innocence.

Patrick waited until February 18 before filing his motion for a new trial on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. His fight for a new t. .1 began before Recorder Goff on February 21 try it for both hot and cold starching, and ended disastrously, one of the Tex- and if you don't think you do better an witnesses being arrested and sent to work, in less time and at smaller cost,

jail for perjury. On March 12, one week from the date of execution, Patrick received another reprieve, this time to May 21, and on May 14, with the day of execution one week away once more, Gov. Higgins granted a further respite to June 18. Gov. Higgins dealt Patrick a hard of shelter tents, as used in Japan durblow on May 30 by vetoing a legislative

bill pased at Albany which would have permitted him to obtain easily a new trial on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. Another very hard blow came on ber of them can be laced together, June 11, when Recorder Goff handed the custom being for four men to down a decision denying Patrick's mo- form a bivouac. Arms are piled in

tion for a new trial. Patrick apparent- the usual way, and the sheets are ly had reached his last ditch. He was spread over the pile weapons, affordto die within a week. But on June 12 a writ of error was They can be utilized in many ways Two days later the court refused granted on his application to the Unit- for sheltering the soldiers. of ed States supreme court. This acted as

a stay of execution and is not returna-This left the case in suspense. The ble until the October term of court. In his prolonged fight Patrick has refusal to extend the time limit, had the assistance of many celebrated which, by the way, had already ex- attorneys, but almost every move made one machine-the human one-and he pired. The court of appeals, although has been at his own suggestion or that always patted it on the back. it had stopped the execution of Pat- of Attorney Bell Thomas, who has been

been a great factor in the case. That Patrick broke the ice on November | Rice was murdered has been proved be-17, 1902, by filing a motion for a new yond all doubt, but many believe the trial. On November 26 the hearing millionaire's valet, Jones was the asof the motion before Recorder Goff sassin. Both Patrick and Jones benewas postponed until Decmeber 5. The fited in a pecuniary way through the

decide whether he would grant the made himself the idol of the prisoners, acting as their legal adviser in many New Year's day, 1903, found Patrick cases. His knowledge of the law is anticipating an unfavorable decision profound, and many a criminal, it is from Recorder Goff by preparing an alleged, has attained his liberty appeal from the anticipated decision. through clever technicalities devised by February 9 passed without the record- Patrick. The state's attorney's office er's decision being announced, and would be glad to have him liberated or the court of appeals granted Patrick the death sentence, so long delayed,

The case shows as perhaps never be fore in criminal history how easily a the motion for a new trial. Patrick man of resources can evade punishTERRIBLE TO RECALL.

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particular frog?"

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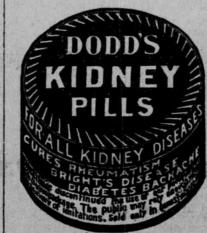
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