

Insanity to Be Denver Woman's Plea

"Sold Wife" Sits Calm and Unruffled

Charles A. Patterson and wife, Gertrude, who slew him. Colonel Patterson is shown as he appeared in football costume several years ago. Mrs. Patterson swears that she was sold to a Chicago millionaire for \$1500 which her husband spent in riotous living.



(United Press Lensed Wire.)
Denver, Colo., Nov. 21.—At the opening of the trial of Gertrude Gibson Patterson here today on the charge of having murdered her husband, with 12 prospective jurors in the box, each side had used one peremptory challenge. Judge Allen ruled that a talesman though he had an opinion in the case, would be eligible to serve if he were willing to disregard such opinion. The court reversed his earlier ruling, in which he declared that prejudice against capital punishment was not sufficient to bar a juror from service. It is evident that the defense will plead emotional insanity and self-defense.

Woman Alert and Unruffled.
When Mrs. Patterson came into the courtroom she looked anything but a prisoner on trial for her life. She was serene and unruffled, dressed carefully and very much interested in what was going on about her. She paid particular attention to the selection of the jury, watching the talesmen alertly. The prosecution hopes to combat the effect of the woman's story—that she was sold by her husband to Emil Strouse, a wealthy Chicago clothing merchant, for \$1500—by introducing

letters written by her husband. Of these the most important is one he wrote two days before the tragedy, September 23, addressed to his brother, Perry Patterson. It says in part:
Wanted Him to Go Home.
"My wife has been hating me to come home, declaring that she will withdraw the divorce suit if I will do so. But I told her that I intended to go after that Jew in Chicago. She swore she would kill me if I did. She claims it was all her fault and begged for the man, saying that she practically forced him to send her money. You know that money is her god. She admits she did wrong, but claims there was no wrong on the man's part. "She was here several times this week trying to have me give her an answer. I promised the answer Monday. She swears that if I fight this Jew she will perjure her soul to save him. She says the whole blame on herself." "The 'Monday' referred to is the day on which the tragedy occurred. The state alleges that at that meeting Patterson insisted on prosecuting Strouse and she killed him.

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COMMERCIAL CLUB'S PLANS ON EXHIBITION

Plans for the remodeling of the sixth, seventh and eighth floors of the Portland Commercial club building are now on display in the club's green room on the seventh floor. The purpose in making the suggested changes is to secure more room, especially for the accommodation of the diners.
By making the changes as planned the seating capacity of the large dining room will be increased about 25 per cent and the ladies' dining room will also have much more room than at present.
The offices of Manager G. C. Chapman of the promotion committee will be moved from the sixth to the second floor, and the space thus vacated will be devoted to the ladies' parlor, which is now on the seventh floor. The assembly hall on the sixth floor will be transformed into the ladies' dining room. The billiard and poolroom will remain unchanged.
On the seventh floor the present space devoted to the ladies' parlor will be the hat and cloak room. This, it is said, will be a much appreciated change since the present accommodations are entirely inadequate. The buffet will remain where it is, as will also the green room and without changes. The wide marble stairway will be shifted into line with the stairs from the sixth floor and the space thus gained will be given to the office, which is now crowded. The present hat and cloak room will be fitted up for meetings of the board of governors. The small card rooms will not be disturbed.
The entire eighth floor will be dining rooms and kitchens. The large space now taken up by the stairway will form an extension of the main dining room, which will thus be L-shaped, with folding walls near one end so as to make it possible to separate it into two rooms if desired.

Daily River Readings.

STATIONS	Stage	Wind	Change in 24 hours	Direction
Lewiston	24	3.7	+0.3	0
Riparia	25	3.7	+0.3	0
Umatilla	25	3.7	+0.3	0
Eugene	10	6.6	+0.4	0
Harrisburg	20	7.6	+0.4	0
Albany	20	7.6	+0.4	0
Salem	20	7.4	+1.8	0
Wilsonville	37	12.6	+2.1	0
Portland	48	8.8	+2.1	0

(*) Rising; (—) Falling.

POLITICAL PRISONERS TORTURED IN SPAIN

(United Press Lensed Wire.)
Madrid, Nov. 21.—Details are coming to light of tortures inflicted upon political prisoners during the recent Republican uprising. Some were hung up by the legs and beaten with sticks at Cullera, while others were rolled upon the stone floor of the prison with their heads tied between their legs. Many were threatened with burial alive, being taken to the cemetery at night.

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