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How One of Lincoln's Reprieves Was Delayed by a Break in the Wires.

"The most impressive sight I ever saw, I think, was at Harper's Ferry in '65," said detective C. W. McElroy yesterday afternoon. The detective is a member of Perkins' agency, and was at one time sheriff of Oswego county, New York. The conversation was brought about by a remark upon the impressiveness of the funeral services over Gen. Grant.

"The sight of a man going to his own funeral, is calculated to impress one," he continued. "That is the case, you know, with a man condemned to death by court-martial. The case of which I spoke happened in the January, 1865, and the wonderful escape of the condemned parties is something I shall never forget. Two Irishmen, John Shea and Michael Doane, had been sentenced to be shot for desertion. There was considerable feeling in favor of the men. It was in the time of big bounties, and the two young men had enlisted for something like \$1,000 apiece. In a few days they were both missing, and were not caught for three or four weeks. They were drunk, and their money was about gone. The result of the matter was that it was no case of willful desertion. The men had got on a drunk, and had never sobered up enough to realize their position. They were badly frightened, and were attended by two priests. I can remember the place well. They were marched up on a little hill on a level plateau, and the soldiers thrown into three sides of a hollow square. The two men, accompanied by the priests, and preceded by the band playing the dead march, were marched around the inside of this square and stopped nearly in the center, by the side of their opened coffins. The priests were in earnest conversation with them and the minutes flew until they grew into an hour. Twelve o'clock came, and Gen. Stevenson gave orders for the priests to leave the men. Very reluctantly they did so, prolonging their leave taking upon one pretext and another as long as they could. Everything was at last made ready, and it was only a matter of seconds between the men and eternity, when the general's orderly rode up, swinging his hat and yelling at the top of his voice. It was a reprieve from Lincoln.

"It seems that the priest had telegraphed the president the night before, asking for a reprieve, and stating that there were mitigating circumstances. Lincoln who was always looking for an excuse to save a man's life, reprieved them. Gen. Stevenson's headquarters were nearly a mile from where we were, and the telegraph office was at his headquarters. He had left a mounted orderly there with instruction to rush through any dispatch that came. Nothing came until a few minutes before 12, and the orderly dashed away. He had to go up a steep hill, nearly half a mile long. When he reached the top his horse was badly winded, and could hardly go. He met a citizen on a good horse, and without any ceremony pulled the gentleman down and mounted the fresh animal. Half a minute's delay would have been the last of Messrs. Doane and Shea.

"A strange part of the story is yet to come. Some three years afterwards I met an old telegraph operator in Oswego. He was in Washington in the winter of '64 and '65. We got to talking over war matters, and I found that he remembered the case I have told you about. He was in charge of the wire leading to Harper's Ferry. He had heard of the two men to be executed there, through the operator. They had discussed the matter over the wires. Consequently he remembered the case well. Upon the morning of the execution, at 10 o'clock, the dispatch reprieving the men was handed him to send out. He turned to his desk, and what was his horror to find that he couldn't work the wire. A storm was in progress, or something else was the matter. At any rate the wire would not work. There was no other way of reaching Harper's Ferry. The dispatch he didn't get off until just before 12, but, as it happened, in good time; but he told me it was an experience he would never forget. Altogether, it was a pretty close shave for the two Irishmen, and I don't believe they ever forgot the accident either."  
-Pittsburg Dispatch.

**A LITTLE SNAKE STORY.**

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 14. - "Speakin' o' snakes," said the Texas frontiersman, "reminds me ov a little adventure me and a chum had with rattlesnakes that made me respect the rattlesnake ever since."

"What kind of an adventure did you have that makes you respect the rattlesnake?" asked a St. Louis man.

"Well, one evening just before dark out among the Rio Grande canyons there come the all-fired rain you ever seed. Before we could get out the water had risen so the only way was to cross a canyon about thirty feet wide and 500 deep.

"When we got to this canyon we found about 1,000,000 rattlesnakes there. They recognized me as their friend, it seemed, as I tried to keep my chum from shooting into a whole mound of 'em, for they crawled around me and looked into my face, as much as to say, 'You can help us over if you will.' I noticed that the snakes paid no attention to my chum, except a big rattler my chum wounded would look at him and then go around to his followers and seem to tell them something.

"Well, I tied a knot in the tail of a big rattler and then got another and looped his neck into this, and so on until I had a snake rope about sixty feet long. Then I coiled it in my hand as I would a lariat and threw it across, and the head snake tied himself to a tree, and the last one on my side did the same. I had my lot of snakes to go over first, and then I went over on this snake-rope bridge. The last snake let go of the tree, and he crawled up and the others followed until all were across.

"My chum had done as I did, but he let the big wounded rattler have himself around the tree, so when all his snakes were over and my chum was going over as I had done, this big wounded rattler seemed to grin - showed all his teeth - and let go. Of course the whole shebang went down with 'swish,' and my chum was thrown off and smashed into jelly, and -" but the crowd had scattered and left the big Texan to himself.

He muttered: "I don't keer a darn; these fellows think a rattlesnake is the deadliest enemy of mankind. He is not as poisonous as the copperhead, and always rattles a warning before he strikes. - He is my friend, anyhow."

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