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Dear

to

Thomas Russell

Member of Committee

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES OF ALBERTA
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Record.

Canada

North West Territories

Judicial District of Southern Alberta

To Wit

Be it Remembered that Thomas Percell being a prisoner at Leblding in the said Judicial District, committed for trial on a charge "for that he the said Thomas Percell shot and killed in the said Territories on or about the 3rd day of December A. D. 1893 murdered one David Atkers," and having been brought before me the undersigned one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the North West Territories aforesaid, at Leblding aforesaid on the fifteenth day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and ninety four and being arraigned upon the said charge he the said Thomas Percell pleaded not guilty; And upon the fourteenth day of February in the year aforesaid a jury consisting of William Stafford, Junior, L. A. McEwan, Duncan Duff, William Henderson, E. J. Hodder and William Oliver, being duly empanelled and sworn and he the said Thomas Percell declaring himself ready for trial, And after hearing the evidence adduced, as well in support of the said charge as in the prisoners defence on the fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth days of February aforesaid, the jury find a verdict against him the said Thomas Percell of manslaughter (and recommend him to the mercy of the Court.)

And now on this the nineteenth day of February in the year aforesaid I sentence him the said Thomas Percell for his offence to be imprisoned in the Manitoba Penitentiary for the term of Three (3) years.

Witness my hand at Leblding aforesaid this the nineteenth day of February, A. D. 1894.

James Macleod

J. J. C.

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To Wit:

BE IT REMEMBERED that Thomas Purcell being a prisoner at Lethbridge in the said Judicial District, committed for trial on a charge "for that he the said Thomas Purcell [of] Pot Hole in the said Territories on or about the 3rd day of Decem[ber] A.D. 1893 murdered one David Akers," and having [been] brought before me the undersigned one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories aforesaid, at Lethbridge aforesaid on the fifteenth day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and ninety-four and being arraigned upon the said charge, he the said Thomas Purcell pleaded not guilty;

And upon the fourteenth day of February in the year aforesaid a jury consisting of William Stafford, Junior, L.N. McEwen, Duncan Duff, William Henderson, E.J. Hodder and William Oliver, being duly empanelled and sworn and he the said Thomas Purcell declaring himself ready for trial;

And after hearing the evidence addressed as well in support of the said charge as in the prisoner's defence on the fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, and seventeenth days of February aforesaid, the Jury find a verdict against him the said Thomas Purcell of manslaughter (and recommend him to the mercy of the court.)

And now on this the nineteenth day of February in the year aforesaid, I sentence him the said Thomas Purcell for this offence to be imprisoned in the Manitoba Penitentiary for the term of three (3) years.

Witness my hand at Lethbridge aforesaid this the nineteenth day of February A.D. 1894

James F. Macleod

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