



# TRIAL & SENTENCE OF Leopold Redpath

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Alas I am convicted theres no one to blam  
I suppose you all know Leopold Redpath  
is my name,

I have one consolation pheraps I've more  
All the days of my life I ne'er injured the  
poor

I procured for the widow and orphan their  
I read,

The naked I clothed and the hungry I fed  
But still I am sentenced you must under-  
stand,

Because I had broken the laws of the laud

A 1st fond adieu to my heart broken wife  
Leopold Redpath your husband's trans-  
ported for life,

Providence will protect you love do not  
deplore,

Since your husband never hurted or in-  
juned the poor.

I,ve left my kind friends for to pine in a  
gaol

But tis harder to see my fond partner  
bewail,

I was caused by temptation the deed for to  
do

Being eager for riche has caused me to rue

In London and Weybridge I in splendour  
did dwell

By the rich and the poor was respected  
right well,

But now I'm going oh where shall I say  
A convict from England oh far far away

To leave you old England does cause me  
much pain

I fear I shall never behold thee again  
Far away from my family, kindred and  
wife

How dreadful my sentence transported  
for life

Twas a pleasure to Redpath the poor to assier  
By the widow and orphan will Redpath be  
So you gentlemen servants wherever you be  
When you read my misfortune take warning  
by me

I might have livea happy with my virtuos  
wife

Kept aw y from temptation from tumult & stife  
Id enough to support me in happiness to live,  
But I wanted something more poor people for  
to give

I now see my folly alas when too late,  
Transported for life oh how hard is my fate  
I never once thought I should ere see the day  
They would send me a convict from England  
away

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