

They might not have meant anything, or they might have been the motive for the crime which the prisoner is said to have committed." The judge laid great stress upon all the falsehoods the prisoner had told, on the false names he had given, on his deception in taking his wife out of the asylum at Kingston, and held that proof that the deceased had written the words "Good-bye, I am going to drown," was poor in the extreme. "Does it not look, sirs, as if the prisoner was only preparing the way for what soon occurred after these words were penned?" asked the judge.

The judge began to charge against the prisoner. Speaking of his heartless conduct at Louisville, he pointed out that the defence had failed to explain why the prisoner went to look for her there, when he had placed her in the Notre Dame hospital. It was to the prisoner's credit that he had asked for an inquest, but it was very strange that he did not appear as witness when it was being held, so that he might explain away all the suspicions that were gathering about him. If the bottle containing the poison had been destroyed by the father of the prisoner as stated, certainly prisoner was not to blame for that. The prosecution had held that the bottle story was only a yarn put up by the defence to get out of producing it; that the jury would have to decide. In claiming the Louisville part of the story had nothing to do with the poison case, the defence had shown that they did not want to take the task of explaining it. The judge regretted that the Government did not appoint specialists to make autopsies in such cases. The medical evidence had been contradictory, and the jury would have to care-

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