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SELLING AGENTS - ST. JOHN, N. B.

IS MAY MCKENZIE THE TEACHER OF EVELYN THAW?

This Actress Supposed to Have Instructed Thaw's Wife in the Part She Played—Trial Will be Resumed on Monday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Was May McKenzie the one who furnished the brains and the dramatic ability necessary to Thaw's wife in her remarkable recital on the witness stand of the details of her life's story? There are those who have closely followed the case who can account for the ultra prominence of Miss McKenzie in no other way, and they can present a strong case in support of their contention.

Evelyn Thaw, during her two days in the witness chair, poured out the most remarkable story ever told by a woman in a court room—remarkable in its frankness, in its non-avoidance of revolting detail, in its failure to spare any single one of the characters except Harry Thaw himself. More remarkable than all these, however, was the manner of its telling, the now apparently studied childishness of its recital, the dwelling with just the right emphasis, and just the childish tone of voice necessary to send the pitiful story home to the hearts of the jurors.

In full accord with this has been the fact that Evelyn Thaw was dressed for the part. Her girlish attire already has been set forth and dwelt upon. Now since time has been afforded for the passing away of the first shock of the miserable laying bare of a woman's ruin, one thought stands out in the minds of many who heard the telling. In a sentence it is this:

"If this childish woman is not a consummate actress, how could she tell what she has told?" And crowding immediately upon this is a second query, expressed by more than many:

"To whom did she recite this story before taking the witness stand? Who was the expert critic who had the wit to point out to her the parts to be accented, the parts to be elaborately detailed, the parts to pass over vaguely?"

Here, it is declared, May McKenzie's constant presence at the side of Evelyn Thaw, her occupation for months of the same apartment in the Hotel Lor-

raine, her sitting beside the wife of Harry Thaw in the court room is explained. It is known to all who have tried to communicate to the young wife that the barrier always encountered has been May McKenzie.

The former leader of the chorus at Weber's Theatre is recognized as a remarkable young woman. Those who know her and who know Thaw's wife declare that their mentalities are not placed in the same category. The McKenzie girl is known to be a clever writer, her column in a morning newspaper not many seasons ago having attracted widespread attention by the writer's evident insight into things dramatic and into human nature and human affairs as well. She also is clever in conversation, resourceful, quick-witted, charming, alert, and ready at repartee. Out of her black eyes flash keenness, reserve, self-assurance, command and poise.

In short, May McKenzie is a clever young woman. She is trained in dramatic things and understands well not only the value of a dramatic situation, but all the elements that go to make it up. Those who have known her well since that night of June 25, 1906, when White was shot and killed, immediately following which Evelyn Thaw sought the refuge Miss McKenzie's apartments afforded, will add that the clever young woman has been the sturdy arm on which Thaw's wife has leaned. Evelyn Thaw has hardly been out of sight of her friend.

The young wife, it is declared, could not have gone over and over the shameful story to any man save her husband, even if that man were a lawyer. Besides, what man lawyer, the holders to this contention point out, could drill a woman in the use of her own feminine arts of appeal? What man lawyer could work out in elaborate detail the child clothes, the child manner, the child pose? It must have been a woman and a clever woman, and no one ever called Evelyn Nesbit Thaw unusually clever. She is believed by those who know her to be just what she looks, a weak little butterfly, who never in her life did anything that would suggest she could play the great part she has now chosen in order to save her husband.

The hand of a clever young woman shows, and plainly shows. Whose else could it be than May McKenzie's? The chief thing that interests those who hold strongly to this idea, is whether the reflected cleverness can stand in the face of the cross-examination of Mr. Jerome.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Funeral services for Mrs. Joseph B. Bolton, wife of one of the jurors in the Thaw

trial, will be held today. Arrangements have been made for the presence of police reserves about the Bolton home to guard against the intrusion of curiosity seekers. Juror Bolton is bearing up well under the bereavement, and Dr. S. S. Tinker, his family physician, telephoned to the District Attorney last night that Mr. Bolton would be able to take his place with the other eleven jurors on Monday. All doubt as to whether the trial was to continue or was to end in a mistrial was thus practically dispelled. Thaw had a long conference yesterday with A. Russell Peabody of his counsel, remarking the reports that District Attorney Jerome was paving the way to apply for a commission in lunacy. Mr. Peabody said Thaw expressed a wish that his counsel should make every possible effort to prevent the appointment of a commission. This, Mr. Peabody said, would be done.

The names of two new witnesses who may be called have been made public. One is Dr. Francis L. Patton, former president of Princeton University and now president of Princeton Theological Seminary. The other is Dr. Frank P. McGuire, the Tombs physician. The former will appear for the defense, while McGuire, it is said, will appear for the prosecution. Through Dr. Patton the defense hopes to get in evidence a letter written by Thaw soon after his arrest. It is the contention that if this letter is admitted in evidence it will have a great deal of bearing on showing the condition of Thaw's mind right after his arrest in regard to the killing of Stanford White.

Delphin M. Delmas, one of Thaw's counsel, feels that the letters will be competent testimony to corroborate Dr. B. D. Evans' testimony that Thaw was not of sound mind in August, about two months after the shooting. It is recalled that Dr. Patton called on Thaw in the Tombs in the summer. Through Dr. McGuire, it is stated, the District Attorney expects to lay the foundation for the opinion of all students that Thaw was sane on the night of June 25, when he killed Stanford White. The Tombs physician is said to be of the opinion that Thaw, when he killed White, knew the quality of the act and knew the distinction between right and wrong. The physician, it is said, has kept a careful record of Thaw's appearance, words, actions and moods, and is prepared to give in evidence details of the prisoner's life since June 25. Even during the night, it is said, when Thaw was asleep, he has been under the observation of the doctor who found that the prisoner slept quietly and never had restlessness or nightmares or disturbances of sleep, such as are noticeable in well developed cases of insanity.

An interview is published today with Mrs. J. J. Caine, the intimate friend of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who is to be a witness for the defense to combat the testimony of Dr. Patton. Howard Nesbit will give if sworn as a witness for the state. Mrs. Caine is quoted as saying that she had heard Harry Thaw ask Evelyn Nesbit's mother for her hand at the time the girl was at school at Elmont, N. Y., accompanying the proposal of marriage with a promise that if Evelyn became his wife he would on the wedding day settle on Mrs. Holmes, then Mrs. Nesbit, \$100,000 or more. The mother's answer to this, she says, was that she would try her best to get Evelyn to accept Thaw. Mrs. Caine says she was hidden in Mrs. Holmes' bathroom when Thaw's coming was announced.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Reserve on all deposits increased \$1,055,175; reserves other than U. S. increased \$1,013,475. Loans decreased \$7,295,400. Specie increased \$1,785,400. Legal tenders decreased \$178,400. Total assets increased \$8,013,500. Circulation decreased \$140,500. Bank statement quite satisfactory.

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NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker)

St. John, N. B., Feb. 15.

Fri. Sat.

Amalg. Copper... 114 1/2 114 1/2

Am. Sugar Refs... 135 1/2 135 1/2

Am. Smelt and Refg... 145 1/2 145 1/2

Am. Car Foundry... 44 1/2 44 1/2

Atchafalca... 104 1/2 104 1/2

Am. Locomotive... 75 75

Brook. Rpd. Trs... 74 1/2 74 1/2

Balt. and Ohio... 114 1/2 114 1/2

Ches. and Ohio... 53 1/2 53 1/2

Canadian Pacific... 152 1/2 152 1/2

Chi. and G. West... 149 1/2 149 1/2

Colo. F. and Iron... 49 1/2 49 1/2

Erie... 38 1/2 38 1/2

Gen. S. and W. Ind... 145 1/2 145 1/2

Kansas and Texas... 43 1/2 43 1/2

Distillers... 77 1/2 77 1/2

Louis and Nashville... 135 1/2 135 1/2

Hutchinson... 131 1/2 131 1/2

Mexican Central... 25 25

Missouri Pacific... 83 1/2 83 1/2

Nor. and Western... 88 1/2 88 1/2

N. Y. Central... 123 1/2 123 1/2

North West... 167 1/2 167 1/2

Ont. and Western... 45 1/2 45 1/2

Pac. C. and Gas Co... 85 1/2 85 1/2

Reading... 125 1/2 125 1/2

Sloss Sheffield... 71 1/2 71 1/2

Pennsylvania... 131 1/2 131 1/2

Rock Island... 26 1/2 26 1/2

St. Paul... 149 1/2 149 1/2

Southern Ry... 38 1/2 38 1/2

Southern Pacific... 94 1/2 94 1/2

Northern Pacific... 154 1/2 154 1/2

National Lead... 73 1/2 73 1/2

Twin City... 104 1/2 104 1/2

Texas Pacific... 34 1/2 34 1/2

U. S. Steel... 46 1/2 46 1/2

U. S. Steel, pfd... 105 1/2 105 1/2

Total sales in New York yesterday, 762,900.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Fri. Sat.

May corn... 46 1/2 47 1/2

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July corn... 46 1/2 46 1/2

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