

# ALIENISTS TEST WHAT THAW SAID TO THEM

### Clever Trick of Delmas is Laying Before Jurors Practically Entire Defense.

### DEEP IMPRESSION LEFT BY PHYSICIAN'S RECITAL

### In Spite of Court's Instructions, Evidence is Not Without Its Effect—Question of Legality of Marriage to Evelyn is Raised.

(Journal Special Service.)  
New York, Feb. 18.—Through the mouths of two alienists, who told Harry K. Thaw said to them, practically the entire defense was presented to the jurors yesterday. This method of bringing the main evidence is regarded as a master stroke on the part of D. M. Delmas and he is again praised generally in the newspapers for his skill.

In this way Thaw's whole story is given in court without putting him on the stand. If he became a witness in his own behalf he would be subjected to a grueling cross-examination by District Attorney Jerome.

"As matters stand the correctness of Thaw's account is not open to challenge, the truth or falsity of what he said in conversation with the doctors not being in issue, as the jury was repeatedly instructed, and his statements are being testified to only to show his condition of mind."

**Was Full Effect on Jury.**  
Notwithstanding this limitation respecting such evidence it was apparent that Thaw's declarations as recounted by the doctors left a deep impression on the jurors. Thaw's will and codicil also got into the record and this documentary evidence not only contributed to show how completely his ideas respecting White took possession of him, but tended to confirm the story of his wife that she told him of her experiences with Architect White before she consented to marry Thaw, the will, which indicated knowledge of these experiences, having been executed by Thaw on the day of his marriage to Evelyn Nesbit.

**Was Too Sharp for Jerome.**  
Thaw stated so expertly that at no time before the tragedy at Madison Square Garden had he formed any intention to kill White and Providence took the matter out of his direction and caused him to fire the bullets which ended the architect's life. He thought it better, however, that White was dead, for "it ended forever his parents' innocent girls."

# PLUMBERS WILL RECEIVE 75 CENTS AN HOUR AFTER MARCH 1

While the members of the Carpenters' union of Portland are making an unsuccessful fight to secure a raise of wages from 25 cents an hour, the members of the Plumbers' union of Portland have advanced their wages to 75 cents an hour, or more than three times as much, without a struggle. In fact, the past year the plumbers have been getting \$4 a day for eight hours; beginning with March 1 they will get \$8 for a day of eight hours.

"The master plumbers will not resist the increase," explained an officer of the Master Plumbers' association, "but will sign up with the union without offering any opposition. We need the plumbers, that's all, and we can't get them for less. The other cities of the coast are paying from \$8 to \$7.50 a day and if the scale is lower here the scarcity of plumbers will continue. In fact, we are generally in favor of the raise, as it will tend to keep Portland plumbers at home. It's simply a matter of supply and demand. The union limits the supply, and we have to meet its demands."

# BIG MILLINERY STORE MAY GO TO FOURTH AND ALDER STREETS

Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of the quarter block at the northwest corner of Fourth and Alder streets by F. and R. Solomon, proprietors of the Wonder Millinery store at First and Morrison streets. The consideration is understood to be \$150,000. The property belongs to the Catherine Burke estate.

The purchasers are planning to improve the site with a modern up-to-date wholesale and retail millinery establishment.

# CERTIFICATES GRANTED THIRTY-THREE IN MARION

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Ben O. Tabor, Superintendent of B. T. Moore and his assistants have completed the grading of the papers of the applicants for teachers' certificates. There were 11 applicants for first grade certificates, 15 for second grade and six for third. A number were candidates for state papers. The highest average was made by Miss Ethel A.

# A HARD STRUGGLE

### Many a Portland Citizen Finds the Struggle Hard.

With a back constantly aching, with distressing urinary disorders, daily existence is but a struggle. No need to keep it up. Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you. Portland people endorse this claim: W. Jenkins of 418 East Mill street, Portland, Oregon, says: "I have no occasion to change anything that I said three years ago in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. For since that time other members of our family have found equally beneficial results in treating kidney complaint. Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered with acute attacks of backache and a derangement of the action of the kidneys, and dull, dragging pains made it difficult for me to attend to my work. As the result of using this fine remedy I have been free from kidney complaint and backache for over three years, and therefore feel great confidence in recommending them to others."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McBirn 70, Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no other.

# SCIATIC TORTURE

Great care was taken to suppress the names of the young women mentioned by Thaw in his will as having been engaged by White.

Jerome in his cross-examination of Dr. Evans endeavored to get this expert to classify Thaw's insanity in such a way as would justify the district attorney in asking the appointment of a commissioner to pass on the prisoner's mental condition and have him sent to an asylum, but the expert, as well as Delmas, perceived Jerome's aim and Dr. Evans carefully avoided stepping into the pitfalls the district attorney laid.

**Jerome Given a Bad Day.**  
There were several clashes between Delmas and Jerome and on the whole Delmas had the better of the exchanges. It was not a good day for Jerome, as nearly all his objections were ruled out. Dr. Evans, between whom and the district attorney there is much ill feeling, had a bout with Jerome. When Evans responded at one point that he understood the district attorney was trying to get the truth about Thaw's insanity, Jerome said tartly: "No, sir, not from you." To the next question Jerome, Evans replied: "I am unable to say."

"What are you able to say?" asked Jerome, sarcastically.

Evans looked calmly at Jerome and retorted: "I am an expert and myself, who had been cured of sciatica by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking the pills and soon was able to get out of bed. When I had taken six boxes I was able to work about the house and yard. I kept right on with the pills until I was cured and I have never had any return of the trouble. I have been running an engine ever since."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do not simply relieve pain but they actually make new blood and have therefore a direct and powerful curative effect on such diseases as rheumatism, neuralgia, general debility, after-effects of the grip, nervous indigestion and headaches.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50c per box, six boxes \$2.50. By Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

**Delmas Master of Situation.**  
As to the general result of the day's work, one New York paper observes: "It has been said that the defense was not trying up the points of its case as it went along; that too many loose ends were whipping about aimlessly—the wife's testimony, the matter of the will, unflattering evidence of experts and the statements of two family physicians from Pittsburgh—but certainly Delmas' manner of bringing out Dr. Evans and his illuminating disclosures has been a remarkable performance. It left no gap for criticism."

**Week's New Bills at Stock Theatres**

"Caprice," at the Star.  
"Caprice," that old comedy drama, by means of which many actors have achieved fame and fortune, is the bill at the Star this week. It was presented for the first time yesterday and was well received.

Miss Vera Felton has the part of Mercy Baxter, in which Mrs. Flaks, then Minnie Madder, made her first success. Much is required of the part, but all requirements are even more given by Miss Howard. The role is admirably handled by the talented leading lady company.

Taylor Bennett gives genuine satisfaction as Jethro Baxter, the honest old farmer. The play has been a favorite for many years and will lose nothing of its excellence in the hands of the Allen company.

**"Her First Divorce," at the Grand.**  
A one-act comedy by Ella Wheeler Wilcox and presented by Mattie Keene and company is the top-liner at the Grand this week. It is a cleverly executed little play, entitled "Her First Divorce." It is a story of how a young woman quarreled with her husband and sought the services of a woman attorney to secure for her a legal separation. The attorney, being by no means in love to the husband and the wife suddenly discovers that she does not care for a divorce. It is not only a clever bit of acting, but teaches a lesson that many women might do well to study. Miss Keene is a delightful entertainer and is supported by a capable company.

The Grand's bill includes several first-class features. O'Dell and Hart made a hit with their comedy sketch, "Watch the Finish." They are a pair of real live entertainers who work every minute they are on the stage.

Miss Helen Brandon, a soubrette and tap dancer, also is considerable in making the bill a winner. She introduces some clever novelties in dancing and received quite an enthusiastic reception. Douglas and Ford, singers and dancing entertainers, also made a pleasing impression.

The messenger boy duo, who are styled harmony singers and comedians, are faithful workers in their effort entitled "The Life of a New York Messenger Boy." Mattie Hilditch Hoft has a new song, entitled "Somebody's Waiting for You." The Grandscops has a bunch of new pictures that present some extremely funny situations.

The Grand's new bill was put on yesterday and was greeted with crowded houses at each performance.

**"Hoop of Gold" at the Lyric.**  
"A Hoop of Gold," a charming old drama, has pleased thousands, is the bill at the Lyric this week. It was presented by the Lyric company yesterday to a crowded house and received an enthusiastic reception.

In the somewhat limited part of Richard French, Frank Fanning does an excellent piece of acting and brings out all there is to the part. Mr. Fanning has won a high place in the esteem of Lyric patrons and certainly deserves it.

Miss Warda Howard handles the difficult part of the unhappy wife with consummate skill. The part requires the expression of much feeling and in less capable hands might easily be overdone. As "Scottie," the reformed criminal, who becomes a detective, Charlie Connors displays his versatility and created a most favorable impression.

All the Lyric favorites are satisfactory in this week's bill, there was a large audience at the opening performance yesterday.

**SHINGLE MILL SOLO DELIGHTS CASTLE ROCK**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Castle Rock, Wash., Feb. 18.—About the most welcome sound that has three months past been the whistle of the Robin shingle mill, heard for the first time since the high water of last November, at 5:30 this morning. The daily capacity is 125,000 shingles, and 15 men are regularly employed, in addition to the 20 men in the two camps, 16 and 20 miles up the Cowlitz river, and eight on the river. The booms contain about 4,000 cords of bolts, sufficient to keep the mill running steadily during the entire year, and work was begun today with the intention of running full time and all the time.

Fire protection additional to that supplied by the city hydrant, the company has installed a new Fairbanks-Morse steam pump, five-inch suction and four-inch discharge, which takes water supply from the river. Further supply is to be obtained by eight two-inch wells driven to a depth below the river bed, the idea being to secure a supply of pure water to be used in case of accident to the city water system or its pumping station.

Harney valley people are planting fruit trees of hardy varieties.

**OSTEOPATHY FOR A LIMITED TIME \$12.00 Per Month!**

Kirkville Infirmary of Osteopathy, room 13 Grand Theatre building, Washington and Park. Dr. Sommer, graduate in medicine and osteopathy and formerly professor at the Hill College of Osteopathy, manager.

# Wednesday a Great Mill End and Remnant Lace Sale



Another wonder bargain—and one that ought to bring the most enormous crowd of the season—Over 5,000 yards of Laces of all kinds—mill ends and remnants to be slaughtered at prices that should make this store the busiest spot in all Portland tomorrow.

## A One-Day Sensation and No Longer

For at the prices these go there won't be a single yard left after tomorrow. It's the season's best and greatest bargain. Laces of all kinds, for every purpose, mill ends and remnants, worth 3, 4, 5 and even 10 times the money. All thrown out on bargain tables and marked at figures that should make every woman in town jump for them.

**2c Yard** for Laces worth to 10c.  
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The factory's entire cleanup of lots of mill ends, and also all our remnants. The finest, newest and daintiest of this season's effects. Valenciennes, Torchons, Orientals and Wash Laces of every kind. Just the sorts every woman wants right now, and the same identical grades all other stores are getting full prices for. All hunched on our big bargain booth, and at prices that'll clear every yard before night. One day only, so come tomorrow if you want any, and get three, four and five yards for the price of one. Choice, 2c, 5c and 8c yard.

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**PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERNS**  
The best and most celebrated in the world. Prices 10¢ and 15¢.

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The one store where you get the finest, most up-to-date and latest-style garments, minus the extravagant profits of other concerns. Whatever you do, don't spend a single dollar for Coats, Suits or Waists until you see what we have to offer; a look costs nothing, and you don't have to buy.

## The Crash Has Come—Now for the Final Clean Sweep Sale of All Our Women's Winter Coats

Worth up to as high as \$35.00

Not a single solitary one held back or reserved, all our richest novelties, the finest of pattern garments, elegantly trimmed with velvet, straps, braiding, etc., plaids, checks and mixtures, silk and satin lining. Every coat in stock is marked for slaughter. Two great lots of them all. None worth less than \$12 and up to \$20, \$25 and even \$35. Choice..... **\$3.98** and **\$6.98**

**Great Sample Sale of Women's \$15 New Spring Suits**  
And in the lot there's some of the prettiest styles imaginable—exquisite novelties in the new club checks and broken plaids; all colors. The same identical garments that other stores show in their windows marked \$15—here at the bargain store all day tomorrow, if they last that long. Pick out \$15 New Spring Suits, choice..... **\$7.49**

**Another Great Lot of Women's \$8 New Spring Skirts**  
The newest, latest models, plaited and fancy effects, made of Broadcloths, Chevilles, Panamas, Sicilianas, Serges, etc. All colors and black; also fancy shadow plaids, checks, stripes and mixtures. All the best and finest of Dress Skirts, well made, fashionably trimmed. All samples, and every one worth \$7.50 to \$9.00..... **\$3.98**

**Women's 50c Lawn Kimonos 25c**  
**All Children's Dresses HALF PRICE**  
**Women's \$2 Wrappers, now 79c**

**Here's Bargains That Will Sell Themselves—Read on.**

19c for 35c House Brooms	3c for 8c Toilet Soap	2 1/2c for 5c Hem-stitched Handk'fs	12 1/2c for 25c and 50c Fancy Collars	17c for 35c to 50c Windsor Ties	9c for Men's 15c Fancy Socks	17c for 39c Fancy Scarfs	24c for 39c Women's Vests
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Well made, four-sewed, good and full. Large, full size, cake, highly perfumed. Large, full size, pure white and sheer. For ladies, lace and embroidered, fancy styles. All pure silk, plain and fancy, all colors. Stripes, dots and figures, all colors. Shams and Stand Covers, all full sizes. Fine Jersey knit, long sleeves and sleeveless.

**Women's \$2.50 Neck Ruffs for 98c**  
Our entire stock goes, and every one at less than cost of making alone. All beauties, made of best maline and chiffon, large and full, ribbon-trimmed; colors black and white. One day only, buy these dainty \$2.50 Neck Ruffs at, each..... **98c**

**5,000 Yards 10c and 15c Fancy Ribbons**  
Also plains, up to 4 inches wide, finest of silk and satin, and 4-inch ribbons for 5c a yard is the biggest, kind **5c**

**25c Buster Brown Belts 19c**  
The most popular belt of the day, and scarce. We are one of the few lucky ones to have them. White, red and black, double buckle. Only 500 of them, and but one to a customer. While they last, buy 25c Buster Brown Belts at, each..... **19c**

# OUR CUT-PRICE GROCERY Saves You Money on Pure Foods

Here's prices that tell why this is the busiest grocery in the town. Why not save as thousands of others are doing?

23 lbs. best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00	Burbank Potatoes, the best and finest grown, 17 lbs. for \$1.00	15c Fancy Bleached Raisins, lb. .... \$0.09
A FLOUR CARGO OF FLOUR AT 25c PER DUZDOZEN	10-lb. sack Cornmeal, 23c	11 1/2c Loose Muscatels, lb. .... \$0.06
All the best and most famous makes, too, and at the largest kind of savings.	10-lb. sack Graham, 25c	12 1/2c Black Figs, lb. .... \$0.06
White Leaf Flour, sack, \$1.10	10-lb. sack Farina, 35c	12 1/2c White Flax, lb. .... \$0.06
White Satin Flour, sack, \$1.10	10 lbs. Cracked Wheat, 35c	Best Ginger Snaps, lb. .... \$0.10
Our own Special Brand Family Flour, nothing better, fine selected wheat, worth \$1.25, sack, \$1.00	Full Cream Cheese, 27c lb.	36c M. & J. Coffee, extra fancy, lb. .... \$0.25
	Home-made Jelly, reg. 70c glasses for \$1.40	50c TBA 50c.
	15c Country Brand Family Flour, nothing better, fine selected wheat, worth \$1.25, sack, \$1.00	500 lbs. extra choice fancy blend Tea, something very fine—10 chests of it, bought at just half, and that's the way you get it. All best 50c Tea, lb. 25c

**BASEMENT CROCKERY BARGAINS**

\$5.00 Full-Size Six-Piece Fancy Decorated Toilet Set..... \$2.95	15c Long-Handle Fire Shovel..... 8c
40c Large 12-Quart Galvanized Water Pail..... 28c	8c large roll Toilet Paper..... 3c
	5c Carpet Tacks, all sizes..... 1c

# AT THE THEATRES

**"The Country Girl"—"The Cingalese"**  
The Augustin Daily musical company from London and New York will present the famous musical comedy, "The Country Girl," at the Helix theatre next Monday and Tuesday nights, February 25 and 26. "The Cingalese" will be the bill Wednesday and Thursday nights. Seat sale opens next Friday.

**Last Time "Buster Brown" Tonight.**  
The last performance of the musical cartoon comedy, "Buster Brown," will be given at the Helix, Fourth and Washington streets, tonight at 8:15 o'clock. Pretty pictures, catchy music and fun are the predominate features. Seat sale at theatre box office.

**"The Empire" Next Thursday.**  
Beginning next Thursday night, February 21, and continuing Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights, with a matinee Saturday, the musical comedy success, "The Empire," will be the attraction at the Helix theatre, Fourth and Washington streets, tonight at 8:15 o'clock. Fred Mac, the clever comedian with "Piff! Paff! Poff!" at the Marquis last year, will be in the title role. Seats are now selling for the entire engagement.

**"The County Chairman" Tomorrow.**  
Tomorrow (Wednesday) night, February 20, George Ade's political comedy, "The County Chairman," will be the attraction at the Helix theatre, Fourth and Washington streets. Theodore Babcock will be seen in the title role. Seats are now selling.

**Baker's Assured Success.**  
"Brother Officers," that delightful story of army life with a regiment of British soldiers, tonight at 8:15 o'clock. Pretty pictures, catchy music and fun are the predominate features. Seat sale at theatre box office.

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**WISE BROS. OPTICISTS**

There's a laugh in every line of "My Wife's Family," which is the bill at the Helix theatre this week. It is certainly one of the funniest plays that has ever been presented in this city and is giving unbounded satisfaction. Big audiences have greeted it at every performance and there is every indication that the interest will continue.

**Miss Keene at Grand.**  
Miss Mattie Keene, the reputation actress, who for several years has been at the head of her own company, is presenting "The First Divorce Case" at the Grand this week. The play is from the pen of Miss Wheeler Wilcox and is the only comedy in the list which has captured the vaudeville. Miss Keene is entitled to three star ratings.

**Old Favorites at Helix.**  
The Helix theatre company has a new bill of old favorites at Helix. The bill is "The County Chairman," which is a comedy in two acts. It is a story of a man who has been a member of the House of Commons for many years and who has been a member of the House of Commons for many years. The play is from the pen of Miss Wheeler Wilcox and is the only comedy in the list which has captured the vaudeville. Miss Keene is entitled to three star ratings.