The Crucible Review

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*The following is the actual deposition from Mary Warren. Re-write a modern interpretation.*

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\*In Mary’s deposition, circle what would be evidence against John Proctor, in the margins write what is suspicious about this evidence.

“The Trial of Arthur Miller” Questions

Questions:

1. What is John Stienbeck’s purpose for writing this article?

List his support:



2. What was happening in Arthur Miller’s life that prompted him to write *The Crucible?*

3. Which character do you think he identified with the most? Explain.