Daisy Sylvan Reloaded

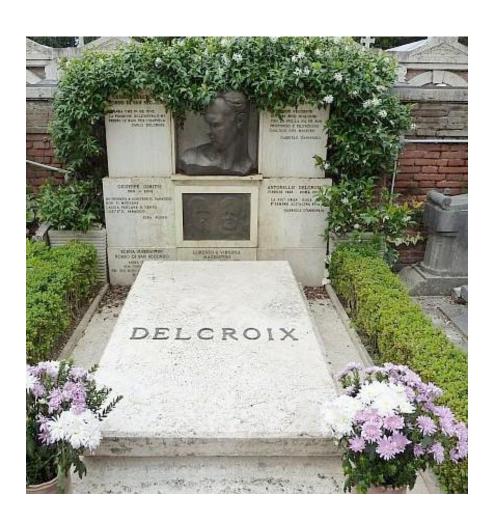
Elena Mazzantini (Daisy Sylvan) new discoveries

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Family meetings are often occasions for sharing memories. In October 2020, during the 90th birthday of an aunt, seven grandchildren, cousins to each other, evoked their ancestor, the great-grandmother Elena Mazzantini, also known as Daisy Sylvan. A quick look on the web brought them to the Women Film Pioneers Project site. Then they contacted me to share what they knew about their ancestor. So I discovered Elena's family grave (with her death's date) and some photos that had been preserved by the late Rita and Antonello Delcroix.

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Family Delcroix Grave. Verano Cemetery, Rome



Elena Mazzantini (detail of the family grave)



Another detail.
The old gravestone in the back side of the grave



New Photo Discoveries. Kept in a drawer all these years





New Photo Discoveries. Photo by Nunez Vais (Florence, Italy)



New Photo Discoveries. Photo by Pinto (Rome, Italy)



New Photo Discoveries. Two portraits of Daisy Sylvan as a young woman



