Gilbert B. Porter

### Criminal Court of Baltimore

Jany. Term, 1981

Prosecuting Witness No. 1240 Henry J. Hohman Charge, Palse Pretences etc, Commitment filed, 16 april Recognizance filed, 7. May - Presentement filed a.d. Lafrica is sound as to I illery B. Presentment filed-e.-d.-Capias issued-cepi, ou Bail 22 " Recognizance taken, ahaw Brown \$1000 -29 " 7 May Indictment filed, 14 May 1931 Hosse and fail Bill of Particulars - filed 29 May 1931 - States Bill of Particulars - filed. 10 June 1931 - Motion to Quash - Bill of Particulars Arraigned and pleads, Hat Suilty 23 Separ Submits under plea, Not Suilty and issue before thenan J. 20 Oct Verdict: Juilty 2-4-6-8-10-12-14-16 24 18 ... loto (Lauray) as to 1-3-5- 1-9-11-13-15 and 17 th lets - filed. 10 June 1931- Motion to 21 " Judgmont: Sentense suspended - Jo ending Motion 21 " Sustained alman I for New Trial 21 Oct Recognizand taken Karry Fried \$ 2000 New Trial 23 Oct - Motion for New I real - filed - Polition and Order of Court thereow extending time for filing and agreed Statement of Facts until Now 30 th 1931- Elman v. filed v - a greed Statement of Facts-filed

STATE OF MARYLAND,

Baltimore City, to wit:

I Hereby Certify that the aforegoing is a true Copy of the Docket entries in the aforesaid case, taken and copied from the record of proceedings of the Criminal Court of Baltimore.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of
the Criminal Court of Baltimore, this 27 and day of
Hovember A. D., 1931

day of

Clerk Criminal Court of Baltimore.

#### STATE OF MARYLAND

vs.

Tilbert B. Porter

# Long Copy of Docket Entries

# Itate of Maryland,

#### City of Baltimore, to wit:

	State of Maryland, for the body of the City of Baltimore, do on their oath
present that	GILBERT B. PORTER
	Iltimore aforesaid, on the fifth day of
	in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty,
	ore aforesaid, by a certain false pretense by him then and there  Henry <b>31sthower</b>
	tense was not then and there a mere promise for future payment, and was
	mere promise for future payment not intended to be performed) unlaw-
fully, knowingly and	designedly did obtain from Henry Slothover
	and fifty cents current money of the value of thirty-seven ars and fifty cents current money,
of the goods, chattels,	moneys and property of Henry Slothower
	with intent then and there to defraud,
	the said GILBERT B. PORTER
	knowing the said false pretense to be false then and there, contrary to the
form of the Act of A	ssembly in such case made and provided, and against the peace, govern-
ment and dignity of t	ne State.

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# Statexutx Haryland, SECOND COUNT.

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Thirty-seven dollars and	i fifty cents cur	rent money of the	value of thirty-seven
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## State-of-Maryland,

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	State of Maryland, for the		
present that	GILBERT B. PORT	PER /	
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	timore aforesaid, on the		
September	in the year of our Lord r	nineteen hundred and	thirty
at the City of Baltimor	re aforesaid, by a certain fa	alse pretense by him	then and there
made to	Luther B. Bent	on	
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(which said false prete	ense was not then and there	e a mere promise for futu	ure payment, and was
not then and there a r	nere promise for future p	ayment not intended to b	e performed) unlaw-
fully, knowingly and o	lesignedly did obtain from	Luther B. Benton	
	and fifty cents current		f ninety-four
doll	ars and fifty cents cur	rent money,	
of the goods, chattels, r	noneys and property of L	ther B. Benton	
		with intent then	and there to defraud,
he	the said	GILBERT B. PORTER	* 3
then and there well kr	nowing the said false prete	ense to be false then and	there, contrary to the
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#### Mitmate Bultiman Apprile FOURTH COUNT.

oath present that	GILBERT B. POR	rer	City of Baltimore do on their
			late of said City,
on the twenty-second	day of	Sept ember	in the year of our
Lord nineteen hundred an	d thirty		, at the City aforesaid
Ninety-four dollars and	fifty cents curren dollars and fifty	t money of the conts current mo	value of ninety-four
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of the goods and chattels,	moneys and propertie	S OI Manage	
	Assembly in such ca		take and carry away; contrary ovided, and against the peace,
	SECOND	COUNT.	
And the Jurors afor	esaid, on their oath	aforesaid, do	further present that the said
	on the	said day, in the	said year, at the city aforesaid
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# State of Maryland.

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The Jurors of the State of Maryland, for the body of the City of Baltimore, do on their oath present that GILBERT B. PORTER
late of the City of Baltimore aforesaid, on the twenty-second day of September in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty,
at the City of Baltimore aforesaid, by a certain false pretense byhimthen and there made to
(which said false pretense was not then and there a mere promise for future payment, and was not then and there a mere promise for future payment not intended to be performed) unlawfully, knowingly and designedly did obtain from Daniel Ruff
Nineteen dollars and eighty cents current money of the value of nineteen dollars and eighty cents current money,
of the goods, chattels, moneys and property of Daniel Ruff
he the said GILBERT B. PORTER
then and there well knowing the said false pretense to be false then and there, contrary to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, and against the peace, government and dignity of the State.
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# State-of-Maryland,

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	cents current money of the valuety cents current money,	ue of nineteen dollars
of the goods and chattels, money	ys and properties of Daniel Ruff	
government and dignity of the solution And the Jurors aforesaid,	SECOND COUNT.  on their oath aforesaid, do fu	rther present that the sai
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	on the said day, in the sa	
of the goods and chattels, money	on the said day, in the sa	
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late of the City of Bal	timore aforesaid, on the	twenty-second	day of
September	in the year of our Lord ni	ineteen hundred and thirty	<u>'</u>
at the City of Baltimor	e aforesaid, by a certain fal	se pretense by him	then and there
made to	Charles H. Muir,	the younger,	
		a mere promise for future p	
not then and there a n	nere promise for future pa	yment not intended to be per	rformed) unlaw-
fully, knowingly and o	lesignedly did obtain from?	Charles H. Muir, the young	er,
Two dollars and seven	nty cents current money o	of the value of two dollar	s and seventy
	s current money,		
of the goods, chattels, r	noneys and property of Cha	arles H. Muir, the younger	<b></b>
			there to defraud,
Re	the said GIL	BERT B. PORTER	
then and there well kn	lowing the said false preter	nse to be false then and there	e, contrary to the
form of the Act of Ass	embly in such case made a	nd provided, and against th	e peace, govern-
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## State-of-Alaryland,

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wo dollars and seventy cents curre	ent money of the value of	, at the City aforesai
		two dollars and
		two dollars and
seventy cents	turrent money,	
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f the goods and chattels, moneys and I	properties of Charles H.	Muir, the younger,
And the Jurors aforesaid, on th	eir oath aforesaid, do fur	ther present that the sa
	on the said day, in the sai	d year, at the city aforesai
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## State of Maryland,

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The Jurors of the State of Maryland, for the present that GILBERT B. PORTER		
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September in the year of our Lord n		
at the City of Baltimore aforesaid, by a certain fa	lse pretense by him	then and there
made to		
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(which said false pretense was not then and there	e a mere promise for future	payment, and was
not then and there a mere promise for future pa	ayment not intended to be j	performed) unlaw-
fully, knowingly and designedly did obtain from	May B. Muir	
Fourteen dollars and forty cents current me	oney of the value of four	rteen dollars
and forty cents current n	noney,	
of the goods, chattels, moneys and property of	May B. Muir	
	with intent then an	d there to defraud,
he the said	GILBERT B. PORTER	
then and there well knowing the said false prete	nse to be false then and the	ere, contrary to the
form of the Act of Assembly in such case made a	and provided, and against	the peace, govern-
ment and dignity of the State.		
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Lord nineteen hundred and	thirty	, at the City aforesaid
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and fo	orty cents current money,	
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then and there being found, die	d, then and there feloniously steembly in such case made and	eal, take and carry away; contrary provided, and against the peace
	SECOND COUNT.	
And the Jurors aforesaid	d, on their oath aforesaid, d	lo further present that the said
	on the said day, in t	the said year, at the city aforesaid
of the goods and chattels, mone	eys and properties of	

### State at Alanyland,

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		ne body of the City of Baltimore, do on their oath
present that	GILBERT B. PO	RTER
	more aforesaid, on the	twenty-sixth day of
September	in the year of our Lore	d nineteen hundred and thirty,
at the City of Baltimore	aforesaid, by a certain	false pretense by then and there
made to	Samuel P. Stewart	, the younger,
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(which said false preter	ise was not then and th	ere a mere promise for future payment, and was
not then and there a m	ere promise for future	payment not intended to be performed) unlaw-
fully, knowingly and d	esignedly did obtain fr	Samuel P. Stewart, the younger,
Forty dollars and fif	ty cents current mon	ey of the value of forty dollars and fifty
	cents current	money,
		Somuel B Stewart the vounces
		Samuel P. Stewart, the younger,
		with intent then and there to defraud,
he	the said	GILBERT B. PORTER
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		etense to be false then and there, contrary to the
		e and provided, and against the peace, govern-
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# State at Maryland,

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		late of said City
on the twenty-sixth	day of September	in the year of ou
Lord nineteen hundred and	day of September	at the City aforesaid
Forty dollars and fifty con	nts current money of the value	of forty dollars and
fif	ty cents current money,	
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f the goods and chattels, mon-	eys and properties of Samuel P. St	ewart, the younger,
And the Jurors aforesaid	SECOND COUNT.  d, on their oath aforesaid, do f	
	on the said day, in the s	said year, at the city aforesaid
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ave and receive, then and the rties to have been feloniously	stolen, taken and carried away, un ere well knowing the said goods an stolen, taken and carried away, con e and provided, and against the	nd chattels, moneys and prop ntrary to the form of the Ac
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present that GILBERT B. PORTER
late of the City of Baltimore aforesaid, on the twenty-seventh day o
September in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty
at the City of Baltimore aforesaid, by a certain false pretense by him then and ther
made to
(which said false pretense was not then and there a mere promise for future payment, and wa
not then and there a mere promise for future payment not intended to be performed) unlaw fully, knowingly and designedly did obtain from John Rice Miner
Fifteen dollars current money of the value of fifteen dollars current money,
of the goods, chattels, moneys and property of John Rice Miner
with intent then and there to defraud
he the said GILBERT B. PORTER
then and there well knowing the said false pretense to be false then and there, contrary to the
form of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, and against the peace, govern
ment and dignity of the State.

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### State of Maruland

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	thirty	
Fifteen dollars current	money of the value of fif	teen dollars curren
	money,	
of the goods and chattels, moneys	and properties of John Rice M	iner
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And the Jurors aforesaid,	SECOND COUNT. on their oath aforesaid, do fur	ther present that the sai
	on the said day, in the sai	d year, at the city aforesai
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	nd provided, and against the peace	

## State of Alaryland,

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	GILBERT B. PORTER	the body of the City of Balti	
late of the City of Baltin	more aforesaid, on the	twenty-ninth	day of
September	n the year of our Lor	d nineteen hundred and	thirty,
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	manay of the value	of thinty dollars sunne	at manay
Inirty dollars current	money of the value	of thirty dollars curren	nt money,
of the goods, chattels, me	oneys and property of	Jacob M. Glantz	
		with intent then	and there to defraud
he	the said	GILBERT B. PORTER	
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## State of Alaryland,

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And the Jurors aforesaid	, on their oath aforesaid, do fu	arther present that the said
	on the said day, in the sa	aid year, at the city aforesaid
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The Jurors of the State of Maryland, for the body of the City of Baltimore, do on their oath
present that GILBERT B. PORTER
late of the City of Baltimore aforesaid, on the twenty-ninth day of
September in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty,
at the City of Baltimore aforesaid, by a certain false pretense by
made to Henry J. Hohman
(which said false pretense was not then and there a mere promise for future payment, and was
not then and there a mere promise for future payment not intended to be performed) unlaw-
fully, knowingly and designedly did obtain from Henry J. Hohman
Forty-five dollars current money of the value of forty-five dollars
current money,
Henry J. Hohman
of the goods, chattels, moneys and property of Henry J. Hohman
with intent then and there to defraud,
he the said GILBERT B. PORTER
then and there well knowing the said false pretense to be false then and there, contrary to the
form of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, and against the peace, government and dignity of the State.
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### State of Manyland,

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The Jurors of the State of	Maryland, for the body of	the City of Baltimore do on their
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		, late of said City,
on the twenty-ninth	day of September	in the year of our
Lord nineteen hundred and	thirty	at the City aforesaid
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1000 10/21/1991 1240 The bleck will STATE OF MARYLAND Cast. Bail in the Som of 2000 Pening a ruster for GILBERT B. PORTER a her Trial Indictment approved TRUE BILL) Filed MA Det. Barranger Jacob M. Glantz Henry J. Hohman John Rice Mine - Rudolph Winterling Wm. Purnell Hall Henry Slothower Luther B. Benton Daniel Ruff Chas. H. Muir, Jr. May B. Muir Samuel P. Stewart, Jr. False pretense LARCENY, Sec. 318, Art. 27. KENEXXIVEXXIOLEN GOODS Sec. 170x Art. 27. Drawn by . O. K. O. K. ..

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER No. 1240 Docket 1931 IN THE

CRIMINAL COURT OF

BALTIMORE

#### BILL OF PARTICULARS

The State of Maryland by Herbert R. O'Conor, the State's Attorney for Baltimore City, in answer to the defendant's demand for a bill of particulars, in the First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth counts of the indictment in this case, sets out as follows:

That the said defendant on or about the first of September, 1930, conceived a scheme to defraud certain of the stockholders of the First National Company, a Delaware Corporation, by representing to them that he the said Gilbert B. Porter was in possession of facts and evidence that the directors of said corporation had mismanaged its affairs and that he was preparing to enter into litigation against said directors to recover damages in the names of the said stockholders. On the strength of the representations referred to above and in consideration of a contract which the defendant had the aforesaid stockholders sign, he the said Gilbert B. Porter induced the said stockholders to part with various sums of money.

The State will offer evidence to show that the said Gilbert B.

Porter had not prepared any suit or suits as he claimed, that instead of using the money as he stated, he the said Gilbert B. Porter, converted several hundred dollars of the stockholders money to his own use and that he confessed to the same and, further, that he has not instituted the litigation upon which he based part of his false and untrue statements.

The State further proposes to offer evidence that in connection with the above, the said Gilbert B. Porter on or about September 5, 1930 obtained from Henry Slothower, stockholder, the sum of \$37.50; from Luther B. Benton, stockholder, on or about September 22, 1930, the sum of \$94.50; from Daniel Ruff, stockholder, on or about September 22, 1930, the sum of \$19.80; from Charles H. Muir, Jr., stockholder, on or about September 22, 1930, the sum of \$2.70; from May B. Muir, stockholder, on or about September

22nd, 1930, the sum of \$14.40; from Samuel P. Stewart, Jr. stock-holder, on or about September 26, 1930, the sum of \$40.50; from John Rice Miner, stockholder, on or about September 27, 1930, the sum of \$15.00; from Jacob M. Glantz, stockholder, on or about September 29, 1930, the sum of \$30.00; from Henry J. Hohman, stock-holder, on or about September 29, 1930, the sum of \$45.00.

The witnesses proposed to be called by the State in the trial of this case are as follows:

Lyman B. Arnold -- Westminster, Md.

Amelia C. Aldridge -- New Windsor, Md.

Maggie L. Albert -- Westminster, Md.

David M. Anthony -- Hanover, Pa.

Catherine Baroner -- Hollidaysburg, Pa.

Edward J. Baroner -- Same

William A. Baroner -- Same

Elmer R. Beers -- Bloomsburg, Pa.

C. F. Bennett -- 523 Alleghaney Ave. Towson, Md.

Luther B. Benton -- 533 N. Howard St., Baltimore, Md.

Irving S. Biser -- Frederick, Md.

David S. Bleasing -- Box 1175, Harrisburg, Pa.

Hayden Ballinger -- R.F.D.5, Westminster, Md.

F. A. Bonsal, Jr. -- Glyndon, Md.

James E. Connell -- 14th & Capitol St., N. W., Washington

Joseph N. Cooper -- 1613 E. 29th st., Baltimore.

Edward F. Cramer -- New Windsor, Md.

Franklin E. Cresson -- 1714 Chestnut St., Philadelphia

L. Edward Elliott -- 1448 S. Charles st., Baltimore.

Horace G. Evans -- Frostburg, Md.

Walter S. Fishel -- Boonesboro, Md.

Guy W. Gaither -- Hawthorne Rd., Linthicum Heights, City

F. G. Gallagher -- Barton, Md.

Jacob M. Glantz -- 1741 E. Oliver st., Baltimore

Herbert S. Hohn -- 1188 Market st., Frederick, Md.

Margaret Harris		Sykesville, Md.
Louisa A. Hendrickson		42 N. Market St., Frederick, Mc.
R. Ames Hendrickson		same
J. Wm. Hirnbury		P. O. Frederick, Md.
Samuel W. Hoff		New Windsor, Md.
L. H. Hoffacker		Hanover, Pa.
Henry J. Hohman		2019 N. Wolfe st., Baltimore
Katherine E. M. John		New Windsor, Md.
John J. John		same
C. W. Jones		Ridgville, Md.
Wm. H. Keidel		Finksburg, Md.
J. J. Krist		7 E. Lexington st., Baltimore.
Edna V. Leister		Patapsco, Md.
Evelyn B. Leister		
George E. Leister		
Herbert Leister		
Sarah A. Leister		
Mildred I. Leister		
Frank S. Lynn		Medical Arts Bldg., Baltimore
Alex M. Meredith		227 N. Monroe st., Baltimore
A. W. Miller		29 N. Mechanic st., Cumberland, Md
John Rice Miner		4725 Keswick Rd. Baltimore
Chas. H. Muir, Jr.		302 Southway, Guilford, Baltimore
May B. Muir		same
Carl A. Muly		235 S. Collington ave. Baltimore
J. Ed. Murray		Westminster, Md.
John E. B. Nelson		same
John Ort	2"	Midland, Md.
William B. Phillips		n .
William H. Robertson		Cumberland, Md.
Ira Rosenbaum		
Irvine Rosenbaum		0

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Daniel Ruff

Emil G. Schmidt	 317 E. 31st St.
Andie J. Shipley	 Sykesville, Md.
Arthur B. Shipley	 u u
Emma L. Shipley	 u u
Ed. D. Shriner, Jr.	 Frederick, Md.
William A. Sites	 Martinsburg, W. Va.
Henry Slothower	 200 Stewart Bldg.,
Edith R. Snader	 Westminster, Md.
Edwin A. Snader	 и и
Mary E. Snader	 n n
H. N. Snader	 u u
Margaret A. Stem	 u 11
Frank S. Stevenson	 в п
Helen E. Stevenson	 n 11
Ruth L. Stevenson	 и и
J. Thomas Stevenson	 n H
Doretha Stevenson	 u ii
John E. Stevenson	 n u
Etta G. Stevenson	 n n
S. P. Stewart, Jr.	 Pier 3 Light St.
D. Ross Stickell	 Hagerstown, Md.
Spencer C. Stull	 Frederick, Md.
E. P. Thomas	 #
Amelia E. Wagner	 Westminster, Md.
George A. Weber	 H - H
Alice Weber	 u u
Det. Charles Barringer	 Detective Headquarters
William Purnell Hall	 55 Knickerbocker Building
Rudolph Winterling	 2 East Lexington St.

Herbert R. O'Conor
STATE'S ATTORNEY
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#### IN THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

Indictment #1240-Docket 1931

BILL OF PARTICULARS

Mr. Clerk:

Please file.

Herbert R. O'Borror
STATE'S ATTORNEY FOR BALTIMORE
CITY Per JAS.

FILED May 29/1931

BY THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CARROLL COUNTY.

TO THE SHERIPF OF BALTIMORE CITY.

No. 70 Criminals, February Term, 1932.

You are hereby commanded to summon Edward Gross Clerk, Circuit

Court Baltimore City, Court House, Baltimore, Maryland:

To bring with him the following exhibits filed in the case of State of Maryland vs. Gilbert B. Porter, No. 1240/1931 in the Criminal Court of Baltimore City, namely, defendant's Exhibit No. "1", being a mimeographed letter from William Purnell Hall addressed "Dear Sir or Madam, dated October 28th, 1930" - defendant's Exhibit No. "2" photostat copy of an agreement - defendant's Exhibit No. "3", receipt of N. E. Mohleder to Gilbert B. Forter for \$949.89 for balance in full for services in connection with First National Company - defendant's exhibit No. "4" letter to Wil iam Purnell Hall from Irving Rosenbaum, dated September 22nd, 1930 and letter from William Purnell Hall to Irving Rosenbaum, dated September 23rd, 1930 - defendant's exhibit No. 25" adding machine tabulation.

To Testify for

Gilbert B. Forter

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State of Maryland.

Returnable Wednesday, March 9, 1932 at 9.30 o'clock, A.M.

Issued March 7, 1932.

By Order

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### In the Criminal Court of Baltimore

	JANUARY TERM, 19.31
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Daniel Ruff, Chas. H. Muir, Jr. May	B. Muir, John Rice Minor,
Sam.P. Stewart, Jr. and Jacob M. Glantz, by	means of false pretense
with intent to defraud,	
in said C	city of Baltimore, and State of Maryland,
	September , 19 30
WITNESSES:	Foreman.
Henry Slothower 3307 Walbrook ave.	
Luther B. Benton, 533 N. Howard st.	
Daniel Ruff, 1454 Henry st.	
Chas. H. Muir, Jr. 302 Southway	
May B. Muir same	
Samuel P. Stewart, Jr. Pier 3 Light st.	
Jacob M. Glantz, 1741 E. Oliver st.	
John Rice Minor, 4723 Keswick Road	

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STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

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#### STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

CHARLES H. PASCOE, Clerk—1845 W. Mulberry St.

JOHN H. PFISTER, Meter Mechanic—2852 Kentucky Ave.

ROLAND H. OMAN, Retail Merchant, Confectioner—2101 Penrose Ave.

GEORGE N. RAY, Traveling Salesman—6007 Pinehurst Rd.

GEORGE H. LITZ, JR., Manager—1903 Rosedale St.

MATTHEW A. MAGUIRE, Salesman—602 Lyndhurst St.

HARRY E. HEDEMAN, Clerk—2905 Halcyon Ave.

ISAAC SOLOMON, Clothing Merchant—2408 Brookfield Ave. ROBERT N. HOLMES,

Silversmith—3201 Avon Ave.

CHARLES H. EDELMANN, Contractor—3511 Coolidge Ave., Violetville.

WALTER GUY DULANY, Insurance—625 Deepdene Rd.

FRANK H. BARNITZ, Shoe Salesman—837 Belgian Ave. JOHN A. UTTENREUTHER,

Shoemaker, Retired—820 N. Luzerne Ave.

AUGUST L. KRUEGER, Clerk—2040 Cliftwood Ave.

RAYMOND P. CASSIDY, Bookbinder—425 E. Lanvale St.

FRANK HEIL, Clerk—1736 Eastern Ave. CLARENCE T. GROVER,

Electrician—3237 Elmley Ave.

CHARLES W. CHITTENDEN, Investigator—720 McCabe Ave.

IRVING GORDON, Vice-President—2022 Brookfield Ave.

MORRIS D. BINKLEY, Salesman—2620 Guilford Ave.

EDWARD E. SAUTTER,
Cloak Cutter—2791 Alameda Boulevard.

STANLEY D. ADAMS, Clerk—2810 Guilford Ave.

MAYNARD F. LAUTERBACH, District Manager—2830 Harlem Ave.

HARVEY E. REINICKER, Coal Dealer—3403 University Place.

CECIL H. MULLIKIN, Insurance Agent—4111 Ridgewood Ave. 6/10/1991 Sustains 1. 3.5.7.9. 11. 13 15-17 lets 6/10/1991 "Sustains Delman Jular

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### STATE OF MARYLAI

VS.

GEORGE H. MUHLY. Member of Firm— -4311 Maine Ave.

IRVIN BAER,

Merchant -2111 Park Ave.

F. OSBORNE WILHELM, 3504 Powhatan Ave Investment Banking-

HARRY S. LEGUM, Vice-Pres.—3100 Hilton St.

HARRY W. MURPHY, Asst. Operator—3412 Elmley Ave.

HENRY A. C. FRETER Salesman—2903 Ch

-2903 Chesley Ave.

MARTIN A. FERRIS, JR. -2615 E. Biddle St. Assistant Secretary-

THOMAS P. CLARK,

Investigator-1321 W. 42nd St.

OTTO G. JAHN, Pipe Fitter—2035 Sinclair Lane.

J. LEO PRELLER,

Greenmount Ave.

JOHN ADAM HENTZ, Retired Clothing Cutter—1517 N. Colling

JOHN C. KNIPP, Furniture Mfr.--2707 Allendale Rd.

GEORGE L. CHENOWETH, Service Man—5401 Catalpha Rd.

EDWARD W. MAGRUDER

Draftsman--3212 Montebello Terrace.

JOHN WM. HAYS, Confectionery Jobber—6213 Eunice Ave.

JOHN M. COLLEY, Carpenter—2220 E. North Ave.

PRANK J. BOHLI, Clerk—1620 E. Lanvale St. HENRY A. DIEHL, Clothing Cutter—1435 Hand

-1435 Hanover St.

JOHN G. WOELFEL, Merchant—2205 Mayfield Ave.

PRED. C. BARKER.

Gravure Photographer-3011 Oak Hill Av

JOSEPH C. KROEGER, Cigar Mfr.—3500 W. Belvedere Ave.

WILLIAM S. ALTSCHULL Dept. Manager—3913

3913 Belle Ave.

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HANNIBAL, ting—2018 Walbrook Ave. Heating-

ALBERT H. HUSSMAN, Paperhanger—3303 Elmora Ave. Paperhanger—

JOHN B. TORSCH, Canner—3310 Windsor Ave.

You are hereby summoned to attend this Court, at...... By order of the Court, DEEGAN JOHN E. POTEE, Sheriff of Baltimore City Be punctual in attendance or you will be attached.

FORM 407-10 Criminal Court of Baltimore 1240 Bail 18 abraham Brown 3816 norfolk ave. X Gilbert B. Porter Cambridge, Ind. 3 West. Charles Barranger Nect. Hdg 23 Henry J. Hohman 2019 n. Wolfe St. Rudolph Winterling 2 E. Lexington St. I War. Purnell Hall Knickerbocker Bldg. 8 Henry Slothower 3307 Walbrook are. Returnable ON Selst to testify for State Vs. Gilbert B. Porter TO THE SHERIFF OF BALTIMORE CITY. EDWARD GROSS, Clerk

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JANUARY TERM, 1931.

THE STATE OF MARYLAND

WITNESS the Hon. Samuel I

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EDWARD GROSS,

Clerk Criminal Court of Baltimore.

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#### STATE OF MARYLAND.

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Capias.

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O'L. JUDGE.

Bail having already been pledged on another capias in this case, I recommend that no bail be required on this capias, it heing understood that the previous hail stands as against the other capias referred to which bears the same number.

5/13/30 John a Sherman app John assx. States atty.

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### CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE

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WITNESS the Hon. Samuel K. Dennis, Chief Judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, the 12th day of Jan., 1931.

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22<sup>nd</sup> day of April EDWARD GROSS,

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IN THE

VS.

: CRIMINAL COURT OF

GILBERT B. PORTER

BALTIMORE CITY

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Gilbert B. Porter, Defendant, by Ellis Levin, his Attorney, under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 555, Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, demands a statement of the false pretenses intended to be given in evidence under the First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth counts of the indictment in this case as well as the names of the witnesses to be called by the State as to each of said counts of the said indictment.

Attorney for Defendant

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## IN THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

DEMAND FOR BILL OF PARTICULARS

Mr. Clerk:-

Please file

Attorney for Defendant

Service of copy admitted this

14th day of May, 1931.

ohn a Sherman State's Attorney For Baltimore City.

LAW OFFICES

ELLIS LEVIN MEYER REAMER

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GILBERT B. PORTER

BALTIMORE CITY

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Gilbert B. Porter, Defendant, by Ellis Levin, his Attorney, excepts to the Bill of Particulars furnished by the State of Maryland as to the First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth counts of the indictment in this case, and says that the same is insufficient in law.

Ellis Revin

Attorney for Defendant

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### IN THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

EXCEPTIONS TO BILL OF
PARTICULARS

Mr. Clerk:-

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Attorney for Defendant

Service of copy admitted this / D day of June, 1931.

State's Attorney for Baltimore City Puff

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IN THE

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CRIMINAL COURT OF

GILBERT B. PORTER

BALTIMORE CITY

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Gilbert B. Porter, defendant, by Ellis Levin, his Attorney, for a First plea to the Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth, and Eighteenth counts of the indictment says that he is not guilty of the matters therein alleged.

And for a Second plea to the said Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth counts of the indictment, the said defendant says that he received the sums of money mentioned in the said counts from the persons therein named under the terms of a written agreement whereby it was understood and agreed that the said sums of money were to be retained by the defendant for the purpose of conducting any investigation or litigation which might be advisable in the judgment of the defendant, any expenses incurred in this connection to be paid out of the said sums of money, and the balance to be retained by the defendant as attorney's fees, all of which was done in accordance with the agreement hereinbefore referred to.

Attorney for defendant

Ellis Levin.

# BALTIMORE CITY /240

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

#### PLEAS

Mr. Clerk :-

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Attorney for defendant

Service of copy admitted this 23 day of September, 1931.

John M. Sherman M. State's Attorney for Baltimore City.

LAW OFFICES

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VS.

: CRIMINAL COURT OF

GILBERT B. PORTER

BALTIMORE CITY

IN THE

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Gilbert B. Porter, defendant, by Ellis Levin, his attormey, moves for a new trial in the above entitled case.

FIRST: Because the verdict is against the evidence.

SECOND: Because the verdict is against the weight of the evidence.

THIRD: Because the verdict is contrary to law.

FOURTH: Because of errors in the rulings and instructions of the Court.

FIFTH: And because of other reasons to be assigned at the hearing of this motion.

Attorney for Defendant

## 1240/1931

IN THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL

Please file.

Attorney for Defendant

Attorney for Defendant

Service of copy admitted this 23 day of October,

John U. Sheman Jasot. State's Attorney for Baltimore City.

LAW OFFICES

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GILBERT B. PORTER

BALTIMORE CITY

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

The Petition of Gilbert B. Porter, defendant in the above entitled case, respectfully shows unto Your Honor:

FIRST: That your Petitioner has filed a Motion for a new trial in this cause.

SECOND: That it is now necessary to file an agreed state ment of facts for which purpose it will be necessary to have the
stenographer transcribe the testimony taken in this case.

THIRD: That the time of five days allowed by the law for the purpose of filing an agreed statement of facts is an insufficient time within which to have the testimony transcribed.

WHEREFORE, Your Petitioner prays this Honorable Court to pass an Order extending the time for the filing of an agreed statement of facts in this case.

AND as in duty bound, etc.

Attorney for Petitioner

I HEREBY assent to the passage of an Order as prayed in the aforegoing Petition extending the time for the filing of an agreed statement of facts in this cause for a period of thirty days.

Assistant State's Attorney for Baltimore City upon the aforegoing petition and assent, it is this 24th day of October, 1931, ordered by the Criminal Court of Baltimore City, that the time for filing an agreed statement of facts in the above entitled case be, and the same is hereby extended until the 30th day of November, 1931.

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IN THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY

STATE OF MARYLAND

VS.

GILBERT B. PORTER

PETITION and ORDER

Mr. Clerk:-

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Attorney for Petitioner

Service of copy admitted this
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Asst. State's Attorney for Baltimore City

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## IN THE SUPREME BENCH OF BALTIMORE CITY

No. 1240

FROM THE

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OF BALTIMORE

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vs.

Gilbert B. Porter

	Motion for a New Trial.	
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FOR False Pretenses, etc.		
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on this twenty-first day of	December A. D. 1931,	adjudged
and ordered that the MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL	OTION IN ARREST OF JEDGMENT be	and the
same is hereby GRANTED	and that	the case
be remanded for further proceedings.		
		Judge.
	Walter I. Dawkins Asso.	"
	Robert F. Stanton Asso.	
	Charles F. Stein Asso.	"
	Eli Frank Asso.	"
	George A. Solter Asso.	"
	Eugene O'Dunne Asso.	"
True copy,	Albert S. J. Owens Asso.	,"
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#### STATE OF MARYLAND

vs.

Gilbert B. Porter

## Order of Court.

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IN THE

VS.

CRIMINAL COURT OF

GILBERT B. PORTER

BALTIMORE

To the Honorable, the Judge of said Court:

The State will no further prosecute this case for the following reason:

Upon the trial of said case, a verdict of guilty of larceny was returned by the Court. On motion of the defendant, after full argument before the Supreme Bench, a new trial was granted. Both Judges presiding in the Criminal Court have been consulted, and it is deemed inadvisable to again try the case.

Assistant State's Attorney

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