m9 202 528 ---- 3/32/ IN THE BALTIMORE CITYS COURT. BOX1317 Du ALICE PARKER VACE VS. FRANK COHEN and 9000 DAVID MILLER. DECLARATION. Mr.Clerk:-Please file. Tavis Vovans ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF. DAVIS & EVANS, and the state ATTORNEY AT LAW 215 SAINT PAUL PLACE BALTIMORE, MD. FILED APR 1 5 1926 BAUMGARTEN & CO., INC.

IN THE

BALTIMORE CITY COURT.

VS.

FRANK COHEN and DAVID MILLER

Alice Parker, plaintiff, by her attorneys, Davis and Evans, sues Frank Cohen and David Miller, defendants.

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I. For that on or about the 2nd day of January, 1926, the defendants were the owners of premises known as 1526 E.Fairmount Avenue.

That the plainfiff was, at the time of the accident 2. hereinafter complained of, an occupant or tenant in one of the flats or epartments on the above mentioned property or premises. That on or about the 2nd day of January, 1926, while the plaintiff with due care for her own safety, was descending the stairs, one of the means of ingress and egress to the above mentioned flat or apartment, she was thrown from the steps to the bottom 1 anding as a result of a defective condition of a step or one or more of the steps used as aforesaid, and as a result thereof she was seriously and permanently injured about the head, limbs and body and she became and was sick, sore lame and disordered and so remained for a long time, to wit: from thence hitherto, during all of which time she was forced to and did spend large sums of money in attempting to oure herself of her hurts and wounds occassioned as aforesaid , and was prevented from performing her usual occupation.

AND the plaintiff says that all of her afore said injuries and damages were caused by the carelessness and want of due care on the part of the defendants or either of them and that she in no wise contributed thereto.

WHEREFORE suit is brought and the plaintiff claims \$10,000 damages.

Davis TEvans ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF

The plaintiff elects to have this case tried before a Jury and prays leave of Court to do so.

ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF.

TO THE DEFENDANTS;

TAKE NOTICE: That on the day of your appearance to this action in The Baltimore City Court, a rule will be entered requiring you to plead to the above declaration within thirty days.

Davis TEvans ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF.

WRIT OF SUMMONS

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#### BALTIMORE CITY, to wit.

To the Sheriff of Baltimore City, Greeting:

You are commanded to summon ank Coken of Baltimore City, to appear before the Baltimore City Court, to be held at the Court House in the same city, on the second Monday of .....next, to answer an action at the suit of and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honorable JAMES P. GORTER, Chief Judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore day of City, the .....day of in the year 192 Issued the Clerk.

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FRANK COHEN and DAVID MILLER, Defendants, by SINON SILVEBBERG, their Attorney, for a Plea to the Declaration filed in the above entitled cause say:

That they did not commit the wrongs alleged.

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W. BOSWELL JONES, V. Pres., Pacy Candy Co., Inc., Jones' Sta., Park Heights Ave.

JOHN McFARLAND WENTZ, Bookkeeper, Egerton-Bros.,--1812 W. Baltimore St.

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J. WALTER GRESSETT, Commission Merchant, 5107 Whiteford Ave.

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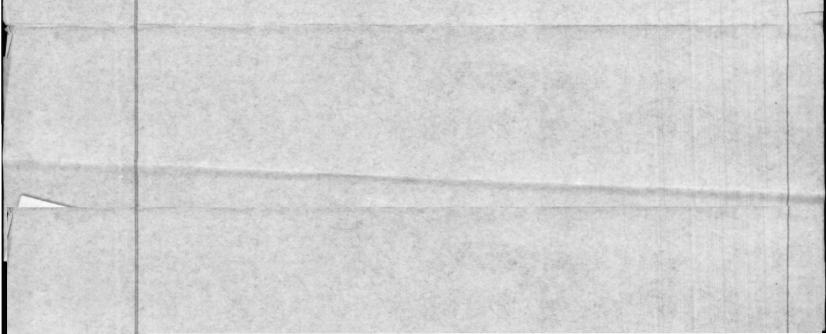
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SUMMONS FOR WITNESS No. In Baltimore City Court. **ROOM 1/34** \_Jerm, 192] The Sheriff will please summon the following witnesses : day of fam. 26" Returnable on Wedne Al the/ 192 , at 10 o'clock A. M. ALICE PARKER IN THE BALTIMORE CITY : VS. FRANK COHEN and DAVID MILLER COURT : Mr.Clerk:-Please issue summons for the following and make same returnable January 26, 1927 at IO A.M. before Judge Owens. 3 Alice Parker 1526 E.Fairmount Ave., 3 Orange Parker 1526 E.Fairmount Ave., V Dr. Bernard Harris 38 S.Caroline St.



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The Defendants pray the Court to instruct the Jury that if they shall find from the evidence that the Defendants knew or by the exercise of ordinary diligence could have known of the alleged defective condition of the steps referred to in the evidence, but nevertheless persisted in using the same, then the verdict must be for the Defendants.

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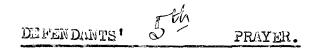
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The Defendants pray the Court to instruct the Jury that if they shall find from the evidence that the accident complained of was in any degree owing to a want of due care and caution at the time of the accident on the part of the Plaintiff directly thereunto contributing, then the verdict must be for the Defendants.

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## PLAINTIFF'S / PRAYER

The plaintiff prays the Court to instruct the jury that if they find a verdict for the plaintiff, then in estimating the damages they are to consider her health and condition before the injuries complained of as compared with her present condition in consequence of said injuries and whether they are in their mature permanent and also the physical and mental suffering too which she has been subject f by reason of said injuries and allow the plaintiff such damages as in the opinion of the jury will be a fair and just compensation for the injuries which she has sustained.



The Defendants pray the Court to instruct the Jury that unless they shall believe from the evidence that the PlaintLAR had no knowledge of the alleged defective condition of the step or steps mentioned in the evidence and further that the Defendants did have such knowledge at the time of the original letting, but willfully and deliberately did misrepresent to the Plaintiff and concoul from her the said alleged defective condition of the aforesaid step or steps, then their verdict must be for the Defendants.

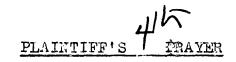
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The plaintiff prays the Court to instruct the jury that if they find from the evidence that the defendants were owners of property 152.6 E.Fairmount Avenue on the 2 day of 1926 as testified to by witnesses and if they further find that the defendant, Cohen made certain repairs to the steps and told the plaintiff that they were in good repair as testified to by the witnesses and that the plaintiff believed the steps to be safe, then their verdict must be for the plaintiff.

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#### MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL

The Defendant in the above entitled cause by Simon Silverberg, their Attorney, move the Court to grant them a new trial upon the issues joined in said cause, for the following reasons;

1. Because the verdict rendered by the Jury which was impanelled to try said case on the 26th day of January 1927, was against the instructions of the Court.

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

evidence.

4. Because the damages awarded are excessive.

5. And for other reasons to be shown at the hearing hereof.

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