

GRAND JURY CASE.

Docket No. 5545
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Indictment returned Sept. 11, 1920

Attorneys for defendants
Fred H. Moore
Wm. J. Callahan
J. J. & T. F. McAnarney
Wm. G. Thompson
Arthur D. Hill

COMMONWEALTH

vs.

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Vanzetti to and including Feb. 25,1922.

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56 " May 4 Second supplementary motion for new trial of Nicola Sacco.
57 " " " *Transcript of Testimony of Louis Pelser*

58 " July 22 Third supplementary motion for new trial of Nicola Sacco.

59 " Sep. 11 Fourth supplementary motion for new trial.

60 1923 Mar. 7 Affidavit of Lewis McHardy and 10 others.

61 " " " " " Louis Pelser.

62 " " " " " Jeremiah F.Gallivan.

63 " " " " " Erastus C.Whitney.

64 " " " " " Charles W.Knappenberg.

65 " " " " " J.Hunter Black.

66 " " " " " Ethel W.Lee.

67 " " " " " William R.Corbett.

68 " " " " " William Mann.

69 " " " " " Robert A.Cony.

70 " " " " " Lola R.Andrews.

71	1923	Mar.	8	Affidavit of Frederick G.Katzmann.
72	"	"	"	" Harold P.Williams.
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75	"	"	"	" Michael E.Stewart.
76	"	"	"	" Martin J.Barrett.
77	"	"	"	" Wm.E.Gray.
78	"	"	"	" Albert L.Brouillard.
79	"	"	"	Habeas corpus to State Prison for Vanzetti.
80	"	"	9	Motion of Dist.Atty. for appointment of Assistant.
80	"	"	"	Frederick G.Katzmann, appointed, oath taken and subscribed. (Deft.'s exceptions saved)
	"	"	"	Defts.' exceptions to refusal of court to rule on admission of certain statements in affidavit of J.J.McAnarney.
	"	"	"	Adjournment to March 16.
81	"	"	14	Habeas corpus to State Prison for Vanzetti.
82	"	"	16	Bill of exceptions of deft. Sacco on 1st Supplementary Mo. for new trial.
83	"	"	"	" " " " " Vanzetti " " " " " " " "
84 } 85 }	"	"	"	Appearance of Wm.G.Thompson and Arthur D.Hill, specially for the purpose of arguing mo. for new trial based on alleged misconduct of juror Ripley and others.

1923 Mar. 16 Dr. Cahoon of Medfield State Hospital and Dr. Thompson^M of Foxboro State Hospital appointed by court to examine deft. Sacco as to his mental condition and to report to the Court on Sat. A.M.

" " 17 Deft. Sacco ordered committed to Boston Psychopathic Hospital for care and observation pending determination of his insanity till and including March 31st, the Director of said Hospital to make written report of condition of said Sacco on Tuesday March 27, 1923, to presiding Justice, to the Dist. Atty. and to counsel for said Sacco.

" " " On mo. of counsel, A.D.Hill, Esq., supplementary mo. for new trial based on conduct of jurors continued.

86 " Apr. 16 Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton filed.

" " 18 Order as to photographing exhibits.

" " 20 Order for commitment of deft. Sacco to Bridgewater State Hospital.

" " 23 Warrant for commitment to Bridgewater State Hospital.

89 " " 30 Fifth supplementary motion for new trial of Bartolomeo Vanzetti.

87 " " " Motion of Bartolomeo Vanzetti for leave to photograph exhibits in support of his fifth supplementary motion.

" " " On motion of Ass't Dist. Atty. (Mr. Keith) seconded by counsel for defence all pending motions ordered continued generally because of illness of Mr. Williams, Dist. Atty.

90	1923	Sept.	26	Affidavit of Gwendolyn S. Beamish in support of 2nd Supp. Mo. for new trial.
91	"	"	"	" Frank J. Burke.
92	"	"	"	" Edward P. Burke " " " " " " " " "
93	"	"	"	" John J. Heaney.
94	"	"	"	" Roy E. Gould.
95	"	"	"	" Thomas Doyle.
96	"	"	"	" Thomas Doyle.
97	"	"	"	" Wilbur F. Turner in support of 1st Supp. Mo. for new trial.
98	"	"	"	" Wilbur F. Turner " " " 5th " " " " "
99	"	"	"	" Wilbur F. Turner " " " " " (Book)
100	"	"	"	" Albert H. Hamilton " " " 1st " " for new trial.
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101	"	Oct.	1	Affidavit of Charles Van Amburgh.
102	"	"	"	" Wm. E. Hingston.
103	"	"	"	" Jos. W. Keith.
104	"	"	"	Supplement to First Supp. Mo. for new trial.
105	"	"	3	Second Supp. Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton in support of 1st Supp. Mo.
106	"	"	16	Affidavit of Augustus H. Gill in support of 5th supp. mo. for new trial.
107	"	"	"	" Albert H. Hamilton.
	"	"	20	Habeas for Deft. Vanzetti.
108	"	"	22	Affidavit of William H. Proctor.
71a	"	"	22	Original letter filed and made part of affidavit of F. G. Katzmann filed March 8, 1923

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109 1923 Oct. 23 Supp. affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton & Supp. Album of Photographs to Suppl. Affidavit.

- 111 " " " Affidavit of Marjory L. & Ethel W. Lee.
- 112 " " " " " Robt. Reed in support of 4th Supp. Motion.
- 113 " " " " " Fred H. Moore " " " " " "
- 114 " " " 19 Affidavits, reports of interviews etc. put in by defence & ord. impounded.
- 115 " " 24 Supplementary affidavit of Augustus H. Gill.
- 116 " " " 2nd " " " Albert H. Hamilton.
- 117 " " 25 Affidavit of Charles J. Van Amburgh.
- 118 " " " Photographic exhibits.
- 119 " " 26 Album (with 2nd Supp. Affidavit of A.H. Hamilton) (5th supp motion)
- 120 " " 29 Supp. Affidavit of Charles J. Van Amburgh. (5th " ")
- 121 " " " Affidavit of Merton A. Robinson. (5th " ")
- 122 " " " Supp. " " " " " (5th " ")
- 123 " " " Affidavit of Nils Ekman (with 24 photos 1-12 A-L) (5th " ")
- 124 " " 31 " " F.G. Katzmann (5th Supp. Mo.)
- 125 " " " " " H.P. Williams " " "
- 126 " Nov. 5 Deft.'s Supp. Motion for new trial.
- 127 " " 12 2nd Supp. Affidavit of C.J. Van Amburgh to 5th Supp. Mo. for new trial.
- 128 " Dec. 7 Supp. Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton.

129 1924 Mar. 25 Decision - In re: substitution of gun barrels.
 130 " " 27 Defts.' appeal to S.J.C. from decision of date Mar.25,1924.
 131 " " " Defts.' notice to Dist. Atty. of appeal from decision.
 132 " " " Mo. of deft. Sacco for ext. of time for filing exceptions in connection with
 Court's decision: Dist. Atty.'s assent - time ext. to April 12,1924.
 133 " " " Mo. of deft. Vanzetti for ext. of time for filing excep. in connection with
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 " Apr. 5 Defts.' claim of exceptions.
 135 " Oct. 1 Decision on deft.'s requests for rulings on 1st Supp. mo. for new trial.
 136 " " " " " " " " " " " 5th " " " " "
 137 " " " Memo. & decision denying 1st Supp.(Ripley) mo. for new trial.
 138 " " " " " " " 2nd " Mo. for new trial (Gould Affidavit)
 139 " " " " " " " " " " " (Pelser ")
 140 " " " " " " " 3rd " (Goodridge) mo. for new trial.
 141 " " " " " " " 4th " (Andrews) " " " "
 142 " " " " " " " 5th " Mo. for new trial(Hamilton Affidavit)
 143 " " " " " " " 5th " " " " " (Proctor ")
 " " " Order ext. time for claiming, saving or filing except. on mo. for new trial
 until Oct. 8, 1924.
 " " 2 Deft.'s exceptions allowed.

- 144 1924 Oct. 4 Deft's. appeal.
- 145 " " 7 Order ext. time for claiming, saving or filing except. to & including Oct. 15, 1924.
- 146 " " 11 Ord. ext. time for filing claim of except. & bill of excep. to & including Nov. 7, 1924.
- 147 " " 21 Defts.' claim of exceptions.
- 148 " " " Supplementary appeal.
- 149 " " " Ord. ext. time for filing claim of exceptions & bill of excep. to and including Oct. 23, 1924.
- 150 " " 23 Withdrawal of appearance of Arthur D. Hill.
- 151 " " " Ord. ext. time for filing claim of excep. & bill of excep. to Nov. 7, 1924.
- 152 " " 28 Appearance of Richard H. Wiswall for defts.
- 153 " " 29 Defts.' substituted claim of exceptions.
- 154 " Nov. 3 Defts.' further claim of exceptions.
- 155 " " 7 Ord. ext. time for filing claim of exceptions and bill of exceptions to and including Nov. 21, 1924.
- 156 " " 8 Withdrawal of appearance of Fred H. Moore.
- 157 " " 19 Defendants' supplementary bill of exceptions.
- 158 " " 21 Motion of defendants to extend time for filing claim and bill of exceptions to memo. and decisions denying 2nd, 3rd and 4th supp. mo. for new trial.
- 159 " " " Order ext. time for filing claim and bill of exceptions on 2nd, 3rd and 4th supp. mo. for new trial to and including Dec. 1, 1924.

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163 " Dec. 1 Defendants' bill of exceptions to decision on 2nd supplementary motion
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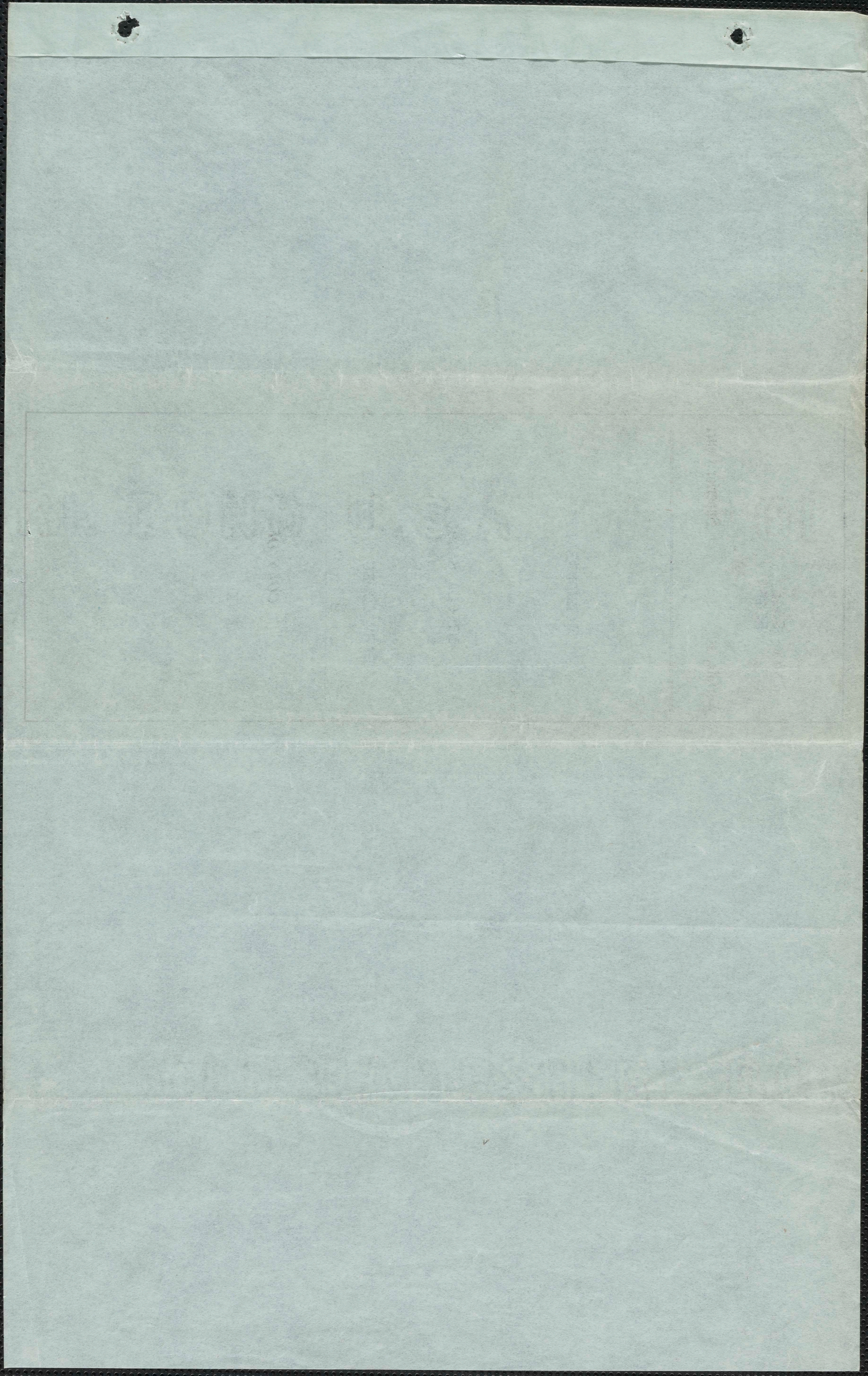
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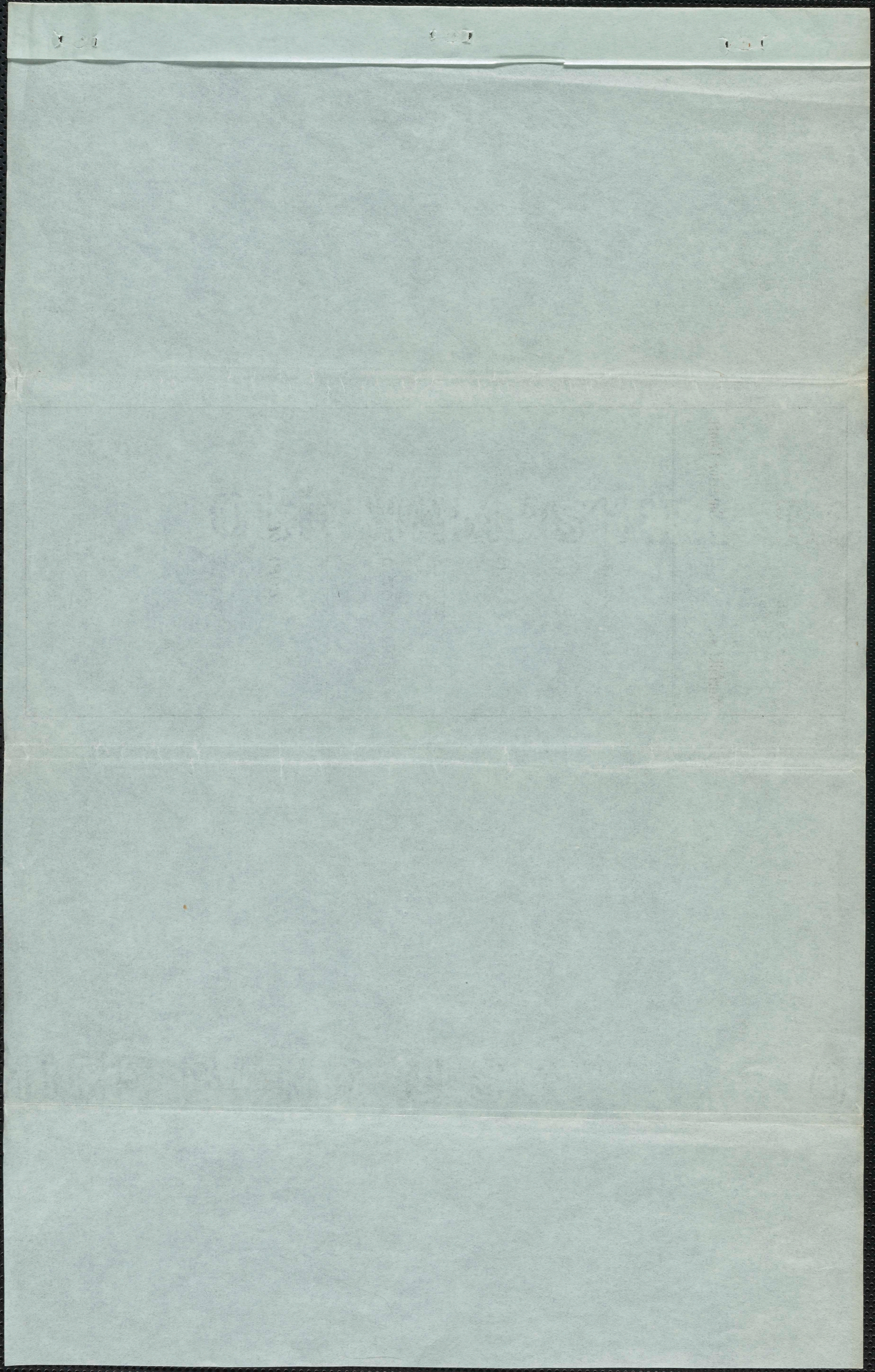
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BARTOLOMEO VANZETTI

COPY OF

DOCKET ENTRIES

1926

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 " " " Daniel E. Geary
 " " " John Ruzzamenti
 " " " Fred J. Weyand
 " 7 " " Edward J. Noons
 " 8 " " Mary Splaine Williams
 " " Defts. mo. to further ext. t me for filing affidavits from July 8, to
 July 16, filed and allowed with consent of Dist. Atty.
 " " Deposition of Celestino Madeiros
 " 9 Affidavit of Pauline Gray
 " " " Pasquale Morelli
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DOCKET ENTRIES - continued.

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"	"	" N.O.Simard " " "
"	"	" Donato Dibona " " "
"	"	" Thomas Theodore Driver filed by consent
"	"	Supp. " Thomas Theodore Driver " " "
"	24	" Robert C.Karnes " " Commlth.
"	27	" Chas.J.Van Amburgh " " "
"	"	" Dudley P.Ranney " " "
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"	"	" George Hatton
"	"	Statement of June 10, 1926 by Dudley P.Ranney to Wm.G.Thompson.
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"	23	Decision denying motion for new trial.
"	"	Rulings on defendants requests.
"	25	Defts.claim of exceptions.
"	"	Defts.mo.for ext.of time for filing bill of exceptions until noon of Sat. Oct.20, 1926, filed & all'd.by the court with consent of Dist.Atty.
"	26.	Defts.additional claim of exceptions.
"	28.	Defts. bill of exceptions.
Nov.	4	Defts. motion to amend bill of exceptions.
"	13	Motion to amend defts.' bill of exceptions allowed with consent of Dist.Atty.
"	13	Defendants' amended bill of exceptions allowed.

GRAND JURY CASE.

Docket Nos. 5545
5546

Indictment returned Sept. 11, 1920.

Attorneys for defendants.

Fred H. Moore.
Wm. J. Callahan.
J. J. & T. F. McAnarney
Wm. G. Thompson.
Arthur D. Hill.

COMMONWEALTH

vs.

NICOLA SACCO -- BARTHOLOMEO VANZETTI.

Offence - MURDER

Committed at Braintree
April 15, 1920.

- 1920 - Sept. 8. Motion to impound exhibit (Buick car)
- " " 11. Indictment returned.
- " " 28. Habeas issued to State Prison for defendant Vanzetti.
- " " " Defendants arraigned. Each pleads not guilty.
- " " " Vanzetti remanded to State Prison without bail.
- " " " Sacco remanded to custody of Sheriff without bail
- " Nov. 18. Appearance of Fred H. Moore and Wm. J. Callahan for defendants.
- 1921- Feb. 5. Order for special sitting beginning Monday, March 7, 1921 for trial together of the two cases, Nos. 5545 & 5546 and that venires issue for 500 jurors.
- " " 14. Venires issued for 500 jurors to attend Monday, March 7.
- " " 18. Return by sheriff of notice of special sitting.
- " " 23. Defendants' motion for continuance filed.
- " " 26. Assignment for trial on March 7, vacated: motion to continue impounded.
- " " 28. Motion of defendants for continuance to May 31, and waiver of right to be admitted to bail prior to or during a full trial.

1921 Feb. 28 Notice to excuse those summoned as jurors.

" Apr. 20 Order for special sitting beginning Tuesday, May 31, 1921, and order for issue of venires for 500 jurors.

" " 25 Order fixing dates for attendance of jurors.

" May 12 Venires issued, 175 to attend May 31, 175, June 1, and 150, June 2.

" " 27 Habeas for defendant Vanzetti.

" " 31 Sitting opened: defendants placed on trial.

" " " Appearance of J.J. & T.F. McAnarney for Vanzetti.

" " " Motion of Sacco for separate trial.

" " " Demand of each deft. for bill of particulars.

" " " Demurrer of each defendant.

" June 2 Order that Sheriff summon 200 talesman to attend June 3.

" " 3 Oral motion of defendants to challenge array of talesmen denied.

" " 4 Jury sworn.

" " 6 Defendants' motion for separate trial denied: each deft. excepts.

" " " On motion of defts. that weapons and bullets be admitted for expert examination, the Court orders that they be given into the custody of the sheriff for such examination but under no circumstances to go out of his custody.

" " " Waiver of each deft. of any right to accompany jury on view.
Both sides request that view be taken.
Walter H. Ripley appointed foreman of jury.

1921 June 14 Deposition of Giuseppe Adrower opened and delivered to counsel for deft.
 " " 16 Motion for view of car allowed.
 " " " Waiver by defts. of right to accompany jury on view of car. Car impounded
 and placed in custody of sheriff.
 " " 29 Deposition of Adrower presented for filing.
 " July 1 Deposition of Adrower filed by leave of Court.
 " " 6 Waiver of defts. of right to view "Boda" Overland car.
 " " 8 Motion of Vanzetti for severance of trial.
 " " 14 Motion of defendant Sacco for verdict of not guilty, filed & denied.
 " " " Motion of defendant Vanzetti for verdict of not guilty, filed & denied.
 " " " Verdict: Each defendant guilty of murder in the first degree.
 " " " Time for filing defendants' exceptions extended to and including November 1,
 1921, with consent of District Attorney.
 " " 18 Motion of Nicola Sacco for a new trial.
 " " " " Bartolomeo Vanzetti for a new trial.
 " Oct. 31 Deft.'s motion to extend time for filing exceptions.
 " " " Order on motion extending time for filing exceptions to and including Dec. 1,
 1921.
 " Nov. 8 Supplementary motion for new trial.
 " " 30 Motion to extend time for filing exceptions.
 " " " Order on motion ext.time for filing exceptions to and including Dec.20,1921.

1922	Feb.	20	Order extending time for filing of completed bill of exceptions of deft. Sacco to and including Feb.25,1922.
"	"	"	Order extending time for filing of completed bill of exceptions of deft. Vanzetti to and including Feb. 25,1922.
"	"	25	Bill of exceptions, Sacco, Vol. II.
"	"	"	" " " " Vanzetti, Vol. II.
"	May	4	Second supplementary motion for new trial of Nicola Sacco.
"	July	22	Third supplementary motion for new trial of Nicola Sacco.
"	Sep.	11	Fourth supplementary motion for new trial.
1923	Mar.	7	Affidavit of Lewis McHardy and 10 others.
"	"	"	" " " " Louis Pelser.
"	"	"	" " " " Jeremiah F.Gallivan.
"	"	"	" " " " Erastus C.Whitney.
"	"	"	" " " " Charles W.Knappenberg.
"	"	"	" " " " J.Hunter Black.
"	"	"	" " " " Ethel W.Lee.
"	"	"	" " " " William R.Corbett.
"	"	"	" " " " William Mann.
"	"	"	" " " " Robert A.Cony.
"	"	"	" " " " Lola R.Andrews.

1923 Mar. 16 Dr. Cahoon of Medfield State Hospital and Dr. ^{Thomas} Thompson of Foxboro State Hospital appointed by court to examine deft. Sacco as to his mental condition and to report to the Court on Sat. A.M.

" " 17 Deft. Sacco ordered committed to Boston Psychopathic Hospital for care and observation pending determination of his insanity till and including March 31st, the Director of said Hospital to make written report of condition of said Sacco on Tuesday March 27, 1923, to presiding Justice, to the Dist. Atty. and to counsel for said Sacco.

" " " On mo. of counsel, A.D.Hill, Esq., supplementary mo. for new trial based on conduct of jurors continued.

" Apr. 16 Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton filed.

" " 18 Order as to photographing exhibits.

" " 20 Order for commitment of deft. Sacco to Bridgewater State Hospital.

" " 23 Warrant for commitment to Bridgewater State Hospital.

" " 30 Fifth supplementary motion for new trial of Bartolomeo Vanzetti.

" " " Motion of Bartolomeo Vanzetti for leave to photograph exhibits in support of his fifth supplementary motion.

" " " On motion of Ass't Dist. Atty. (Mr. Keith) seconded by counsel for defence all pending motions ordered continued generally because of illness of Mr. Williams, Dist. Atty.

1923	Sept.	26	Affidavit of Gwendolyn S. Beamish in support of 2nd Supp. Mo. for new trial.	
"	"	"	"	Frank J. Burke.
"	"	"	"	Edward P. Burke " " " " " " " "
"	"	"	"	John J. Heaney.
"	"	"	"	Roy E. Gould.
"	"	"	"	Thomas Doyle.
"	"	"	"	Thomas Doyle.
"	"	"	"	Wilbur F. Turner in support of 1st Supp. Mo. for new trial.
"	"	"	"	Wilbur F. Turner " " " 5th " " " "
"	"	"	"	Wilbur F. Turner " " " " " (Book)
"	"	"	"	Albert H. Hamilton " " " 1st " " for new trial.
"	"	29	Habeas for deft. Vanzetti.	
"	Oct.	1	Affidavit of Charles Van Amburgh.	
"	"	"	"	Wm. E. Hingston.
"	"	"	"	Jos. W. Keith.
"	"	"	Supplement to First Supp. Mo. for new trial.	
"	"	3	Second Supp. Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton in support of 1st Supp. Mo.	
"	"	16	Affidavit of Augustus H. Gill in support of 5th supp. mo. for new trial.	
"	"	"	"	Albert H. Hamilton.
"	"	20	Habeas for Deft. Vanzetti.	
"	"	22	Affidavit of William H. Proctor.	

1923 Oct. 23 Supp. affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton & Supp. Album of Photographs to Suppl.
 Affidavit.

" " " Affidavit of Marjory L. & Ethel W. Lee.

" " " " " Robt. Reed in support of 4th Supp. Motion.

" " " " " Fred H. Moore " " " " " " " " " " " "

" " " 19 Affidavits, reports of interviews etc. put in by defence & ord. impounded.

" " 24 Supplementary affidavit of Augustus H. Gill.

" " " 2nd " " " " Albert H. Hamilton.

" " 25 Affidavit of Charles J. Van Amburgh.

" " " Photographic exhibits.

" " 26 Album (with 2nd Supp. Affidavit of A. H. Hamilton)

" " 29 Supp. Affidavit of Charles J. Van Amburgh.

" " " Affidavit of Merton A. Robinson.

" " " Supp. " " " " " " " " " " " "

" " " Affidavit of Nils Ekman (with 24 photos 1-12 A-L)

" " 31 " " F. G. Katzmann (5th Supp. Mo.)

" " " " " H. P. Williams " " " " " " " " " "

" Nov. 5 Deft.'s Supp. Motion for new trial.

" " 12 2nd Supp. Affidavit of C. J. Van Amburgh to 5th Supp. Mo. for new trial.

" Dec. 7 Supp. Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton.

1924 Mar. 25 Decision - In re: substitution of gun barrels.
 " " 27 Defts.' appeal to S.J.C. from decision of date Mar.25,1924.
 " " " Defts.' notice to Dist. Atty. of appeal from decision.
 " " " Mo. of deft. Sacco for ext. of time for filing exceptions in connection with
 Court's decision: Dist. Atty.'s assent - time ext. to April 12,1924.
 " " " Mo. of deft. Vanzetti for ext. of time for filing excep. in connection with
 Court's decision: Dist. Atty.'s assent - time ext. to April 12,1924.
 " Apr. 5 Defts.' claim of exceptions.
 " Oct. 1 Decision on deft.'s requests for rulings on 1st Supp. mo. for new trial.
 " " " " " " " " " " " " " 5th " " " " "
 " " " Memo. & decision denying 1st Supp.(Ripley) mo. for new trial.
 " " " " " " " 2nd " Mo. for new trial (Gould Affidavit)
 " " " " " " " " " " " " (Pelser ")
 " " " " " " " 3rd " (Goodridge) mo. for new trial.
 " " " " " " " 4th " (Andrews) " " " "
 " " " " " " " 5th " Mo. for new trial(Hamilton Affidavit)
 " " " " " " " 5th " " " " " (Proctor ")
 " " " Order ext. time for claiming, saving or filing except. on mo. for new trial
 until Oct. 8, 1924.
 " " 2 Deft.'s exceptions allowed.

1924 Oct. 4 Deft's. appeal.

" " 7 Order ext. time for claiming, saving or filing except. to & including
Oct. 15, 1924.

" " 11 Ord. ext. time for filing claim of except. & bill of excep. to & including
Nov. 7, 1924.

" " 21 Defts.' claim of exceptions.

" " " Supplementary appeal

" " " Ord. ext. time for filing claim of exceptions & bill of excep. to and including
Oct. 23, 1924.

" " 23 Withdrawal of appearance of Arthur D. Hill.

" " " Ord. ext. time for filing claim of except. & bill of excep. to Nov. 7, 1924.

" " 28 Appearance of Richard H. Wiswall for defts.

" " 29 Defts.' substituted claim of exceptions.

" Nov. 3 Defts.' further claim of exceptions.

" " 7 Ord. ext. time for filing claim of exceptions and bill of exceptions to and
including Nov. 21, 1924.

" " 8 Withdrawal of appearance of Fred H. Moore.

" " 19 Defendants' supplementary bill of exceptions.

" " 21 Motion of defendants to extend time for filing claim and bill of exceptions
to memo. and decisions denying 2nd, 3rd and 4th supp. mo. for new trial.

" " " Order ext. time for filing claim and bill of exceptions on 2nd, 3rd and 4th
supp. mo. for new trial to and including Dec. 1, 1924.

1924 - Nov.25. Appearance of Wm.G.Thompson for defendant Sacco.
 " " " " " " " " " " Vanzetti
 " " 26 Defendants' claim of exceptions.
 " Dec. 1. Defendants' bill of exceptions to decision on 2nd supplementary motion for new trial.
 " " 9. Withdrawal of appearance of J.J.& T.F.McAnarney for defendant Vanzetti.
 1925- Mar.21. Substitute bill of exceptions of deft.Vanzetti on 1st Supp.motion for new trial.
 " May 11. Correction of errors & omissions in Bill of exceptions allowed Sept.13, 1924 and printed, but not yet entered in the S.J.C.
 " " 11. Sub.Bill of exceptions of Bartolomeo Vanzetti on 1st Supp.Mo.for new trial filed Mar.21,1925,allowed in new draft.
 " " 11. Defts.Bill of exceptions to decision on 2nd Supp.Mo.for new trial filed Dec.1,1924,allowed.
 " " 11. Defts.Supp.Bill of exceptions filed Nov.19,1924,based on denial of 1st and 5th Supp.Motions for new trial, allowed.
 " Nov.10. Correction of original Bill of Exceptions.
 1926- May 13. Rescript received "Exceptions overruled.Verdict to stand."
 " " 26. Motion to impound filed and allowed.
 " " " Motion for new trial. #173
 " " " Affidavit of William G.Thompson. 174 S
 " " " " James F.Weeks. 175 S
 " " " " J.J.McAnarney. 176 S

1926- May 26. Affidavit of Nicola Sacco 177 *W*
 " " " " Amleto Fabri 178 *W*
 " " 28 " " William G. Thompson 179 *W*
 " June 10 " " Herbert B. Caffrey 180 *C*
 " " " " Celestino F. Madeiros 181 *W*
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 " " 11 " " Henry E. Connors 183 *W*
 " " " " Edward J. Noonan 184 *W*
 " " " " Ellsworth C. Jacobs 185 *W*
 " " " " John T. McKay 186 *W*
 " " " " John S. Mendonca & Elwin H. Hauver 187 *W*
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 " " 17. Motion filed by Comlth. June 15, 1926, allowed.
 " " " Affidavit of Herbert B. Ehrmann. 194 *W*

1926-June 18. Deft's memo. on motion to limit time for filing affidavits in support of mo. for new trial and order of court limiting such time to June 30, 1926.

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"	"	"	"	" John T. McKay	196 C
"	"	"	"	" Oliver J. Curtis (with exhibit "A")	197 C
"	"	"	"	" Henry A. Plett	198 C
"	"	"	"	" John P. Hanley	199 C
"	"	"	"	" Albert C. Thomas	200 C
"	"	"	"	" Elisha H. Cohoon	201 C
"	"	"	"	" Charles E. Linscott	202 C
"	"	"	"	" William P. Kelley	203 C
"	"	"	"	" Dudley P. Ranney	204 C
"	"	"	"	" Winfield M. Wilbar & Dudley P. Ranney	205 C
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"	"	"	"	" Michael F. Fleming	209 C
"	"	"	"	" Arthur D. Timmins	210 C
"	"	"	"	" Dudley P. Ranney	211 C

1926-June	25.	Affidavit	of Lester S.Cornell.	213	<i>B</i>
"	"	"	" Rubin Galkin	214	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	" Charles E.Linscott	(Amended) 215	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	" Charles E.Linscott	216	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	Mo. of mdeft. to further extend time &c. from June 30 to July 8, filed & allowed with consent of Dist. Atty.		
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"	"	"	" Albert L.Carpenter	218	<i>W</i>
"	"	28	Appearance of Herbert B.Ehrmann for defendants.		
"	"	29.	Affidavit of Dudley P.Ranney	221	<i>C</i>
"	"	30.	" Lewis L.Wade	222	<i>W</i>
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"	"	"	" May B.Monterio	225	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	" Patrick J.McGovern	226	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	" Nicola Sacco	227	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	" Frank J.Burke	228	<i>W</i>
"	"	2	" Joseph Morell	229	<i>C</i>
"	"	3	" Edward J.Miller	230	<i>W</i>
"	"	"	" Daniel E.Geary	231	<i>W</i>

1926-	July	3.	Affidavit of John Ruzzamenti	232	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
"	"	3	" " Fred J. Weyand	233	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
"	"	7	" " Edward J. Noonan	234	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
"	"	8	" " Mary Splaine Williams	235	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
"	"	"	Defts. motion to further extend time for filing affidavits from July 8 to July 16, 1926, filed & allowed with consent of Dist. Atty.		
"	"	8	Deposition of Celestino Madeiros		
"	"	9	Affidavit of Pauline Gray	238	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
"	"	"	" " Pasquale Morrelli	239	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
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"	"	13	" " Michael Franklin	245	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
"	"	15	" " Herbert E. Ehrmann	246	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
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"	"	"	" " Harvey A. Baker	249	<i>[Handwritten mark]</i>
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1926-	July	16	Affidavit of Patrick J. Pyne	251	<i>D</i>
"	"	"	" " John J. Richards	252	<i>D</i>
"	"	"	" " Wm. G. Thompson	253	<i>D</i>
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"	"	"	" " Donato Dibona " " " " " "	260	<i>D</i>
"	"	"	" " Thomas Theodore Driver filed by consent of Dist. Atty.	261	<i>D</i>
"	"	"	Supp. " Thomas Theodore Driver " " " " " "	262	<i>D</i>
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"	"	"	" " George Hatton	268	<i>D</i>
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"	"	"	Copy of letter Wm. G. Thompson to U. S. Atty. General.		

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Docket Nos. 5545
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Attorneys for defendants.

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Arthur D. Hill.

COMMONWEALTH

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"	"	"	" " " " Vanzetti, Vol. II.
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"	"	"	" " " " William R.Corbett.
"	"	"	" " " " William Mann.
"	"	"	" " " " Robert A.Cony.
"	"	"	" " " " Lola R.Andrews.

1923 Mar. 16 Dr. Cahoon of Medfield State Hospital and Dr. Thompson of Foxboro State Hospital appointed by court to examine deft. Sacco as to his mental condition and to report to the Court on Sat. A.M.

" " 17 Deft. Sacco ordered committed to Boston Psychopathic Hospital for care and observation pending determination of his insanity till and including March 31st, the Director of said Hospital to make written report of condition of said Sacco on Tuesday March 27, 1923, to presiding Justice, to the Dist. Atty. and to counsel for said Sacco.

" " " On mo. of counsel, A.D.Hill, Esq., supplementary mo. for new trial based on conduct of jurors continued.

" Apr. 16 Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton filed.

" " 18 Order as to photographing exhibits.

" " 20 Order for commitment of deft. Sacco to Bridgewater State Hospital.

" " 23 Warrant for commitment to Bridgewater State Hospital.

" " 30 Fifth supplementary motion for new trial of Bartolomeo Vanzetti.

" " " Motion of Bartolomeo Vanzetti for leave to photograph exhibits in support of his fifth supplementary motion.

" " " On motion of Ass't Dist. Atty. (Mr. Keith) seconded by counsel for defence all pending motions ordered continued generally because of illness of Mr. Williams, Dist. Atty.

1923	Sept.	26	Affidavit of Gwendolyn S. Beamish in support of 2nd Supp. Mo. for new trial.
"	"	"	" " Frank J. Burke.
"	"	"	" " Edward P. Burke " " " " " " " " " "
"	"	"	" " John J. Heaney.
"	"	"	" " Roy E. Gould.
"	"	"	" " Thomas Doyle.
"	"	"	" " Thomas Doyle.
"	"	"	" " Wilbur F. Turner in support of 1st Supp. Mo. for new trial.
"	"	"	" " Wilbur F. Turner " " " 5th " " " " "
"	"	"	" " Wilbur F. Turner " " " " " (Book)
"	"	"	" " Albert H. Hamilton " " " 1st " " for new trial.
"	"	29	Habeas for deft. Vanzetti.
"	Oct.	1	Affidavit of Charles Van Amburgh.
"	"	"	" " Wm. E. Hingston.
"	"	"	" " Jos. W. Keith.
"	"	"	Supplement to First Supp. Mo. for new trial.
"	"	3	Second Supp. Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton in support of 1st Supp. Mo.
"	"	16	Affidavit of Augustus H. Gill in support of 5th supp. mo. for new trial.
"	"	"	" " Albert H. Hamilton.
"	"	20	Habeas for Deft. Vanzetti.
"	"	22	Affidavit of William H. Proctor.

1923 Oct. 23 Supp. affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton & Supp. Album of Photographs to Suppl.
 Affidavit.

" " " Affidavit of Marjory L. & Ethel W. Lee.

" " " " " Robt. Reed in support of 4th Supp. Motion.

" " " " " Fred H. Moore " " " " " " " " " "

" " " 19 Affidavits, reports of interviews etc. put in by defence & ord. impounded.

" " 24 Supplementary affidavit of Augustus H. Gill.

" " " 2nd " " " " Albert H. Hamilton.

" " 25 Affidavit of Charles J. Van Amburgh.

" " " Photographic exhibits.

" " 26 Album (with 2nd Supp. Affidavit of A. H. Hamilton)

" " 29 Supp. Affidavit of Charles J. Van Amburgh.

" " " Affidavit of Merton A. Robinson.

" " " Supp. " " " " " " " " " "

" " " Affidavit of Nils Ekman (with 24 photos 1-12 A-L)

" " 31 " " F. G. Katzmann (5th Supp. Mo.)

" " " " " H. P. Williams " " " " " "

" Nov. 5 Deft.'s Supp. Motion for new trial.

" " 12 2nd Supp. Affidavit of C. J. Van Amburgh to 5th Supp. Mo. for new trial.

" Dec. 7 Supp. Affidavit of Albert H. Hamilton.

1924 Mar. 25 Decision - In re: substitution of gun barrels.
 " " 27 Defts.' appeal to S.J.C. from decision of date Mar.25,1924.
 " " " Defts.' notice to Dist. Atty. of appeal from decision.
 " " " Mo. of deft. Sacco for ext. of time for filing exceptions in connection with
 Court's decision: Dist. Atty.'s assent - time ext. to April 12,1924.
 " " " Mo. of deft. Vanzetti for ext. of time for filing excep. in connection with
 Court's decision: Dist. Atty.'s assent - time ext. to April 12,1924.
 " Apr. 5 Defts.' claim of exceptions.
 " Oct. 1 Decision on deft.'s requests for rulings on 1st Supp. mo. for new trial.
 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " 5th " " " " "
 " " " Memo. & decision denying 1st Supp.(Ripley) mo. for new trial.
 " " " " " " " " 2nd " Mo. for new trial (Gould Affidavit)
 " " " " " " " " " " " " " (Pelser ")
 " " " " " " " " 3rd " (Goodridge) mo. for new trial.
 " " " " " " " " 4th " (Andrews) " " " "
 " " " " " " " " 5th " Mo. for new trial (Hamilton Affidavit)
 " " " " " " " " 5th " " " " " (Proctor ")
 " " " Order ext. time for claiming, saving or filing except. on mo. for new trial
 until Oct. 8, 1924.
 " " 2 Deft.'s exceptions allowed.

1924 Oct. 4 Deft's. appeal.
" " 7 Order ext. time for claiming, saving or filing except. to & including
Oct. 15, 1924.
" " 11 Ord. ext. time for filing claim of except. & bill of excep. to & including
Nov. 7, 1924.
" " 21 Defts.' claim of exceptions.
" " " Supplementary appeal
" " " Ord. ext. time for filing claim of exceptions & bill of excep. to and including
Oct. 23, 1924.
" " 23 Withdrawal of appearance of Arthur D. Hill.
" " " Ord. ext. time for filing claim of excep. & bill of excep. to Nov. 7, 1924.
" " 28 Appearance of Richard H. Wiswall for defts.
" " 29 Defts.' substituted claim of exceptions.
" Nov. 3 Defts.' further claim of exceptions.
" " 7 Ord. ext. time for filing claim of exceptions and bill of exceptions to and
including Nov. 21, 1924.
" " 8 Withdrawal of appearance of Fred H. Moore.
" " 19 Defendants' supplementary bill of exceptions.
" " 21 Motion of defendants to extend time for filing claim and bill of exceptions
to memo. and decisions denying 2nd, 3rd and 4th supp. mo. for new trial.
" " " Order ext. time for filing claim and bill of exceptions on 2nd, 3rd and 4th
supp. mo. for new trial to and including Dec. 1, 1924.

1924 - Nov. 25. Appearance of Wm. G. Thompson for defendant Sacco.

" " " " " " " " " " Vanzetti

" " 26 Defendants' claim of exceptions.

" Dec. 1. Defendants' bill of exceptions to decision on 2nd supplementary motion for new trial.

" " 9. Withdrawal of appearance of J. J. & T. F. McAnarney for defendant Vanzetti.

1925- Mar. 21. Substitute bill of exceptions of deft. Vanzetti on 1st Supp. motion for new trial.

" May 11. Correction of errors & omissions in Bill of exceptions allowed Sept. 13, 1924 and printed, but not yet entered in the S. J. C.

" " 11. Sub. Bill of exceptions of Bartolomeo Vanzetti on 1st Supp. Mo. for new trial filed Mar. 21, 1925, allowed in new draft.

" " 11. Defts. Bill of exceptions to decision on 2nd Supp. Mo. for new trial filed Dec 1, 1924, allowed.

" " 11. Defts. Supp. Bill of exceptions filed Nov. 19, 1924, based on denial of 1st and 5th Supp. Motions for new trial, allowed.

" Nov. 10. Correction of original Bill of Exceptions.

1926- May 13. Rescript received "Exceptions overruled. Verdict to stand."

" " 26. Motion to impound filed and allowed.

" " " Motion for new trial.

" " " Affidavit of William G. Thompson.

" " " " James F. Weeks.

" " " " J. J. McAnanney.

1926- May 26. Affidavit of Nicola Sacco

" " " " " Amleto Fabri

" " 28 " " William G. Thompson

" June 10 " " Herbert B. Caffrey

" " " " " Celestino F. Madeiros

" " " " " Edward G. Lennon

" " 11 " " Henry E. Connors

" " " " " Edward J. Noone

" " " " " Ellsworth C. Jacobs

" " " " " John T. McKay

" " " " " John S. Mendonca & Elwin H. Hauver

" " " " " Peter C. Cannon

" " " Interrogatories of James F. Weeks at State Prison May 27, 1926 by Wm. G. Thompson.

" " 12 Affidavit of John J. Richards

" " " " " Herbert B. Ehrmann

" " 15 Mo. (filed by Comlth.) for termination of time in which defts. may file affidavits in support of motion for new trial.

" " 16 Affidavit of Herbert B. Ehrmann and John J. Richards.

" " 17. Motion filed by Comlth. June 15, 1926, allowed.

" " " Affidavit of Herbert B. Ehrmann.

1926-June 18. Deft's memo. on motion to limit time for filing affidavits in support
of mo. for new trial and order of court limiting such time to June 30, 1926.

"	"	21.	Affidavit of Mrs. Mary Matthews
"	"	"	" John T. McKay
"	"	"	" Oliver J. Curtis (with exhibit "A")
"	"	"	" Henry A. Plett
"	"	"	" John P. Hanley
"	"	"	" Albert C. Thomas
"	"	"	" Elisha H. Cohoon
"	"	"	" Charles E. Linscott
"	"	"	" William P. Kelley
"	"	"	" Dudley P. Ranney
"	"	"	" Winfield M. Wilbar & Dudley P. Ranney
"	"	"	" Michael F. Fleming
"	"	"	" Albert C. Crocker
"	"	"	" Samuel H. Capen
"	"	"	" Michael F. Fleming
"	"	"	" Arthur D. Timmins
"	"	"	" Dudley P. Ranney

1926-June 25. Affidavit of Lester S. Cornell.

" " " " Rubin Galkin

" " " " Charles E. Linscott

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" " " Mo. of deft. to further extend time &c. from June 30 to July 8, filed & allowed with consent of Dist. Atty.

" " 26 Affidavit of Herbert B. Ehrmann.

" " " " Albert L. Carpenter

" " 28 Appearance of Herbert B. Ehrmann for defendants.

" " 29. Affidavit of Dudley P. Ranney

" " 30. " " Lewis L. Wade

" " " " John F. Carney

" July 1 " " Barney B. Monterio

" " " " May B. Monterio

" " " " Patrick J. McGovern

" " " " Nicola Sacco

" " " " Frank J. Burke

" " 2 " " Joseph Morell

" " 3 " " Edward J. Miller

" " " " Daniel E. Geary

1926- July 3. Affidavit of John Ruzzamenti

" " 3 " " Fred J. Weyand

" " 7 " " Edward J. Noona

" " 8 " " Mary Splaine Williams

" " " Defts. motion to further extend time for filing affidavits from July 8 to July 16, 1926, filed & allowed with consent of Dist. Atty.

" " 8 Deposition of Celestino Madeiros

" " 9 Affidavit of Pauline Gray

" " " " " Pasquale Morrelli

" " " " " Louise Kelly

" " " " " Nellie Gannon

" " " " " Minnie Kennedy

" " " " " Lawrence Letherman

" " 10. " " John J. Richards & Wm. J. Carroll

" " 13 " " Michael Franklin

" " 15 " " Herbert E. Ehrmann

" " " " " Chester H. Goward

" " " " " Herbert C. Dow

" " " " " Harvey A. Baker

" " 16 " " Alice Peckham

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"	"	"	"	"	John J. Richards					
"	"	"	"	"	Wm. G. Thompson					
"	"	"	"	"	F. G. Katzmann					
"	"	"	"	"	Michael E. Stewart					
"	"	"	Stipulation							
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"	"	22.	"	"	Henry Epstein	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	N. O. Simard	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	Donato Dibona	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	Thomas Theodore Driver	filed	by	consent	of	Dist. Atty.
"	"	"	Supp."	"	Thomas Theodore Driver	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	24	Affidavit	of	Robert C. Karnes	filed	by	Commonwealth		
"	"	27	"	"	Charles J. Van Amburgh	"		"		
"	"	"	"	"	Dudley P. Ranney	"		"		
"	"	30	"	"	James E. Burns,	filed	by	consent	of	Dist. Atty.
"	Sept.	13	"	"	Lincoln Wadsworth	filed	by	defence.		
"	"	"	"	"	George Hatton					
"	"	"	Statement	of	June 10, 1926,	by	Dudley P. Ranney	to	Wm. G. Thompson	
"	"	"	Copy	of	letter	Wm. G. Thompson	to	U. S. Atty. General.		

1926- Sept. 14. Telegram to William G. Thompson to B.J. Day, Commr.

" " " Record of Madeiros from Bristol Superior Court.

" " 15. Stenographic report of Dr. Cohoon & Dr. Thomas interview with Madeiros on April 8, 1926.

" " 15. Defendants' requests for rulings

" " 17. Copy of letter Thompson to Ranney

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" " " Rulings on defendants' exceptions

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" " " Defts. mo. for ext. of time for filing bill of exceptions until noon of Saturday, Oct. 30, 1926, filed and allowed by the court with consent of Dist. Atty

" " 26. Defendants' additional claim of exceptions

" " 28. Defendants' bill of exceptions

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 " " 9 Motion of Dist.Atty. for appointment of Assistant.
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Apr. 15, 1920

J.J. & T.F. McAnarney

1920 Sept. 8 Motion to impound exhibit (Buick car)
 " " 11 Indictment returned.
 " " 28 Habeas issued to State Prison for defendant Vanzetti.
 " " " Defendants arraigned. Each pleads not guilty.
 " " " Vanzetti remanded to State Prison without bail.
 " " " Sacco remanded to custody of Sheriff without bail.
 " Nov. 18 Appearance of Fred H. Moore and Wm. J. Callahan for defendants.

1921 Feb. 5 Order for special sitting beginning Monday March 7, 1921 for trial together of the two cases, Nos. 5545 & 5546, and that venires issue for 500 jurors.
 " " 14 Venires issued for 500 jurors to attend Monday March 7.
 " " 18 Return by sheriff of notice of special sitting.
 " " 23 Defendants motion for continuance filed.
 " " 26 Assignment for trial on March 7, vacated: motion to continue impounded.
 " " 28 Motion of defendants for continuance to May 31 and waiver of right to be admitted to bail prior to or during a full trial.
 " " " Notice to excuse those summoned as jurors.
 " Apr. 20 Order for special sitting beginning Tuesday, May 31, 1921 and order for issue of venires for 500 jurors.
 " " 25 Order fixing dates for attendance of jurors.
 " May 12 Venires issued, 175 to attend May 31, 175, June 1, and 150, June 2.
 " " 27 Habeas for defendant Vanzetti.
 " " 31 Sitting opened: defendants placed on trial.
 " " " Appearance of J.J. & T.F. McAnarney for Vanzetti.
 " " " Motion of Sacco for separate trial.
 " " " Demand of each deft. for bill of particulars.
 " " " Demurrer of each defendant.
 " June 2 Order that Sheriff summon 200 talesmen to attend June 3.
 " " 3 Oral motion of defendants to challenge array of talesmen denied.
 " " 4 Jury sworn.
 " " 6 Defendants' motion for separate trial denied: each deft. excepts.
 " " " On motion of defts. that weapons and bullets be admitted for expert examination, the court orders that they be given into the custody of the sheriff for such examination but under no circumstances to go out of his custody.
 " " " Waiver of each deft. of any right to accompany jury on view. Both sides request that view be taken. Walter H. Ripley appointed foreman of jury.
 " " 14 Deposition of Giuseppe Adrower opened and delivered to counsel for deft.
 " " 16 Motion for view of car allowed.
 " " " Waiver by defts. of right to accompany jury on view of car.
 " " " Car impounded and placed in custody of sheriff.
 " " 29 Deposition of Adrower presented for filing.
 " July 1 Deposition of Adrower filed by leave of Court.
 " " 6 Waiver of defts. of right to view "Boda" Overland car.
 " " 8 Motion of Vanzetti for severance of trial.
 " " 14 Motion of defendant Sacco for verdict of not guilty, filed & denied
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 " " " Verdict: Each defendant guilty of murder in the first degree.
 " " " Time for filing defendants' exceptions extended to and including November 1, 1921, with consent of District Attorney.
 " " 18 Motion of Nicola Sacco for a new trial.
 " " " " Bartolomeo Vanzetti for a new trial.
 " Oct. 31 Deft.'s motion to extend time for filing exceptions.
 " " " Order on motion extending time for filing exceptions to and including Dec. 1, 1921.

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 " " " Order on motion ext. time for filing exceptions to and including Dec.20,1921.
 " Dec. 17 Order on motion to extend time for filing exceptions to Jan. 15,1922.
 " " 24 Affidavit of Sacco & Vanzetti.
 " " " " " J.J.& T.F.McAnarney.
 " " " " " Fred H.Moore and Wm.J.Callahan.
 " " " Decision on motions for new trial.
 " " 27 Time for filing exceptions to and appeal from order denying motions for new trial extended to and including Jan.14,1922.

1922 Jan. 13 Motion of Sacco to extend time for filing exceptions to Jan.24, all'd.
 " " " Motion " Vanzetti " " " " " " " " " " " " " " all'd.
 " " " Mo. of Sacco to extend time for filing exceptions & appeal to Jan.24, allowed.
 " " " Mo. of Vanzetti " " " " " " " " " " " " " " Jan.24, allowed.
 " " 23 Order allowing defendants' examination of Buick car.
 " " 24 Mo. of Sacco to extend time for filing exceptions & appeal to and including Feb.10th, allowed.
 " " " Mo. of Vanzetti to extend time for filing exceptions & appeal to and including Feb.10th, allowed.
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