

- Q. What is your name?
A. Bedard.
Q. First name?
A. Alfred, - Alfred W.
Q. I am a State Detective, - my name is Fleming; this man, (pointing to Chief Ruggles) is a police officer of Wrentham; this man ~~here~~ is State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari. Now we are going to ask you some questions about attempted robbery and murder at the Bank of Wrentham. Do you want to make a statement?
A. I don't know anything about it.
Q. You don't know anything about it? Were you there at the time of the robbery?
A. No.
Q. Where were you at the time the robbery happened?
A. Down the street.
Q. Whereabouts on the street? How far away from the Bank were you?
A. I can't tell you.
Q. Could you see the Bank?
A. No.
Q. What were you doing while these fellows were at the Bank?
A. They told me to wait for them, that they were going to the store.
Q. Where were you then?
A. On the street.
Q. Were you standing?
A. No, sitting.
Q. Where?
A. In the car.
Q. What car?
A. The car they had.
Q. What kind of a car was it?
A. A Hudson.
Q. What was the first time that you sat in that automobile?
A. About half past nine that morning.
Q. Was that the first time you ever saw that automobile as far as you know?
A. Yes.
Q. How many men were in the car?
A. Three.
Q. Who are they?
A. Can't tell you.
Q. Don't you know any of them?
A. I knew one of them years ago, as I told the officer.
Q. What is his name?
A. I don't know that.
Q. You don't know his name?
A. No.
Q. What does he look like? How tall is he?
A. About 5'6".
Q. How much does he weigh?
A. About 140.
Q. What is his complexion?
A. Dark, (let me see, - yes, kind of dark).
Q. What is the color of his hair?
A. I can't tell you.
Q. Color of his eyes?
A. Don't know.
Q. What kind of a hat did he have on?
A. I can't say.
Q. Did he have a hat or a cap?
A. I don't know.
Q. What did the other fellow look like? How tall was he?
A. About the same.
Q. How much did he weigh?
A. Oh, 150.

- Q. What was his complexion?
A. Kind of dark, - no, - he was not dark nor he was not blonde.
Q. Would you call it light complexioned?
A. Yes.
Q. Now the third man, - how tall was he?
A. Tall and dark.
Q. Taller than you?
A. Yes.
Q. How tall are you?
A. 5'9½".
Q. How tall is he?
A. 5'10".
Q. How much did he weigh?
A. About 165.
Q. What was his complexion?
A. Dark.
Q. Do you know what kind of a hat he had on?
A. He had a cap.
Q. Did these men have overcoats?
A. One had an overcoat.
Q. Which one?
A. The last one, the tall one.
Q. Did you ever see any of these men before?
A. No.
Q. The first time you saw this man whom you did know for a long time was last Saturday morning?
A. Yes.
Q. About what time?
A. About 8:00 o'clock in the morning.
Q. Were the other two men with him at that time?
A. He was alone.
Q. What did he say to you?
A. He wanted to know if I wanted to go for a ride.
Q. Did he have an automobile with him?
A. Yes.
Q. Was it the automobile that you came to the Bank with?
A. Yes.
Q. When he asked you if you wanted a ride, what did you say?
A. All right.
Q. What else did he do?
A. He picked up two other fellows.
Q. Where?
A. In Pawtucket.
Q. Whereabouts in Pawtucket did you meet this fellow?
A. Main Street, - Cross Street and Mill Street.
Q. How far did you go before you picked the other two men up?
A. As far as Broadway.
Q. Was that coming towards Massachusetts?
A. Yes.
Q. What did he say to these two men?
A. He didn't say anything.
Q. What did the men do?
A. They didn't do anything.
Q. How did you happen to pick the other two men up?
A. He just stopped and picked them up.
Q. Who was driving the car?
A. He was driving the car.
Q. After you picked the other two men up, what happened then?
A. He told me to drive.
Q. Did you ask him then why he wanted you to drive the car?
A. No.
Q. Did he tell you where he was going?
A. No.
Q. He didn't tell you where he was going?
A. No. When we got down here he told me to go around the corner while they went to the store.
Q. What other stop did you make?
A. No other stop.
Q. The next stop you made was at the Bank?

- A. No, around the corner of the Bank.
- Q. Did you change seats at Wampum Corner?
- A. Yes.
- Q. When they stopped the car at the Bank, what did this man tell you to do?
- A. They told me to go around the corner while they went to the store.
- Q. Did they tell you to keep the engine of the car running?
- A. No, I shut it off.
- Q. When did you start it up?
- A. I started up the motor when the three men got into the car.
- Q. Did you see the three men coming across the street from the Bank?
- A. I saw them when they were on the edge of the sidewalk.
- Q. Is that the time they told you to start the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. What, if anything, did you notice about the three men?
- A. Nothing.
- Q. You saw them running?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you see any of them with a pistol or a revolver?
- A. Yes, the tall one.
- Q. What did he do with it?
- A. He put it in his pocket.
- Q. Did you hear a pistol shot?
- A. I think I did.
- Q. Are you sure you didn't see this man running out of the Bank?
- A. No.
- Q. After they got into the car what did they say?
- A. They told me to go ahead as fast as I could or I would be sorry.
- Q. When they got into the car, what did you think had happened?
- A. Well, I didn't know.
- Q. You heard a pistol shot; one of them put a pistol in his pocket. Didn't you start the engine before they got in?
- A. Yes.
- Q. When you left after you started from the Bank, which way did you go?
- A. We went and followed the car track toward Franklin, through Lake Pearl and took the State road.
- Q. When you went to Wampum Corner where did you go?
- A. Straight ahead.
- Q. Did they threaten you with a pistol?
- A. Yes, the dark fellow.
- Q. How far did you go beyond Wampum Corner?
- A. We went away up the State Road.
- Q. Did you go as far as Grants Mill station?
- A. Yes. We went up the road and turned to the left and then the other fellow took the wheel.
- Q. Which fellow?
- A. The fellow that had it before.
- Q. What did you do then?
- A. They took me as far as South Attleboro and left me there and I haven't seen them since.
- Q. When was the first that you heard of the hold-up?
- A. Sunday morning.
- Q. What did you do?
- A. I didn't know what to do.
- Q. Where did you hear about it?
- A. I read it in the paper.
- Q. On the street?
- A. No, - inside of a place.
- Q. What place?
- A. I can't tell the name or anything.
- Q. How did you happen to be there? Did they have any liquor?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How many times had you been at that place before?
- A. Oh, for the past year and a half.
- Q. You were in this kind of a store weren't you when this fellow came in?
- A. Yes.

- Q. And that was where you were the next morning when you read about the hold-up?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you know when you read the paper that the hold-up you were reading about was the one in which you had driven the car?
- A. Well I suspected it was but wasn't sure.
- Q. You have been through Wrentham a good many times before, haven't you?
- A. Oh, three or four times a week for about two years.
- Q. What time were you here that Saturday morning?
- A. About 9:00 o'clock.
- Q. You knew it was between ten or eleven o'clock, didn't you?
- A. I didn't look at my watch.
- Q. You knew that three men had entered the Bank?
- A. I read it in the paper.
- Q. You knew that one man had sat in the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And you knew that three men got into the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. You knew that the car went toward Franklin?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Well you said a few minutes ago you only suspected.
- A. Yes.
- Q. Monday when you read it you knew that was the hold-up?
- A. Yes, I read it in New Hampshire.
- Q. How long were you in New Hampshire?
- A. I got back Monday night.
- Q. Back where?
- A. Boston.
- Q. How long did you stay in Boston?
- A. I stayed in Boston until yesterday morning.
- Q. How often do you go to Boston?
- A. Three or four times a week.
- Q. What did you go to Boston for?
- A. What did I go to Boston for? On business.
- Q. What business?
- A. Oh, I don't know.
- Q. If it was liquor business, that isn't going to hurt you. This has nothing to do with the liquor business.
- (No answer)
- Q. What did you go to New Hampshire for?
- (No answer)
- Q. You say that you were in this Polish store in Pawtucket Saturday morning at 8:00 o'clock and this man whom you had previously known, but you don't know now, came in there and asked you to go for a ride?
- A. Yes, that is right.
- Q. And you went for a ride with him, and about half past nine you picked up two other fellows and you drove to Wampum Corner and stopped there to change seats. Is that right?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And that is the first time you stopped when you picked the other two men up, until you got to Wampum Corner, - then you took the wheel at Wampum Corner and drove to Wrentham Square. You didn't make any other stops. That is your statement, is it?
- A. Yes.
- Q. You don't want to change it any?
- A. No.
- Q. Can you describe these men any different? What is the nationality of the first man you described.
- A. Irish descent.
- Q. What was the nationality of the second man you described, - the light complexioned one?
- A. Well I think he was, --- I don't know whether he was Irish or a Swede.
- Q. What was the nationality of the tall man?
- A. Very dark. I heard him say he belonged to Mexico.
- Q. When did you hear him say that?
- A. On the way back.
- Q. What type of car was this you were driving?
- A. Hudson.
- Q. What kind of a Hudson?
- A. An open car - five passenger.
- Q. New or an old one?
- A. New car.

Q. What kind of tires?
A. I don't know.
Q. Balloon tires?
A. I couldn't tell you.
Q. Do you own an automobile?
A. Yes.
Q. How long have you owned an automobile?
A. 1906
Q. Eighteen years?
A. Yes.
Q. Have you had any experience in repairing automobiles?
A. Plenty.
Q. Do you consider yourself an expert automobile man?
A. On certain cars, yes. Buick cars.
Q. And all these years in that game you don't know what kind of tires?
A. I didn't look at them.
Q. Were you excited in any way? When you got in the car at first what seat did you sit in.
A. On the seat with him.
Q. Did you notice the windshield on the car?
A. Windshield?
Q. Yes. How was it?
A. All right.
Q. Did you notice the windows of the car?
A. Didn't notice them.
Q. At any time on the ride did you hear glass break on the car?
A. I don't know whether I did or not, the breaks were squeaking.
Q. Did you see any police officer after you left the Bank?
A. No.
Q. Where did you leave the car?
A. They left me at Broadway on the bridge.
Q. What time was it?
A. I don't know.
Q. About what time?
A. Oh it must have been about 12:00.
Q. Had you had your dinner at that time?
A. No.
Q. What time did you have your dinner Saturday?
A. Oh about 2:30 or 3:00 o'clock.
Q. Do you think it was about 2:00 o'clock when they landed?
A. Yes.
Q. Did they pay you for taking the ride?
A. No.
Q. Did they give any reasons for not paying you?
A. No, - just told me to get out.
Q. Did they tell you not to say anything about it to a police officer?
A. Not a word.
Q. Where did you go after that?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. What time?
A. About 2:30 or 3:00 o'clock.
Q. Then where did you go?
A. I went home.
Q. What time?
A. About 5:00 o'clock.
Q. What time did you come out again?
A. Oh, about seven.
Q. Where did you go then?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. How long did you stay then?
A. Until about 11:00 o'clock.
Q. Did you see any police officer?
A. No.
Q. Did you look for a police officer?
A. No.
Q. If you had seen a police officer what would you have done?
A. Well I was feeling pretty good so I don't know what I would have done.
Q. Would you have told him about what happened in Wrentham?
A. I don't know.

- Q. When you say home, what do you mean by home? Have you a family?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Do you stay there all the time?
- A. No I have a room.
- Q. Where?
- A. High Street, number 278.
- Q. Is there a telephone?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Is that for the use of the roomers?
- A. No, private telephone.
- Q. Have you ever telephoned from there?
- A. No.
- Q. Have you ever been arrested before?
- A. No Sir, -- Ah, I won't say that, - I have been for speeding and once in Roxbury, but it did not go to Court.
- Q. What is your business, Mr. Bedard?
- A. I aint doing anything just now. You know what I mean.
- Q. We know, if you will admit it, that you are highjacking.
- A. I hope not.
- Q. Now Mr. Bedard, do you want to change any statement that you have made? Do you want to make any corrections in the statements you have made?
- A. No.
- Q. Everything you have told me is the absolute truth, is it?
- A. Yes Sir.
- Q. You didn't know that there was going to be any hold-up?
- A. No.
- Q. If you did know you would not have gone.
- A. No.
- Q. So that being entirely innocent you have no reason to tell anything but the absolute truth and if you do tell anything but the truth, - in other words if you tell a lie and I catch you in it, that is to show you are guilty, isn't it? You say that everything you say is the truth; that you haven't told any lies?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Now if you do tell a lie you must be guilty. Now I will still give you a change to change your statements. Have you told any lies?
- A. No.
- Q. Everything is the truth?
- A. Yes.
- Q. If I show you where you did lie, you are guilty. Did you stop at any garage in Plainville that day?
- A. I don't remember. To tell the truth, I was asleep. I was pretty much under the weather. I was going to tell you I slept after I left the Bridge.
- Q. Which bridge?
- A. The bridge in Pawtucket.
- Q. When did you wake up after you went to sleep?
- A. They woke me up after they made those bad turns down in the woods.
- Q. Was it in Plainville or Wrentham? What did they wake you up for?
- A. To drive I suppose. They woke me up and told me to drive.
- Q. They woke you up to drive and then they kept on driving to Wampum Corner and he stopped the car and you got in? Until then you were sleeping? Did you ever walk in your sleep?
- A. No.
- Q. Did you go into a garage in Plainville?
- A. I don't remember.
- Q. Did you get a screw driver? If you got a screw driver, what did you get it for? You went into one garage and they would not let you have a screw driver. You went into another and the screw driver was too big and you would not take it?
- A. I don't remember, - I tell you I was sleeping.
- Q. You positively state that you did not go into any garage and did not buy a screw driver?
- A. No. Not me. If I bought one I was dizzy.

- Q. When you left the front of the bank here, how fast did you go?
A. About 45.
Q. What did they say about going fast?
A. They wanted me to go fast.
Q. Why did they want you to go fast?
A. They didn't say.
Q. Did you go the way you wanted?
A. Yes.
Q. Is that your usual pace, 45?
A. Oh no, - 25 or 30.
Q. There is just one thing I want you to tell me, - I don't care whether you do or not because we know anyways, - whereabouts was the car when the glass was broken in the back of it?
A. I don't remember. The breaks were squeaking and they might have broken the glass after they left me.
Q. Do you think it is going to do your case any good when we bring you into Court and tell the Jury the number of lies you have told?
A. I haven't told any lies.
Q. Now that happened Saturday morning and you told us where you went Saturday night, Sunday and Monday. Where were you Friday?
A. The same place.
Q. Where is that?
A. Down to the Polish place.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. Until 11:00 o'clock at night.
Q. Then where did you go?
A. To bed.
Q. Where?
A. At 278 High Street.
Q. Now you are sure that was Friday, are you?
A. Yes.
Q. Now that you remember so well where you went Friday, can you tell us where you went Thursday?
A. I went to Boston Thursday.
Q. What time?
A. About 8:30.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. I got home about 9:30 at night.
Q. After you got home where did you go?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. How late did you stay there?
A. Eleven o'clock.
Q. Where did you go then?
A. Home.
Q. To 278 High Street?
A. Yes.
Q. Where did you go Wednesday?
A. I didn't go anywhere.
Q. Did you stay in your room all day?
A. No, down there to the Polish place.
Q. What time did you go there?
A. About 5:30 in the morning.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. Oh 11:30 or 12:00 o'clock.
Q. Where did you go after you left the Polish place about noon Wednesday?
A. To lunch.
Q. To lunch. Where did you go after lunch?
A. Back there again.
Q. How long did you stay?
A. Eleven o'clock.
Q. Did you go home then?
A. Yes.
Q. When you went to Boston, how did you go. By train?
A. No, automobile.
Q. Whose automobile?
A. Mine.
Q. Is that the only time you drove the automobile, - from Thursday to Saturday?
A. Yes.
Q. That was the only time you drove a car, from Thursday, until you drove the Hudson car Saturday?
A. Yes.

- Q. Do you know a man by the name of Nichols who owns a garage on Brook Street, Pawtucket?
- A. No.
- Q. Do you know where Brook Street is?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How many garages are on that Street?
- A. There is only one real garage.
- Q. Would you know the man if you saw him? What is the last time you saw him?
- A. I think I got gasoline there sometime last week.
- Q. What time? Monday or Tuesday?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Wednesday or Thursday?
- A. No.
- Q. Friday?
- A. No.
- Q. Then it must have been Monday or Tuesday.
- A. Yes.
- Q. Is that the only ^{time} thing you ever went in there for, gasoline?
- A. I don't remember anything else.
- Q. Did you ever get any oil there?
- A. Yes, I guess I did get some oil.
- Q. Did you ever pump any tires there?
- A. No.
- Q. Last Friday night? Is there any reason why that man should tell a lie about you?
- A. No Sir.
- Q. You didn't drive a Hudson car into that garage in Brook Street last Friday night?
- A. Well I guess not.
- Q. And you didn't have any tires pumped last Friday night?
- A. No Sir.
- Q. And you still insist you have told the truth?
- A. As far as I know.
- Q. You don't want to make any changes in your statements? One last chance. Do you want to tell the truth?
- A. Why certainly.
- Q. (By State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari) You can tell him that the man will be dead before 1:00 o'clock.
- A. Oh, I should worry. Put that down. I am done.
- Q. He didn't mean you would be dead, he meant the man that was shot at the Bank. Did you think he meant you?
- A. Yes.
- Q. (By State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari) I am just telling you this for your own benefit. We want to get the man that did this.
- A. I want to get him myself. They stole my car and everything.
- Q. Now Mr. Bedard, you are now charged with attempted murder and if this man dies, you will be charged with murder. You drove those men to the Bank and you waited.
- A. I drove them to the square.
- Q. And you waited in the car to take them away after the crime. In the eyes of the law you are just as guilty as they are and if this man dies you will be charged with murder and the charge will be first degree. Now think these things over and perhaps by morning you may change your mind.

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A. Bedard.
Q. First name?
A. Alfred, - Alfred W.
Q. I am a State Detective, - my name is Floming; this man, (pointing to Chief Ruggles) is a police officer of Wrentham; this man here is State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari. Now we are going to ask you some questions about attempted robbery and murder at the Bank of Wrentham. Do you want to make a statement?
A. I don't know anything about it.
Q. You don't know anything about it? Were you there at the time of the robbery?
A. No.
Q. Where were you at the time the robbery happened?
A. Down the street.
Q. Whereabouts on the street? How far away from the Bank were you?
A. I can't tell you.
Q. Could you see the Bank?
A. No.
Q. What were you doing while these fellows were at the Bank?
A. They told me to wait for them, that they were going to the store.
Q. Where were you then?
A. On the street.
Q. Were you standing?
A. No, sitting.
Q. Where?
A. In the car.
Q. What car?
A. The car they had.
Q. What kind of a car was it?
A. A Hudson.
Q. What was the first time that you sat in that automobile?
A. About half past nine that morning.
Q. Was that the first time you ever saw that automobile as far as you know?
A. Yes.
Q. How many men were in the car?
A. Three.
Q. Who are they?
A. Can't tell you.
Q. Don't you know any of them?
A. I knew one of them years ago, as I told the officer.
Q. What is his name?
A. I don't know that.
Q. You don't know his name?
A. No.
Q. What does he look like? How tall is he?
A. About 5'6".
Q. How much does he weigh?
A. About 140.
Q. What is his complexion?
A. Dark, (let me see, - yes, kind of dark).
Q. What is the color of his hair?
A. I can't tell you.
Q. Color of his eyes?
A. Don't know.
Q. What kind of a hat did he have on?
A. I can't say.
Q. Did he have a hat or a cap?
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A. About the same.
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A. Oh, 150.

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A. Kind of dark, - no, - he was not dark nor he was not blonde.
Q. Would you call it light complexioned?
A. Yes.
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A. Tall and dark.
Q. Taller than you?
A. Yes.
Q. How tall are you?
A. 5'9½".
Q. How tall is he?
A. 5'10".
Q. How much did he weigh?
A. About 165.
Q. What was his complexion?
A. Dark.
Q. Do you know what kind of a hat he had on?
A. He had a cap.
Q. Did these men have overcoats?
A. One had an overcoat.
Q. Which one?
A. The last one, the tall one.
Q. Did you ever see any of these men before?
A. No.
Q. The first time you saw this man whom you did know for a long time was last Saturday morning?
A. Yes.
Q. About what time?
A. About 8:00 o'clock in the morning.
Q. Were the other two men with him at that time?
A. He was alone.
Q. What did he say to you?
A. He wanted to know if I wanted to go for a ride.
Q. Did he have an automobile with him?
A. Yes.
Q. Was it the automobile that you came to the Bank with?
A. Yes.
Q. When he asked you if you wanted a ride, what did you say?
A. All right.
Q. What else did he do?
A. He picked up two other fellows.
Q. Where?
A. In Pawtucket.
Q. Whereabouts in Pawtucket did you meet this fellow?
A. Main Street, - Cross Street and Mill Street.
Q. How far did you go before you picked the other two men up?
A. As far as Broadway.
Q. Was that coming towards Massachusetts?
A. Yes.
Q. What did he say to these two men?
A. He didn't say anything.
Q. What did the men do?
A. They didn't do anything.
Q. How did you happen to pick the other two men up?
A. He just stopped and picked them up.
Q. Who was driving the car?
A. He was driving the car.
Q. After you picked the other two men up, what happened then?
A. He told me to drive.
Q. Did you ask him then why he wanted you to drive the car?
A. No.
Q. Did he tell you where he was going?
A. No.
Q. He didn't tell you where he was going?
A. No. When we got down here he told me to go around the corner while they went to the store.
Q. What other stop did you make?
A. No other stop.
Q. The next stop you made was at the Bank?

- A. No, around the corner, of the Bank.
- Q. Did you change seats at Wampum Corner?
- A. Yes.
- Q. When they stopped the car at the Bank, what did this man tell you to do?
- A. They told me to go around the corner while they went to the store.
- Q. Did they tell you to keep the engine of the car running?
- A. No, I shut it off.
- Q. When did you start it up?
- A. I started up the motor when the three men got into the car.
- Q. Did you see the three men coming across the street from the Bank?
- A. I saw them when they were on the edge of the sidewalk.
- Q. Is that the time they told you to start the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. What, if anything, did you notice about the three men?
- A. Nothing.
- Q. You saw them running?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you see any of them with a pistol or a revolver?
- A. Yes, the tall one.
- Q. What did he do with it?
- A. He put it in his pocket.
- Q. Did you hear a pistol shot?
- A. I think I did.
- Q. Are you sure you didn't see this man running out of the Bank?
- A. No.
- Q. After they got into the car what did they say?
- A. They told me to go ahead as fast as I could or I would be sorry.
- Q. When they got into the car, what did you think had happened?
- A. Well, I didn't know.
- Q. You heard a pistol shot; one of them put a pistol in his pocket. Didn't you start the engine before they got in?
- A. Yes.
- Q. When you left after you started from the Bank, which way did you go?
- A. We went and followed the car track toward Franklin, through Lake Pearl and took the State road.
- Q. When you went to Wampum Corner where did you go?
- A. Straight ahead.
- Q. Did they threaten you with a pistol?
- A. Yes, the dark fellow.
- Q. How far did you go beyond Wampum Corner?
- A. We went away up the State Road.
- Q. Did you go as far as Grants Mill station?
- A. Yes. We went up the road and turned to the left and then the other fellow took the wheel.
- Q. Which fellow?
- A. The fellow that had it before.
- Q. What did you do then?
- A. They took me as far as South Attleboro and left me there and I haven't seen them since.
- Q. When was the first that you heard of the hold-up?
- A. Sunday morning.
- Q. What did you do?
- A. I didn't know what to do.
- Q. Where did you hear about it?
- A. I read it in the paper.
- Q. On the street?
- A. No, - inside of a place.
- Q. What place?
- A. I can't tell the name or anything.
- Q. How did you happen to be there? Did they have any liquor?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How many times had you been at that place before?
- A. Oh, for the past year and a half.
- Q. You were in this kind of a store weren't you when this fellow came in?
- A. Yes.

- Q. And that was where you were the next morning when you read about the hold-up?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you know when you read the paper that the hold-up you were reading about was the one in which you had driven the car?
- A. Well I suspected it was but wasn't sure.
- Q. You have been through Wrentham a good many times before, haven't you?
- A. Oh, three or four times a week for about two years.
- Q. What time were you here that Saturday morning?
- A. About 9:00 o'clock.
- Q. You knew it was between ten or eleven o'clock, didn't you?
- A. I didn't look at my watch.
- Q. You knew that three men had entered the Bank?
- A. I read it in the paper.
- Q. You knew that one man had sat in the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And you knew that three men got into the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. You knew that the car went toward Franklin?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Well you said a few minutes ago you only suspected.
- A. Yes.
- Q. Monday when you read it you knew that was the hold-up?
- A. Yes, I read it in New Hampshire.
- Q. How long were you in New Hampshire?
- A. I got back Monday night.
- Q. Back where?
- A. Boston.
- Q. How long did you stay in Boston?
- A. I stayed in Boston until yesterday morning.
- Q. How often do you go to Boston?
- A. Three or four times a week.
- Q. What did you go to Boston for?
- A. What did I go to Boston for? On business.
- Q. What business?
- A. Oh, I don't know.
- Q. If it was liquor business, that isn't going to hurt you. This has nothing to do with the liquor business.
- (No answer)
- Q. What did you go to New Hampshire for?
- (No answer)
- Q. You say that you were in this Polish store in Pawtucket Saturday morning at 8:00 o'clock and this man whom you had previously known, but you don't know now, came in there and asked you to go for a ride?
- A. Yes, that is right.
- Q. And you went for a ride with him, and about half past nine you picked up two other fellows and you drove to Wampum Corner and stopped there to change seats. Is that right?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And that is the first time you stopped when you picked the other two men up, until you got to Wampum Corner, - then you took the wheel at Wampum Corner and drove to Wrentham Square. You didn't make any other stops. That is your statement, is it?
- A. Yes.
- Q. You don't want to change it any?
- A. No.
- Q. Can you describe these men any different? What is the nationality of the first man you described.
- A. Irish descent.
- Q. What was the nationality of the second man you described, - the light complexioned one?
- A. Well I think he was, --- I don't know whether he was Irish or a Swede.
- Q. What was the nationality of the tall man?
- A. Very dark. I heard him say he belonged to Mexico.
- Q. When did you hear him say that?
- A. On the way back.
- Q. What type of car was this you were driving?
- A. Hudson.
- Q. What kind of a Hudson?
- A. An open car - five passenger.
- Q. New or an old one?
- A. New car.

Q. What kind of tires?
A. I don't know.
Q. Balloon tires?
A. I couldn't tell you.
Q. Do you own an automobile?
A. Yes.
Q. How long have you owned an automobile?
A. 1906
Q. Eighteen years?
A. Yes.
Q. Have you had any experience in repairing automobiles?
A. Plenty.
Q. Do you consider yourself an expert automobile man?
A. On certain cars, yes. Buick cars.
Q. And all these years in that game you don't know what kind of tires?
A. I didn't look at them.
Q. Were you excited in any way? When you got in the car at first what seat did you sit in.
A. On the seat with him.
Q. Did you notice the windshield on the car?
A. Windshield?
Q. Yes. How was it?
A. All right.
Q. Did you notice the windows of the car?
A. Didn't notice them.
Q. At any time on the ride did you hear glass break on the car?
A. I don't know whether I did or not, the breaks were squeaking.
Q. Did you see any police officer after you left the Bank?
A. No.
Q. Where did you leave the car?
A. They left me at Broadway on the bridge.
Q. What time was it?
A. I don't know.
Q. About what time?
A. Oh it must have been about 12:00.
Q. Had you had your dinner at that time?
A. No.
Q. What time did you have your dinner Saturday?
A. Oh about 2:30 or 3:00 o'clock.
Q. Do you think it was about 2:00 o'clock when they landed?
A. Yes.
Q. Did they pay you for taking the ride?
A. No.
Q. Did they give any reasons for not paying you?
A. No, - just told me to get out.
Q. Did they tell you not to say anything about it to a police officer?
A. Not a word.
Q. Where did you go after that?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. What time?
A. About 2:30 or 3:00 o'clock.
Q. Then where did you go?
A. I went home.
Q. What time?
A. About 5:00 o'clock.
Q. What time did you come out again?
A. Oh, about seven.
Q. Where did you go then?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. How long did you stay then?
A. Until about 11:00 o'clock.
Q. Did you see any police officer?
A. No.
Q. Did you look for a police officer?
A. No.
Q. If you had seen a police officer what would you have done?
A. Well I was feeling pretty good so I don't know what I would have done.
Q. Would you have told him about what happened in Wrentham?
A. I don't know.

- Q. When you say home, what do you mean by home? Have you a family?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Do you stay there all the time?
- A. No I have a room.
- Q. Where?
- A. High Street, number 278.
- Q. Is there a telephone?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Is that for the use of the roomers?
- A. No, private telephone.
- Q. Have you ever telephoned from there?
- A. No.
- Q. Have you ever been arrested before?
- A. No Sir, -- Ah, I won't say that, - I have been for speeding and once in Roxbury, but it did not go to Court.
- Q. What is your business, Mr. Bedard?
- A. I aint doing anything just now. You know what I mean.
- Q. We know, if you will admit it, that you are highjacking.
- A. I hope not.
- Q. Now Mr. Bedard, do you want to change any statement that you have made? Do you want to make any corrections in the statements you have made?
- A. No.
- Q. Everything you have told me is the absolute truth, is it?
- A. Yes Sir.
- Q. You didn't know that there was going to be any hold-up?
- A. No.
- Q. If you did know you would not have gone.
- A. No.
- Q. So that being entirely innocent you have no reason to tell anything but the absolute truth and if you do tell anything but the truth, - in other words if you tell a lie and I catch you in it, that is to show you are guilty, isn't it? You say that everything you say is the truth; that you haven't told any lies?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Now if you do tell a lie you must be guilty. Now I will still give you a change to change your statements. Have you told any lies?
- A. No.
- Q. Everything is the truth?
- A. Yes.
- Q. If I show you where you did lie, you are guilty. Did you stop at any garage in Plainville that day?
- A. I don't remember. To tell the truth, I was asleep. I was pretty much under the weather. I was going to tell you I slept after I left the Bridge.
- Q. Which bridge?
- A. The bridge in Pawtucket.
- Q. When did you wake up after you went to sleep?
- A. They woke me up after they made those bad turns down in the woods.
- Q. Was it in Plainville or Wrentham? What did they wake you up for?
- A. To drive I suppose. They woke me up and told me to drive.
- Q. They woke you up to drive and then they kept on driving to Wampum Corner and he stopped the car and you got in? Until then you were sleeping? Did you ever walk in your sleep?
- A. No.
- Q. Did you go into a garage in Plainville?
- A. I don't remember.
- Q. Did you get a screw driver? If you got a screw driver, what did you get it for? You went into one garage and they would not let you have a screw driver. You went into another and the screw driver was too big and you would not take it?
- A. I don't remember, - I tell you I was sleeping.
- Q. You positively state that you did not go into any garage and did not buy a screw driver?
- A. No. Not me. If I bought one I was dizzy.

- Q. When you left the front of the bank here, how fast did you go?
A. About 45.
Q. What did they say about going fast?
A. They wanted me to go fast.
Q. Why did they want you to go fast?
A. They didn't say.
Q. Did you go the way you wanted?
A. Yes.
Q. Is that your usual pace, 45?
A. Oh no, - 25 or 30.
Q. There is just one thing I want you to tell me, - I don't care whether you do or not because we know anyways, - whereabouts was the car when the glass was broken in the back of it?
A. I don't remember. The breaks were squeaking and they might have broken the glass after they left me.
Q. Do you think it is going to do your case any good when we bring you into Court and tell the Jury the number of lies you have told?
A. I haven't told any lies.
Q. Now that happened Saturday morning and you told us where you went Saturday night, Sunday and Monday. Where were you Friday?
A. The same place.
Q. Where is that?
A. Down to the Polish place.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. Until 11:00 o'clock at night.
Q. Then where did you go?
A. To bed.
Q. Where?
A. At 278 High Street.
Q. Now you are sure that was Friday, are you?
A. Yes.
Q. Now that you remember so well where you went Friday, can you tell us where you went Thursday?
A. I went to Boston Thursday.
Q. What time?
A. About 8:30.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. I got home about 9:30 at night.
Q. After you got home where did you go?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. How late did you stay there?
A. Eleven o'clock.
Q. Where did you go then?
A. Home.
Q. To 278 High Street?
A. Yes.
Q. Where did you go Wednesday?
A. I didn't go anywhere.
Q. Did you stay in your room all day?
A. No, down there to the Polish place.
Q. What time did you go there?
A. About 5:30 in the morning.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. Oh 11:30 or 12:00 o'clock.
Q. Where did you go after you left the Polish place about noon Wednesday?
A. To lunch.
Q. To lunch. Where did you go after lunch?
A. Back there again.
Q. How long did you stay?
A. Eleven o'clock.
Q. Did you go home then?
A. Yes.
Q. When you went to Boston, how did you go. By train?
A. No, automobile.
Q. Whose automobile?
A. Mine.
Q. Is that the only time you drove the automobile, - from Thursday to Saturday?
A. Yes.
Q. That was the only time you drove a car, from Thursday, until you drove the Hudson car Saturday?
A. Yes.

- Q. Do you know a man by the name of Nichols who owns a garage on Brook Street, Pawtucket?
- A. No.
- Q. Do you know where Brook Street is?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How many garages are on that Street?
- A. There is only one real garage.
- Q. Would you know the man if you saw him? What is the last time you saw him?
- A. I think I got gasoline there sometime last week.
- Q. What time? Monday or Tuesday?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Wednesday or Thursday?
- A. No.
- Q. Friday?
- A. No.
- Q. Then it must have been Monday or Tuesday.
- A. Yes.
- Q. Is that the only thing you ever went in there for, gasoline?
- A. I don't remember anything else.
- Q. Did you ever get any oil there?
- A. Yes, I guess I did get some oil.
- Q. Did you ever pump any tires there?
- A. No.
- Q. Last Friday night? Is there any reason why that man should tell a lie about you?
- A. No Sir.
- Q. You didn't drive a Hudson car into that garage in Brook Street last Friday night?
- A. Well I guess not.
- Q. And you didn't have any tires pumped last Friday night?
- A. No Sir.
- Q. And you still insist you have told the truth?
- A. As far as I know.
- Q. You don't want to make any changes in your statements? One last chance. Do you want to tell the truth?
- A. Why certainly.
- Q. (By State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari) You can tell him that the man will be dead before 1:00 o'clock.
- A. Oh, I should worry. Put that down. I am done.
- Q. He didn't mean you would be dead, he meant the man that was shot at the Bank. Did you think he meant you?
- A. Yes.
- Q. (By State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari) I am just telling you this for your own benefit. We want to get the man that did this.
- A. I want to get him myself. They stole my car and everything.
- Q. Now Mr. Bedard, you are now charged with attempted murder and if this man dies, you will be charged with murder. You drove those men to the Bank and you waited.
- A. I drove them to the square.
- Q. And you waited in the car to take them away after the crime. In the eyes of the law you are just as guilty as they are and if this man dies you will be charged with murder and the charge will be first degree. Now think these things over and perhaps by morning you may change your mind.

Thursday Evening, Nov. 8, 1924.

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- Q. What is your name?
A. Bedard.
Q. First name?
A. Alfred, - Alfred W.
Q. I am a State Detective, - my name is Fleming; this man, (pointing to Chief Ruggles) is a police officer of Wrentham; this man here is State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari. Now we are going to ask you some questions about attempted robbery and murder at the Bank of Wrentham. Do you want to make a statement?
A. I don't know anything about it.
Q. You don't know anything about it? Were you there at the time of the robbery?
A. No.
Q. Where were you at the time the robbery happened?
A. Down the street.
Q. Whereabouts on the street? How far away from the Bank were you?
A. I can't tell you.
Q. Could you see the Bank?
A. No.
Q. What were you doing while these fellows were at the Bank?
A. They told me to wait for them, that they were going to the store.
Q. Where were you then?
A. On the street.
Q. Were you standing?
A. No, sitting.
Q. Where?
A. In the car.
Q. What car?
A. The car they had.
Q. What kind of a car was it?
A. A Hudson.
Q. What was the first time that you sat in that automobile?
A. About half past nine that morning.
Q. Was that the first time you ever saw that automobile as far as you know?
A. Yes.
Q. How many men were in the car?
A. Three.
Q. Who are they?
A. Can't tell you.
Q. Don't you know any of them?
A. I knew one of them years ago, as I told the officer.
Q. What is his name?
A. I don't know that.
Q. You don't know his name?
A. No.
Q. What does he look like? How tall is he?
A. About 5'6".
Q. How much does he weigh?
A. About 140.
Q. What is his complexion?
A. Dark, (let me see, - yes, kind of dark).
Q. What is the color of his hair?
A. I can't tell you.
Q. Color of his eyes?
A. Don't know.
Q. What kind of a hat did he have on?
A. I can't say.
Q. Did he have a hat or a cap?
A. I don't know.
Q. What did the other fellow look like? How tall was he?
A. About the same.
Q. How much did he weigh?
A. Oh, 150.

Q. What was his complexion?
A. Kind of dark, - no, - he was not dark nor he was not blonde.
Q. Would you call it light complexioned?
A. Yes.
Q. Now the third man, - how tall was he?
A. Tall and dark.
Q. Taller than you?
A. Yes.
Q. How tall are you?
A. 5'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".
Q. How tall is he?
A. 5'10".
Q. How much did he weigh?
A. About 165.
Q. What was his complexion?
A. Dark.
Q. Do you know what kind of a hat he had on?
A. He had a cap.
Q. Did these men have overcoats?
A. One had an overcoat.
Q. Which one?
A. The last one, the tall one.
Q. Did you ever see any of these men before?
A. No.
Q. The first time you saw this man whom you did know for a long time was last Saturday morning?
A. Yes.
Q. About what time?
A. About 8:00 o'clock in the morning.
Q. Were the other two men with him at that time?
A. He was alone.
Q. What did he say to you?
A. He wanted to know if I wanted to go for a ride.
Q. Did he have an automobile with him?
A. Yes.
Q. Was it the automobile that you came to the Bank with?
A. Yes.
Q. When he asked you if you wanted a ride, what did you say?
A. All right.
Q. What else did he do?
A. He picked up two other fellows.
Q. Where?
A. In Pawtucket.
Q. Whereabouts in Pawtucket did you meet this fellow?
A. Main Street, - Cross Street and Mill Street.
Q. How far did you go before you picked the other two men up?
A. As far as Broadway.
Q. Was that coming towards Massachusetts?
A. Yes.
Q. What did he say to these two men?
A. He didn't say anything.
Q. What did the men do?
A. They didn't do anything.
Q. How did you happen to pick the other two men up?
A. He just stopped and picked them up.
Q. Who was driving the car?
A. He was driving the car.
Q. After you picked the other two men up, what happened then?
A. He told me to drive.
Q. Did you ask him then why he wanted you to drive the car?
A. No.
Q. Did he tell you where he was going?
A. No.
Q. He didn't tell you where he was going?
A. No. When we got down here he told me to go around the corner while they went to the store.
Q. What other stop did you make?
A. No other stop.
Q. The next stop you made was at the Bank?

- A. No, around the corner of the Bank.
- Q. Did you change seats at Wampum Corner?
- A. Yes.
- Q. When they stopped the car at the Bank, what did this man tell you to do?
- A. They told me to go around the corner while they went to the store.
- Q. Did they tell you to keep the engine of the car running?
- A. No, I shut it off.
- Q. When did you start it up?
- A. I started up the motor when the three men got into the car.
- Q. Did you see the three men coming across the street from the Bank?
- A. I saw them when they were on the edge of the sidewalk.
- Q. Is that the time they told you to start the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. What, if anything, did you notice about the three men?
- A. Nothing.
- Q. You saw them running?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you see any of them with a pistol or a revolver?
- A. Yes, the tall one.
- Q. What did he do with it?
- A. He put it in his pocket.
- Q. Did you hear a pistol shot?
- A. I think I did.
- Q. Are you sure you didn't see this man running out of the Bank?
- A. No.
- Q. After they got into the car what did they say?
- A. They told me to go ahead as fast as I could or I would be sorry.
- Q. When they got into the car, what did you think had happened?
- A. Well, I didn't know.
- Q. You heard a pistol shot; one of them put a pistol in his pocket. Didn't you start the engine before they got in?
- A. Yes.
- Q. When you left after you started from the Bank, which way did you go?
- A. We went and followed the car track toward Franklin, through Lake Pearl and took the State road.
- Q. When you went to Wampum Corner where did you go?
- A. Straight ahead.
- Q. Did they threaten you with a pistol?
- A. Yes, the dark fellow.
- Q. How far did you go beyond Wampum Corner?
- A. We went away up the State Road.
- Q. Did you go as far as Grants Mill station?
- A. Yes. We went up the road and turned to the left and then the other fellow took the wheel.
- Q. Which fellow?
- A. The fellow that had it before.
- Q. What did you do then?
- A. They took me as far as South Attleboro and left me there and I haven't seen them since.
- Q. When was the first that you heard of the hold-up?
- A. Sunday morning.
- Q. What did you do?
- A. I didn't know what to do.
- Q. Where did you hear about it?
- A. I read it in the paper.
- Q. On the street?
- A. No, - inside of a place.
- Q. What place?
- A. I can't tell the name or anything.
- Q. How did you happen to be there? Did they have any liquor?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How many times had you been at that place before?
- A. Oh, for the past year and a half.
- Q. You were in this kind of a store weren't you when this fellow came in?
- A. Yes.

- Q. And that was where you were the next morning when you read about the hold-up?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you know when you read the paper that the hold-up you were reading about was the one in which you had driven the car?
- A. Well I suspected it was but wasn't sure.
- Q. You have been through Wrentham a good many times before, haven't you?
- A. Oh, three or four times a week for about two years.
- Q. What time were you here that Saturday morning?
- A. About 9:00 o'clock.
- Q. You knew it was between ten or eleven o'clock, didn't you?
- A. I didn't look at my watch.
- Q. You knew that three men had entered the Bank?
- A. I read it in the paper.
- Q. You knew that one man had sat in the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And you knew that three men got into the car?
- A. Yes.
- Q. You knew that the car went toward Franklin?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Well you said a few minutes ago you only suspected.
- A. Yes.
- Q. Monday when you read it you knew that was the hold-up?
- A. Yes, I read it in New Hampshire.
- Q. How long were you in New Hampshire?
- A. I got back Monday night.
- Q. Back where?
- A. Boston.
- Q. How long did you stay in Boston?
- A. I stayed in Boston until yesterday morning.
- Q. How often do you go to Boston?
- A. Three or four times a week.
- Q. What did you go to Boston for?
- A. What did I go to Boston for? On business.
- Q. What business?
- A. Oh, I don't know.
- Q. If it was liquor business, that isn't going to hurt you. This has nothing to do with the liquor business.
- (No answer)
- Q. What did you go to New Hampshire for?
- (No answer)
- Q. You say that you were in this Polish store in Pawtucket Saturday morning at 8:00 o'clock and this man whom you had previously known, but you don't know now, came in there and asked you to go for a ride?
- A. Yes, that is right.
- Q. And you went for a ride with him, and about half past nine you picked up two other fellows and you drove to Wampum Corner and stopped there to change seats. Is that right?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And that is the first time you stopped when you picked the other two men up, until you got to Wampum Corner, - then you took the wheel at Wampum Corner and drove to Wrentham Square. You didn't make any other stops. That is your statement, is it?
- A. Yes.
- Q. You don't want to change it any?
- A. No.
- Q. Can you describe these men any different? What is the nationality of the first man you described.
- A. Irish descent.
- Q. What was the nationality of the second man you described, - the light complexioned one?
- A. Well I think he was, --- I don't know whether he was Irish or a Swede.
- Q. What was the nationality of the tall man?
- A. Very dark. I heard him say he belonged to Mexico.
- Q. When did you hear him say that?
- A. On the way back.
- Q. What type of car was this you were driving?
- A. Hudson.
- Q. What kind of a Hudson?
- A. An open car - five passenger.
- Q. New or an old one?
- A. New car.

Q. What kind of tires?
A. I don't know.
Q. Balloon tires?
A. I couldn't tell you.
Q. Do you own an automobile?
A. Yes.
Q. How long have you owned an automobile?
A. 1906
Q. Eighteen years?
A. Yes.
Q. Have you had any experience in repairing automobiles?
A. Plenty.
Q. Do you consider yourself an expert automobile man?
A. On certain cars, yes. Buick cars.
Q. And all these years in that game you don't know what kind of tires?
A. I didn't look at them.
Q. Were you excited in any way? When you got in the car at first what seat did you sit in.
A. On the seat with him.
Q. Did you notice the windshield on the car?
A. Windshield?
Q. Yes. How was it?
A. All right.
Q. Did you notice the windows of the car?
A. Didn't notice them.
Q. At any time on the ride did you hear glass break on the car?
A. I don't know whether I did or not, the breaks were squeaking.
Q. Did you see any police officer after you left the Bank?
A. No.
Q. Where did you leave the car?
A. They left me at Broadway on the bridge.
Q. What time was it?
A. I don't know.
Q. About what time?
A. Oh it must have been about 12:00.
Q. Had you had your dinner at that time?
A. No.
Q. What time did you have your dinner Saturday?
A. Oh about 2:30 or 3:00 o'clock.
Q. Do you think it was about 2:00 o'clock when they landed?
A. Yes.
Q. Did they pay you for taking the ride?
A. No.
Q. Did they give any reasons for not paying you?
A. No, - just told me to get out.
Q. Did they tell you not to say anything about it to a police officer?
A. Not a word.
Q. Where did you go after that?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. What time?
A. About 2:30 or 3:00 o'clock.
Q. Then where did you go?
A. I went home.
Q. What time?
A. About 5:00 o'clock.
Q. What time did you come out again?
A. Oh, about seven.
Q. Where did you go then?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. How long did you stay then?
A. Until about 11:00 o'clock.
Q. Did you see any police officer?
A. No.
Q. Did you look for a police officer?
A. No.
Q. If you had seen a police officer what would you have done?
A. Well I was feeling pretty good so I don't know what I would have done.
Q. Would you have told him about what happened in Wrentham?
A. I don't know.

- Q. When you say home, what do you mean by home? Have you a family?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Do you stay there all the time?
- A. No I have a room.
- Q. Where?
- A. High Street, number 278.
- Q. Is there a telephone?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Is that for the use of the roomers?
- A. No, private telephone.
- Q. Have you ever telephoned from there?
- A. No.
- Q. Have you ever been arrested before?
- A. No Sir, -- Ah, I won't say that, - I have been for speeding and once in Roxbury, but it did not go to Court.
- Q. What is your business, Mr. Bedard?
- A. I aint doing anything just now. You know what I mean.
- Q. We know, if you will admit it, that you are highjacking.
- A. I hope not.
- Q. Now Mr. Bedard, do you want to change any statement that you have made? Do you want to make any corrections in the statements you have made?
- A. No.
- Q. Everything you have told me is the absolute truth, is it?
- A. Yes Sir.
- Q. You didn't know that there was going to be any hold-up?
- A. No.
- Q. If you did know you would not have gone.
- A. No.
- Q. So that being entirely innocent you have no reason to tell anything but the absolute truth and if you do tell anything but the truth, - in other words if you tell a lie and I catch you in it, that is to show you are guilty, isn't it? You say that everything you say is the truth; that you haven't told any lies?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Now if you do tell a lie you must be guilty. Now I will still give you a chance to change your statements. Have you told any lies?
- A. No.
- Q. Everything is the truth?
- A. Yes.
- Q. If I show you where you did lie, you are guilty. Did you stop at any garage in Plainville that day?
- A. I don't remember. To tell the truth, I was asleep. I was pretty much under the weather. I was going to tell you I slept after I left the Bridge.
- Q. Which bridge?
- A. The bridge in Pawtucket.
- Q. When did you wake up after you went to sleep?
- A. They woke me up after they made those bad turns down in the woods.
- Q. Was it in Plainville or Wrentham? What did they wake you up for?
- A. To drive I suppose. They woke me up and told me to drive.
- Q. They woke you up to drive and then they kept on driving to Wampum Corner and he stopped the car and you got in? Until then you were sleeping? Did you ever walk in your sleep?
- A. No.
- Q. Did you go into a garage in Plainville?
- A. I don't remember.
- Q. Did you get a screw driver? If you got a screw driver, what did you get it for? You went into one garage and they would not let you have a screw driver. You went into another and the screw driver was too big and you would not take it?
- A. I don't remember, - I tell you I was sleeping.
- Q. You positively state that you did not go into any garage and did not buy a screw driver?
- A. No. Not me. If I bought one I was dizzy.

- Q. When you left the front of the bank here, how fast did you go?
A. About 45.
Q. What did they say about going fast?
A. They wanted me to go fast.
Q. Why did they want you to go fast?
A. They didn't say.
Q. Did you go the way you wanted?
A. Yes.
Q. Is that your usual pace, 45?
A. Oh no, - 25 or 30.
Q. There is just one thing I want you to tell me, - I don't care whether you do or not because we know anyways, - whereabouts was the car when the glass was broken in the back of it?
A. I don't remember. The breaks were squeaking and they might have broken the glass after they left me.
Q. Do you think it is going to do your case any good when we bring you into Court and tell the Jury the number of lies you have told?
A. I haven't told any lies.
Q. Now that happened Saturday morning and you told us where you went Saturday night, Sunday and Monday. Where were you Friday?
A. The same place.
Q. Where is that?
A. Down to the Polish place.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. Until 11:00 o'clock at night.
Q. Then where did you go?
A. To bed.
Q. Where?
A. At 278 High Street.
Q. Now you are sure that was Friday, are you?
A. Yes.
Q. Now that you remember so well where you went Friday, can you tell us where you went Thursday?
A. I went to Boston Thursday.
Q. What time?
A. About 8:30.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. I got home about 9:30 at night.
Q. After you got home where did you go?
A. To the Polish place.
Q. How late did you stay there?
A. Eleven o'clock.
Q. Where did you go then?
A. Home.
Q. To 278 High Street?
A. Yes.
Q. Where did you go Wednesday?
A. I didn't go anywhere.
Q. Did you stay in your room all day?
A. No, down there to the Polish place.
Q. What time did you go there?
A. About 5:30 in the morning.
Q. How long did you stay there?
A. Oh 11:30 or 12:00 o'clock.
Q. Where did you go after you left the Polish place about noon Wednesday?
A. To lunch.
Q. To lunch. Where did you go after lunch?
A. Back there again.
Q. How long did you stay?
A. Eleven o'clock.
Q. Did you go home then?
A. Yes.
Q. When you went to Boston, how did you go. By train?
A. No, automobile.
Q. Whose automobile?
A. Mine.
Q. Is that the only time you drove the automobile, - from Thursday to Saturday?
A. Yes.
Q. That was the only time you drove a car, from Thursday, until you drove the Hudson car Saturday?
A. Yes.

- Q. Do you know a man by the name of Nichols who owns a garage on Brook Street, Pawtucket?
- A. No.
- Q. Do you know where Brook Street is?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How many garages are on that Street?
- A. There is only one real garage.
- Q. Would you know the man if you saw him? What is the last time you saw him?
- A. I think I got gasoline there sometime last week.
- Q. What time? Monday or Tuesday?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Wednesday or Thursday?
- A. No.
- Q. Friday?
- A. No.
- Q. Then it must have been Monday or Tuesday.
- A. Yes.
- Q. Is that the only thing you ever went in there for, gasoline?
- A. I don't remember anything else.
- Q. Did you ever get any oil there?
- A. Yes, I guess I did get some oil.
- Q. Did you ever pump any tires there?
- A. No.
- Q. Last Friday night? Is there any reason why that man should tell a lie about you?
- A. No Sir.
- Q. You didn't drive a Hudson car into that garage in Brook Street last Friday night?
- A. Well I guess not.
- Q. And you didn't have any tires pumped last Friday night?
- A. No Sir.
- Q. And you still insist you have told the truth?
- A. As far as I know.
- Q. You don't want to make any changes in your statements? One last chance. Do you want to tell the truth?
- A. Why certainly.
- Q. (By State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari) You can tell him that the man will be dead before 1:00 o'clock.
- A. Oh, I should worry. Put that down. I am done.
- Q. He didn't mean you would be dead, he meant the man that was shot at the Bank. Did you think he meant you?
- A. Yes.
- Q. (By State Detective ~~for~~ Ferrari) I am just telling you this for your own benefit. We want to get the man that did this.
- A. I want to get him myself. They stole my car and everything.
- Q. Now Mr. Bedard, you are now charged with attempted murder and if this man dies, you will be charged with murder. You drove those men to the Bank and you waited.
- A. I drove them to the square.
- Q. And you waited in the car to take them away after the crime. In the eyes of the law you are just as guilty as they are and if this man dies you will be charged with murder and the charge will be first degree. Now think these things over and perhaps by morning you may change your mind.