Witnesses Levi Bailey Wm. T. Bailey Edgar Deleven Aaron Brown John Ferris Harlan Bailey Filed 24th day of May 1831

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THE PEOPLE)	
)	Indictment
VS.)	for
)	Forgery.
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George D. Hin	e)	

Wm Nelson District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

James D. Merritt Foreman -

WITNESSES.

John Owen Rich. M. Baddran Barnabey Allen James Turk Elizabeth Turk Samuel Austin Chs. Kennard Harkaliah Bailey WESTCHESTER COUNTY, SS.

The Jurors of the People of the State of New-York, in and for the body of the County of Westchester, upon their Oath & affirmation present: THAT George D. Hine late of the Town of

Somers in the County of Westchester Wheelwright heretofore to wit -----

on the Eleventh day of May – in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one, - with force and arms, at the town of Somers ---- in the county of Westchester aforesaid, feloniously did falsely make, forge and counterfeit, and cause and procure to be falsely made, forged and counterfeited, and willingly act and assist in the false making, forging and counterfeiting of a certain instrument in writing for payment of money, commonly called a Bank Note which said false, forged and counterfeited instrument in writing commonly called a Bank note for payment of money, is as follows: that is to say,

No. 4010 ----- C. The Chemical Bank will pay three Dollars on demand to G. Port or bearer New York 5 Nov 1830 A. Craig Cashr.

R. P. Melick Prest.

With intention to defraud the Chemical Bank of the

City of the New York------

against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of the State of New-York, and their dignity.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath & affirmation aforesaid, do further present, That the said George D. Hine ------

afterwards, to wit, on the said Eleventh day of May ----in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one with force and arms, at the town of Somers ---in the county of Westchester aforesaid, feloniously and falsely did utter and publish as true, with intention to defraud one John Owen ------

Westchester County ss. The Jurors of the People of the State of New York in & for the body of the County of Westchester upon their oath and affirmation present that George D Hine late of the town of Somers in the said County of Westchester Wheelwright heretofore to wit on the Eleventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty one with force & arms at the town of Somers in the same- County of Westchester aforesaid sundry had in his possession sundry sundry forged or counterfeited nogotiable notes for the payment of money purporting to have been issued by different incorporations or companies duly authorized for that purpose by the Laws of the State of New York among which forged and counterfeit promisary negotiable notes so as aforesaid purporting to have been issued by incorporations or companies duly authorized for that purpose and so in the possion of this said George D. Hine were one negotiable note purporting to have been issued by the Bank of Geneva, whereby bearing date the first day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred & twenty nine, whereby the said Bank promised to pay R. Troop or bearer on demand three dollars, one negotiable note purporting to have been issued by the Chemical Bank bearing date the second day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred & thirty, whereby it purported that the said Bank promised to would pay three Dollars on demand to Mr. Embury or bearer, and one negotiable note purporting to have been issued by the President directors & Company of the Bank of Orange County whereby the bearing date the third day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight whereby it purported that this said President directors

and Company of the Bank of Orange County promised to pay on demand to F. Wygant or bearer ten dollars.

As the said George D. Hine at the time he so as aforesaid had the said forged & counterfeited promisory negotiable notes in his possession as aforesaid well knew the same to be false forged & counterfeited with intention to utter the same as true or false, or to cause the same As he so uttered with intent to defraud same person or persons body Corporate or politic to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made & provided and against the peace of the people of this State of New York & their dignity –

And the Jurors aforesaid upon their oaths and affirmation aforesaid do further present that the said George D Hine afterwards to meet on the Eleventh day of May in the year aforesaid with force & arms &c at Somers in the County of Westchester aforesaid had in his possession certain other forged and counterfeited negotiable notes purporting to have been issued by different corporations or companies duly authorized for that purpose by the Laws of the State of New York & by the Laws of other states of the United States, further said George D Hines at the time he so as aforesaid had in among which said last mentioned negotiable notes so as aforesaid in the

possession of the said George D Hine were one negotiable note purporting to have been issued by the Bank of Geneva bearing date the first day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred & twenty nine, By which it purported that the said Bank promised to pay R. Troop or bearer on demand three Dollars, one negotiable note purporting to have been issued by the Chemical Bank bearing date the fifth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred & thirty whereby it purported that the said would pay three Dollars on demand to G. Port or bearer, and one negotiable note purporting to have been issued by the Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania bearing date the third day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred & thirty, whereby it purported that the said Bank promised to pay three Dollars to James Moore or bearer on demand. As the said George D. Hine at the time

he so as aforesaid had in his possion the said last mentioned forged & counterfeited negotiable notes well knowing the same to be forged & counterfeited, with instructions to utter the same as true or to cause the same to be so uttered with instruction intent to injure or defraud some person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown & other wrongs contrary to As form of the statute in such case made & provided & against the peace of the people of the State of New York & their dignity –

> W^m Nelson Dist. Attorney

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