
Post-Trial Proceedings

People v. Maynard, 80 Misc. 2d 279 - NY:
Supreme Court, New York 1974

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Correspondence Between Steel and Maynard (May 25, 1972)

Lewis Steel '63

May 25, 1972

Mr. William A. Maynard, Jr.
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Dear Tony:

The district attorney demanded until August to file an answering brief, so your case was put over until September. We checked with the Appellate Division and found out that they would grant the adjournment whether we opposed it or not, so we did it by consent.

As a result of the postponement, I decided to file a motion in your behalf in order to obtain bail, a copy of which is enclosed. Dan will argue the motion on June 7th before a judge named Sidney Asch, who has liberal tendencies. Maybe we can prevail upon him at this time to set bail. If he does so, of course it would be at a high amount, probably in the vicinity of \$50,000. We would then attempt a fund raising campaign through Styron and others in order to raise the dough. The bail jumps, of course, are going to be what the district attorney will rely upon to oppose our motion. All we can do is wait and see what happens.

I will be in California all summer, and Dan will be around the office. Will see you when I come back from the Coast.

Sincerely,

Lewis M. Steel

LMS/cpm

P.S. We ordered the books and leather craft items. Have you received any more of the other books previously ordered?