

had taken the impression of my mouth, the bell rang, or some one called, and then he left me. I sat still and vomited considerably; at length I got upon my feet; the prisoner opened the door communicating between the waiting-room and the surgery, and allowed me to pass out. He followed behind me coming down stairs. Passing through the waiting-room, I saw that there were three gentlemen there; on leaving, he told me he would have the teeth ready by Friday, if not, he would send me word. I then went home. All this occurred on Wednesday, the 22nd of this month. The second time I came to consciousness, I felt the weight of the prisoner on me. I feel confident of this fact. [Witness proceeded to detail her reasons for this assertion. They were unfit for publication.] She went on—I have no doubt at all that the prisoner was in this position; but at the same time I was not sufficiently conscious to perceive the state of my clothes. He did not extract the stump of my tooth; it is yet in my mouth. When he gave me the chloroform it was with the intention of drawing this stump. He assigned as a reason for not extracting the stump, that he had not gas enough in the chloroform. He administered the chloroform three times. I have already stated, that during the period of consciousness I was lying on the sofa, he sitting on the sofa beside me, and his hand on a certain part of my person. I have now stated all that I recollect. On arriving at my own house, I spoke to my husband. I told him that I would not again go to Dr. Webster's; because I thought that he was a nasty, dirty old fellow. When I perceived the prisoner in the condition I have already mentioned, I recollect pushing him with my hand as well as I could. When I went home I perceived my under-clothes were very wet. I became aware of this circumstance before I left the prisoner's office. I thought it was my own urine, and attributed it to the fact that I had been greatly pulled about. When I first took the chloroform I was sitting on the dental chair; when I became conscious I was on the sofa. I do not know how I was removed.

Cross-examined by Mr Devlin.

About four months ago I took chloroform. It was administered by the prisoner. I was then getting my mouth prepared for a new set of teeth. I took no chloroform before or since until this last occurrence. The first time I took it I was accompanied by my little daughter. My stomach then grew sick; but my clothes were not wet at that time. On Wednesday last, when the prisoner brought me into the surgery, he did not lock the door communicating between it and the waiting-room. The door might have been partially open. When I was in the waiting-room, Miss Webster was there; she was neither reading a book nor