

of her on the Monday before. We were alone. She told me he had knocked her on the nose and it bled. I saw the blood in the passage where she said it happened. She said he struck her on the mouth also. It was I saw much swollen and disfigured. Prisoner was not present. The same day I saw the Prisoner and said to him - "don't ill use the poor girl". I told him what I had heard, but did not say she told me. He denied it. When he came to me in the morning he said his wife was very ill, but did not say the cause. In October last I went to see my sister, and saw her alone. She said Prisoner had on several occasions gone to bed with a knife under the pillow, sleeping in same bed with her. She said she discovered it when making the bed in the morning - a pocket knife - she said she had asked him why he put it there.