SACKIN. You're in big trouble with these guys Jerry. You are in big trouble. Well, err, what can I tell you? Trouble.

GREEN. Listen, there's a big amount involved.

SACKIN. Al is—(Refers to Albert Vishansky—liaison man for John "Sonny" Franzese.)

GREEN. They're not err.

SACKIN. He is calling here or coming down. Hey, by the way, a thought occurs to me.

Now, this is the point where they are first going to bring Wolff into this scheme of disposing of stolen securities. He is acting here, Sackin, in this innocent way saying "Oh, a thought just occurred to me." Of course this is a thought he has had a long time. They are making their first overture here. If there was such a thing as stocks.

WOLFF. Yeah.

SACKIN. That they have in their possession. "They" referring to boys uptown, the underworld.

Say, for argument's sake, say this stock is in Al's possession.

WOLFF. Right.

SACKIN. And Al wants you to sell the stock.

WOLFF. Right.

SACKIN. Can you handle this?

WOLFF. Sure.

SACKIN. Without his authority?

WOLFF. Without his authority—no.

SACKIN. Let's say that Al stole it from him.

They are trying to give him a hypothetical situation, without saying just where this stock came from. "M" doesn't refer to anybody.

Wolff says that he would need—he wants to know whose name is on the certificate. Sackin says:

SACKIN. Say his name.

WOLFF. His name?

SACKIN. Yes.

WOLFF. Aah.

SACKIN. Remember it's stolen stock.

WOLFF. As long as it's signed on the back, I don't care.

He means as long as the stock is endorsed over, he can deal in it.

SACKIN. What if he, somebody signed it on the back?

WOLFF. I don't know who signed it.

SACKIN. Can you sell the stock?

WOLFF. Sure.

SACKIN. Maybe there's a shot of you getting out of this, after all.

Now that they are finished with their threats of physical violence, they say "Here is a chance for you to get clean."

And Green describes that the stock would be signed.

Wolff says "I do not know who signed it." Of course you realize this is given in the nature of a proposed explanation—"I don't know who signed this."

GREEN. After it is given to you, what happens to it them?

WOLFF. I sell the stock and I make a delivery.

GREEN. Wait a minute. You sell the stock to somebody and you deliver the stock to them?

WOLFF. Right.

GREEN. Do they investigate this? Do they call on me to find out if it's a legitimate sale or not?

WOLFF. Not until maybe 6 months later.

GREEN. And then what happens?

WOLFF. After the clearing house looks at the signature.