

WILSON GETS ANOTHER STAY.

MRS. SCHAFFNER FELT UNEASY ABOUT HER BAIL BOND.

Sylvester F. Wilson, the manager of girls' baseball clubs, who was convicted over a year ago of the abduction of fifteen-year-old Libbie Sunderland, has secured another opportunity to make a fight against serving out the sentence imposed.

Last Tuesday the General Term dismissed his appeal, and detectives have been looking for him ever since. He was released on \$5,000 bail several weeks ago, his surety being Mrs. Ernestine Schaffner of 72 West Fiftieth Street. Wilson had been living at the Gedney House but he left there soon after the news was published that the General Term had dismissed his appeal.

Mrs. Schaffner, who pledged \$5,000 for his appearance at the Court of General Sessions, had offered herself as surety from motives of charity. She had never met him until he was confined in the Tombs, which she visits frequently. Wilson succeeded in convincing her that he was innocent and persuaded her to secure his release on bail.

Within the last few days Mrs. Schaffner has been uneasy about her \$5,000. On Wednesday, however, she received a note from Wilson assuring her that if he did not get another stay he would give himself up, and urging her to have confidence and not "be influenced by the hirelings of Gerryism." He would not, he said, leave the city and was with friends.

Late yesterday afternoon Lawyer J. D. Halen went over to Judge Pratt, in Brooklyn, and succeeded in securing an order staying all proceedings upon a motion to set aside the decision of the General Term dismissing his appeal. This is the third time that Wilson has succeeded in having the dismissal of his appeal set aside.