

"LIEBELER'S CHAPPAQUIDDICK"

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(I am not aware of any followup stories.)

## Law prof in court on assault charge

Charged with assaulting a policeman and drunk driving, Wesley J. Liebeler, law professor here, will be arraigned at 9 a.m. today at the West Los Angeles Municipal Court.

Liebeler, a 38-year-old Venice attorney who served on the Warren Commission, was charged with kneeling a Venice policeman in the groin after he was stopped by police while driving on Lincoln Boulevard near Washington Boulevard early Tuesday.

Deputy District Attorney Harlan W. Braun of the Santa Monica branch prosecutor's office filed the complaint Tuesday. Following his arrest, Liebeler was released on a writ.

Richard Vail, a Venice policeman, was allegedly assaulted when he asked Liebeler to get into a police car.

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