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Counsel,
Filed *W. L. Skidmore* 1891
Pleas. *A. H. Young*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Henry LaBlanche
and
George Young

DECLARATION OF
JOHN R. FELLOWS
District Attorney.
W. L. Skidmore
Geo. W. S. P. 2. 4. 10. 1891
James 1891

A True Bill.

W. L. Skidmore

#1 - *May 28 1891* Foreman.
Pleas'd Burg. 3. 3. 1891
#2 - *Tried and convicted*
Burg. 3. 3. 1891.

James 1891

Witnesses;

Peter Kemp
Officer Andrew Hoynes
Upon examination
Sam Simpson
Not in the least
guilty. It is his
first conviction. He
is hard on a team
of imprisonment. He
is one who really
set up the other boys
when the other & could
be brought up.

The People
vs.
George Young

Court of General Sessions. Part I.
Before Recorder Smyth May 28. 1871.

Jointly indicted with Henry La Blanche for burglary
in the third degree, grand larceny in the second degree
and receiving stolen goods.

Peter Kempf, sworn and examined. On the 16th
of May I lived at 188 Christie street. I occupied a
room on the top floor back. I had a quantity
of clothing there; two pair of pants, three vests
and a coat, a watch and chain and ring,
all valued at fifty dollars; the watch, chain and
ring were worth twenty dollars. I left my room
at seven o'clock in the morning. I locked the
door. I went round to the stable and hitched
up my horse and went to work. I returned
to my room at three o'clock in the after-
noon and saw that my clothes and jewelry
were gone. I afterwards found them at the
Eldridge street station house. Mr. Reppenbagen
went with me. I did not see the prisoner there.
The first time I ever saw the prisoner was
when I saw him in Essex Market Court.

John W. Reppenbagen sworn. I live at 188
Christie St.; the last witness hired a room
off me, a rear room on the top floor. I rented
a room right opposite on the same floor
to a man who gave his name as Le
Blanch on the 15th of May about three o'clock.
On the 16th of May I went to Kempf's room between

eight and nine o'clock in the morning I discovered that Mr. Kemp's clothes had been taken out of his room and the door was open. I went and demanded admission to La Blanche's room. I was not admitted; he had the door locked; he was inside his room. I told him I wanted admittance. He said, "What for?" I said, I will tell you what for when you open the door. I told him I would burst the door open. I must say he did open it. I found La Blanche in the room with the prisoner jump; he was standing facing him. I accused them of what happened in the house and that they must be the people that stole it. I stood in the jam of the door. I said, "You are the ones that have taken the clothes out of that other room. I told them they could not get out until I found the clothes. So La Blanche he went under my arm and down stairs he went. At the hall door going down the steps the officer caught him and grabbed him; he ran back to the rear part of the house going down the basement, and there is where the officer caught him. I suppose the other man stayed in the room. I went down after La Blanche. I did not want to let

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him get away. Two men went up stairs and got Young down and we marched them to the station house. I went back from the station house with the officer and found the clothes packed in a valise in the room that La Blanche had hired. The jewelry was found on Le Blanche at the station house. When you went back did you have a conversation with the defendant at the bar? No; he was taken to the station house with Le Blanche. Was anything said by the defendant Young to you in the station house? No sir. Were you in the house all that morning? Yes. Prior to eight o'clock in the morning were you there? I was, but I was in bed. What time did you get up that morning? Then I was called by my wife, about eight o'clock. From the time that you got up that morning up to the time that you found those people in this room and the clothing in that room did anybody go up to that room? No sir. Do you know what time Kemp left the house that morning? Only what he says himself - not of my personal knowledge I do not. Immediately after discovering the door open and the clothes gone I went to La Blanche's room. It was not my wife that knocked at the door first,

Did you get any response? First he wanted to know what I wanted. I could not say which one spoke. I did not know La Blanche's voice. The door was locked, and when it was opened the defendant and La Blanche were standing up facing the door. I accused both of them of stealing. I could not remember whether the defendant said anything at that time or not. La Blanche ran down stairs and this defendant stayed there. Afterward two men went up stairs and got him down. My wife remained up stairs. I had never seen the defendant in company with La Blanche before. La Blanche had not to my knowledge any visitors since he hired the room. There are five rooms up stairs let to single gentlemen. Do you know whether there were any strangers in the house between seven and nine o'clock that morning? No strangers could get in the house because the door is locked. The clothes were packed in a valise; the officer opened it in my presence. Kemp identified the clothes at the station house. My wife did not speak to the prisoner in my presence. She told him he had no business in the room. The

defendant did not hire the room and he had no business there. Did you examine the door and the lock? Yes, one of the doors. State what its condition was? The casing was forced off and it was found in La Blanche's room - another room alongside of Kemp's. How did you get into Kemp's room? I found the door unlocked, I suppose they picked the lock. Were you present in the station house when the prisoners were searched? Yes. Did you see what was taken from the prisoners? Yes; two watches, a ring and about fifty or sixty keys between the two of them, two or three bunches; there were keys on both La Blanche and Young. The house door key was found in the possession of Young - the latch key of the front door. There was not any key that belonged to the door that was broken open found in his possession. Kemp had the key himself.

Andrew Hopper, sworn and examined. I am an officer of the Eleventh Precinct and arrested La Blanche and Young on the morning of the 16th of May. While I was patrolling my post a citizen came to me and told me I was wanted and I went to Mr. Reppenhagen's house. The door was open

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I saw La Blanche running down stairs and Rappenhagen after him, and he made an attempt to escape out of the back of the house, and I caught him as he was going down another flight of stairs. I brought him back up stairs. Just then two other citizens came down stairs with the defendant Sprung. I took them to the station house and searched them both and on the person of La Blanche I found two watches, several keys, a ring, and a number of pawn tickets, and on the person of Sprung there was several keys and pawn tickets. I returned to the house of Rappenhagen and went to their room and found a satchel. I opened the satchel, and it was packed with clothes. I took them to the station house and they were identified by Mr. Kemp. I examined Mr Kemp's door; it must have been opened with a key. There was another door right alongside of it forced open, and in the room of the defendant we found part of the lock belonging to this other door and a pair of shoes that were identified by the man that had this room, but he refused to make a complaint; he said he would rather lose the shoes. The defendant

Young said he did nothing, he did not know what he was arrested for. A citizen took Young to the station house and I took La Blanche. He (La Blanche) said on the way to the station house he took those things because he was hard up. I asked him if this other man Young was in those rooms with him, and he said, yes. I afterwards showed Mr. Kemp the goods in the station house, and he identified them. The house is in the 17th ward.

Cross Examined. The first time I saw the defendant Young on that day was when two citizens were coming down stairs. I did not then say anything to him and he did not say anything to me. He was walking ahead of me. When the prisoner ^{Young} was arraigned with the other one at the desk he said he did not know why he was arrested, he did not do anything, he merely went to visit La Blanche; he asked him to come in with him. I searched Young then. I got a bunch of Keys and a book with several pawn tickets. I asked him about the pawn tickets, and he said they were for his own clothes and he said the Keys were his. I suppose the Keys are in the property clerk's office. I did not bring them down with me. Did you hear La Blanche at any time during the time in which

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You had him in custody say that this defendant had anything to do with that crime? No. I did not hear him say so. Did you hear him say that he did not have anything to do with the crime? I just told you that he told me that he was in those apartments with him; he never said he did not have anything to do with it to my knowledge. Did La Blanche say that he (Young) was merely visiting there? I did not ask him anything about it.

George Young, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified: I reside permanently at my uncle's house in High Bridge, I was stopping at the time in the Alabama House on the Bowery. I was cook at my uncle's, but was not doing any thing at this time. I was working as a waiter in George Steifer's pool room down stairs under the Alabama House. I only know La Blanche from seeing him in the pool room. I saw him there several times playing pool in the evening. I first met him about a week before the 16th of May. I saluted him every time I saw him; he seemed to be a pretty nice fellow; we went out together and have had a few drinks. I thought he was all right. The night previous to the 16th of

May I stopped at my uncle's in High Bridge.
 and in the morning I came down to
 the city to Stanton and Kevington streets
 and went to the pool room where I had
 been doing odd jobs; I got there about half
 past ~~seven~~ o'clock. I went to the Eclipse res-
 taurant and had my breakfast at 239
 Bowery. I met Le Blanche at the restau-
 rant; he sat at the next table, and after
 he got through he came over and talked
 to me. I was in the Restaurant first; he
 came in immediately after; he saluted
 me and that was all. I got up and paid
 my way and he came out the same
 time. I should judge it was a quarter to
 eight o'clock. He said he hired a room in
 Christie street and he asked me to go
 around there and I went. It is not a
 minute's walk from the restaurant; we
 went up stairs to his room; he opened the
 door with his own key. We were not in
 ten minutes when a knock came to the
 door. I says, "Who is there?" Did you see
 the door at the opposite side of the hall open
 when you got there or not? I did not
 notice it at all. Did you notice whether
 the doors in the immediate vicinity were
 open? No, I did not notice them being
 open at all. I sat down on the bed

I says, "This is a nice room," he said, 'yes'. A knock came to the door and a voice said, "Let me in." I opened the door and Mrs. Reppenhagen came in; she pulled around the bed. I says, "What is the matter. I never met Mr. or Mrs. Reppenhagen before. I did not know her name at that time. Mr. Reppenhagen then came up. I says, "What is the matter?" He said, "O, you will find what is the matter," and he stood in the door; and through the confusion I put the key of La Blanche's room in my pocket. La Blanche ran out. I had no further conversation with Mr. or Mrs. Reppenhagen. I stayed there and did not attempt to go away. Mr. Reppenhagen was standing there and I stood along side of him. Mr. Reppenhagen started to go after La Blanche and he came back directly and stood in the doorway. I heard a little noise down stairs, and it occurred to me then that there was something up. Two men came up and got hold of me and pulled me along and brought me down stairs. One of them said, "I lost a suit of clothes at this house." I met the officer, whose name I afterward learned was Nofan, and he had

La Blanche. I did not say anything to the officer; we went to the station house I was searched and there was found on me one bunch of keys and one odd key, which belonged to La Blanche's room; the bunch of keys belonged to me the pawn tickets which I had, one of them called for a suit of clothes, another called for a coat and vest and another one called for two rings, my own ring, and the other one called for a scarf pin. Nothing else was found in my pocket. I had no connection at all with this crime and knew nothing about it until I was arrested and I did not know that La Blanche had anything to do with it.

Cross Examined. I was up at my uncles in High Bridge pretty near all the winter. I was cooking for him; his name is Ephraim Allen. I came down to the city to get work; there was not enough to do there. I worked at Needing's restaurant, in Canal street waiting on the table about three weeks. I was working at Michael Bergen's restaurant as a waiter at No. 2 Spring street even a eight months. La Blanche roomed with me at the Alabama House. I only saw him there twice. I did not sleep in the Alabama house the night before

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I met him in the Restaurant. I came down on the Northern Road from High Bridge to 155th St. La Blanche did not tell me when he hired the room in Christie St. One of the keys that I had in my pocket was of the outside door of my uncle's house at High Bridge. My uncle gave me my food and lodgings. I worked for Michael Bergen all last summer. I thought there was something wrong when Mr. Reppenhausen came up, but I did not know what it was. I have never been convicted of any crime in my life. Henry La Blanche. sworn and examined. I met Young three or four weeks before this trouble in a pool room on the Bowery. Where did you see him on the 16th of May, the day that this affair took place? I don't want to answer that on the ground that it may tend to degrade and criminate me.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of burglary in the third degree.

The defendant was remanded for sentence.

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Testimony in the
care of
Gene Young
filed May 1941.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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To go to defendants room, and ascertaining that said property was missing therefrom, informed her husband thereof, and that said John W. Rep. perhaps suspected that said defendant LaBlanche was the culprit, and demanding admittance to said LaBlanche's room being at first refused, said LaBlanche admitted her and that defendant Young was together in said room with said LaBlanche, where they were arrested by Officer Andrew Hogan of the 11th Precinct, and a quantity of clothing recovered from said room, which defendant identifies as his property, as well as a watch and chain and ring found in the possession of said LaBlanche, all of said property being identified in the presence of said Officer Hogan. Wherefore deponent charges defendants, with acting in concert with each other, and burglariously entering his room & carrying away said property from defendant's possession.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 17th day of August 1881. John Rep. Police Justice. Peter Kamp

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail. I have admitted the above named to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed. Dated 1881 Police Justice. There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order he to be discharged. Dated 1881 Police Justice.

Police Court, District, THE PEOPLE, vs., on the complaint of, Offense—BURGLARY, Dated, 1881, Magistrate, Officer, Clerk, Witness, No., Street, No., Street, No., Street, \$ to answer General Sessions.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Andrew Hogan
aged _____ years, occupation Officer of No. 11th Ave

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Peter Kemp and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of May 1899 } Andrew Hogan

John Ryan
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John W. Reppenbogen
aged 47 years, occupation Brigade of No. 188 Chrystie

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Peter Kemp and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of May 1899 } John W. Reppenbogen

John Ryan
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Henry La Blanche being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Henry La Blanche

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Rochester - N.Y.

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer.

Alabama House - Power - 3 days

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer.

I am guilty, and have been informed of all my rights.

Henry La Blanche

Taken before me this
day of *May* 19*35*
John P. Ryan
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

George Young being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to
enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used
against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Young*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Newport City*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. *Alabama House - 1 day*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Painter*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the
testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your
exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty, and I
demand an examination.*

Geo. Young

Taken before me this
day of *April* 19*14*
John Hagan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,
 No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court... 3 - District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Peter M. Murphy
 487 Canal St
 Henry G. Blum
 George Young

Offence Burglary

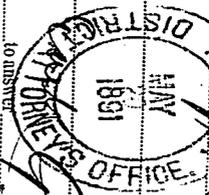
Dated May 17 1891

Andrew Rogan Magistrate.

Witness Dan O'Brien

No. John M. Redden Street _____

No. 188 Bellevue Street _____



\$1000
 \$1500 - each - 2 May 18
 2 PM

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

defendants

guilty thereof I order that he be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, Each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated May 17 1891 John Rogan Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order h to be discharged.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Reverend Amite

Your Honor please excuse
me for troubling you,
but I wished to state
that my companion in Crime
is to try and get a new
trial and wants me to take
the stand. I do not want to
get myself in any more
trouble than I fair. he
is the person who influenced
me to do the crime and gave
me the things to carry out
would you please let
had enough to remand
my sentence until next
week. I have people to
testify to my past character

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let had no chance to
notify them. if your Honor
be kind enough to send
me to Blackwells Island
so I can write to my
parent without them
knowing my being in Prison
I implore this of you as
I know it is in your power
it would kill my poor old
mother if she found out
where I was. please your
Honor grant me this favor
and Oblige your Obedient

Henry Lee Blanche

P.S. my partners name
is George Young.

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District Attorney's Office,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

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April 3 1894

CAPTAIN OR OFFICER IN COMMAND.

Dear Sir:

I desire to see Officer Andrew
Noyan attached to your command in
May 1891 in relation to the case of
Henry La Blanche & Geo. Young
sentenced June 5 1891 to Elmira Ref.
years and months imprisonment by
Recorder Smyth

Please ask the officer to bring such inform-
ation in relation to the case, and as to the
previous record of the prisoner, as he may be
enabled to obtain.

Yours truly,

HENRY W. UNGER,
Deputy Assistant and Secretary to the District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against
Henry La Blanche
and *George Young*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

Henry La Blanche and George Young

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Henry La Blanche and George Young*, both

late of the *Seventeenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and *ninety one*, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one *Peter Kamp*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property
of the said *Peter Kamp*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further accuse the said

Henry La Blanche and George Young

of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Henry La Blanche and George Young* both

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *day* — time of said day, with force and arms,

divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of fifty dollars, one watch of the value of seven dollars, one chain of the value of three dollars, one finger-ring of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Peter Kamp* —

in the dwelling house of the said *Peter Kamp* —

there situate, then and there being found, from the dwelling house aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Henry La Blanche and George Young
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows.

The said *Henry La Blanche and George Young*, both

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of fifty dollars, one watch of the value of seven dollars, one chain of the value of three dollars, and one finger ring of the value of ten dollars
of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Peter Kampf*

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, from the said *Peter Kampf*.

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; (the said

Henry La Blanche and George Young

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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Chas. E. LeBarber
Counsel,
1891

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15th day of May
1891

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Fernando Lagrand
MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE
[Section 189, Penal Code.]

De Lancey Thell
JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney.
To be tried June 8th / 91 by agreement
with Counsel. U. M. D.

A True Bill.

W. E. Widman
June 2 - June 15, 1891. Foreman.
Jury and Coroner of
County of the Second Degree
W. E. Widman
June 19, 1891

Witnesses:

Michael Carzaretto
Joseph Gallagher

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Charles Morro
Apr. 21/90

Coroner's Office

TESTIMONY.

Officer John H. Reilly of Precinct
Fourth ward dep. On April
19 at 106 E 1st Avenue I
learned that Charles Morrow
was stabbed - I saw a crowd
forming & when I came to
106 St. Box 3 persons had
hold of the prisoner - I took the
prisoner to 104 Street where
Charles Morrow the deceased lay &
deceased fully identified the prisoner
The prisoner's name is Fernando
Morgan. of 309 East 101st Street.
I charge the prisoner Fernando
Morgan with causing the
death of Charles Morrow.
I would be before me
This 21st day of April 1891

John H. Reilly

Taken before me

this 20 day of April 1891

Louis H. Conway

CORONER.

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Coroner's Office

TESTIMONY.

Witnesses
Michael Calceretto 309 E 104
Louis Morro 309 E 104
Joseph Romanel 309 E 104

In House of detention

Taken before me

this day of May 188

CORONER.

**POOR QUALITY
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Rev. Alexander H. M. Kimsey
113 Second Ave.

Coroners, Office, New York County.

Inquest into the death of

- of -

Charles Morro, alias Frank Mauro.

Before

HON. LOUIS W. SCHULTZE,
and a Jury.

New York, April 22nd, 1891,
2 o'clock, P.-M.

The stenographer reads the affidavit
of John H. Reilly.

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Dr. E. J. Attinelli, is sworn to act
as interpreter in this case.

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THOMAS MURRAY, being called as a witness by the
Coroner, was duly sworn, and testified as follows:-

I live No. 311 East 101st Street.

By the Coroner:-

Q State to the Jury what you know of this stabbing affair?

A. I saw a crowd running down 105th Street and I followed
them, - I followed the crowd down and when I got down to the
brass foundry about two doors from where the prisoner was
caught I saw two men with the prisoner and I then went down
and I seen the wounded man identified him.

Q The wounded man told the officer? A. He was not able
to speak but he shook his head to the officer, to Officer

Officer Reilly.

Q Did you see the stabbing? A. No, sir.

Q You have no idea what the row was about? A. No, sir.

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RAFAELO ANTICO, duly sworn, testified:

By the Coroner:-

Q Where do you live? A. No. 366 East 104th Street.

Q State to the Jury what you know about this case?

A. I keep a barber shop up there; at about three or four o'clock it was I don't know - I didn't have much to do and I noticed these persons fighting and having some talk; there were two persons got fighting and afterwards a couple of others joined in the fighting; the first two that got into the fight was the dead man and another one; I don't know who it was, because there was a crowd there; the other two got in with the fight and the first that was killed, he was killed, and the other I don't know; the next two was a brother of the dead man and another one whom I don't know; the wife of the dead man she was there mixed up in the fight, and I saw this man, the wife of this man she was trying to ward off the blow and he struck twice, - he struck two blows; this prisoner reached over the wife and struck a couple of blows at the man that was killed; there were persons struggling there to prevent blows from being struck and trying to keep them apart.

Q Did you see the prisoner stab Morro with this dirk here?

A. I did, I saw him stab the deceased with this knife.

Q Where did it occur? A. In 104th Street, directly opposite to me.

Q 104th Street and where? A. Near 2nd Avenue.

Q 104th Street and 2nd Avenue? A. Yes, sir.

Q Do you keep a barber shop right opposite? A. Yes, sir.

Q And you saw the prisoner deliberately stab the deceased?

A. Yes, sir; I don't know anything more about it.

Q What day did it occur? A. On a Sunday.

Q April the 19th, 1891? A. Last Sunday.

Q Last Sunday afternoon? A. I cannot tell exactly, but it was after three o'clock on Sunday.

By a Juror:-

Q Will you ask the witness if he saw anyone strike the prisoner - was the prisoner in the fight with the others?

A. No, sir; I did not, the prisoner suddenly appeared with the knife, but he was not in the fight, he made a sudden appearance, I had no idea where the prisoner came from.

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JOSEPH CUZZE, duly sworn, testified:

I live No. 315 East 104th Street; I keep a place at No. 322 East 124th Street, a lager beer saloon.

By the Coroner:-

Q Tell the Jury what you know about this occurrence?

A. I was in the house for my dinner right opposite and the time I was in the house I heard a noise of the children in the street; I put my head out of the window and I seen these fellows fight on the sidewalk, with their fists,

with each other, and I turned my head in to tell my family, I said they are fighting in the street; I said there was the wife of this man that is dead, there was this man here, the prisoner, with his hand up with that knife in his hand and he tried once, and her arm - the wife's arm was in the way, and he tried again and he struck lower and it goes right in, and he pulled the knife out and I saw the stuff come from his guts.

Q What ~~stew~~ did it - what stuff? A. Whatever he eats and drinks, macaroni and beer; his wife hollered right out, he ran about five or six steps and fell; the wife hollered right out, the wife of the man that is dead.

Q Do you know how the fight originated or how the fight started?

A. No, sir.

Q Was the prisoner and Morro bad friends?

A. I don't know.

Q Do you know the prisoner? A. No, sir.

Q Did you know the man that was killed? A. Yes, sir, he used to be housekeeper across the street there, I knew him from seeing him, I never heard the man quarrel before or anything bad.

Q That is all you can tell us? A. Yes, sir; that is all I can tell you.

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JOSEPH GALLAGHER, duly sworn:

By the Coroner:-

Q Where do you live? A. No. 308 East 105th Street.

Q Tell the Jury what you know of this occurrence?
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A. I am engaged with the firm of Hall & Sons through the week I drive a team of horses; last Sunday I was watchman of this place in Hall & Sons and last Sunday as I was going down to the river I seen this man coming across the dock with his knife in his hand and he run as far as the second gangway and when he got through half way the gangway he threw the knife on a pile of lumber; I grabbed the knife and I run as far as the gangway and grabbed the prisoner and I brought him to First Avenue and I handed him over to Officer Reilly; I saw him throw this knife over the gangway and the crowd after him; I didn't want them to get into the mills, and I stopped him right on the second gangway.

By a Juror:-

Q That is where he threw the knife away? A. Yes, sir.

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GUISSEPPE ROMANELO, duly sworn:-

By the Coroner:-

Q Where do you live? A. No. 311 104th Street.

Q Tell your story, what you know of this stabbing?

A. I had been a little sick and I didn't get up until two o'clock; I heard some noise in the yard and I got up and looked out and they were playing in there and they seemed to be disputing and I got up and I went down in the street; I got up and went down and there was quite a crowd on the sidewalk; I saw Charles Morro and his wife there; I saw

Charlie Morro on the ground, and then the police suddenly appeared and a policeman asked Charlie Morro who did it and he turned to this man Frank Lugo, and said he did it.

By a Juror:-

Q Did you see the stabbing yourself? A. I did not; I saw the wound; he was down on the ground when I saw him; I saw the wound but I didn't see the stabbing.

By the Coroner:-

Q Do you know whether the prisoner and the man that was killed were good friends? Or enemies? A. I don't know.

By a Juror:-

Q Did you know the prisoner previous to this stabbing?

A. No, sir.

Q The man is a stranger to you? A. I don't know him at all.

By the Coroner:-

Q You don't know where he lives, the prisoner?

A. No, sir.

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GUILLO MAURO, duly sworn, testified:-

By the Coroner:-

Q Where do you live? A. 104th Street, No. 311.

Q Are you related to the prisoner? A. No, sir, I am a brother to the man that was killed.

Q What do you know about this matter? A. On Sunday we were playing ball there, a kind of a game that we played in Italy, with wooden balls, knocking against each other; an Italian game of ball, we were playing it in the yard of

of No. 311; the boss of the house, the landlord, objected to it, they were making too much noise and the landlord objected.

Q Who was the landlord? A. Guiseppe, Guzzi, he was the landlord of the house, somebody came in there and got disputing with Guzzi and said why don't you let them alone; then they got into a dispute and they got on the sidewalk; they got into a kind of a row outside, and somebody struck me, it was another countryman that struck me; then the prisoner came with a knife and struck my brother with the knife.

Q Was the prisoner playing ball in the yard? A. No, he was not.

Q Was the prisoner playing ball with the deceased?
A. No, sir; he was not in the game at all.

By a Juror:-

Q Do you know the prisoner? A. I do.

Q Were you acquainted with him before this thing occurred?

A. No, sir; I didn't know him before.

By the Coroner:-

Q Did you see the prisoner stab the deceased with his knife? A. I did.

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MICHAELO CARBARETTO, duly sworn, testified:-

By the Coroner:-

Q Where do you live? A. No. 309 104th Street, near 2nd Avenue.

Q What do you know about this matter? Tell us your story? A. I was sick, but I got up about eight or nine o'clock on Sunday morning and I went out on the sidewalk, I went in the yard of No. 311 to play this game of ball, they were playing also with this man that was killed; some people got everything, shoes and everything and were throwing it out of the windows at them; and some interfered out of friendship, and others perhaps wanted to stop the game; the deceased hollered out to keep still upstairs there to let them alone; it might make trouble and they would have the police in the yard; we were playing and then we went into the house about 2 or 3 o'clock to get something to eat; I went into my apartments. Afterwards the man that was killed went out and I went out afterwards and found the deceased with another man; the deceased Mauro and a fellow countryman of this man were fighting together.

Q Did you know the man that was fighting with the deceased?

A. I don't know.

Q Did you see the prisoner stab the deceased? A. I did.

Q You saw the prisoner stab him? A. Yes, sir.

Q Do you know the prisoner? A. I do not; the first time I saw him was when he was in the yard.

Q That was the first time you saw him in the yard?

A. Yes, sir.

Q And afterwards you saw him when they were fighting?

A. He came out of the yard with his knife.

Q He came out of his yard with a knife and deliberately stabbed the man with the knife? A. He came out of his yard with his knife in his hand and deliberately stabbed the man that is now dead.

Q Did the prisoner and the man that was killed, the man that was stabbed, were they fighting? A. No, he just came out of the yard and stabbed him.

Q The man that was killed, was he fighting with any other Italian? A. Only with his hands, with somebody else.

Q The man who was stabbed was fighting with somebody else? A. Yes, sir.

Q Who was he fighting with? A. I don't know who it was I heard it was some fellow countryman of his, not the prisoner.

Q But who he was you don't know? A. I don't know exactly who he was.

Q Did you see anybody strike the prisoner? A. I did not.

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JOSEPH BUTCH, duly sworn, testified:-

By the Coroner:-

Q Where do you live? A. No. 311 East 104th Street.

Q You are the janitor of the house? A. Yes, sir.

Q Tell the Jury what you know about this case? A. I don't know anything about the case, the man that is dead, he was playing ball in the yard with some other friends and somebody might have thrown something from the window, some dirt or something and Mauro, the deceased, came to me, he was my janitor, my house-keeper; I am the janitor and he was the house-keeper; he worked for me; he was coming and he said to me, come upstairs and tell somebody to stop throwing something in the yard; I went upstairs and there

was nobody upstairs so he came down in the yard again and they commenced to play ball again; after that they went to eat, and after that, after they eat, I came out in the street and they commenced to fight with another man, but we didn't know the man at all; I didn't know who the other man was; so after that I seen the crowd and my wife she took some physic, and I went in the side -

Q Did you see the stabbing? A. No, sir.

By a Juror:-

Q Did you ever see the man before that was fighting with the deceased man? A. No, sir.

Q Do you know where this man Lagrano comes from?

A. No, sir.

Q What was he doing around there in 104th Street?

A. I suppose with some friends.

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VERDICT: We, the Jury, find that the deceased ~~Charles~~
Morro, alias Frank Mauro came to his death from a
penetrating stab wound of the abdomen, inflicted by
Fernando Lagrano, on April 19th, 1891, at No.
311 East 104th Street.

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TESTIMONY.

Albert J. Weston M. D., being duly sworn, says;
 I have made an autopsy of the body of
 Charles Morris Frank Mauro now lying dead at
 Probylarian Hosp. and from such autopsy
 and history of the case, as per testimony, I am of opinion the cause of
 death is homicide by penetrating stab wound
 of abdomen April 19th in front of 311 East
 104th St. Shock & Hemorrhage.

Albert J. Weston, M. D.

Autopsy (cont'd).

There is as about an ounce of fluid blood in
 the abdominal cavity.
 The intestines normal.
 The kidneys and pancreas normal.
 The spleen enlarged.
 The liver slightly fatty.
 The heart & lungs normal.
 The brain and meninges normal.

Cause of Death, Shock & Hemorrhage
 from stab wound of abdomen above
 described.
 Albert J. Weston M. D.

Sworn to before me

this

20 day of April 1891

John J. [Signature] CORONER.

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MEMORANDA.

AGE			PLACE OF NATIVITY	WHERE FOUND	Date When Reported
24 Years	Months	Days	Italy	Presbyterian Hosp	April 20 1891

was shot and sidewalk in front of 311 B. 104th St. N.Y. City
 Found in Presbyterian Hospital
 12th St. April 20 1891
 Police 57th Prec.

Assistant Attorney
 notified. April 21/91
 (Print)

L. W. Schultz

On the VIEW of the BODY of
 Charles J. Weiss
 alias
 Frank Mauro
 whereby it is found that he came to
 his death by

AN INQUISTION

Inquest taken on the
 of
 1891
 day
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LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, Coroner.

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TESTIMONY.

Autopsy - At Presbyterian
Hospital, 2 Rec. April 30th 1891.

Body that of a well developed
muscular man about 25 yrs of age.
On the left side of the abdomen
was an incised wound partially
closed by sutures. The wound
extended from a point an inch
a half from the median line and ~~two~~
inches below the nipple to within two
inches of Poupart's Ligament. and ~~from~~
about ~~off~~ ^{the} middle of this wound, another
incised wound extended to the
left about one or one half inches.

The inner wall of the stomach was
sutured to the upper part of the first
perforated wound.

On opening the abdominal cavity
on the inner surface of the wall
about 1 1/2 inches to the right of the
median line and just below the
free border of the ribs was a
small wound about 3/4 inch in length
through the peritoneum and into the
muscular wall.

There were two wounds in the
stomach the first at its lowest part
about the center of the greater
curvature about 2 inches in length
the second on the anterior wall, higher
up and about 1 1/2 inches in length -
closed by sutures.

Sworn to before me,

this

day of

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CORONER.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of Coroners Office No. 174 Second Avenue Street, in the 17th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, this 22nd day of April - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 91 before Louis H. Schultz, Coroner, of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of Charles Morro alias Frank Mauro lying dead at

Eleven Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said Charles Morro alias Frank Mauro came to his death, do upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said Charles Morro alias Frank Mauro came to his death by a penetrating stab wound of abdomen inlicted by Ferrnando Lagrano, on April 19th 1891, at No. 311 East 104th Street

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition, set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JUROS.

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| Henry Fleckenhauer 1314-2nd Ave | Samuel Fautel 1374. 2nd Ave |
| Michael E. Burney 1398 2nd Ave | Donn Dalbert 98 3rd Ave |
| John D Lyons 1163-2nd Ave | James Porter 959 3rd Ave |
| Lucius Spurr 216 E. 58th | |
| Edward M. Gunn 1242 2nd Ave | |
| August. Mieger 1182-2nd Ave | |
| Spurrison 300 E. 70th | |
| Lucius Sakin 977 3rd Ave | |
| JAMES H. HUNTER | |

CORONER, E. S.

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } SS.

Fernando Lagraro being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question—What is your name?

Answer— *Fernando Lagraro*

Question—How old are you?

Answer— *27*

Question—Where were you born?

Answer— *Italy*

Question—Where do you live?

Answer— *309 E 104*

Question—What is your occupation?

Answer— *Labourer*

Question—Have you anything to say, and if so, what, relative to the charge here preferred against you?

*Having no answer
I have nothing to say*

Fernando *hi*
me *Lagraro*

Taken before me, this *22* day of *April* 188*7*

Lois - H. Schulz

CORONER.

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MEMORANDA.

AGE			PLACE OF NATIVITY	WHERE FOUND	DATE When Reported
Years	Months	Days			
24			Italy	Presbyterian school	Apr 20/91

Witness
 Joseph Conzello
 72 1/2 Mulberry St
 Amnicist Dulles
 Business Luigi's share
 Dominico Russo
 197 1/2 Starbong St

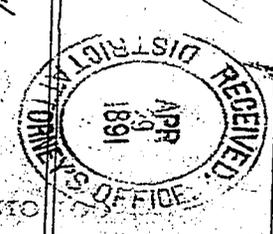
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 HOMICIDE.
 AN INQUISITION.

On the VIEW of the BODY of
 Charles Amato
 alias
 Francis Amato
 whereby it is found that he came to
 his Death by the hands of
 Fernando Saporino

Inquest taken on the 22^d day
 of April - 1891

By
 Lewis W. Schultz
 Coroner

Committed
 Sealed
 Discharged
 Date of death



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK against

Fernando Zagans

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

Fernando Zagans

of the CRIME OF Murder in the First Degree, committed as follows:

The said Fernando Zagans,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the nineteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one

Charles Brown, otherwise called Frank Brown,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, wilfully, feloniously, and of his malice aforethought, did make an assault, and the said

Fernando, with the said Charles,

otherwise called Frank,

the said with a certain knife -

which the said Fernando in

his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the abdomen

of the said Charles, otherwise called Frank,

then and there wilfully, feloniously, and of his malice aforethought did strike,

stab, cut and wound, giving unto the said Charles, otherwise called Frank,

then and there with the knife aforesaid, in and upon the abdomen

of the said Charles, otherwise called Frank,

one mortal wound of the breadth of one inch, and of the depth of six inches, of which said

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mortal wound *the* the said *Charles, otherwise called Tranda,*
at the City and County aforesaid, from the day first aforesaid, in the year aforesaid, until the
— twentieth — day of *April,* — in the same year
aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which said *twentieth*
day of *April,* — in the year aforesaid, *the* the said
Charles, otherwise called Tranda, at the City and County aforesaid,
of the said mortal wound did die.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say: That the said *Fernando,*
son the said Charles, otherwise called Tranda,
the said *—* in the manner and form, and by
the means aforesaid, wilfully, feloniously, and of *his* malice aforethought, did kill,
and murder, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the
peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Fernando Sargano
of the same CRIME OF MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Fernando Sargano,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *—*
day of *April,* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *eighty nine,* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and
upon the said *Charles, otherwise called Tranda,*

in the peace of the said People then and there being, wilfully, feloniously; and with
a deliberate and premeditated design to effect the death of *him* the said
Charles, otherwise called Tranda, did make another assault, and
the said *Fernando; son* the said

Charles, otherwise called Tranda, with a certain *—*
which *the* — the said *Fernando* — in

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John right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *abdomen*
of *John* — the said *Charles, otherwise called Frank,*
then and there wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect
the death of *John* the said *Charles, otherwise called Frank,* did strike, stab, cut and
wound, giving unto *John* the said *Charles, otherwise called Frank,* then
and there, with the *knife* aforesaid, in and upon the *abdomen*
of *John,* — the said *Charles, otherwise called Frank,*
one mortal wound of the breadth of one inch and of the depth of six inches, of which said
mortal wound *John* the said *Charles, otherwise called Frank,* at
the City and County aforesaid, from the said *nineteenth* day of *April,* —
in the year aforesaid, until the *twentieth* day of *April,* — in the
same year aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which said
twentieth day of *April,* in the year aforesaid, *John* —
the said *Charles, otherwise called Frank,* at the City and County
aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say: That the said *Fernando,*
John the said *Charles, otherwise called*
the said *Frank,* — in the manner and form, and by
the means aforesaid, wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design
to effect the death of *John* the said *Charles, otherwise*
called Frank, — did kill and murder, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

John R. Fellows
JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Lee, Robert

DATE:

05/22/91



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Counsel,
Filed *W. E. Kelly* 1891
Pleads, *Not Guilty (July 17)*

THE PEOPLE
vs. *B*
Robert Lee

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

I hereby certify and declare that
JOHN R. FELLOWS
this case against the above named
Court of Special Sessions for Attorney
and final disposition.

Dated *March 5* 1891

W. E. Kelly

A True Bill.

W. E. Kidman

Foreman.

Witnesses;

Angus B. Martin
C. Myer

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Robert Lee

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

Robert Lee

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows.

The said *Robert Lee*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *second*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-one at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Augustus*
B. Muller in the peace of the said People then and there being, with force
and arms, unlawfully did make an assault, and *him* the said *Augustus*
B. Muller did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage
of the said *Augustus B. Muller* against the form of the
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Leipschitz, Abraham

DATE:

05/08/91



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Witnesses:

David Albert

June 26 1891.

I have examined this
 and all the papers
 of him and the
 complaint.
 A fight took place
 in a barroom at 50
 Liberty Place between David
 Albert and the defendant
 in which Albert was
 hit in the head with a
 brass knocker. There are
 no witnesses to the
 occurrence except the
 complainant and he
 cannot say definitely
 who struck him. No
 injury of any amount
 was done to the arm:
 present. In my full
 and true belief the
 complainant is entitled to
 recover on the above
 account and that the
 defendant is guilty
 of the offense charged.
 Wm. D. Davis atty.

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 Counsel,
 Filed
 Pleads,
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THE PEOPLE
 vs.
 Abraham Leipschitz

DE LANGEY HUGHES
 JOHN R. FELLOWS,
 District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL
 W. L. O'Connell
 District Attorney
 June 26 1891
 Wm. D. Davis atty.

Assault in the Second Degree.
 (Section 218, Penal Code).

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Abraham Lipschitz being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is ~~his~~ right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against *him*; that the statement is designed to
enable *him* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *him*
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that ~~his~~ waiver cannot be used
against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Abraham Lipschitz

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

75 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Russia

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer.

25 Suffolk St. 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Contractor

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the
testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your
exculpation?

Answer.

*I am not guilty
and demand a trial by jury*

Taken before me this

day of

May 1911
Police Justice.

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BAILED

No. 1, by Frank Harris
Residence 117 West Street

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street

Police Court... 339 District 595

THE PEOPLE, Ac.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Albert
88 Easton St

Thomas S. ...

Offence Assault

Dated May 1 1891

Shogari Magistrate.
Smith Officer.

Witnesses Sam ...
No. _____ Street



No. 300 Street Green

Sealed

300 E. 117th St. N.Y.C.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated May 1 1891 Comrad Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Defendant to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated May 1 1891 Comrad Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 192.

3 District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Charles M. Meade a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging Abraham Beipschitz Defendant with the offence of Assault

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hearing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Abraham Beipschitz Defendant of No. 25 Supporter Street; by occupation a Contractor and Joseph Davis of No. 23 Bester Street, by occupation a Butcher Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named Abraham Beipschitz Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 3 District Police Court in the City of New York, during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of thirty Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 7th day of May 1891 } at 215 Stuyvesant
Charles M. Meade } Joseph X. Quers
POLICE JUSTICE. } mark

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

day of *May* 188*7*
James P. Jones
Justice

Sworn to before me, this *12*

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *free* holder within the said County and State, and is worth *six* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *a house and lot of land situated at 49 Millett Street, and worth eight thousand dollars above all incumbrances*
Joseph P. Davis
sworn

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the *12* day of *May* 188*7*

Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Herman Schur
84 Clinton St.

Simon Tuckfeld
80 Clinton St.

W. Albert
110 Ludlow St.
3^d floor

Adolph Gladstein
82 Clinton St.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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Abraham Lipschitz
Witness

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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DR. S. WRUBEL,
160 Delancey Street, Bet. Suffolk & Clinton Streets,
Sunday 9-10 A. M., 2-4 P. M. NEW YORK.

OFFICE HOURS:
8 to 10 A. M.
1 to 2 P. M.
5 to 7 P. M.

New York April 20th 1891.

This is to certify that I was called to Mr Davis Albert 180 Clinton St. and found him with an open wound on his head, - bleeding seriously. He is under my treatment at present.

S. Wrubel

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court. 3 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, }

of No. 80 Clinton Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Pastor being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 30 day of April 1891 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Abraham Lipschitz
(New York), who threw or cast a bar
glass at deponent striking deponent
on the head and cutting his head

without any justification on the part of the said assailant.

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended and bound to answer
the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this

day of May 1891

Albert

W. M. East

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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Mr. de M... Please examine
the case and Report Recommendation
to Judge Martin today - 1/6

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Abraham Lipschitz

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse

Abraham Lipschitz

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Abraham Lipschitz

late of the City and County of New York, on the thirtieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

David Albert

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said Abraham Lipschitz

with a certain glass which he the said

Abraham Lipschitz in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument and weapon likely to produce grievous bodily harm, him, the said David Albert, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, bruise and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lancey Nicoll, District Attorney

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L. de la Rave

Counsel,
Filed
Pleas,
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Grand Larceny Second Degree
[Sections 528, 529, 532 Penal Code.]

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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Marie Levy

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. L. Skidmore

Sub 2 - June 1, 1891. Foreman.

tried and convicted of

Betty Lagrange
W. L. Skidmore

Witnesses:

Benjⁿ Michaelson

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court 3 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York } ss: Benjamin Michaelson of the Bronxville 26th Ward Brooklyn Street, aged 40 years, occupation Tailor being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 1st day of January 1891 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

Six cloth coats, together of the value of Sixty dollars. (\$60.00)

the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Morris Levy (now here) from the fact that on or about said date deponent missed said property from deponent's tailor shop at no 21 Bway. Deponent is informed by Officer William J. Morney that he the Officer found a cloth coat in this deponent's trunk in a room in the premises no 38 7 or 8th street on Saturday May 16th 1891 and that the deponent admitted to him the Officer that he had stolen said coat from this complainant. Deponent further says that he fully identifies said coat so found in this

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Police Justice

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defendant took as his property and
as a portion of the property aforesaid
and that at the time of this larceny
this defendant was in defendant's employ.
Wherefore defendant charges this
defendant with feloniously taking, stealing
and carrying away said property.

Sworn to before me
this 18th day of May 1915 B. Mitchell.

John Ryan
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0604

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation William J. Mooney
Police Officer of No. _____

11th Precinct - Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Berg' Michelson

and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 18 day of May 1899 } William J. Mooney

John J. Ryan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Morris Levy being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Morris Levy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. *38 Forsyth St. Bronx*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Tailor*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer.

*I am guilty of stealing one coat.
Morris Levy
Mark*

Taken before me this day of *March* 1937

John J. Ryan

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,
 No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court

District

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ben' Michaelson
76 Grand
St. Catharines
Wm. King

Office _____

Dated *May 18* 18*91*

William Murray
 Magistrate

Witnesses
 No. _____
Wm. Murray
 Street _____
 No. _____
Wm. King
 Street _____



No. *1000*
 to answer _____
 Street _____

Committ

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

Defendant

Ten Hundred Dollars, _____ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *May 18th* 18*91* *John Ryan* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order h to be discharged.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The People,)	Before
vs.)	-- HON. FREDERICK SMYTH,
MORRIS LEVY.)	and a Jury.

Tried June 1st, 1891.

Indicted for GRAND LARCENY IN THE FIRST DEGREE.

Indictment filed May 26th, 1891.

APPEARANCES:

Assistant District Attorney Macdona, For The People.

Oliver K. Keane, Esq., For The Defense.

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BENJAMIN MICHAELSON, the COMPLAINANT, testified, through the Official Interpreter, that on the 1st day of January, 1891, he lived at 21 Bowery. He had a tailor shop there. The defendant was in his employ. The defendant had stopped working for him about three months before the trial. There was a strike, and, after the strike, the defendant wanted to return to his employment, but he, the complainant, refused to give him work. On the last day that the defendant appeared in the shop he, the complainant, refused to give him work, and he left the shop about 8 o'clock. The defendant had been in his employ about three weeks when he, the complainant, began to miss goods. He missed altogether 22 coats and the last lot of missing coats were numbered 6.

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He missed the last six coats about a week before the defendant left. One coat was found in the defendant's possession, and he recognized it as one of the lot of six coats. He, the complainant, went with an officer to the defendant's home, and found this coat. The defendant then lived at 38 Forsyth Street. Two officers went with him, the complainant. He, the complainant, said to the defendant, "I am a poor man. Tell me where the other coats are," and the defendant said, "I don't know anything about the coats, and I don't know anything about this coat neither." The complainant insisted upon the defendant telling him where the other coats were, and he repeated his answer that he did not know anything about the other coats. He, the complainant, had to pay \$10. for the coat that was found. He had to pay \$10 apiece to the owner for the missing coats. He had taken the coats to make, from a clothier, and had to reimburse the clothier for the loss of

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the coats. In

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the complainant testified that he did not notice the appearance of the defendant when he left his shop for the night, when the coats were missed about a week before the defendant's final departure from his service. He, the complainant, was not in the habit of paying attention to his workmen's appearance. At that time--a week before the defendant's departure from his service--he, the complainant, had about 30 men in his employ. There were then about 600 coats lying on the tables in the shop. Any one of the workmen had as much access to the coats as the defendant. When he went to the defendant's house with the two officers the defendant was dressing himself. He thought that one of the officers had found the stolen coat in the defend-

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ant's trunk.

OFFICER WILLIAM J. MOONEY, testified that he was connected with the 11th Precinct. He arrested the defendant on the 13th of May, 1891, at 38 Forsyth Street. He, the witness, searched the defendant's room. He found the coat that was afterwards identified by the complainant, in the defendant's trunk. The defendant's brother acted as interpreter at the defendant's house. A complaint had been previously lodged by the complainant at the police station. The defendant's brother came to the police station afterwards, and said he would like to help the complainant to get back his stuff, and had a long conversation with the defendant in the back room, at the station house. The defendant would not admit that he

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had anything to do with the taking of any of the coats. The brother came back a second time, on Sunday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, and then the defendant admitted to his brother that he took the coat that was found in his room. At least, the defendant's brother so interpreted what the defendant said to him, the witness. He, the witness, then had the stolen coat and showed it to the defendant, in the defendant's brother's presence. This was the coat that the complainant identified as one of his that had been stolen. No

C r o s s - E x a m i n a t i o n .

MORRIS LEVY, the DEFENDANT, testified, through the Of-

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official Interpreter, in his own behalf, that he was a tailor. He had last worked for Mr. Morris Morrison, of 47 East Broadway. He worked there up to the day before his arrest. He, the defendant, went to the shop that Michaelson occupied, to see a friend. Michaelson was not then the proprietor of the shop. He, the defendant, found the coat that was found in his trunk, in the hallway of the house, on the third floor. The shop was on the fourth floor. It was in the forenoon. When he, the defendant, found the coat, he took the coat home. It was 7 or 8 weeks before his arrest. He, the defendant, could not say whether he made the coat himself, or Mr. Michaelson, as Mr. Michaelson claimed. When he found the coat, he had been out of Michaelson's employ about two or three weeks. He, the defendant, had been in the United States about four years, and had worked steadily. He, the defendant, did not tell his

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brother in the police station that he stole the coat or took the coat. He always insisted that he found the coat. He had signed a paper in Essex Market Police Court, which was an admission that he had stolen the coat, but he did not mean to say that. It was a mistake. What he meant to say was that he had found the coat. In

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the defendant testified that in the police court the statement was read to him by a clerk who spoke German, but he could not understand the clerk. He told the clerk to tell the Judge in the police court that he found the coat. The entire building at 21 Bowery was occupied by tailors. When he found the coat he did not go into any of the tailor shops in the building and ask if any of them had lost a coat. He did not do this because he thought he would take it home. He believed

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that if he went in any of the shops and asked if they lost a coat they would all say, "Yes." He thought he would take it home, and wait until he saw that one of them really lost it, and then he would give it back.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Morris Levy

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *Morris Levy*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree committed as follows:

The said *Morris Levy*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand *eight* hundred and
~~ninety-one~~, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*six coats of the value of ten
dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Benjamin Michaelson*

then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against
the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People
of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Morris Levy
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Morris Levy*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

six coats of the value of ten dollars each

[Large handwritten flourish]

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Benjamin Michaelson*

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Benjamin Michaelson*

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said

Morris Levy

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, taken and carried away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Little, William F.

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05/26/91



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2522 J. W. Lacey

Counsel, *J. W. Lacey*
Filed *July 1891*
Plends, *of County of*

1891

Grand Larceny
[Sections 528, 530 Penal Code.]

vs. *William J. Lunde*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William J. Lunde

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. L. Skidmore

Foreman.

*on recon. Ad. Dist. Ct. etc.
left. discharged. on his
own recogn. R.M.*

Witnesses:

Edgar A. Youngs
off. John Howard

December 22, 1891

*On the within
withdrawal, with, etc.,
that the defendant has made
restitution, that he is now
earning an honest living
and supporting his family,
I respectfully recommend
that the defendant be
discharged of his own
voluntary acquittal.*

J. D. Macdonald
Deputy

When the same occur.

*Presented, and also returned
I do find that the act of
the defendant occurs when
he is present by his father
that the defendant is a
discharged of his acquittal -
J. D. Macdonald*

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Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Edgard Young
of ~~No~~ 246 5th Avenue Street, aged 36 years,
occupation Manager being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 1st day of November 1890, at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the day time, the following property, viz:

A quantity of jewelry, consisting
rings, diamonds, watch chains,
scarf pins and opera glasses
all of the value of about Seven
hundred dollars

the property of John Mason and in care
and charge of deponent as
Manager

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and
carried away by William J. Little now here, for
the reasons that during said period
the defendant was in the employ
of said Mason, a jeweler carrying
on business at the above address
that during said employment there
came into their possession, custody
and control ^{of the deponent} large quantities of
jewelry. That deponent missed
said property and is informed by
Samuel G. Sheldon, Detective Sergeant
that he arrested the defendant and
he acknowledged and confessed
to said Sheldon that he took said
property and sold and disposed

Subscribed before me, this 23 day of Nov 1890
Police Justice.

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of it and appropriated the money
realizing from the sale thereof to his
own use.

Wherefore deponent charges the
defendant with the larceny thereof.

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
THIS 23 DAY OF May 1891

W. W. M. M. M.
POLICE JUSTICE.

Edgar G. Youngs

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Samuel G. Sheldon

aged *44* years, occupation *Detective Sergeant* of No.

300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Edgar G. Younger*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *23*
day of *May* 189*9*,

Samuel G. Sheldon.

W. W. Matalo

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William J. Little being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. William J. Little

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. Refused

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Clerk

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer. I am not guilty.
William J. Little

Taken before me this 23rd

day of May 1891

J. M. ...

Police Justice.

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PAIDED,
 No. 1, by *James Miller*
 Residence *Shuttenus 744* Street.

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

Police Court... 2 District

THE PEOPLE, Ac.,
 vs. ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Edward J. Young
2276 54th Street
William J. Little

1 _____
 2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Offence *Grand Larceny*

Dated *May 23* 1891

McMasterson Magistrate

Shelton Hood Officer

Witnesses *Officer*



No. _____ Street. *38*

W. C. ...

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *thirty* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *May 23* 1891 *McMasterson* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

PLEASE SEND ME THE PAPERS IN THE CASE OF
PEOPLE

vs.

William F Little
v. R.

Please put this case
on the calendar.

Part III for Dec
23^d 1891

District Attorney.

J. W. Mason
Deputy

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William F Little

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse. William F Little

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree committed as follows:

The said William F Little

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

two pair of opera glasses of the value of twenty one dollars each pair, three chains of the value of thirty dollars each, one pair of cuff buttons of the value of three dollars and fifty cents, five finger rings of the value of eleven dollars each, one hairpin of the value of one dollar, one bracelet of the value of four dollars, one scarf-pin of the value of three dollars and fifty cents, two combs of the value of seven dollars each, three card cases of the value of seven dollars each, one pocketbook of the value of six dollars, one letter file of the value of three dollars, one nail file of the value of three dollars, one glove hook of the value of one dollar, one tape measure of the value of four dollars, one button hook of the value of three dollars and fifty cents, two other scarf-pins of the value of nineteen dollars each, two other scarf-pins of the value of thirty two dollars each, two other scarf-pins of the value of forty five dollars each, one other scarf pin of the value of twenty five dollars, one other scarf pin of the value of thirty four dollars, one other scarf pin of the value of seven dollars, one other finger ring of the value of seven dollars and one other scarf-pin of the value of four dollars of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John ...

then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Wm Lancy Nicoll, District Attorney

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Counsel

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H. C. May
day of *May*
Filed
Pleas, *April 10 7*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
(Section 290, Penal Code, sub. 8.)
(Selling to Minor)

THE PEOPLE

vs. *B*

Mannedone

allegedly

Each to the Court of Special Sessions for trial, by request of Counsel for Defendant.

THE LANCEY NICOLL,
JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. S. Bidmon

Foreman.

Witnesses:

Wm H. King
Sec Nev Court Children

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace of the City and
County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Maurice Louie

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment

accuse *Maurice Louie*

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows:

The said *Maurice Louie*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

twenty-fourth day of *April* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ninety *one*, at the City and County aforesaid,
certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wine, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of
wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of
cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of
lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, and cause and procure and permit to be sold to one
Frank Faltin who was then and
there a child actually and apparently under the age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of
eight years, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DELANEY COLL,
JOHN REE FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Luce, William D.

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\$ 443 *L. L. Barber*
 Counsel,
 Filed *1 day of May 1891*
 Pleads, *W. J. G. [unclear]*

THE PEOPLE
 vs.
 William D. Lucas
 Defendant

DE LAUNCEY NICOLL
 JOHN R. FELLOWS
 District Attorneys.

Forger in the Second Degree.
 (Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)

A TRUE BILL.

Ernest R. Griffin
John W. [unclear] Foreman.
W. J. G. [unclear]
W. J. G. [unclear]
W. J. G. [unclear]
W. J. G. [unclear]

Witnesses;
L. H. Wallace
Officer Cottrell
Arthur Coffin
Master of Police
Wesley Dean
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See if the Dept
has not been
renewed
Exonced, [unclear]
Arrested [unclear]
See and appears
great trap on
first conviction
301490 0909

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Signature
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**POOR QUALITY
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Phillips'
Elite and Business Directories.
Offices, 81. Nassau St.

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No. _____ New York Feb. 24th 1881
Bank of the Metropolis
Pay to W. H. Luce 29 Union Square
Twenty or order 28 Dollars
\$22.00
1881
Wm Knowles
Printed, Warren & Co. 29 Howard St. N.Y.

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W. D. Lee
Surgeon General
 FOR DEPOSIT
 SEP 2 1891
Charles D. Lee & Co.
 Indianapolis
 Germania Bank
 Germany
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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0637

STATE OF NEW YORK.
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

John H. Wallace
of No. 36 Sixth Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 24th day of February 1891
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, William D. Luce

(now here) did with intent to ~~commit~~
defraud, make, forge, and utter
an instrument in writing, purporting
to be the act of another, to wit,
the check hereto annexed which
purports to be drawn by William
Knowles upon the Bank of the
Metropolis for the sum of Twenty
dollars to the order of W. D. Luce.
Defendant presented said check
to deponent by ~~the defendant~~
with the request that deponent
give him the money therefor.
Deponent believing said check
to be genuine gave said money
to the defendant. Deponent is informed
by William Knowles, (now here) that
the defendant was in his employ
and that he Knowles is a dealer
in said Bank, that he did not
draw said check, that the signature
was not affixed thereto with his
knowledge, consent or authority
but that the same is a forgery.

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
THE 28 DAY OF April 1891
W. M. ...
POLICE JUSTICE.

John H. Wallace

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Knowles

aged *49* years, occupation *Printer* of No.

104 E. 13th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *John H. Wallace*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *28th*
day of *April* 189*8*.

William Knowles

W. M. Alon

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

William D. Luce being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William D. Luce*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Vermont*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. *140 West 4th St. 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer. *I have nothing to say*

William D. Luce

Taken before me this *28* day of *April* 1891
H. H. ...
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0640

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

John Cottrell

of No. Cont'd Office Street, aged years,

occupation Detective Sergeant being duly sworn, deposes and says

that on the 25 day of April 1891

at the City of New York, in the County of New York. He arrested William

de Luce (now Lee) charged with having with intent to cheat and defraud, made forged and uttered a check upon the Bank of the Metropolis for the sum of Twenty Dollars which check purports to have been signed by William Knowles. Deponent proposes that the said de Luce may be held for examination in order to enable deponent to produce proper evidence in Court against said de Luce. John Cottrell

Sworn to before me, this 26 of April 1891

W. M. Jackson Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Cottrell
vs.
William de Luce

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated, April 26 1891

W. McMahon Magistrate.

Cottrell Officer.

Witness, C.O.

Disposition 2500 bond 3 of April

28" 2 P.M.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILIED

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court - 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John W. Wallace
William A. Lane

Offence

Forgery

Dated April 28 1891

Prosecution *Magistrate*

Costroll Officer

See Precinct

Witnesses *John Knowles*

No. 1022 E. 13th Street

No. _____ Street

No. 23721 Street

Ed. H. ...

Ken ...



It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty five* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *April 28* 1891 *W. M. ...* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Olds Orchard, Me. May 23. 1897

Recorder Smyth

Dear Sir

I am informed that my son William Luce is awaiting his sentence on a charge of forgery, which he has confessed. I can't express to you in words how this intelligence shocks and grieves his father and mother who have prayed for this boy for years. If you are a father you will appreciate our feelings, but we can do nothing to stay the process

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of justice, nor would we; but my dear friend cannot justice be met in some other way than a sentence to State Prison? Can you not for our sake and for the sake of the poor erring boy who has been led in sinful ways, and who I trust by this time has seen his error and great sin, sentence him to the State Reformatory.

We appreciate the nature of his sin and deplore it perhaps more than he does, but the State Prison sentence will be a greater punishment to us than to him, and the reproach to us

that we have a son in State Prison will well nigh kill us both.

For 34 years we have had an honorable place in the Ministry of the M. E. Church, occupying several of the prominent appointments in the State of Maine and Vermont, and to have our advancing years blighted with this public shame seems to us almost unbearable.

We shall ask our Heavenly Father to help you in the decision of this matter and trust that you will see your way clear to send the boy to the Reformatory.

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For my standing in the
Church I can refer you to
Bishop Andrews of New
York who knows me well.
I am quite sure that
Will will be sufficiently
punished by such a sentence.

Will you dear Sir prayerfully
consider this request for
clemency in this case, and
drop me a line after you
have determined the matter,
and believe me ever

Yours Truly
J. Luce

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0646

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William D. Luce

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

William D. Luce of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

William D. Luce

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge, and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in the forging a certain instrument and writing, to wit: an order for the payment of money, of the kind called bank cheques, which said forged bank cheque is as follows, that is to say:

New York Feb. 24th 1891
Bank of the Metropolis
29 Union Square
Pay to W D Luce or order
Twenty Dollars
\$20.00
Wm Knowles

with intent to defraud, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said

William D. Luce

of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *William D. Luce*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously utter, dispose of and put off as true, a certain forged instrument and writing, *to wit: an order for the payment of money, of the kind called bank cheques,* which said forged *bank cheque* is as follows, that is to say:

New York Feb. 24th 1891
Bank of the Metropolis
29 Union Square.
Pay to W D Luce or order
Twenty Dollars
\$20 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀
Wm Knowles

with intent to defraud *he* the said *William D. Luce* then and there well knowing the same to be forged, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL.
~~JOHN R. FELLOWS,~~
District Attorney.

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Lucy, John

DATE:

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John Luey

*Capt. in charge
Hospital*

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FROM
HOWE & HUMMEL
COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
87 & 89 Centre Street,
NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0651

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 4th DISTRICT.

I, Joseph Martin
of 125th Street, aged _____ years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 5th day of April 1889
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested

John Lucey on the complaint
of Hibbard W. Noble who
stated to respondent that said
Lucey had feloniously
cut him with a knife.
Respondent avers that said
Lucey be held to await
appearance of the complainant

Joseph Martin

Sworn to before me, this

day

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0652

Police Court, X District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
John May

AFFIDAVIT.

Admitted

Dated Apr 29 1891
White Magistrate.

Martin Officer.

Witness, 29

Noty. N. H.

Disposition Held to await
the receipt of injured
May 1. 1891

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0653

THE ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL,

59TH STREET AND NINTH AVENUE,

JAS. R. LATHROP,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, March 4th 1891

This is to certify that
E. A. Noble is still a patient
in Roosevelt Hospital. He is
doing well and I believe
him going on to a good
recovery. He will not be
able however to appear in
court for several days to
come.

Robert C. Kemp M.D.
House Surgeon

Roosevelt Hospital.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0654

THE ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL,

59TH STREET AND NINTH AVENUE,

JAS. R. LATHROP,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, April 28 1891

This is to certify that
Noblette is at present
a patient in Roosevelt Hospital
He came to our accident room
suffering from a stab wound
of the neck. The wound is deep
and of a serious nature.
The vessels were ligated, etc,
by Dr Blair — the
haemorrhage being most
severe.

R. C. Kemp, M.D.
House Surgeon

Roosevelt Hospital.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0655

Sec. 198-200.

14 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

John Leacy being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against *him*; that the statement is designed to enable *him* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *him*; that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Leacy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. *114 East 88th St*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

John Leacy

Taken before me this
day of *March* 188*9*
John J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court No. 4 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Harten
John Hrey

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Offence *Assault on the noble*

Dated *May 13* 188*9*

John Magistrate

Mark Officer

42 Precinct

Witnesses *William G. Hooley*

No. *101 W 45th* Street

\$ *1000* to answer

John Ryan

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *Defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *May 13* 188*9* *John Ryan* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0657

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John Lucy

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John Lucy late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Hubbard A. Noblett in the Peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against him the said Hubbard A. Noblett with a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said John Lucy in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent him the said Hubbard A. Noblett thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John Lucy late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Hubbard A. Noblett in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against him the said Hubbard A. Noblett, with a certain knife a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said John Lucy in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Luther, Marlin

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Counsel,
Filed
Pleids,
day of May 1891

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW

THE PEOPLE
vs.
B
Martin Luther

Whereby consent and desire
This case against me be sent
Court of Special Sessions for
and final disposition.

John H. Fellows
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

M. S. Williams
Foreman.

Witnesses:

off. Minis. Lohm

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Record May 28/91 by

Joe W. Baumman

at Law 112 E. 107 St.

**POOR QUALITY
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace,

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Martin H. Luther

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse — *Martin H. Luther* — of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said — *Martin H. Luther* — late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *July* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-nine*, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of, and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close and keep closed, and on the said day the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did open and cause and procure, and suffer and permit to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SE LAUREY NICOLL,
JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0661

Court of General Sessions, PART *2nd*
THE PEOPLE vs. INDICTMENT

Martin H. Luther

To

Joseph M. Baumann
No. *112 Eldridge* Street.

The indictment against the above-named defendant for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *Trial* at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on _____ the *29* day of SEPTEMBER instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time your bond will be forfeited.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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	<p>Gen Roesch</p>	<p>112 Eldridge 94-2nd Ave</p>
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Lutz, Carl F.

DATE:

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Lutz, Carl F.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Charles Schwab

Wm. J. Keen

Wm. J. Keen

Comptroller of the Court
in the City of New York

in the City of New York

Counsel,
Filed 25 day of May 1897
Plends,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Carl S. Lutz

Grand Larceny Second Degree.
[Sections 528, 537, and Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Wm. J. Keen

A TRUE BILL.

W. S. Dickinson
Foreman.
Wm. J. Keen
Wm. J. Keen

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0666

Police Court 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Charles Schwab

of No. 276 Bleeker Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Driver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 20 day of May 189 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

one gold watch, with plated chain attached ^{and} one gold Ring all of the value Fifty dollars
\$50-

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Carl F. Lutz (now here)

from the fact that deponent is informed by Jacob Mohr of the Second Precinct Police that he found said ring and chain in the possession of said deponent and the said deponent admitted pledging said watch in a loan office in Grand Street Brooklyn Charles Schwab

Sworn to before me, this 21 day of May 189
Charles W. Stewart
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0667

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 29 years, occupation Jacob Mohr of No. Policeman

Second Precinct being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Schwab and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 21 day of May 1899 } Jacob G. Mohr
Charles N. Linton
Police Justice.

Series of horizontal dotted lines for additional text or notes.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Carl F. Lutz

being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is *his* right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against *him*; that the statement is designed to
enable *him* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *him*
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *his* waiver cannot be used
against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Carl F. Lutz*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. *276 Bleeker one month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the
testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your
exculpation?

Answer. *I am guilty*

C. F. Lutz

Taken before me this *21*
day of *May* 19*21*
Charles W. Smith
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0669

BAILED,
 No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court... 5th District.

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THE PEOPLE, Ac.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles W. ...
Paul H. ...

Offence... *...*

Date *May 21* 1891

C. W. ... Magistrate

Paul H. ... Officer

Paul H. ... Precinct

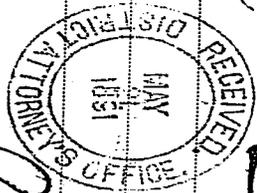
Witnesses *Paul H. ...*

Paul H. ... Street

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ *500* to answer _____ Street _____



It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *Defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail

Dated *May 21* 1891 *Charles W. ...* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0670

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Carl F. Lutz

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *Carl F. Lutz*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree committed as follows:

The said *Carl F. Lutz*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-one at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of thirty
dollars, one chain of the value
of five dollars, and one finger ring
of the value of fifteen dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles Schwalb

then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against
the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People
of the State of New York and their dignity.

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ORIGINAL**

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Carl F. Lutz
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

Carl F. Lutz
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of thirty
dollars, one chain of the value
of \$ five dollars, and one finger-
ring of the value of fifteen
dollars*

Charles Schwab
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Charles Schwab
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said

Carl F. Lutz
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, taken and carried away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.