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Eagleton, Patrick

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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 24 day of June 1883

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*W. J. ...*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*  
*Samuel Coagerton*

Violation of Excise Law.  
~~Selling on Sundays &c~~

JOHN MCKEON,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*E. Howard*  
Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions, Part One

THE PEOPLE

INDICTMENT

vs.

For

Patrick Bagleton

To

Mr Thomas Bagleton

No. 197 South 5<sup>th</sup> St.

Street.

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *pleading* 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 *Thursday* the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *Jan* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

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

~~DANIEL G. RIZLINS,~~

*John W. Keon* District Attorney.

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Judge Norton  
Complaint

Thomas Engleton  
197 South 5<sup>th</sup> St.

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POLICE COURT

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DISTRICT.

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

Charles L. Albertson  
of the Eighth Precinct Police

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 20<sup>th</sup> day  
of January 1883 in the City of New York in the County of New York.

At Premises No. 34 Grand Street Patrick  
Wagleton

(now here) did then and there expose for sale, and did sell, caused  
suffered, and permitted to be sold and given away, under his direction or authority, strong and spirituous liquors,  
wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the  
house, or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law:

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that the said *at the hour of 3 1/2*  
*o'clock on the morning of said day* defendant may

be ~~arrested and~~ dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day  
of January 1883

Ch. Albertson

A. M. Patterson  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Patrick Bagleton* 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. *Patrick Bagleton*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty-nine years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *34 Grand St. About 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Liquor Dealer*

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.*

*P. Bagleton*

Taken before me this *20<sup>th</sup>*

day of *January* 188*8*

*W. J. Cameron*

Police Justice.

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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 Patrick Baylerton

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of one 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 January 20 1883 J. M. Parsons Police Justice.

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

Dated January 20 1883 J. M. Parsons 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles L. Albertson  
& vs. Patrick Cayleton

*Office, Revolution of  
Officers Lane*

BAILED,

No. 1 by Mrs. Cayleton  
Residence 197 South 5<sup>th</sup> Av. Street,

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated January 20 1888  
Patterson Magistrate.  
Albertson & Officer.  
Mess Clerk.

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ Attorney answer G.S.



Bailed

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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

*Patricia Caageton*

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

of the CRIME OF Exposing for Sale and Selling Spirituous Liquors at  
unlawful hours, committed as follows:

The said *Patricia Caageton*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, ~~the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday,~~ with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, 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 expose for sale and sell as a beverage ~~at~~ at unlawful hours, to-wit: between the hours of one and five o'clock on the morning of said day.

~~and~~ to certain ~~other~~ persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, 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 McKEON, District Attorney.**

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DESCRIPTION:

Eckert, Jacob

DATE:

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Counsel,  
Filed 30 day of June 1883  
Pleads

INDICTMENT.  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
John McKeon  
R  
John McKeon  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
J. H. Swell  
Foreman.  
John McKeon  
S. P. True year.

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3rd District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. *154 Stanton* Street.

*Thomas Willis* 53 years

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 188*2*

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 living animal to wit: a horse  
of the value of fifty dollars*

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 *Jacob Eckert (now here)*

*from the fact that on or about said 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1882 said Eckert came to deponent's place of business, and then represented to deponent that Eben S. Ackler of 91<sup>st</sup> 189 Delancey Street had sent him Eckert for the loan of said horse, deponent believing said representation to be true gave said horse to said Eckert. Deponent was informed by said Ackler in the evening of said day*

*[Signature]*

*Emerson L. [unclear]*

*[unclear]*

*Boyer Insprce.*

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that he did not send said Eckel for a horse  
and that the representation made by said Eckel  
were false and untrue.  
said and deponent charges that said Eckel  
did steal said property as aforesaid

Sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1883  
Amos T. Bellamy  
Said Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT-Larceny.

vs.

Dated 1883

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Eben S. Baker

aged 66 years, occupation Frankman of No.

189 Delaney Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Emmus Willis

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

Sworn to before me, this 27  
day of January 1883

E. S. Baker

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Jacob Eckert 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. Jacob Eckert

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 108 Ridge Street 22 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Green Guard

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, I did not see the horse

Jacob Eckert

Taken before me this

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day of December 1884

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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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 Jacob Eckert

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 January 27 1883

*[Handwritten signature]*  
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 h t to be discharged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_

Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

✓  
Emmos Willis  
Grocery  
154 Stanton St  
Jacob Geller

Grace Adams  
Offence

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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.

Dated Jan 27 1893

Beuffy Magistrate.

Paul Rank Officer

11<sup>th</sup> Clerk.

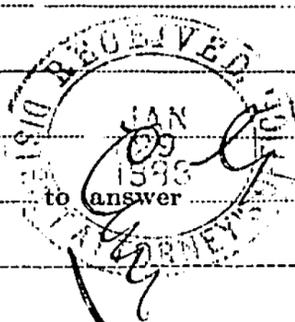
Witnesses, Elen S. Keller

No. 189 Delaney Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

\$ 500 to answer



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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*

*Jacob Eckert*

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

*Jacob Eckert*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Jacob Eckert*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on  
the ~~ten~~ day of ~~October~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with  
force and arms *one horse of the value of*  
*fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Amos*  
*Wier* 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.

*John McLean*  
*District Attorney*

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Edwards, William

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Doe, John

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Roe, Richard

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Restoration have been  
fully made in this  
Case, and of what appears  
to be the only attempt for  
the People is so feeble,  
according to the affidavits  
of his Counsel and Doctor  
as so feeble as to render  
it dangerous to his life  
to appear and testify  
under such circumstances  
the Court has ordered the  
Counsel to arrange the  
indictments against the  
Defendants.

Wm. McKee  
March 7. 83

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Counsel, W. McKee  
Filed 30 day of January 1883  
Pleads (W. McKee vs. J. J.)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
William Edwards  
John Doe N.A.  
Richard Roe

JOHN McKEON,  
March 7. 83 District Attorney.  
Indictments dismissed

A True Bill.

W. McKee

Wm. McKee  
Foreman  
Daisy Lee  
Memo J. J.

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~~South~~ District Police Court

State of New York

City & County of New York ss

Alfred Clock of No. 539 Madison Avenue in said City being duly sworn deposes and says that on Thursday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882 at the City of New York and <sup>in the</sup> County of New York the defendants William Edwards and two other persons are known to Complainant by the name of Stokes and the name of the other being unknown to the Complainant did at the aforesaid place conspire to cheat and defraud the plaintiff out of a large sum of money to wit certain checks to the amount of several thousand dollars and the sum of \$15.00 in money by means of false and fraudulent representations made to complainant by said defendants while playing at a game which they had induced the Complainant to enter into under the following circumstances that Complainant is a Man of Eighty years of age, is infirm in health that while Complainant was on the said 14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882 riding up

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town in a Fourth Avenue horse car  
in said City he was accosted by  
a person to whom unknown but  
who represented himself as one Stokes  
and claimed to be a friend of Com-  
plainant; that said person  
who so as aforesaid represented  
himself as one Stokes persuaded upon  
said induced the Complainant to stop  
at a certain house on the line of  
the said railroad or near thereto  
upon the representation that the  
said Stokes had drawn a prize  
in a lottery which he the said  
Stokes wished to get and that he would  
then go up town with the plaintiff  
that the Complainant thereupon went  
into the said house for the aforesaid  
purpose and there met the other of the  
two persons, above described, that the  
said Stokes represented to this Complainant  
that he had won some large amount  
of money at some pretended game which  
had been carried on or was being carried  
on at the said place and that he  
also had won or acquired the right  
to draw two more chances in the said

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excuse, and requested the Complainant  
to draw one cheque for him, that  
Complainant <sup>declared</sup> said to the said Stokes  
that he did not understand the nature  
of the game, but did as he was requested  
and was informed that he had drawn  
by means of designating one of several cards  
upon a table in the room, the sum of  
\$ 2000 for the said Stokes that he was  
then induced to draw other cards with  
the assurance that he the said  
Complainant should not lose any  
money himself but that after he had  
drawn several times he was told  
that he was in debt to the said person  
in the said house ~~to~~ whom he had  
met upon coming in with Stokes as aforesaid  
and that if he would draw a certain  
check that he could without risking  
the same or without danger of losing it  
recover the money, for which he was  
said to be in debt. That Complainant  
was induced to draw several checks  
to the amount of several thousand  
dollars, and was finally told after  
he had drawn the last one, by the  
said Stokes and the other man unknown  
but above described, that if Complainant

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would go to his bank in Company with the said Stokes and draw by check \$15.00, and return with the same that his checks to the amount of several thousand dollars would be returned to him and that he might not be afraid of losing the said \$15.00, but that the same would be returned to him after playing at the game for a short time. That Complainant was driven by the said Stokes to the 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Bank in said City, and that when arrived <sup>at</sup> the said Bank he got out of the Cab in which he had ridden and left Stokes therein, that as he got out the defendant got down from the outside of the Cab and followed him into the bank where he remained until he drew the said \$15.00 and then went out and jumped onto the outside seat of the Cab with the driver and drove to the house in 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue above referred to, and that when he got out of the said Cab there, the person on top of the Cab whom Complainant verily believes to be this defendant

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went away in company with the said Stokes, that Complainant went into the said house where he met the person above described other than Stokes in this defendant, and that the said person asked Complainant to allow him to count the money which Complainant had drawn at the Bank, and promised to give it back to Complainant immediately, that Complainant handed him the money for that purpose and that the said man kept the same and refused to return it to the Complainant or any part thereof or any of the said checks above referred to except one for the sum of \$ 128 <sup>00</sup>

that the Complainant verily believes that the defendant aided and abetted in the aforesaid wrongful acts and in obtaining and wrongfully acquiring his Claimants property as aforesaid

Sworn before me

this 19 day of Dec 1882 Alfred Block  
J.P. Kilbuck Police Justice  
by Dept Council.

2 Did you see this defendant in the house on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue either before you went to the bank

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for the money you asked  
you returned.

A. I did not see him  
at all in the house.  
I was before me Alfred Block  
this 19 day of Dec. 1882

A. Willett

Police Justice

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City and County of  
New York } James G. Cannon  
aged 24 years, being paying teller  
of the 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Bank of New York  
being duly sworn deposes and  
says

That he is personally acquainted  
with Alfred Block. (now present)  
and that he Block has an  
account to his credit at said  
bank and that on the Thursday  
the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882  
the said Alfred Block came to said  
bank and presented to deponent  
a bank check drawn by said  
Block on said bank for the  
sum of fifteen hundred dollars  
and this deponent paid the said  
Block the sum of fifteen hundred  
dollars by bills of various denomin-  
ations, ~~and deponent believes that they were one hundred dollar~~  
~~and with the exception of ten of them being~~  
after deponent paid the said  
money to him Block. he Block left  
the bank and crossed 44<sup>th</sup> street  
and there got into a cab. with  
another person who is unknown  
deponent, and deponent further  
says that while the said Block  
was in the bank, deponent

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Saw William Edwards (now here)  
in the said bank and when  
he block left the bank the said  
Edwards immediately followed  
him out of the bank and  
walked around the cab in which  
block had got into and he  
Edwards then got on the box  
of the said cab with the  
driver, and the said cab  
was then driven away

Sworn before me  
this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 1888 James H. Cannon

J. K. Keith  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

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

William Edwards 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.

William Edwards

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

New York City

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Book Keeper

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 by my Council's advice  
decline to say anything as  
my Council informs me  
that the foregoing Complaint  
does not justify my detention

W. Edwards

Taken before me this

day of

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J. P. [Signature]

Police Justice

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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~~  
~~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 December 19 1882 J. B. Smith 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 h to be discharged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Bail fixed at \$3000.

RPC  
Dec 21/82

BAILED.

No. 1, by Albert J. Adams  
Residence 861 W. 32<sup>nd</sup> Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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Police Court 1071 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred Block  
539<sup>th</sup> Madison  
William Edwards

Offence Grand Larceny

Dated Dec 19 188  
J. J. Ellworth Magistrate.  
W. G. ... Officer  
Precinct.

Witnesses James G. Cannon  
5<sup>th</sup> Ave. Bank Street.  
5<sup>th</sup> Ave. ... Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
Comer to answer G. S.

Get for Dec 20 at 2 1/2  
Pm

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OFFICE OF  
J. NOBLE HAYES,  
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
120 BROADWAY,

Room 70, 6th Floor.

New York, March 1st 1888

Hon. John. McKean, District Attorney.

Dear Sir.

About two months ago Mr Alfred Clock, an old gentleman, upwards of 80 yrs of age, residing with his daughter and grand children at 539 Madison Ave, was accosted in the street by a man who pretended to be his friend, and to know his family, and invited him to get off the horse car on which he was riding at the time, and stop with the person who had so accosted him, at an office, where the man (who called himself "Stokes") said he had drawn a prize in a lottery which he wished to get; promising Mr Clock, that he would ~~then~~ be detained <sup>there</sup> but a moment and that they would then go home together.

Mr Clock was made to believe that he was a party to some pretended game that was going on in the place, and was induced by the usual methods to advance checks to the amount of \$11,000 and upwards - he was finally prevailed upon to go with the man "Stokes" to the 5th Avenue Bank and draw \$1,500 in cash which he took back to the gambling place with him, and which was thus extorted from him by -

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OFFICE OF  
J. NOBLE HAYES,  
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
120 BROADWAY,

Room 70, 6th Floor.

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New York,

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similar devices.

When Mr. Clock went into the 5th Avenue Bank, a man by the name of Mingen followed him in, and afterwards rode away on the top of the cab in which Mr. Clock left the Bank.

This man Mingen, alias Edwards was afterwards arrested, and I appeared against him as Mr. Clock's Counsel before Justice Kilbuck in the 57th St Police Ct., and after almost an entire day, spent in drawing the facts from Mr. Clock, succeeded in having Mingen committed. - He has since been indicted, and is now out on bail awaiting trial. The two principals in the transaction have also been indicted as John Doe and Richard Roe, but they are unknown, and are believed to have escaped.

The examination of Mr. Clock in the Police Court proved that for the purpose of a trial in Court he would be perfectly useless as a witness for the State.

His age and infirmities are so great that his recollection and speech sometimes entirely fail him. He has had one stroke of paralysis and his general health, since this unfortunate occurrence, has become impaired to such a degree as to alarm his family, and as to be premonitory of his approaching dissolution. - - - - -

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OFFICE OF  
J. NOBLE HAYES,  
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
120 BROADWAY.

Room 30. 5th Floor.

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You will see from the affidavit of his physician Dr Curtis, (which I herewith present to you) that he considers, that it would be extremely dangerous for Mr. Clock to be subjected to the excitement necessarily attendant upon a trial in open court.

I have been approached by a lawyer in this city who represents the gamblers, who swindled Mr. Clock, and he has offered to return all the checks which Mr. Clock gave to his clients and to return \$1000. of the money taken from Mr. C. by them.

Although Mr. Clock is anxious to serve the community by doing all in his power to rid it of such characters as these, and even to lose his money entirely in so doing, his family do not feel that the prosecution should be carried on at the risk of the old gentleman's life. He has done all he could to serve the State and now that he is unable to do any more he and his

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OFFICE OF  
J. NOBLE HAYES,  
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
120 BROADWAY,

Room 70, 6th Floor.

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family both ask you to drop the prosecution and permit him to receive back his money and checks.

I am professionally of the opinion, from a very careful consideration of the case and its circumstances that it will be impossible to convict any of the defendants, (even should they be all taken), without the testimony of Mr. Clock: and I am equally confident, that Mr. Clock's testimony in his present condition of health will be confused, contradictory and of the most labored and painful character in its delivery.

I have the honor, to remain  
Your obedient servant.

J. Noble Hayes

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Art. 1 The Court of General Sessions, of the peace  
in and for the City & County of New York

The People of the State  
of New York

— vs —

William Edwards  
John Doe and Richard Roe

City & County of New York ss  
J. Noble Hayes being duly sworn  
says that he is an attorney and coun-  
sellor at law and has acted as counsel  
for Alfred Clock the Complainant, in  
the above case. That defendant is well  
acquainted with the said Alfred Clock  
and also with his family. That the  
said Alfred Clock ~~is~~ is a man  
of upwards of Eighty years of age as  
defendant is informed and believes and  
that the condition of his health is extremely  
delicate, that on or about December 14<sup>th</sup>  
1882 the said Alfred Clock was, as defendant  
is informed and believes, inveigled into a  
fraudulent gaming device, by two persons  
whose true names are unknown to him  
but who are named herein as John Doe and  
Richard Roe, whereby the said defendants

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did unlawfully, <sup>and fraudulently</sup> acquire from the said  
check a large amount of Money to wit  
\$1550. besides a number of checks amounting  
in the aggregate to upwards of \$8,000.  
in value. That the defendant Edwards  
Alias, Mingers was been indicted as an  
accomplice of the defendants named as John  
Doe and Richard Roe. and is now under  
bail awaiting trial: that the other  
two defendants are unknown to deponent  
~~but~~ as he is informed and believes have  
fled from the city.

That deponent has been approached  
by the counsel of the defendants who have  
offered through him to return \$1000 of  
the amount above referred to and all the  
checks obtained by them from the complainant.

That the Complainant by reason  
of his great age and infirmity is  
unable to converse readily and his  
powers of speech and recollection are, when  
he is under excitement, ~~often~~ <sup>at</sup> times very  
much impaired. That deponent verily believes  
that the Complainant's condition is such as to  
render him almost useless as a witness to  
the state in this prosecution.

Sworn to before me  
this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883

J. F. Carroll  
Notary Public  
City & County

J. Noble Hayes

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City & County of New York ss  
I Dr J Amos Curtis being duly sworn  
says that he is a regular practicing  
physician in the City of New York  
that he knows Alfred Clark Esq and is  
his physician. That the said Alfred  
Clark is a man of about eighty years  
of age, and that his physical condition  
is such, that he believes it would  
be extremely dangerous for the said  
Alfred Clark by reason of his age and  
infirmities to be subjected to the excitement  
consequent upon a trial in court  
and that deponent believes that  
any such undue excitement might  
result in the serious impairment of his  
the said Clarks health and perhaps  
in his death

Sworn to before me  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February  
1883

John G. Curtis,  
M.D.

Albion H. Hayes  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C. (117)

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OFFICE OF  
J. NOBLE HAYES,  
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
120 BROADWAY,

Room 70, 6th Floor.

New York, March 1<sup>st</sup> 188

Hon. John McKeon District Attorney.

Dear Sir,

I heartily concur in all that Mr Hayes has written above and earnestly desire that my Grandfather may be allowed to withdraw from taking any part in the prosecution of this proceeding, since he is unable to do so. I hope you will think proper to allow him to receive back his money and checks, particularly the latter as we apprehend that suits will otherwise be brought upon them, which it may be a great annoyance to  
[redacted]

Respectfully  
A. Meserole.

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People  
by  
Edwards et al

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The People of the State of New York,

TO *James T. Kellogg* Esquire, one of the Police Justices of the City of New York, and to JOHN SPARKS, Esquire, Clerk of our Court of General Sessions of the Peace, holden in and for the City and County of New York, and to *John McKern* District Attorney of the City and County of New York

GREETING :

CERTIORARI TO CERTIFY CAUSE OF DETENTION.

We Command you, That you certify fully and at large to

our ~~Supreme~~ *Special* Court of the State of New York, at a

*Term* thereof, to be holden at the New County Court House, in Chambers Street, in the said City of New York, on the *20th* day of *December* 18*82*, at *10 1/2* o'clock in the forenoon, the day and cause of the imprisonment of

*William Edwards*  
by you detained; as is said, by whatsoever name the said *William Edwards*

shall be called or charged; and have you then this writ.

*Witness*, Honorable NOAH DAVIS, presiding Justice of our Supreme Court of the First Judicial Department, at the City Hall, in said City of New York, the *19* day of *December* 18*82*

BY THE COURT.

WILLIAM F. HOWE  
and  
ABRAHAM H. HUMMEL. } Attorneys for Relator.

*W. A. Butler*  
Clerk.

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Supreme Court, -New York.

IN re THE IMPRISONMENT OF

*William Edwards*

Writ of Certiorari.

I HEREBY ALLOW THE WITHIN WRIT.

Dated this *19* day of *Decr* 18*82*

*Howe*

Justice of the Supreme Court,  
holding Special Term thereof.

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for Relator.

*Writ dismissed  
and prisoner*

*remanded*



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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERSUS

William Edwards  
Pro Soc & Richard Roe

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. ~~I~~ ~~as~~ compensation has been made to me - to the extent of the ability of the defendants.

Alfred Clark

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Perph<sup>m</sup>  
Sands et al

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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 Edwards
John Doe
Richard Roe

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

William Edwards, and John Doe and Richard Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown of the crime of GRAND LARCENY, in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said William Edwards, John Doe and Richard Roe

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the fourteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

\$1,500. three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one Alfred B. B. then and there being found, 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.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Eustace, Edward

DATE:

01/29/83



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Have 26  
William A. ...  
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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *29* day of *January* 188*3*  
Pleads *Not Guilty (30)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Edward Eversore*

*Feb 6/83*

*Queen's Bench*

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

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Presbyterian Hospital  
Dec. 24/82 -

This is to Certify that Michael  
Gard was brought to this Hos-  
pital this A.M. suffering from  
a Contusion of the right leg -

H. A. Maudville M.D.  
House Surgeon

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Police Court—Fourth District.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

ss. Michael Ward, aged 35 years  
Police officer  
of No. the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police

on Sunday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of December  
in the year 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

and grievously he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Edward Custace (now present),

who did wilfully and maliciously  
Strike deponent on the right foot  
with a stone which he said Custace  
cast at deponent causing severe  
injuries to deponent.

That at the time of said  
Assault deponent was in the act  
of pursuing the said Custace with  
the intent to arrest him Custace  
for committing a breach of the peace  
deponent further says that said  
Custace did so assault and beat  
deponent

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him bodily harm; and 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  
for the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day  
of January 1893



Police Justice.

Michael Ward

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Form 10.

POLICE COURT - ~~SIXTH~~ <sup>4</sup> DISTRICT

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

Henry J. Cornish, aged 48 years

of ~~No.~~ the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police

Street,

that on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of December 187<sup>th</sup> being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
of New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn to, this

before me,

24<sup>th</sup> day of December 187<sup>th</sup>  
Wm. J. O'Connell

Police Justice.

deponent was informed by Officer Michael Ward in the presence of Edward Eustace (now present) that he said Eustace had assaulted and beaten him the said Ward by striking him on the leg with some hard substance held in the hand of the said Eustace and this deponent further says that said Michael Ward is now confined in the Presbyterian Hospital suffering from the injuries inflicted on him by said Eustace and prays that he Eustace may be held to await the result of the injuries of said Ward  
Henry J. Cornish

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Form 10.

Police Court ~~Sixth~~ District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry J. Cornish

vs.

Edward Crustace

Dated Dec. 24 1872

W. J. Power Justice.

Cornish Officer.  
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Ex Jan 20 / 83 ad  
G. L. L.

Affidavit  
of Michael Ward

\$1000 to and  
resnet of injury  
& etc. where officer  
can come to  
com. W. J. Power  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Eustace 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. Edward Eustace.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Wisconsin

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

Answer. 1262 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue. 7 1/2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Iron Smith

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 of the charge preferred against me.  
Edward Eustace

Taken before me this

21<sup>st</sup>

day of January 1928

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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Sec. 192.

4 District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Sam Maurice J Power a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging Edward Eustace Defendant with the offence of causing injuries to the body of Michael Ward on the 24 day of December 1882

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, Edward Eustace Defendant of No. 1362 3 Avenue Street; by occupation a tin smith and Myer Kallman of No. 1360 3 Avenue Street, by occupation a Store Keeper Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named Edward Eustace Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 4 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 Ten Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 24 day of December 1882

Edward Eustace

Myer Kallman

Sam Power POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Edw. C. ...*  
Police Justice.

Sworn to before me, this  
day of *December* 188*8*

*Myer Kallman*

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *personal property* holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* 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 *the stock, goods*

*furniture and chattels contained in the hardware and house furnishing store located at 1360 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue in said city*

*Myer Kallman*

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

*Edward Endace*

Taken the *24* day of *December* 188*8*

*M. J. Power*  
Justice.

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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 25 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 January 25 188 3 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated January 23 188 3 [Signature] 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court 1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Ward  
28<sup>th</sup> St  
Edward Eustace

Office, Asaunt & Batten

BAILED

No. 1, by Meyer Kalkman  
Residence 1360 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave Street

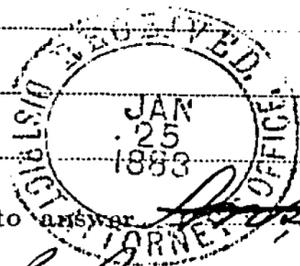
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated January 23 1883  
Herrman Magistrate.  
Michael Ward Officer  
28 Clerk.

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,



\$1000 to answer  
General Sessions  
Bailed  
of Tuesday Jan 23, 9 1/2 a m

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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

Edward Eustace

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

Edward Eustace

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree committed as follows:

The said Edward Eustace

late of the City and County of New York, on the 24th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously made

an assault in and upon one Michael Ward, then and there being a patrolman of the Municipal Police of the City of New York, and as such patrolman being then and there engaged in the lawful apprehension of him the said Edward Eustace for some crime to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and the said Edward Eustace, then the said Michael Ward, then and there feloniously did beat, strike, bruise, wound and otherwise ill treat, with intent then and there to prevent and resist the lawful apprehension of himself as aforesaid, 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 there dignity.

John McKeon

District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Farnen, Edward

DATE:

01/03/83



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From the statement  
made at the bar of  
the court by the officer  
who arrested this boy  
I Accuse the above  
on his own recognizance

Proper  
July 4 83

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

6  
day of January 1883

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward S. ...

BURGLARY—Third Degree,  
—NOTHING STOLEN.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

E. H. ...

Foreman.

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Discharged by Court

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County  
of New York,

ss. Ann Hoffman aged 35 years

of No. 413 East 63

Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 413 East 63 Street

Street, 19 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling. A wood house in the

cellar of said premises being occupied ~~by deponent~~ **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
by deponent as a place for the storing of wood and  
Coal were Burglariously entered by breaking off the lock  
on the door leading into said wood house and thereby  
forcibly entering said wood house

on the Thursday of the 7 day of December 1881

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

A quantity of Coal and wood of the value  
of about five dollars \$5.00

the property of deponent her husband Joseph Hoffman  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed, and the aforesaid property taken, stolen  
and carried away by Edward Farnum (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that previous  
to said Burglary the said wood house  
was securely fastened by a pad lock  
and this deponent has been informed  
by Goddard A. Doane (nowhere) that he

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was standing on the <sup>hallway</sup> stairs in said premises  
at the said time and he saw the said  
Francis break off the lock of <sup>door</sup> this deponent's  
wood house

Anie Hoffmann

Sworn before me this 9<sup>th</sup>  
day of December  
1874

Police Justice

Goddard A. Doane, "I was  
 further told, that I was  
 present and saw the  
 defendant Edward Durham  
~~open~~ the drawing the staple  
 that held the padlock that  
 fastened the door of the  
 woodshed on these premises.  
 When he saw me he hid himself in another wood shed.  
 I charged him with this offence  
 then there; He denied having  
 done it.

Cross-Ex<sup>n</sup>

There was another boy taller  
 than the defendant with him.

I was on the stairs when I  
 saw him. Wood houses are  
 in the cellar on both sides  
 of the stairs. There was day  
 light in the cellar. I saw  
 this defendant Durham  
 prying the staple out; the  
 other boy was helping him.

The door was closed. I arrested  
 Durham. The other boy escaped  
 through the cellar window. Durham  
 was escaping up the stairs, I caught  
 him through the stairs - going into  
 of the cellar. Goddard A. Doane.

Examined before me this  
 1st day of December 1872  
 Wm. J. Owsen  
 Justice of the Peace

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Goddard W. Doane  
aged 27 years, occupation Carpenter of No.

321 East 69 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Wm H. Homan

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

Sworn to before me, this 9  
day of December 1888

Goddard W. Doane

W. J. Owen

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Farnam 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. Edward Farnam

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 14 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 351 East 5th St 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. I am not working at present

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 did not open the Wood Shed. I am not quite sure. The other boy ~~was~~ Benny Meehan of 64th Street - between 1st av & the Boulevard - asked me to go into the Cellar with him he has a large screw driver in his pocket - He opened the Wood House - when he heard the door open up stairs - he ran back in the cellar - and escaped - I did not know that he was going there to steal. I did not know for what purpose he went there - I did not go there to steal anything.  
Edward Farnam

Taken before me this 9 day of December 1882

Oliver Crozier Police Justice.

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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

Edward Farmer  
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 December 9 1882 W. J. Owen 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 h to be discharged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Order  
Police Court 4 District 1037

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ann Hoffman  
413 E 63 St  
Edmund Farman

Ben Day  
Officer

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated December 9 1882

M J P Magistrate.  
John H McDermott Officer.

28 Precinct.  
Witnesses John H McDermott  
No. 28 Precinct Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

\$ 500 to answer G S  
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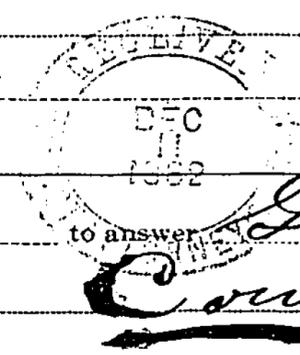
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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Edward Farmer

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

Edward Farmer

attempt at  
of the crime of BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Edward Farmer

late of the *Thirteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *December* in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, the *cellar* of

*Joseph Hoffman*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did <sup>attempt to</sup> break into and enter the said *cellar*  
being then and there <sup>part of a</sup> building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things  
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,  
and personal property of

*Joseph Hoffman*

with intent the said  
goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *cellar* 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.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

966

DESCRIPTION:

Feeney, Thomas

DATE:

01/03/83



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0050

32 Meeker

Counsel,  
Filed 3 day of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty (4)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Shomas Seemey  
BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
Larceny—Grand Larceny.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
E. F. Swindle  
Foreman.

Jan<sup>y</sup> 15/83.  
Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.  
Pleads Guilty 3 day  
S. C. Two years & 6 mos  
Jan<sup>y</sup> 17/83

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FORM 112.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } SS

Police Court—Third District.

Charles Steuervagel, aged 33 years,  
of No. 179 Bridge Street, Brooklyn, Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1883

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent. And from deponents person,  
in the night time,

the following property viz.: One silver watch and  
plate chain attached, together

of the value of Eighteen Dollars

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 Charles Fleming,

now here, from the fact that about  
the hour of 7 o'clock on the night of  
said day deponent was walking in  
Chrystie Street, and said watch  
was then contained in the left  
pocket of the coat then worn on  
deponents person and was fastened  
to said coat by said chain.

That said deponent and another  
man then and there approached  
deponent and the said other man  
struck deponent whereupon the said

day of  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
9th

Notary Public

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Defendant seized horse of said  
Cham and snatched said  
property from defendant's person  
and then ran away with  
said property in his possession.  
Sworn to before me at  
2<sup>nd</sup> Day of January 1883

J. W. Patterson

Charles A. Averagel

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Charles Fleming 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. Charles Fleming

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Eighteen years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 18 Marne St. about 3 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Carpenter

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. I have nothing else to say. Charles Fleming

Taken before me this

9<sup>th</sup> 1888

day of June

W. J. Patterson Police Justice.

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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 Charles Fleming

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~~ be fully discharged

Dated January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1883 J. M. Patterson 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 h to be discharged

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court - 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Steinemagel  
179 03. Bnd St.  
Charles J. Corning

Offence, *Alimony from  
Married*

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Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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Dated *January 2<sup>9</sup>* 188 *3*  
*Patterson* Magistrate.

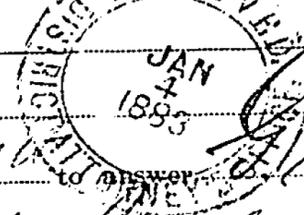
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*Mick* Clerk.

Witnesses, *Frank J. Fuchs*  
*Paul Polici*  
*Solomon Weinhandler*

No. *38172* Grand Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

*without case*



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Feeney, Thomas

DATE:

01/03/83



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**CORRECTION**

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32 Stecker

Counsel,  
Filed 3 day of Jan 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty (4.)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Thomas Sweeney  
Burglary—Third Degree, and  
Six Grand Larceny.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

E. H. Swell  
Foreman.

Jan 15/83

Verdict of Guilty should specify on which count.

Placed Jury 3 days  
S. P. Two years & 6 mos  
Jan 17/83

0877

Police Court—<sup>3<sup>rd</sup></sup> District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }

Josephine Fiuga

of No. 347 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 33 years,  
occupation Dressmaker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 347 East 12<sup>th</sup>  
Street, 17 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling  
House, three Rooms on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor near aforesaid premises  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling for herself and  
daughter were BURGLARIOUSLY  
entered by means forcibly breaking off a pad lock  
which fastened the door leading to said Rooms

on the Morning of the 20 day of November 1887  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Breast pin and one pair of Ear Rings  
of the value of Fifteen dollars, and two  
steel ornaments of the value of one dollar

the property of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

Thomas Feeney (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent is informed by  
officer Hugh O'Rourke of the 17<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
Police that he arrested said Feeney  
with the above described Pin and Steel Ornaments  
in his possession and said O'Rourke further  
informs deponent that at the time of the  
arrest he found a number of Burglary tools  
to wit a jemmy and four Skeleton Keys concealed  
upon (his Thomas) person Josephine Fiuga

Known to before all the  
25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1887  
John W. Smith

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Hugh O'Rourke

aged 21 years, occupation Police officer of No.

17 Precinct

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Josephine Figue

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

Sworn to before me, this 21  
day of November 1887.

Hugh O'Rourke

Salou B. ...

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Thomas Feeny 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. Thomas Feeny

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 631, 15th Avenue 10 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bronger

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 refuse to say anything

Thomas Feeny  
sworn

Taken before me this

21

day of November 1887

Salon R. Strunk  
Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 December 21 1882 John B. Smith 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 G. I.  
\_\_\_\_\_ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court 3/12 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

217 E 38  
Josephine Tiipa  
vs.  
James Feany  
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Offence, Drunk

Dated Dec 21 1892

Tom W Magistrate.

W. H. ... Officer.

... Clerk.

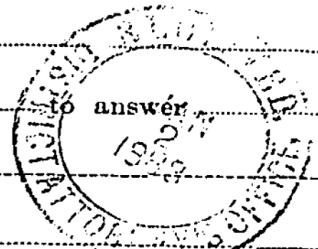
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No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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**PART 2.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.  
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court-Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**S U B P O E N A**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace.**

The People of the State of New York,

*Josephine Finza*  
of No. *217 East* Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *1st* day of *Jan* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*James Fenway*  
in a case of Felony whereof *he* stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Jan* in the year of our Lord *1883*  
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.  
JUDGE'S CHAMBERS.  
32 CHAMBERS STREET.

New York, ..... 188

Bentham  
17<sup>th</sup> Precinct;

Knows.

Thomas Henry  
alias

Barley.

0004

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Thomas Feeney*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Thomas Feeney*  
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said *Thomas Feeney*

late of the *Seventeenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, about the hour of *ten* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Josephine Finza*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of force~~ he the said

*Thomas Feeney*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Josephine Finza*

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.

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

*Thomas Feeney*

of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ *Petit* LARCENY IN A DWELLING HOUSE, committed as follows :

The said *Thomas Feeney*

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, with force and arms, *one breast pin of the value of eight dollars and one pair of earrings of the value of seven dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Josephine Finza*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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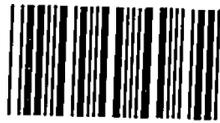
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DESCRIPTION:

Fleming, Charles

DATE:

01/11/83



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WITNESSES:

Counsel *Oliver*  
Filed *11* day of *January* 1883  
Pleads *Not guilty (12)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Charles Examinox*

*18  
William  
Franklin*

*January 25 1883*  
JOHN MCKEON,

Dist. Attorney.

*Blanch G. J. Zoley*  
State Refractory Engineer.  
A True Bill.

*E. H. Howell*

Foreman.

*To the Honorable J. S. P.  
1883*

INDICTMENT.  
RETURNED FROM THE GRAND JURY.  
*the first day of*

0887

FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

Charles Steuermagel, aged 33 years,  
of No. 179 Bridge Street, Brooklyn, Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 18 83

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried

away from the possession of deponent. And from deponent's person,  
in the night time,

the following property viz.: One silver watch and  
plated chain attached, together

of the value of Eighteen Dollars

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 Charles F. Leming,  
now here, from the fact that about  
the hour of 7 o'clock on the night of  
said day deponent was walking in  
Chrystie Street, and said watch  
was then contained in the left  
pocket of the coat then worn on  
deponent's person and was fastened  
to said coat by said chain.

That said deponent and another  
man then and there approached  
deponent and the said other man  
struck deponent whereupon the said

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

1883

Notary Public

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Defendant seized horse of said  
Cham and snatched said  
property from defendants person  
and then ran away with  
said property in his possession.  
Sworn to before me this  
2<sup>d</sup> day of January 1883

J. W. Patterson

Charles Auerhage

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Charles Fleming 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. Charles Fleming

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Eighteen years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 18 Marne St. about 3 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Carpenter

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. I have nothing else to say. Charles Fleming

Taken before me this

day of June

1888

W. J. Patterson Police Justice.

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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 Charles Fleming

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same ~~and to 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.~~ He is fully discharged

Dated January 2<sup>nd</sup> 188 3 J. W. Patterson 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 h to be discharged

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court *J* District *2*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles Stearns*  
*179 Bond St.*  
*Charles J. ...*

Office of *Lucy ...*  
*the ...*

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Dated *January 2<sup>nd</sup>* 188 *J*

*Patterson* Magistrate.

*J. J. ...* Officer.

*Mer* Clerk.

Witnesses, *Frank J. J. ...*

*10<sup>th</sup> Prec. Polici*

*Solomon Weinhandler*

No. *38 1/2 Grand* Street,

No. *...* Street,

\* *...* to answer

*without ...*

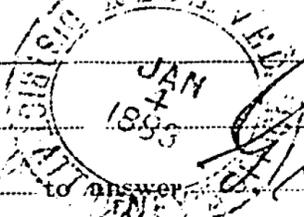
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Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.



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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

*Charles Fleming*

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

*Charles Fleming*  
of the CRIME OF ~~Grand Larceny~~ *Grand Larceny in the first degree.*

committed as follows:

The said *Charles Fleming*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the *first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, *in the night time of*  
*said day, one watch of the value*  
*of fifteen dollars and one chain*  
*of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Charles Steuermager*  
on the person of the said *Charles Steuermager* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *Charles Steuermager* 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.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Florence, Minnie

DATE:

01/08/83



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Bail fixed at \$500 by court.

Dep. H. Charles  
Charles W. A. T.  
1st Ave B.

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OL 19th June  
(11)

Day of Trial,  
Counsel  
Filed day of June 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty (10)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
B  
Minnie Florence  
Keep in 10/83.  
Keeping a Bawdy House.

JOHN McKEON,  
Part 2 Feb. 14, 1883  
Bail discharged

A True Bill. Indictment dismissed



Foreman.  
Part 2 Jan 16, 1883  
Tried and jury disagreed

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**PART I.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.  
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court-Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**  
FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE  
**Court of General Sessions of the Peace.**

The People of the State of New York,

to John Buckley

of No. 45 Wampanoag Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the 8 day of Feb. instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

William N. Sheehan

in a case of Felony whereof *he* stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of Feb in the year of our Lord 188 3

JOHN McKEON, *District Attorney.*

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Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

State of New York,  
City and County of New York,

*Geo Niven*

being duly sworn, deposes and says he verred a

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon John Buckley

of 45 Hamilton St. the 7 day of

February 1883 by delivering said

Subpoena into the hand of

said John Buckley and

leaving it with him.

Sworn to before me, this 14 day  
of February 1883

*Geo Niven*

*Hugh Dannelly*  
Notary Public,  
N. Y. Co.

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open*

*Feb 14 1883*

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District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

February 4<sup>th</sup> 1883

John O Byrne

Act. District Attorney  
My Dear,

I would respectfully  
report to you that the house  
No 149 E. 15<sup>th</sup> Street has been  
vacated by Winnie Florence  
all the furniture has been  
removed from the above  
house.

Very Respectfully  
Jacob Von Gerichten  
Detective Sergeant.

District Office Attorney Office

Put this case on the Calendar

JVB

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City and County of  ss.  
New York.

Minnie Florence of said City being duly sworn deposes and says, that I have left and vacated the premises No. 149 East 15<sup>th</sup> Street and have removed all the furniture in the premises, I am now living with my aged mother at No. 111 Columbia Street in this City, on the second floor of a tenement house and have been living there for the past three weeks.

I have not opened or kept any <sup>or business</sup> house since my trial and have entirely <sup>and am just now in any business</sup> quitted the aforesaid premises.

Sworn to before me  
this 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883.  Minnie Florence.

Jacob Meyer  
Clerk of Deeds.  
N. Y. City.



General Sessions.

Div. House

Jackeople

- vs.

Thunie Florence

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Affiant of Dept.

—  
Hon. E. Alfred [unclear]  
Counsel for Dept.

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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*

*Minnie Florence*

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

*Minnie Florence*

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE, AND HOUSE OF ILL-FAME committed as follows :

The said

*Minnie Florence*

late of the ~~Eighteenth~~ *Fifth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~fourth~~ *fourth* day of ~~January~~ *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~ *three* and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of taking this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain: and in which said house the said evil disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said *Minnie Florence*

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances, and lewd offences in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in manifest destruction and subversion of, and against good morals and good manners and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON,  
*District Attorney.*

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THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Daniel Fox

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

19. J. P. McKeon  
JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
Foreman.

June 18/83.  
Pleads guilty.  
Per: J. P. McKeon.

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Police Court— 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

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

Patrick Glynn

of No. 7<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on Sunday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November  
in the year 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by David Fay

(nowhere) Deponent did on said day  
have in his charge and custody a  
prisoner and while walking with said  
prisoner on Rutgers Street Deponent  
was violently assaulted and beaten  
Deponent is informed by Joseph  
Thompson of No. 537 East 139<sup>th</sup> Street  
that he saw said Fay strike Deponent  
a violent blow on the head with  
a piece of wood he held in his hand  
and Deponent charges that said assault  
was committed.

with the felonious intent to ~~take the life of Deponent, or to~~ <sup>grievous</sup> do him bodily harm; and with out any  
justification on the part of the said assailant :

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

Sworn to before me, this 10 day  
of January 1883 }

Hugh Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

Patrick Glynn

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph Thompson  
aged 13 years, occupation School Boy of No.

537 East 139 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Patrick Glynn

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

Sworn to before me, this 10  
day of January 1883

Joseph Thompson

Joseph Thompson  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Daniel Fox*

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. *Daniel Fox*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *24 Rutgers Street 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Book binder*

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*

*Daniel Fox*

Taken before me this

*10*

day of

*January*  
*1887*

*Joseph G. ...*  
Police Justice.

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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 David Fay

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 January 10 1883

Stephen J. ... 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 h to be discharged

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Glynn  
vs.  
Daniel Fox

Offence, *Al assault*

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *January 10* 188 *3*

*Gardner* Magistrate.

*Glynn* Officer.

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

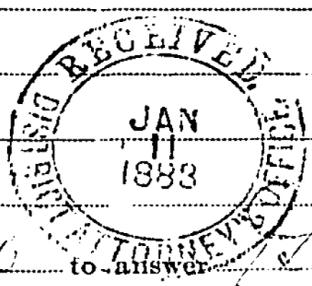
Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

\$ *1000* to answer \_\_\_\_\_



BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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Court of General Sessions

The People }  
vs } AHS  
Daniel Fox }

City & County of New York ss

Peter Fox being duly sworn says he is the brother of the defendant who is but 18 years of age. That defendant has never been arrested before charged with the commission of any crime and defendant further says that defendant works for a living, is the youngest of the brothers, and helps provide for the family. Defendant further says that defendant has a mother, but no father living.

sworn to before me this }  
18 day of January 1882 } Peter Fox

Maurice Meyer

Notary Public, N.Y.C.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.  
Assembly Chamber  
Albany, January 11 1853.

My dear Sir,  
The Board of this vote  
Mr. Fox is a person of  
mind of mine, his father  
is the man that you are  
accused of a felony man  
by the name of "Homer"  
I am present, I have assist  
him in having the case  
settled to simple, as well  
as have much conversation  
with you, by doing what  
you can, you know you will  
confer a great favor on my  
friend, John H. Weeks  
Assemblyman  
Fourth District

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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.*

*Daniel Fox*

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

*Daniel Fox*

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT AND BATTERY, committed as follows:

The said *Daniel Fox*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the *thirtieth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Patrick Glynn*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *him* the said *Patrick Glynn*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the  
said *Patrick Glynn* and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York, and their dignity,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.