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DESCRIPTION:
Hahn, Conrad

DATE:
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Witnesses:

Edward Becker

Counsel,

Filed, 8 day of Apr 189 2

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Conrad Hahn

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
(Selling to Minor.)
[Section 290, Penal Code, sub. 3.]

DELANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Sent to Appeal Calendar

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H Lahm
Foreman.

The New York Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Children,
100 EAST 23D ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, March 3rd 1892.

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

The People
against
Conrad Hahn
} Notice of Prosecution.

To the District Attorney of the
City and County of New York,

Sir: This Society is interested in the prosecution of the above defendant, and is familiar with the facts of the case. It respectfully requests that before sending the papers to the Grand Jury, fixing the day of trial, consenting to any postponement thereof, or to any reduction of bail, or final disposition of the charge, you will duly notify me as its President and Counsel, so that I may confer with you in regard thereto. This request is made pursuant to the statute (Laws of 1886, Chapter 30, Section 1), and in furtherance of the ends of Justice.

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

Elbridge T. Gerry,
President, &c.

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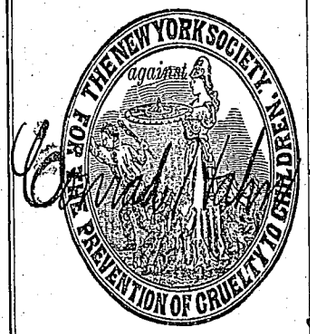

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

Selling liquor to minors.

NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.

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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
Conrad Hahn

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

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows:

The said Conrad Hahn

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Haken, Emma

DATE:
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Witnesses:

Counsel, ...

Filed, 14th day of April 1892

Pleads, Guilty, 18

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Emma Haken

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final disposition

Part 2 April 22 1892

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, Etc.
(Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. Holdham
Foreman.

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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

Emma Baker

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

Emma Baker

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said Emma Baker

late of the Tenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in said house divers ill-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well as 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

Emma Baker

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offenses on the days and times aforesaid, as well 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, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Emma Baker

(Sec. 385, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said Emma Baker

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the Fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

ninety- two —, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in her said house for her own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, 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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

— Emma Hakes —

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said — Emma Hakes —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the Fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety- two and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for her own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in her said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency af the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are habitually disturbed, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Halligan, John

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McGrath, Patrick

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Pleading

Counsel, M. Murphy

Filed day of June 189 2

Pleads, Not Guilty (11)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Halligan

and

Patrick McGrath

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

May 2/92

Not Guilty
Dismissed & Acquitted

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H Dohan
Foreman.

1 May 4/92

No 1,
Indictment Dismissed

Witnesses:

Michael J. Hurley
Officer Murphy

I am satisfied after hearing the testimony in the case against McGrath, who was tried and acquitted that there is no further evidence can be had against defendant Halligan. I move the indictment against Halligan be dismissed to convict the prisoner therefore recommend a dismissal of the indictment and the discharge of defendant.

May 4th '92 Asst. Sommers
Asst Dist Atty

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Police Court—2—District.

City and County of New York, } ss.: Michael J Haley

of No. 218 Front Street ~~22 Elizabeth Avenue~~ Street, aged 27 years,

occupation Salesman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 274 Tenth avenue Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick building Store

and which was occupied by ~~deponent as~~ a Edward J Byrnes on the first floor

and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly bursting open the shutters and raising a rear window of the store on the first floor of said premises

on the 22 day of March 1882 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: a quantity of canned corn tomatoes peas, and other groceries of the value of about twenty dollars $20—

the property of Edward J Byrne, deponent, enclosed

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 John Halligan and Patrick McGrath both now here

for the reasons following, to wit: The said property was in said premises when said premises were securely locked and closed at the hour of about three o'clock P.M., on said date. Deponent is informed by Policeman Bernard Murphy of the 16th precinct, now here, that about the hour of ten minutes before midnight on said date he found the defendants and another not arrested, in the hallway

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at 501 West 26th street within about two hundred feet of said store and they had a portion of the said stolen property in their possession and that subsequently he discovered that the said store had been broken open as aforesaid and the said property stolen therefrom. Deponent therefore charges defendants with having committed said burglary.

Sworn to before me this 23 day of March 1892

Michael J. Haley

Wm. C. Schnadig
Police Justice.

Police Court ____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary — Degree.

Dated ____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of $ ____ Bail.

Bailed by ____

No. ____ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Bernard Murphy

aged ..... years, occupation Policeman of No. 16th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael T. Haley and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Bernard Murphy

Sworn to before me, this 29 *day of* March 1892

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

92 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Halligan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U. S

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

Answer. 533 West 26th St - 23 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Iron moulder

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

Answer. I am not guilty.
John Halligan

Taken before me this 21 day of March 1892

Robert Grant Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

(1235)

Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Patrick McGrath

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 12 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U. S

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

Answer. 426 9th Avenue 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. laborer

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

Answer. I have nothing to say

Patrick. McGrath.

Taken before me this 21 *day of* March 1892

Matthew Grady *Police Justice.*

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael J. Haley
218 Grand St

John Halligan
Patrick McGrath

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Offence Burglary

Dated March 23 1892

Grady Magistrate.

Murphy Officer.

16 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

RECEIVED MAR 24 1892 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by Thomas Gleason
James Gleason

Residence 28 Eastchester Ave. Street.
Bath, L.I. - 167 Bway

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named John Halligan Patrick McGrath 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, Each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated March 23 1892 Thos. F. Grady Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 18 Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order h to be discharged.

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
John Halligan
and
Patrick McGrath

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

John Halligan and Patrick McGrath

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

The said John Halligan and Patrick McGrath, both

late of the 16th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety- two in the night- time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the store of one Edward G. Byrnes, ——

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Edward G. Byrnes in the said store ——

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

John Halligan and Patrick McGrath

of the CRIME OF Petit LARCENY committed as follows:

The said John Halligan and Patrick McGrath, both

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

fifty cans of tomatoes of the value of ten cents each can, fifty cans of corn of the value of ten cents each can, fifty cans of peas of the value of ten cents each can, and divers other goods, chattels and personal property, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Edward G. Byrne

in the store of the said Edward G. Byrne

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

THIRD COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said John Halligan and Patrick McGrath of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said John Halligan and Patrick McGrath, both late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same goods, chattels and personal property described in the second count of this indictment

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Edward G. Byrne

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said Edward G. Byrne

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; (the said John Halligan and Patrick McGrath then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Hamilton, George

DATE:
04/22/92

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Counsel, Crisman

Filed, 22 day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

George Hamilton

POLICY.

[§§ 343 and 344, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part I May 18 1892

A TRUE BILL.

Wm H. Osborn

Foreman.

May 18/92

Pleads Guilty 1st Count

Fine $50 P.C. Pd

Witnesses:

Wm A Lassee

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CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York
AND STATE OF NEW YORK. } ss.

George F. Tilton
300 Mulberry Street ~~of 41 Park Row,~~ New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than 21 years of age, and is employed as a Detective ~~agent of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice~~, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, and charge that George Hamilton

~~whose real name unknown, but who can be identified by~~

did, at the City and County of ~~and State of~~ New York, on or about the day of March 189 2 unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and did engage as a dealer or game-keeper in a gambling or banking game, where money or property was dependent upon the result—and did sell, or offer to sell what is commonly called a "lottery policy," and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did endorse and use a book or other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies, writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, against the form of the statute of the State of New York in such case made and provided, and particularly section 344 of the Penal Code.

Deponent further says, he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, his information being based upon personal observation and from statements made by William A Losey to deponent that the said George Hamilton aforesaid, ~~now~~ had in possession, at in and upon certain premises occupied by him and situate and known as number 484 Pearl in the City of New York and within the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables, establishment and paraphernalia ~~layouts, chips, deal boxes, cards,~~ lottery tickets, lottery policies, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the Provisions of Chapter IX of the Penal Code of the State of New York, wherefore deponent prays that warrants may be issued for the arrest of the persons named aforesaid, and to search for, seize and take possession of all of said unlawful matter, and that all be dealt with according to law.

The the said defendant was acting as agent of said premises

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of March 1892

Police Justice.

CITY OF ..... AND COUNTY OF ..... ss.

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being further sworn deposes and says that on the ..... day of ..... 189..., deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said ..... aforesaid, and had dealings and conversation with ..... as follows:

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Sec. 198—200.

7 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Hamilton 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. George Hamilton.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 49 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. NJ

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

Answer. 535 Madison St.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Clerk

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Geo Hamilton

Taken before me this 7th *day of* March 1892

W Dashwood *Police Justice.*

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Police Court, ... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
George H. Wilson
vs.
George Hauenstein
Patrick Foley

Offense, Felonious Assault

1 ..... 2 ..... 3 ..... 4 .....

Dated, March 9 1892

M C Maher Magistrate.

..... Officer.

..... Precinct.

Witnesses .....

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

BAILED,

No. 1, by Andrew Horn

Residence 77 Park Row Street.

No. 2, by ..... Street.

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by ..... Street.

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by ..... Street.

Residence ..... Street.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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, March 16 189 2 ..... *Police Justice.*

I have have admitted the above-named Defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated, March 16 189 2 ..... *Police Justice.*

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named .....

..... *guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.*

Dated, ... 189 ..... *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 192. 1 District Police Court. Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Henry A. McMahon a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging George Hamilton Defendant with the offence of Violation of Section 344 Penal Code

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, George Hamilton Defendant of No. 235 Madison Street; by occupation a Clerk and Andrew Ann of No. 75 Clark Street, by occupation a Merchant Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named Hamilton Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 1 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 Five Hundred Dollars.

Geo Hamilton

Andrew Ann

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 7 *day of* March 18 92

H McMahon POLICE JUSTICE.

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District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Taken the ..... day of 18

..... Justice.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Andrew Horn

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a ~~resident and~~ free holder within the said County ~~and State~~, and is worth 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 House & Lot of Ground No 168 Mott Street valued at Twenty Four Thousand Dollars above all incumbrances

Andrew Horn

Sworn to before me this 7 *day of* March 18 92

J. Duchacher *Police Justice.*

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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

George Hamilton

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

George Hamilton

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said George Hamilton

late of the Sixth Twelfth Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for gambling purposes, to wit: to be used for the purpose of therein conducting a certain gambling game commonly called "Policy," where money and property was dependent upon the result, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

George Hamilton

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES THEREIN, committed as follows:

The said

George Hamilton

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, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for the purpose of therein selling and offering to sell what are commonly called Lottery Policies, and divers writings, papers, and documents in the nature of bets, wagers and insurances upon the drawing or drawn numbers of certain public and private lotteries, and of therein endorsing and using books and other documents for the purpose of enabling divers persons to sell and offer to sell lottery policies and other such writings, papers and documents, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney

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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Hamilton, George

DATE:
04/28/92

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Witnesses:

Anthony Comstock

361. Crman

Counsel,

Filed, 28 day of April 1892

Pleads, Nov 4, 29

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

George Hamilton

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285 Mulberry St

POLICY.

[§§ 343 and 344, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part I. May 10th 92.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H Schaus

Foreman.

May 18/92

Plends Guilty 1st Counts

~~Sent~~ Judgt Susp'd

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

Anthony Comstock being duly sworn, deposes and says, that George Hamilton here present, is the one known as John Doe in annexed complaint.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of February 1890.

Anthony Comstock

W M Brooks

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

1/11/90 Price 50 cts for all day.
J. W. H.

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Police Justice.

Y OF New York } ss.

AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Anthony Comstock,

of 150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than 21 years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, that John Doe

whose real name is unknown, but who can be identified by J. W. Hilliard did, at the City ~~of~~ County ~~of~~ and State of New York, on or about the 11th day of January 1890, unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and did engage ~~as a dealer or game-keeper~~ in a gambling or banking game, where money or property was dependent upon the result—and did sell, or offer to sell what is commonly called a "lottery policy," and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did indorse and use a book or other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies, writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, against the form of the statute of the State of New York in such case made and provided.

Deponent further says, he has just ~~cause~~ cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe from personal observation and from statements made by J. W. Hilliard to deponent that the said John Doe aforesaid, now has in his possession, at in and upon certain premises occupied by him and situate and known as number 165 Park Row, corner of Pearl street in the City of New York and within the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

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public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables, establishment and paraphernalia layouts, chips, deal boxes, cards, lottery tickets, lottery policies, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the Provisions of Chapter IX of the Penal Code of the State of New York, wherefore deponent prays that warrants may be issued for the arrest of the persons named aforesaid, and to search for, seize and take possession of all of said unlawful matter, and that all be dealt with according to law.

Anthony Comstock.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February 1890.

D. P. McMahon Police Justice.

City of New York and County of New York ss. J. W. Hilliard of 150 Nassau street ~~Anthony Comstock.~~ being ~~further~~ duly sworn deposes and says that on the 11th day of January 1890, deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said John Doe aforesaid, and had dealings and conversation with him as follows:

Deponent saw him behind a counter or desk waiting upon divers persons present, selling them what are commonly called lottery policies, deponent waited his turn and then asked said John Doe, for a gig 23, 42, 64, both lotteries for all day. The said John Doe, recorded said numbers upon a paper, then wrote the annexed paper to forgoing affidavit of Anthony Comstock, and handed same to deponent, and deponent paid the said John Doe, the sum of 50 cents for the same.

J. W. Hilliard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February 1889

D. P. McMahon
Police Justice

THE PEOPLE

ON COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Comstock et al

AGAINST

John Doe

165. C R.

Violation Sec. 344, P. C. Gambling and Policy.

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this .....day of.....188.....

.....*Police Justice.*

Sec. 198—200.

1 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Hamilton 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. George Hamilton

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 48 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 162 Henry Street 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Clerk.

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Geo Hamilton

Taken before me this 15 *day of* November *1886*

A McMahon *Police Justice.*

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City and County of New York, ss:

In the name of the People of the State of New York:

To any Peace Officer in the City and County of New York:

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me, by Anthony Comstock & J. W. Hilliard of 150 Nassau Street, New York City, that there is probable cause for believing that John Doe, whose real name is unknown but who can be identified J. J. W. Hilliard

has in his possession, at, in and upon certain premises occupied by him and situated and known number 165 Park Row in said City of New York certain and divers device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings, papers and documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, books and other documents for the purpose of enabling others to sell lottery policies and other writings, papers and documents, black-boards and gaming tables, with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense.

YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED, at any time of the day time to make immediate search on the person of the said John Doe

and in the building situate and known as number 165 Park Row aforesaid, for the following property, to wit: all Faro layouts, all Roulette Wheels and layouts, all Rouge et Noir, or Red and Black layouts, all gaming tables, all chips, all packs of cards, all dice, all deal boxes, all lottery policies, all lottery tickets, all circulars, all writings, all papers, all documents in the nature of bets and wagers, or insurance upon the drawings, or drawn numbers of a lottery, all books all documents for the purpose of enabling others to gamble or sell lottery policies, all black-boards, all slips or drawn numbers of a lottery, all money to gamble with, and all device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes.

And if you find the same, or any part thereof, to bring it forthwith before me at the First District Police Court at The Tombs in the City of New York.

Dated at the City of New York, the 11th day of February 1890

Jas McMahon

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Inventory of property taken by Eligah L Austin the Peace Officer by whom this warrant was executed :

~~Faro layouts,~~ ~~Roulette Wheels,~~ ~~Roulette layouts,~~ ~~Rouge et Noir layouts,~~ ~~gaming tables,~~ ~~chips,~~ ~~packs of cards,~~ ~~dice,~~ ~~deal boxes,~~ ~~deal trays for holding chips,~~ ~~cue boxes,~~ ~~markers, or tally cards,~~ ~~ivory balls,~~ ~~lottery policies,~~ ~~lottery tickets,~~ 3 circulars, ~~writings,~~ ~~papers,~~ two black boards. 1 pk. slips, or drawn numbers in policy, ~~money,~~ three manifold books, complete ~~slates,~~ 1 box numbers. 3 blank manifold

City of New York and County of New York ss:

I, Eligah L. Austin the Officer by whom this warrant was executed, do swear that the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this 12th day of February 1890

Eligah L Austin

W M Meehan Police Justice.

Police Court— Ninth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Comstock et al

vs.

Arthur Starr

Search Warrant.

Dated 188

Justice.

Officer.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court, First District.

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

In the name of the People of the State of New York: To the Sheriff, or any Deputy Sheriff or Peace Officer of the County of New York, *or to any Marshal, Constable or Policeman of the City of* New York. GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the *Police Justices* for the City of New York, by Anthony Comstock, and J. W. Hilliard of No. 150 Nassau Street, charging that on the 11th day of January 1890 at the City of New York, in the County of New York that the crime of selling what is commonly called a lottery policy

has been committed, and accusing John Doe, of 165 Park Row whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by J. W. Hilliard thereof.

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said *Sheriff, Deputy Sheriffs, Peace Officers, Marshals, Constables and Policemen,* and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the First DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, *this* 11th *day of* ~~January~~ February 1890

W. H. Meade POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, ... **DISTRICT.**

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
vs.
John Doe
165 P R

Warrant—General.

Dated 188

..... *Magistrate.*

..... *Officer.*

The Defendant ..... taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

..... *Officer.*

Dated 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

..... *Police Justice.*

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, ...

Native of .....

Age, ...

Sex, ...

Complexion, ...

Color, ...

Profession, ...

Married, ...

Single, ...

Read, ...

Write, ...

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Police Court--- 1 Division. 508

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Comstock
41 Park Row
George Hamilton

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Offence Vio Lottery Law

BAILED

No. 1, by Thomas Stone
Residence 1 Duane Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated February 12 1890

W. McMahon Magistrate.

Austin Officer.

00 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

RECEIVED FEB 14 1890 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

$ 100 to answer

Thomas Hoey
Police Justice

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 de Zemmens

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 Feby 12 *18*90 W. McMahon *Police Justice.*

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

Dated Feby 12 *18*90 W. McMahon *Police Justice.*

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

Dated ..... *18* ..... *Police Justice.*

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TRUMAN NICHOLS, M. D.
267 East Broadway,
Office Hours, 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 P.M.

New York May 5 1892

This is to certify that Isaac Hamilton is under treatment for Rheumatism of the lower limbs and is unable to walk or leave his room

Respectfully yours
T. Nichols

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

George Hamilton

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

George Hamilton

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said George Hamilton

late of the Fourth Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for gambling purposes, to wit: to be used for the purpose of therein conducting a certain gambling game commonly called "Policy," where money and property was dependent upon the result, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

George Hamilton

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES THEREIN, committed as follows:

The said George Hamilton

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, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for the purpose of therein selling and offering to sell what are commonly called Lottery Policies, and divers writings, papers, and documents in the nature of bets, wagers and insurances upon the drawing or drawn numbers of certain public and private lotteries, and of therein endorsing and using books and other documents for the purpose of enabling divers persons to sell and offer to sell lottery policies and other such writings, papers and documents, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT:

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

George Hamilton

of the Crime of SELLING TO ANOTHER WHAT IS COMMONLY KNOWN AS A LOTTERY POLICY, committed as follows:

The said

George Hamilton

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, feloniously did sell to one

John W. Hilliard

a certain paper, instrument and writing, commonly called a Lottery Policy, which said paper, instrument and writing, called a Lottery Policy, is as follows, that is to say:

Price 50¢ allday
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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a Lottery Policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

FOURTH COUNT:

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

George Hamilton

of the Crime of SELLING A PAPER AND WRITING, IN THE NATURE OF A BET AND WAGER UPON THE DRAWN NUMBERS OF A LOTTERY, committed as follows:

The said

George Hamilton

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, feloniously did sell to one

John W. Hilliard

a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of

which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper and writing is as follows, that is to say :

Price 50 ¢ allday

1/11/90

(a more particular description of which said paper and writing is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

FIFTH COUNT:

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

George Hamilton

of the CRIME OF SELLING A WRITING PAPER AND DOCUMENT IN THE NATURE OF AN INSURANCE UPON THE DRAWING OF A LOTTERY, committed as follows :

The said George Hamilton

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, feloniously did sell to one

John W. Hilliard

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say :

Price 50 ¢ allday

1/11/90

(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Hamilton, Lizzie

DATE:
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Witnesses:

Counsel, H. S. Lenfiuting April 20

Filed, ~~April~~ 14th day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty 21

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Lizzie Hamilton

April 26/92

Ordered for trial, by request of Counsel for Defendant.

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, Etc.

(Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H Orham *Foreman.*

April 26th 1892

Part I

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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

Lizzie Hamilton

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

Lizzie Hamilton

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said Lizzie Hamilton

late of the Tenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Twenty-fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in said house divers ill-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well as 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

Lizzie Hamilton

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offenses on the days and times aforesaid, as well 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, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Lizzie Hamilton

(Sec. 385, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said

Lizzie Hamilton

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the Twenty-fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

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ninety- two —, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in her said house for her own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, 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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

— Lizzie H Carmilton —

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said — Lizzie H Carmilton —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the twenty-fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety- two and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for her own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in her said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency af the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are habitually disturbed, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Happe, Charles A.

DATE:
04/06/92

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DESCRIPTION:
Pfau, Henry

DATE:
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J. J. McK

Counsel,

Filed 6th day of April 1892

Pleads, 1. Not guilty
2. Id.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles A. Stapper
and
Henry Spar

Grand Larceny, Second Degree
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

S. W. Comstock
Foreman.

April 12/92

Both
Discharged on their own recognizance

Witnesses:

Alexander Quinn

In the within case the Complainant begs the Clemency of the Court for the two defts herein as appears by the withstand hereinn. In view of the fact that the defts have never been convicted of a crime before and in consideration of their youth and the fact that the deft Harry married this intended wife yesterday while in prison I recommend that the defts be discharged on their own recognizance

Warthope Lyon
A. D. A.
April 12/92

NEW YORK GENERAL SESSIONS

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT

VERUS

CHARLES HAPPY

HENRY PFAU

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendants 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 have ascertained that both of the defendants have heretofore bore a good character. Their friends and relatives have talked to me about the case, and I feel now that there was no intention to commit a larceny.

I have been ever since the commencement of the case in the Police Court anxious to have the defendants discharged.

I pray the Court and District Attorney to allow me to withdraw the complaint, and humbly beg that they both be discharged, feeling that they have been sufficiently punished already for that escapade.

Alexander Quinn

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

_____ being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. _____ Street, in the City of New York; that he is _____ years of age; that on the _____ day of _____ 18 ____, at Number _____ in the City of New York, he served the within _____ on _____ the _____ by leaving a copy thereof with _____

_____

_____

_____

Sworn to before me this
day of 189 }

No. 4[illegible]. Annual Claim

The People &c
Plaintiff

against

Isaac Lady Hopper
Adam Pfann
Defendant

Withdrawn

JAMES PURDY & McLAUGHLIN,
Attorneys for
No. 280 BROADWAY, New York City

Due and timely service of cop of the within hereby admitted this day of 18

Attorney.

To _____

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Police Court— Otto —, District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Alexander Quinn

of No. 2513 - 3rd avenue Street, aged 36 years, occupation Liquor dealer — being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 25 day of March 1892 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:

Ten Billiard Balls of the value of five dollars each to-gether 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 Charles A. Happe and Henry Pfaus (both here present) from the fact that on said day said defendants came into deponents premises in each other's company and engage at the game of pool - that deponent missed the above described property - and the said Charles A. Happe gave deponent two of said balls which he had in his pocket and deponent saw the said Henry Pfaus go into the water closet and come out and immediately after deponent went into said closet and found therein ten more Billiard Balls - deponent therefore charges the said defendants with feloniously taking stealing and carrying away the above described property

Alexander Quinn

Sworn to before me, this 26 day of March 1892

[illegible] Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

Tombs District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Charles A. Happe 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 A. Happe

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 373 Brook ave; 8 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Painter

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

Answer. I am not guilty of the charge

Charles A Happe

Taken before me this 29 day of March 1892

John Hellman Jr.

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

6th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Henry Ofair

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. 508 E. 50th St.; 3 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Lather

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

Henry Ofair

Taken before me this 24 *day of* March *1892*

Edward P. Flanagan

Police Justice.

Police Court--- 6th District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alexander Lurium
2513 3d Ave

1 Charles A. Kappe
2 Henry Pfaus
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Offence Larceny - Felony

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by Krystel Rogner
Residence 39 1/2 Mercy Ave Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated March 26th 1892

Voorhis - Magistrate.

George Haas Officer.

33rd Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

$1000 each to answer

Com

Flows Bail each for Ex Mar 27/92 9 a.m.

RECEIVED, DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, MAR 28 1892

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 Alexander Lurium

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

Dated March 27th *1892* Johnson Police Justice.

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

Dated *18* *Police Justice.*

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

Dated *18* *Police Justice.*

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 A. Happe and Henry Pfau

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Charles A. Happe and Henry Pfau of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Charles A. Happe and Henry Pfau, both late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 25th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

ten billiard balls of the value of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Alexander Quinn

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.

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said Charles A. Happe and Henry Pfau of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows: The said Charles A. Happe and Henry Pfau, both late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, ten billiard balls of the value of five dollars each of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Alexander Quinn by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Alexander Quinn unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said Charles A. Happe and Henry Pfau then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, taken and carried away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Hart, Annie

DATE:
04/26/92

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Witnesses:
Capt. Doherty

Counsel, ...

Filed, 26 day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B
Annie Hart

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, Etc.
(Sections 392 and 385, Penal Code.)

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for final disposition.

Part 2 Feb. 4 1892

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. H. Johnson
Foreman.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Annie Hart

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

Annie Hart

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said Annie Hart

late of the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twentieth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in said house divers ill-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well as 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

Annie Hart

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offenses on the days and times aforesaid, as well 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, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Annie Hart

(Sec. 385, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said Annie Hart

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the twentieth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

ninety- two , and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in her said house for her own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, 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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said Annie Hart

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the twentieth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety- two and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for her own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in her said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency af the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are habitually disturbed, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Hart, Bessie

DATE:
04/14/92

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Witnesses: Officer Dugan

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Counsel, [illegible]

Filed, 14th day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Bessie Hart

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, Etc.
(Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code.)

Transferred to the Court of General Sessions for trial and final disposition

Part 2. April 22 1892

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H. Johnson
Foreman.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Bessie Hart

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

Bessie Hart

(Sec. 322, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said Bessie Hart

late of the Tenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in said house divers ill-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well as 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

Bessie Hart

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offenses on the days and times aforesaid, as well 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, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Bessie Hart

(Sec. 385, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said Bessie Hart

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the Fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

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— Bessie Hart —

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The said

— Bessie Hart —

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DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Hasson, James

DATE:
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Witnesses:

Josephine Meade

In the within case I am fully convinced that on the facts the people cannot obtain a conviction and the corroboration needed in law is not enough. The alleged promise to marry cannot be construed out of the language used by the deft "I will make it all right." This case considering all the facts should be dismissed and I therefore recommend that the indictment be dismissed

Wauhope Lynn
A. D. Atty
April 25/92

Counsel, J. Dell'A.

Filed 14th day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James Hazzon

Seduction
Sec. 284, Penal Code

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

April 25/92

Indictment Dismissed

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. H. Johann
Foreman.

April 25 1892
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Witnesses:

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DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Indictment Dismissed

Chas. H. Johann
Foreman.

April 25 1892
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POLICE COURT,
SECOND DISTRICT,
W. L. ORMSBY, JR.
STENOGRAPHER.

The People &c
Josephine Meade
James Hasson

Examination Before Justice Dover
March 6 1892

For the defendant - Mr J. D. McClellan

Josephine Meade being duly sworn and cross examined on the affidavit before says.

Q You say this man seduced you in December 1891?

A No; in 1890

Q what did he say to you when he seduced you:

A He promised to do right by me if I would do right by him.

Q were those his exact words:

A That is just what he said.

Q where did he use those words:

A In the Railroad House

Q Did he use - then anywhere else

A He used them in front of this woman Mrs Page.

Q Did you not first charge that this man seduced you in July last?

A No Sir.

Q Did you not tell Justice Crosby that it was in July last that he had connection with you first?

A No sir - I told Justice Crosby that he stated to go with me steady since July

Q July last?

A Yes

Q That is all - nothing else only just that he would make it right with you?

A He said if I will not accuse him he would give me so much money. He said that in front of my mother and asked me not to press this charge. That is all I work to say.

Q By the Court

Q How long have you been going with this man

A I have been out with him every night since last July.

Q How long did you know him before that?

A Since ~~September~~ November 1920

Q When did he seduce you?

A In December 1920

Q How long have you been going with him steady?

A Steady ever since July - off and on before that

Q December 1920 was the first time you had anything to do with him?

A Yes.

Q When was the second time?

A About three weeks after

Q How long after that again?

A I did not see him in a long while until I met him in 5th Avenue - in about a month or so

Q How many times in all?

A I met him on the morning of the Barnum show parade.

Q Always in the night time?

A Not always

Q You do not know how many times altogether

A No I can't say - when he found out my condition he would not come near me at all.

Cross examined

Q Prior to Dec 1890 you only seen him occasionally?

A Not at all.

Q Did you have any conversation with him - talk with him about it?

A I used to talk with him yes sir.

Q What was the conversation?

A He always promised that he would do right by me.

Q How come it that you did not complain that he had seduced you until about

the first of February of this year

A — I did not want my people to know anything about it that is my answer

Q How many times did you see him from December to July

A — I cannot exactly remember

Q Half a dozen —

A More than that

Q A dozen

A M — Let it go at that

Q Between half a dozen and a dozen?

A Yes.

By the Court

Q What was the understanding when he said he would make it right with you

A I thought he meant to marry me — that is what he said. He always promised he would do right by me. If I done right by him

Q What did you mean by your doing right by him?

A I suppose it was meant that I should not go with anybody else

Q Is that what he understood

A Yes

Q When was this complaint.

A Thursday week.

Cross By Mr McClelland

Q Thursday — any other person present

A Think my mother. She knows he came last Friday morning. I asked him to come — he knows when it was.

Johanna Meade being duly sworn and examined by Mr McClelland deposes and says: I live at 725 Greenwood St. I am housekeeper. Complainant is my daughter

Q Do you know anything about any promise of marriage

A I know nothing about it.

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I knew nothing of what was between them

Q Tell what you do know:

A - That's all I know he came after her.

Q Did he come after her:

A Yes Sir. He came up to the house - Her father stopped and then he would not come. He would tell her to write He would come and whistle down stairs after her. He would not come up stairs because her father was cranky about it.

Q When did you see him last:

A Last Friday morning he came up. he told her to settle it - to let it go and he would give her some money I guess that is what he meant. Then he came up Saturday and said it was good for her to see a lawyer

Q Was you present when this conversation occurred:

A Yes Sir.
Q When did you first see this man?
A The beginning of last summer.
Q The beginning of July?
A I do not know the exact time. I know it was in the summer time. That was the first I saw this man.

By the Court

Complainant recalled by Mr. McClelland. (a note shown)
Q Is that your handwriting?
A Yes - that all right
Q When did you write that
A Last Saturday morning
Q That was when he came of
A Yes. He came up in answer

Mrs Johanna Meade recalled
By the Court
Q What did he say about money?
A He said that he would do

what was right and give her as much as he could afford

Mr M. Clelland offered the note written by complainant in evidence, the Jofer was not left with the court.

Complainant recalled

2 - Did you write this letter?

1 Yes your Honor. I wrote that

Mrs Rebecca Pye being duly sworn as a witness for defendant deposes and says

By the Court

2. Have complainant and defendant been in your house?

1 Yes sir

2 what were they doing there?

1 I never saw them there but once - they were speaking together by themselves

9 2 what were they doing there

A this complainant invited him to come and he came - she wanted him to come again

2 Did you hear any conversation between them?

A No Sir - not on the subject of marriage - I never did

2 Did they sleep all night in your house?

A One night.

2 slept together in your house

A Yes sir.

2 and went away;

A He gave her money - five dollars when he went away

2 Did you see him give it?

A No: but she showed me the money after

2 Did you hear any conversation between them?

A I never heard any conversation between them on the subject of marriage or anything else - I never did

Q Did you ever hear him say that if she submitted he would marry her, or do what was right by her?

A No sir

Q They only stayed one night in your house?

A One night - yes sir

By Mr McClellan

Q You was with her when she got acquainted with him?

A I was yes sir - It was when the hounds turned out on Thanksgiving Day. We stood there about 15 ft Shot

Q Was there any conversation on the subject of marriage?

A No sir.

Q When was the next time?

A. About a week after he came there on Monday. I went out. when I came back she showed me a two dollar bill which she said

she got from him.

2 That was not the occasion when she had the $5?

A No; it was on the following Monday that she got $5.

2 What did she say she got the $2 for?

A She said she went with the man

2 Did you see this man call there after that?

A He did yes sir

2 Did you see him there?

A That was in Charles St

2 You saw them together in Charles St?

A Yes sir

2 Where did you see them there?

A That the room in Charles St. She would call the man with the little hall room and stand there and talk to him. After he had gone she showed me

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two dollars that she had got out of the gentleman here.

Q Was there anything said about marriage at that time?

A No sir

Q Was there anything said about sizz

A Yes; she said she did not like to go out with him because they might think he was her brother

Q He gave her the two dollars in chaler st?

A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known Josephine Meeks?

A Three years

Q Did you ever have any conversation with her with reference to her seduction?

A Yes - by Billy Stevens

Q Not now before -

12 A Before this gentleman knew her.

She was in my house

Q where?

A In Greenwich St. No 715

Q That was a year prior to the time defendant knew her?

A Yes.

Q She told you this in Greenwich St.?

A Yes. I asked her what she was going to do about it. She said it was Billy Stevens and that he would not speak to her. She said he seduced her in the Motor House

Q This connection occurred before the time she met this man?

A Yes sir.

Q Did she say anything about Stevens that she had been going with him?

A Oh yes.. She went with him. She came to my house

Q Before she knew this man?

A She had been with him when she knew this gentleman

Q How do you know?
A I have seen her with him?

By the Court
Q - You are married?
A Yes
Q Had a husband?
A No; I am not living with my husband.
Q You allowed these two people to come to your house to take apartments
A She would come to the house and ask him to come there and sit there
Q You knew that she was a single girl:
A Yes Sir
Q Did you remain in the same room that she slept in?
A No; I was in one room and she slept on a mattress on the floor
Q What inducement did she give you to give up your room

A She asked me and I let her use it

Q Were you paid in any way?

A Not paid in money. She gave me some little things and then took them back again.

Q You that all the benefit you derived from it?

A She might have spent some money for drinks or something.

Q Did you have other girls going there?

A No, Sir

Q She was the only one?

A She was the only one

Q Did she ever sleep in your house with this other man?

A Yes.

Q She did?

A Yes Sir

Q How often.

A Once.

Q Did he remain there all night

A Yes Sir

the complainant - Your Honor I do not know who she means.

William Burke being duly sworn and examined by Mr Lee Clelland as a witness for the defendant deposes and says: I live at 8 7th Avenue.

2 What is your business?

A I have none now

2 What was your occupation

A In the market.

2 Do you know this young woman (complainant)

A Yes.

2 How long have you known her?

A About four years

2 Did you see anything in which her character was affected

A Yes

2 When?

A About three years.

2 Where?

16 A No 7 Little 12th Street.

Q What did you see?
A I saw her there so up against the wall with a young man.
Q Who was the young man?
A A man named Black
Q What time was it?
A It was in the afternoon - in the day time.
Q - What was this place
A It was a Bonanza place.
Q Was this in the summer.
A In the summer.
Q Who else was present
A Gus Ward and a man named Canahan
Q Is round or Canahan here?
A No sir.
Q The time you [illegible] seen ago?
A Three years ago about 4 or 5 P' clock in the afternoon - three years ago this coming summer.
Q It could not have been last

summe.

A No Sir

By the Court

Q - What did you see this woman doing

A Standing up against a wall with a young man

Q In the afternoon?

A Yes Sir

Q Where?

A At 7 Little 12th St.

Q Where?

A In a place on the first floor back.

Q Do you know this young man the woman with?

A Yes Sir.

Q Is he in court?

A No Sir; his name is Black

Q Anybody else that knows him by you?

A Yes Sir: Conahan Yes Ward - Conahan is here

Q What was you doing?
A I was lying on the hay I saw the two of them up against the wall
Q What were they doing?
A All I saw was he had hold of his penis
Q Could you see her clothes up?
A I could not sir
Q If her clothes were up you could have seen it?
A I could not see — I was lying on the hay.
Q Do you say you could see him and could not see her?
A Yes sir.
Q Was his back to you?
A Yes sir
Q How do know his private were out if his back was towards you?
A Because I saw his hands.

19 James Hassin the defendant

being duly sworn and examined as a witness in his own behalf deposes and says.

Examined by Mr. L. Clelland

Q. You are the defendant.

A. Yes sir.

Q. You have heard what this woman swears. That you seduced her and promised to make it all right. Go on and tell what you have to say,

A. I turned out with the hounds on Thanksgiving. I was dressed as a woman. Coming through 14th street. My dress was torn and I asked for a pin to pin up my dress and that was the way I got talking with her. There was a woman with her then Mrs Page. She asked me to call. There was a young fellow with me. She said "You come too." He said "Yes"

she asked him if he had any money. I went to see her. I saw then Mr Page there. I did not want to stay there there was too many people. She came down to the door, and wanted me to come up again. The next night I came down again she would not go and I did not want. She sent to come the next night and she would go. One night I went up stairs and then Mr Page was there and two children. I said I would not stay there was too many people. I went away. She told me to come down again and she would go out. I went down and she said all right she would go out and she got a boy to go up and say that she would be back in a little while. One night when I was

there this stevens came. He saw me there and he was mad. and would not come again. Last Thursday she sent me a letter and wanted me to come down again. I did come down and stayed a little while. This lady was there and wanted me to stay. I told her no I would not stay with such a crowd. She said that the children would go to bed. They would not see us.

Q At any time did you make any promise of marriage to this woman?

A Never.

Q Did you bound out any inducement to her after she had spoken to you that you would marry her?

A No sir

By the Court

Q - Did you go down to the house

that night

A Yes.

Q Did you offer any money to settle?

A No sir: she sent this letter she told me she was not doing it herself - but that it was for her father and mother - I said I would not lie about it. I asked what you wanted

Cross examined by the Court

Q How long do you know her?

A Since Thanksgiving 1890 when "The Hounds" founded - year before last.

Q How long have you been going with her?

A I could not name how long - I have been with her a great many times.

Q How often did you go to this ladys house?

A Four or five times.

Q Always with this girl?

Q always with this girl?

A Yes. a few days before I got the summons she sent a letter by her brother in law and wanted me to write back a letter so that she could have it. Then she wanted to get a photograph or picture frame and I said to let her have it.

The Court -- I think you had better marry the girl

Mr McClelland - I move that the defendant be discharged

Motion denied.

Deft held to answer.

Police Court, 2nd **District.**

City and County of New York, } ss.

Josephine Mead

of No. 729 Greenwich Street, aged 17 years, occupation Making Gas Burners being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 15th day of December 1892, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, James Hasson did feloniously under promise of marriage seduce and have sexual intercourse with deponent, an unmarried female of previous chaste character, in violation of Section 284 of the Penal Code of the State of New York, for the reasons following to wit: on the said date the defendant brought the deponent to a Hotel known as the Rail Road House on 8th Avenue near 49th Street in this City and in a room in said house the defendant promised deponent that if she would allow him to have sexual intercourse with her, he would do right by her. Deponent relying on the promises made by defendant and believing that the defendant meant to marry her, allowed the defendant to have sexual intercourse with her. Since said date the defendant has repeatedly promised to marry deponent.

Wherefore deponent prays that the said defendant be apprehended and bound to answer. Deponent further says that previous to defendant having said connection no one ever had sexual intercourse with her.

Sworn to before me this 29th day of January 1892

Josephine Meade

Thos. F. Grady
Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

(1235)

Sec. 199-200.

2 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Hassen 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. James Hassen

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Scotland

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

Answer. 319-W-16th St. 7 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Steam fitter

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

Answer. I am not guilty and demand an examination

James Hassen

Taken before me this 29 day of January 1892

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Stephen Thomas
Sergt 29th Precinct

1. James Hoan
2.
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Offence: Malfeasance

Dated Feby 29 1892

Magistrate.

Broadway Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses: John Smith

No. 729 Greenwich St Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

RECEIVED MAR 10 1892 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

No. 7 Pell St Street.

Complaint to answer

Pell St. Dec. 6 1892-93

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Defendant guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Feby 29 18 92 ~~Police Justice.~~

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

Dated March 7th 18 92 ~~Police Justice.~~

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

Dated ..... 18 ..... Police Justice.

a District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE
ON COMPLAINT OF
Josephine Mead
agst.
James Harris

Examination had March 6 1888.
Before Patrick Divver Police Justice.

I, W. L. Crosby Stenographer of the a District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of James Harris, Josephine Mead.
as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated March 8 1888.

W. L. Crosby
Stenographer.

Police Justice.

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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

James Hanson

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

of the crime of Seduction.

committed as follows:

The said James Hanson,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Fifteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

at the City and County aforesaid, under and by means of a promise of marriage by him made to one Josephine Meade, who was then and there an unmarried female of previous chaste

character, did feloniously seduce and have carnal intercourse with her the said Josephine Meade, 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.

DeLancey Nicoll

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Hastings, Thomas

DATE:
04/07/92

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DESCRIPTION:
Hastings, Thomas

DATE:
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Witnesses:

Thos. Mahoney

The complainant in this case has been dead for years, one of the defendants having died & one of the important witnesses having gone West, and there not being sufficient evidence to warrant a conviction I recommend the discharge of the surviving defdt on his own recognizance

May 26, 98

J. W. Gilleran
A. D. A.

So ordered

40 Jail

Murder

Counsel,

Filed 7 day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

ENTERED B. J. W.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

1. Thomas Hastings

and

2. Thomas Hastings

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas N Johnson Foreman.

P.4. May 26/98
on motion of the Dist. Atty.
Thomas Hastings impleaded
be Dis. on verbal recog.
indorsement,

Witnesses:

Thos. Mahoney

The complainant in this case has been dead four years, one of the defendants has been dead & one of the important witnesses has gone to the war, and there not being sufficient evidence to warrant a conviction I recommend the discharge of the surety defdt on his own recognizance

May 26. 98

Jas McCullum
A. D. A.

So ordered
J.J.

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Counsel,

Filed 7 day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

ENTERED J. W. B.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Hastings

and

Thomas Hastings

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas N Johnson Foreman.

P.H. May 26/98
on motion of the Dist. Atty.
Thomas Hastings implicated
be Dis. on verbal recog.
& endorsement.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

(1335)

Sec. 198—200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Hastings (No 1) 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 Hastings

Question. How old are you?

Answer. ~~No 526 Ex~~ 25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. No 526 East 16 Street & ~~[illegible]~~

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. truck-driver

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. The Officer hit me first.

Thomas Hastings

Taken before me this 2 day of May 1899

[illegible] Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

(1835)

Sec. 198—200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Hastings (No 2) 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 Hastings

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. N.Y.

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

Answer. No 265 Avenue C 2nd floor 10 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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
Thos Hastings

Taken before me this 11 day of May 1899

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court— 4th District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

John Mahoney

of ~~No.~~ the 18th Precinct Police ~~Street~~, aged 34 years,

occupation Police Officer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 1st day of April 1892 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Thomas Hastings (No 1)

and Thomas Hastings (No 2) both now here,

and while deponent was in the discharge

of his duties as a Police Officer, said

Hastings (No 1) struck deponent one

violent blow on the head with a club

which he took from deponents belt and

said Hastings (No 2) struck deponent

several violent blows on the mouth

with his clenched fists, and said

assault was committed

with the felonious intent to ~~take the life of deponent, or to~~ do ~~him~~ deponent grievous bodily harm; and without any justification on the part of the said assailant~~s~~:

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 2 day of April 1892 } John Mahoney

[illegible] Police Justice.

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No. 4 Police Court 4 District. 376

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John Mahoney
vs.
Thos. Fordington alias
Thos. Fordington alias
Boswell
Degree

Offense 2nd degree

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Dated, April 2 1892

Magistrate.
Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses Jno. E. Mills
No. 279 Broome St. Street.
Samuel Bonsid
No. 607 Pearl St. Street.
James Johnson
No. 446 Grand St. Street.

$ to answer

BAILED,

No. 1, by John Carter
Residence 109 Oak St. Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime wherein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named defendants *guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and 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, April 2 *189* 2 — *Police Justice.*

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

Dated, *189* — *Police Justice.*

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

Dated, *189* — *Police Justice.*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against
two certain men, the name of each being Thomas Hastings defendants

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse two certain men, the name of each of them being Thomas Hastings

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

The said defendants, both

late of the City and County of New York, on the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one John McMahony

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

with a certain club which they the said defendants

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said defendants,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the said John Mahoney

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault; and the said defendants, the said John Mahoney, with the hands of them the said defendants, and also with a certain club

which they the said defendants

in their right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the head of the said John Mahoney then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said John Mahoney to the great damage of the said John Mahoney, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, *District Attorney.*

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BOX:
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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Heim, Conrad

DATE:
04/08/92

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Witnesses:

Andrew Jiorney

Counsel,

Filed day of April 1892

Pleads,

104 Hickard Burglary

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Conrad Heim

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, S.D. 6, 5 & 6, 1 & 2 Geo. I.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H. Isham *Foreman.*

April 11. 1892
Pleads Guilty Burg 3 dg
Elmira Ref.

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Police Court— 4 District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Andrew Tierney

of No. 114 East 52 Street, aged 55 years,

occupation Plumber being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 607 Park Ave Street, 19 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a one story frame building

and which was occupied by deponent as a Plumbing-shop

~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking out a panel in a door leading to said store in the rear, and opening the bolt on said door and breaking off a hook,

on the 5th day of April 1892 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of brass faucets and lead pipe, the whole being of the value of Fifty Dollars

$50.00

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 Conrad Heim (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent securely locked and bolted the doors of said premises on April 4. 1892 at about 5 P.M. Deponent is informed by Officer Ward, of the 25th Precinct Police, that he found said defendant at 65th Street and 1st Avenue, at about 5 3/4 A.M. on above date, having in his possession a quantity of brass and lead material and that defendant admitted to said Officer that he stole same

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property from the above premises. That deponent identified the property which was in defendants possession as the missing property aforesaid. Wherefore deponent accuses defendant of burglariously entering said premises and stealing said property and prays that he may be dealt with according to law

Sworn before me
this 5th day of April 1892

Andrew Liermann

John J. Ryan

Police Justice

Police Court, _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

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Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

$ _____ to answer General Sessions.

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

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ *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 him to be discharged.*

Dated _____ 188 . _____ *Police Justice.*

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(1335)

Sec. 198—200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Conrad Heim 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. Conrad Heim

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. No home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Butcher

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

Answer. I am guilty. Konrad Heim

Taken before me this 5 *day of* [illegible] 189[illegible]

[illegible]

Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4 **District.** 3d

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 Michael Lisnard 114 E. 53 St
Conrad Klein
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Offense Burglary

Dated, April 5 189 2

Magistrate.
Ward Officer.
35 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Call the Officer Street.
No. Street.
No. 7 Street.
$ 500 to answer

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Bail

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Defendant *guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of* Five Hundred *Dollars,* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of *the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.*

Dated, April 5 *189* 2 — *Police Justice.*

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

Dated, *189* — *Police Justice.*

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

Dated, *189* — *Police Justice.*

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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

Conrad Stein

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

Conrad Stein

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

The said Conrad Stein

late of the 19th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fifth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two in the day-time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the shop of one Andrew Tierney

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Andrew Tierney in the said shop then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Conrad Stein

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

The said Conrad Stein

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

two hundred pounds of lead pipe of the value of ten cents each pound, and six faucets of the value of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Andrew Turney

in the shop of the said Andrew Turney

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

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney.

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BOX:
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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Henderson, Charles

DATE:
04/19/92

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Witnesses:

Robt H Hall

Counsel,

Filed 19 day of April 1892

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Henderson

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas H Isham
Foreman.

April 19/92

Cendet Burg 3 deg
Sen susp de defendant
April 22/92

Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York

People
vs
Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:

Francis Henderson being duly sworn says that he resides at No. 41 Spring Street in the City of New York that he is an Engineer by profession and is employed as such at No. 4 Spring Street. That he is the father of Charles Henderson above-named. That the said Charles Henderson never was arrested before. That one reason why the said Charles Henderson was out more or less is that up to a short time ago. deponent was employed in Jersey City and was unable to look after him as his mother ~~is~~ dead. That as deponent is now employed in New York City and has a good and comfortable home he can take charge of the said Charles and can give him employment in the shop with deponent and teach him the trade of Engineer. And deponent

further swears that if the said Charles Henderson fails to comply with the requirements of the law deponent will forthwith hand him over to an officer but he is satisfied that there will be no occasion for it.

Wherefore deponent prays that sentence may be suspended and the custody of the said Charles entrusted to deponent.

Sworn to before me this 22" day of April 1892

Francis Henderson

Judge Coleman

Notary Public

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

People
v.
Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:
Adolph Scheibel
being duly sworn says that he is engaged in the dry-goods business at No. 188 Bowery in the City of New York. That he has known Charles Henderson the above-named defendant for more than two years. That this is the first time the said Charles has ever been arrested for any offense whatever. That deponent has always known the said Charles to be of good character up to the time of his present trouble.

Sworn to before me
this 23d day of April 1892
Hugh A. Taggart
Commissioner of Deeds
NYC

Adolph Scheibel

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

People
v.
Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:
Michael J. Bergin being duly sworn says that he is a restaurant keeper at No. 2 Spring Street in the City of New York. That he has known the above-named defendant about three years. That he has never known him to be arrested before for any offense and to deponent's knowledge the said Charles Henderson had always, previous to his arrest, been of good character.

Sworn to before me this 23" day of April 1892
Hugh A. Taggart
Commissioner of Deeds
N.Y.Co.

Michael J. Bergin

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York

People
v.
Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:
Michael Burns. ~~Michael Barnes~~ being duly sworn says that he is engaged in business at No. 4 Spring Street in the City of New York. That he has known the defendant above named for more than three years. That to deponent's knowledge the said Charles Henderson had always borne a good character up to the time of his arrest. That deponent never knew the said Charles to be arrested before.

Sworn to before me this 23" day of April 1892 } Michael Burns

Hugh A. Taggart
Commissioner of Deeds
N.Y.C.

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Court of General Sessions

People

v.

Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:

Henry Peck being duly sworn says that he is engaged in the dry goods business at No. 216½ Bowery in the City of New York. That he has known the above named defendant Charles Henderson about three years and has never known him to be arrested before. That so far as deponent knows the said defendant has always borne a good character

Henry Peck
216½ Bowery

Sworn to before me this 23 day of April 1892
Hugh A. Taggart
Commissioner of Deeds
N.Y.

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

.....being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. .....Street in the City of New York, that he is.....years of age, that on the .....day of ..... 18 . at Number..... .....in the City of New York, he served the within ..... on ..... the..... by delivering to and leaving with said ..... a true copy of the within ..... and at the same time and place exhibiting to ..... the within originals, and that he knew the person thus served to be the person mentioned and described in the ..... as ..... therein.

Sworn to, before me,
this.....*day of* ..... 18 .

N. Y. General Sessions

People etc.

Plaintiff,

against

Charles Henderson

Defendant

Affidavits

HUGH COLEMAN,
Attorney for Deft.
STEWART BUILDING.
No. 287 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK CITY.

Entrance to Elevator cor. Reade St.

Due and timely service of cop of the within
hereby admitted
this day of 18

Attorney.

To .....

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

being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. Street in the City of New York, that he is years of age, that on the day of 18 , at Number in the City of New York, he served the within on the by delivering to and leaving with said a true copy of the within and at the same time and place exhibiting to the within originals, and that he knew the person thus served to be the person mentioned and described in the as therein.

Sworn to, before me,
this day of 18 .

N. Y. General Sessions

People etc.
Plaintiff,

against

Charles Henderson
Defendant

Affidavits

HUGH COLEMAN,
Attorney for Deft.
STEWART BUILDING.
No. 287 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK CITY.
Entrance to Elevator cor. Reade St.

Due and timely service of cop of the within hereby admitted

this day of 18

Attorney.

To

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Police Court — 1 — District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Robert H. Hall

of No. 63 Seventh Street, aged 35 years, occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn deposes and says, that the premises No 18 Spring Street, 14 Ward in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Liquor store and which was occupied by deponent as a Store for the sale of liquors & segars ~~and in which there was at the time a human being~~ by name were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open the fan light leading from the front into said premises on the 23 day of December 1891 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money consisting of divers bills, silver and nickel coin of the value of Fifty four dollars

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 Charles Henderson (now present)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent says that he saw said defendant in the act of climbing through the fan light in said store and said defendant thereafter ran away and escaped

Robert H. Hall

Sworn to before me this 11 day of April 1892

Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

1 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Charles Henderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U S

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

Answer. No 4 Spring St 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I plead guilty of taking twenty dollars from Complainants store
Chas. Henderson

Taken before me this 11 day of April 1894

A M Kretchmer Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 1st District. 1334

THE PEOPLE &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. Robert H. Hall 163 E 74th
2. Charles Henderson
3.
4.

Offense Burglary

Dated April 11 189 2

W. Mathews Magistrate.

Fox & Hogan Officer.

No. 110 Precinct.

Witnesses Harry Nelson 120

No. 67 Kearney Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. 1520 Street.

to Distrct Attorney

Committed

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

Dated, April 11 189 2 *Police Justice.*

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated, 189 *Police Justice.*

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated, 189 *Police Justice.*

RECEIVED APR 14 189 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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 Henderson

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

Charles Henderson

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

The said Charles Henderson

late of the 14th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 23rd day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one in the night-time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the store of one Robert N. Hall

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Robert N. Hall in the said store then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Charles Henderson

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

The said Charles Henderson

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

the sum of fifty-four dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of fifty-four dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Robert H. Hall

in the store of the said Robert H. Hall

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

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York

People
v.
Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:
Michael Burns. ~~Michael Barnes~~ being duly sworn says that he is engaged in business at No. 4 Spring Street in the City of New York. That he has known the defendant above named for more than three years. That to deponent's knowledge the said Charles Henderson had always borne a good character up to the time of his arrest. That deponent never knew the said Charles to be arrested before.

Sworn to before me this 23" day of April 1892 } Michael Burns

Hugh A. Taggart
Commissioner of Deeds
N.Y.C.

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Court of General Sessions

People

v.

Charles Henderson

City and County of New York ss:

Henry Peck

being duly sworn says that he is engaged in the dry goods business at No. 216½ Bowery in the City of New York. That he has known the above named defendant Charles Henderson about three years and has never known him to be arrested before. That so far as deponent knows the said defendant has always borne a good character

Sworn to before me this 23 day of April 1892

Hugh A. Taggart
Commissioner of deeds

Henry Peck
216½ Bowery

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

.....being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. .....Street in the City of New York, that he is .....years of age, that on the .....day of ..... 18 , at Number..... .....in the City of New York, he served the within..... on ..... the..... by delivering to and leaving with said ..... a true copy of the within ..... and at the same time and place exhibiting to ..... the within originals, and that he knew the person thus served to be the person mentioned and described in the ..... as ..... therein.

Sworn to, before me,
this.....*day of* ..... 18 .

D. D. General Sessions

People etc.

Plaintiff,

against

Charles Henderson

Defendant

Affidavits

HUGH COLEMAN,
Attorney for Deft.
STEWART BUILDING,
[redacted]
No. 287 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK CITY.
Entrance to Elevator cor. Reade St.

Due and timely service of cop of the within
hereby admitted
this day of 18

Attorney.

To .....

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