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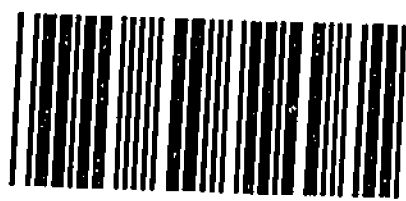
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Fagan, James

**DATE:**

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Selling on Sunday.

Court of Oyer and Terminer

Counsel,

Filed, 3

day of

Oct

1887

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLETION OF EXCISE LAW

*James B. Fagan*  
*James B. Fagan*

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

District Attorney.

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final dis-

posed Bill.

Dated 11/11/87

Foreman.

Witnesses:



Court of Oyer and Terminer

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*James Fagan*

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

*James Fagan*

of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows,

The said

*James Fagan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one

*Peter Higgins*

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*James Fagan*

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

*James Fagan*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did not close and keep closed, and on the said day the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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Fanlhaben, Michael

**DATE:**

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses

*W. J. Mulla*

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads,

23

day of

July

188

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW

(Keeping Open on Sunday)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1980, Sec. 5.]

*B*  
*Michael Santhaven*

*Nov 13/87*

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. Mulla* Foreman.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0178

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Michael Faulhaber*

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Farley, John

**DATE:**

10/10/88



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0180

Witnesses:

*W. Mitchell*  
*J. Carey*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1888

Pleads,

*Magistrate*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Farley*

Grand Larceny in the second degree.  
[Sections 528, 531, 532 Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Small Court Foreman.*

Part III October 15/88.

Indicted & Acquitted

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0181

Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 332 West 32<sup>nd</sup> Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Superintendent Carpet cleaning works being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 1888 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 :

All live iron one set of  
leather hammers. And one gig  
together of the value of three  
hundred and fifty dollars  
(\$350.00)  
the property of Thomas M. Stewart and  
in deponent's care and custody.

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 John Parley (now here)

James M. Peck and James Brady  
who have been indicted and are now  
in the Court's prison awaiting trial.  
from the fact that deponent missed  
said property from in front of the  
premises No 326. 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue at about  
the hour of 4 O'clock P.M. said date.  
and deponent is informed by Officer  
Michael Mitchell of the 16<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police  
that at about the hour of 7 O'clock  
P.M. said date he found said horse  
hammers and gig on the corner of  
9<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 24<sup>th</sup> Street and at  
that time there were three men in said



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gig. the said James M<sup>r</sup> Peck and James Brady and a man who resembles this defendant John Farley. and defendant is further informed by the said James M<sup>r</sup> Peck one of said indicted men that he met Farley and Brady at about the hour of 6:40 o'clock said date on West 27<sup>th</sup> St. between 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> avenues with said property in their possession. When he got into the gig with them.

Wherefore defendant charges the said John Farley (now here) and the said James M<sup>r</sup> Peck and James Brady already indicted with being together and acting in concert with each other and feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away said property.

Living to know me  
this 12 October 1888 } Albert A. Morse

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
I have admitted the above named \_\_\_\_\_  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty of the offence therein mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
Police Justice.

Police Court, _____ District.	
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
Offence—LARCENY.	
1	
2	
3	
4	
Dated _____ 1888	Magistrate.
	Officer.
	Clerk.
Witnesses,	
No. _____	Street, _____
No. _____	Street, _____
No. _____	Street, _____
No. _____	to answer _____ Sessions.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0183

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation Police Officer of No. 16th Street

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

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_

day of Dec 1888

Comelius Mitchell  
Police Justice

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 28 years, occupation Driver of No. 427. Dr 26

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

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_

day of Dec 1888

James W. Beck  
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0184

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT,

of Mr. John Carey Police Officer Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of September 1888  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York. Dependant arrested

John Farley (now here) charged  
with Grand Larceny on complaint  
of Albert A. Morse of no 322 West  
32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Wherefore deponent prays that said  
Farley may be held for examination  
in order to enable deponent to  
procure sufficient evidence

John Carey

Sworn to before me, this

of

Sept

1888

day

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0185

Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Carey  
vs  
John Fayley

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

Sept 29, 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

Rem for Ex  
Oct 1st 2 PM

The Justice presiding  
at the 2nd Dis Police  
Court in my absence  
will please hear and  
determine the within  
Case

J. M. ...  
Police Justice

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ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*John Farley* 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.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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 Farley*

Taken before me this

day of

Police Justice.



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ORIGINAL

0187

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

170 2 1539  
Police Court--

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Abel A. Moore

332 West 32<sup>d</sup>

John Finley

Offence

Dated

Oct 1

188

Deputy

Magistrate

Convey in a separate

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Precedent

Witnesses

Edw. C. Mitchell

No. 1st Court Precinct

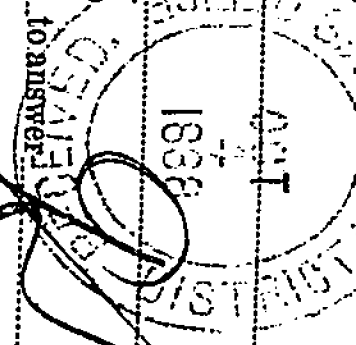
James M. Beck

No. City Prison

No.

1700

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

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 Oct 1 188 Deputy Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL

0188

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 Sadler*

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

*John Sadler*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed  
as follows:

The said

*John Sadler*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *24<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eighty hundred and  
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one horse of the value of one  
hundred and fifty dollars,  
one set of harness of the  
value of fifty dollars. and  
one vehicle, commonly called  
a gig, of the value of one  
hundred dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one ~~Thomas M. Stewart~~

*Thomas M. Stewart*

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

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ORIGINAL

0189

SECOND COUNT—

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

*John Bailey* —

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said

*John Bailey*

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

one horse of the value of one  
hundred and fifty dollars,  
one set of harness of the  
value of fifty dollars, and  
one vehicle, commonly called  
a gig, of the value of one  
hundred dollars. —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Thomas M. Stewart,*  
*Wm. James McPeck, James Brady, and*

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

*Thomas M. Stewart* —

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

*John Bailey* —

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Farley, William

**DATE:**

10/23/88



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0191

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Witnesses  
*J. J. Callahan*

Counsel,  
Filed, *23* day of *Oct* 188*8*  
Pleads, *Chiquely*

THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
*William Farley*  
B  
VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1880, Sec. 5.]

I have examined  
all the testimony in  
the within case, and  
am of the opinion  
that no conviction can  
be obtained, as the  
accused, *Farley*, has  
been acquitted by the  
jury.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.  
Port III March 1888  
On record of  
District Atty. index  
dis. S.S. P.B.M.  
Transferred to the Court of Special  
Sessions for trial and final dis-  
position.  
Dated *March 1888*  
*Wm. J. Boreman*  
*Feb. 11 1888*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0192

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Farley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*43 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*2 Grand St. 3 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

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

Taken before me this 26

day of August 1888

*Wm. J. Sullivan*

Police Justice.

0193

Police Court-- District

Refer I am

Dated Aug 26 188 P J. H. Mutton Police Justice.

Dated August 26 1888 J. H. McClelland Police Justice.

*Dated*.....188.....*Police Justice.*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT—2 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

John J. Callahan  
of No. 126 West Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 26th day  
of August 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

William Farley (now here)  
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 84 Grand  
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be  
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of  
the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said William Farley  
may be ~~arrested and~~ dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 26th day  
of August 1888

J. M. Plutson Police Justice.

John J. Callahan

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0195

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*William Farley*

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

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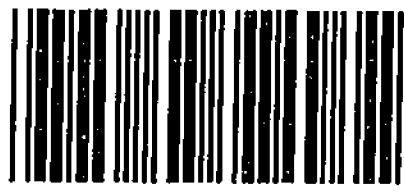
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Farrissey, Matthew

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WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed

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1888

Pleads

*Guilty*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1883, Sec. 21 and  
page 1889, Sec. 6.]

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Matthew D. Savinney

*Sept 16/88*

*South*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*Amelia J. Foreman.*

Part 3. October 16/88

Complaint sent to Special Sessions

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Matthew D. Harrissey*

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

*Matthew D. Harrissey*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

*Matthew D. Harrissey*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty fourth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one

*John D. Duhrme*

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Matthew D. Harrissey*

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

*Matthew D. Harrissey*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did not close and keep closed, and on the said day the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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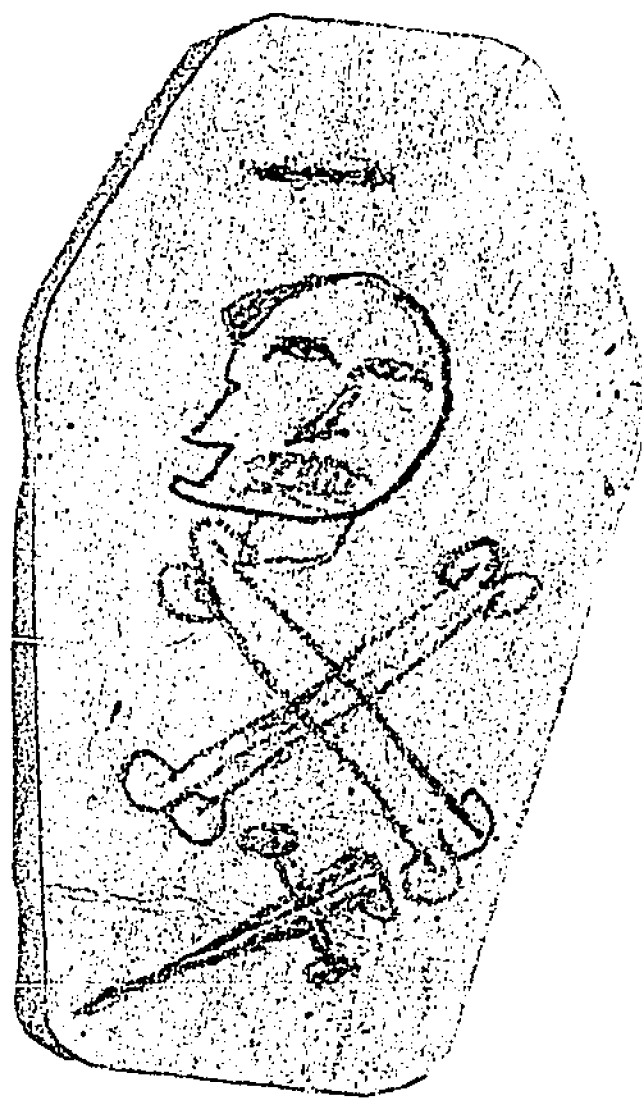
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Mrs. [redacted] [redacted]

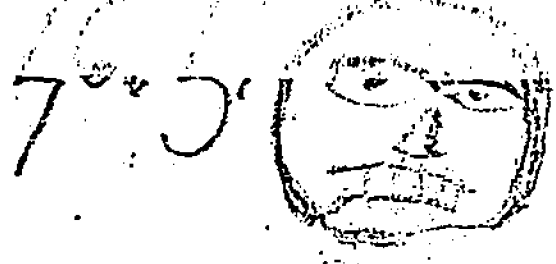
He let you know he  
stately that you would do better to  
sitting your [redacted] with your brother  
in law, and make it alright with  
him, as you want [redacted] a great  
man - - - That you treat your sister  
and her husband in the worst way  
imaginable that is as well as there is  
a [redacted] [redacted] what innocent girl  
you had to ruin - Then we let you  
know that it gives - - - a bloody  
mass as the [redacted] that you  
killed your sister is plainly known -  
and not write to you at all - -  
you know better than that for we  
heard from Mr. Follier - - - and  
their second mother that you supported  
the way you did years ago it is not  
necessary to do to Mr. Follier what  
you did in second street. That  
woman is as bad as she is herself



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ORIGINAL

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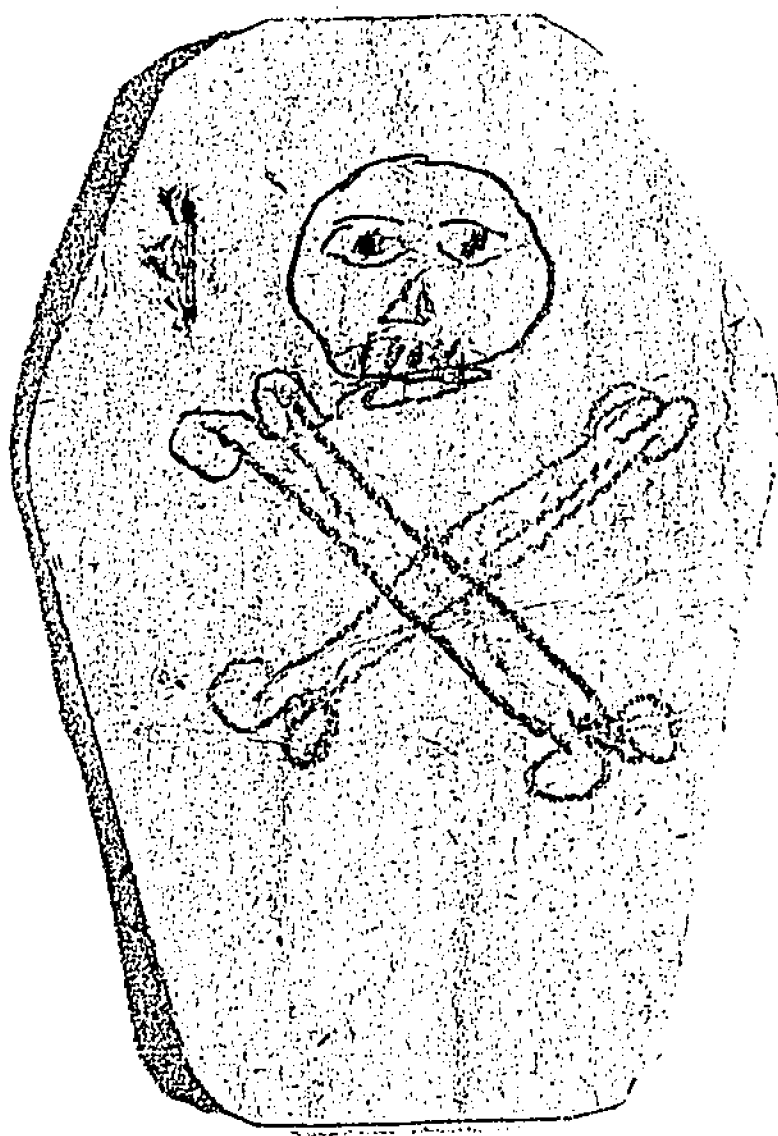
Anybody who trifles with green woods  
should be amongst honest people  
— the blood of your sister and  
and ever for yours — R. R. R.



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**POOR QUALITY  
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**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0205

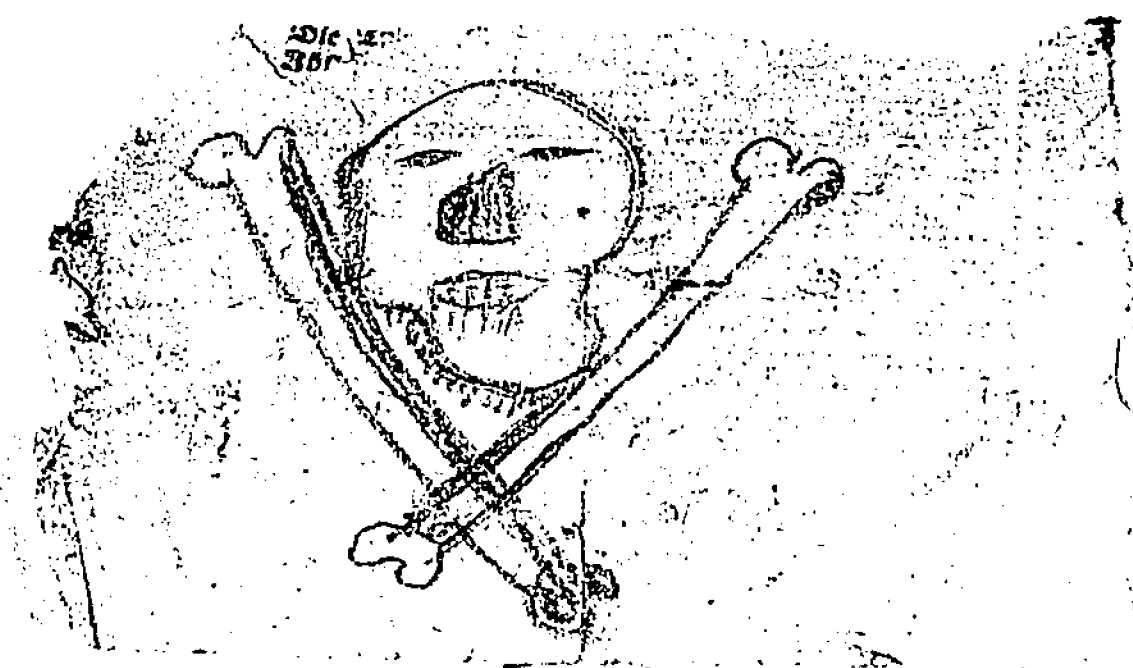
Rebounding Look, can be furnished in either Nickel  
or Case Hardened Finish.

These Revolvers are made in 22 short or long 7 Shot  
32, 5 Shot, using 32 M. H. & Co., or S. & W. Cartridges.  
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#### HIS CHILD WAS THE THIEF.

And He Says She Was Taught to Steal by  
Her Aunt.

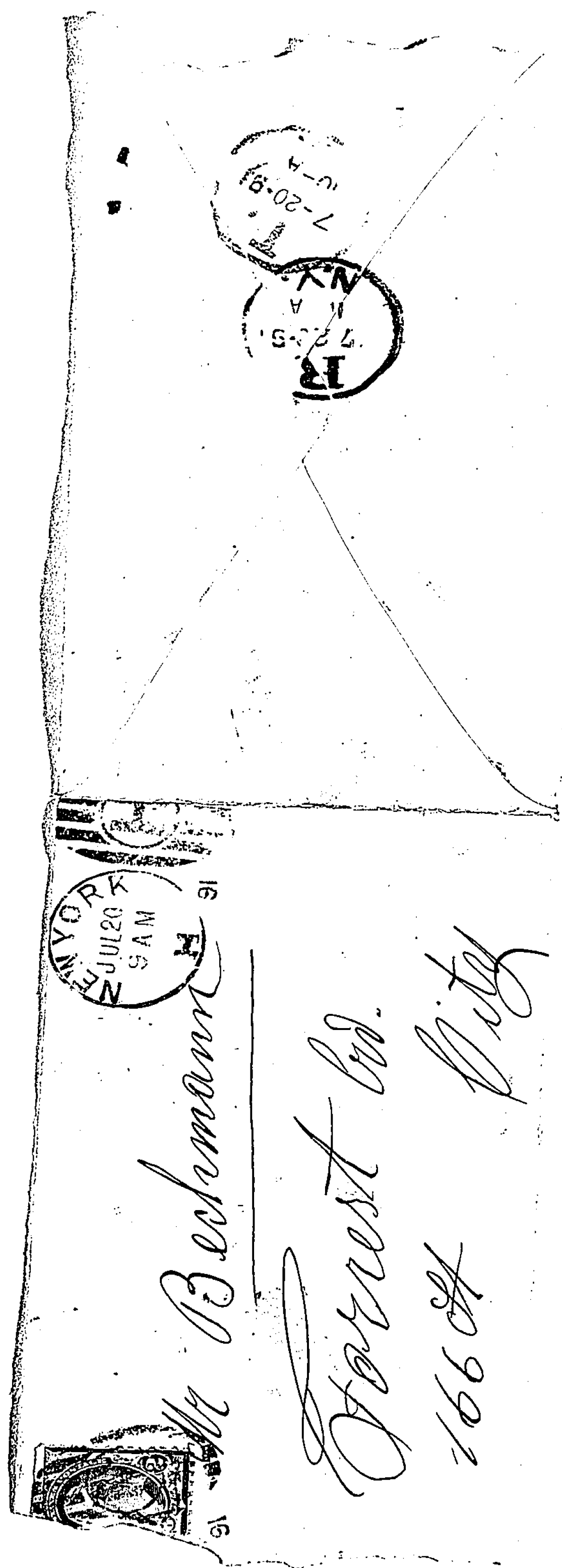
Maggie Feller is a pretty little girl in whose sunny face no trace of evil seems to lurk. Yet she has been wicked, very wicked, and not altogether through her own fault, it is said, but through the teachings of an aunt who taught her to steal, and thereby caused a separation between husband and wife. In 1883 Maggie, then eight years of age, was left a half orphan, and then as now lived with her father, Andrew Feller, at No. 1633 Avenue A. She also had an aunt, Mrs. Beckman, the wife of George Beckman, and she is charged with causing all the trouble. Mrs. Beckman is now the defendant in a suit for \$5,000 damages brought by Mr. Feller for the following reasons: When Maggie's mother died, he alleges, she left in a closet a number of dresses, some silverware and a considerable sum of money. Mr. Feller also at times kept money in a drawer in this closet. To this drawer Maggie alone had a key.

Mrs. Beckman discovered this and the complainant alleges immediately set about to gain access to the treasure, and with the aid of candy and pennies she managed, it is alleged, to get the key from her niece long enough to have a duplicate made. She then began to steal systematically. First, it is said, she took some of the dresses, then the silverware and finally some money. This kept on some time, during which Mr. Feller married a second time. His new wife brought him \$750, all of which was deposited in the same drawer for safe keeping. Mrs. Beckman and Mrs. Feller became great friends and the former soon learned the location of the new mine. Then, it is alleged, she taught Maggie to steal.

The girl says that her aunt would take her out walking and by giving her 10 cents and making many promises got her to bring her some money from the drawer. This she continued to do from time to time until her stepmother began to miss money. She charged her husband with taking it, and he in turn made counter charges. No one suspected Maggie and the stealing went on. Threats and promises kept the child from telling her parents of her thefts. The relations between husband and wife became more and more strained. Finally the wife could stand it no longer, and so she left her husband, took her money and returned to her family. Some time after, Maggie's father caught her taking money from the drawer. Maggie confessed and told him all. On her statement Mr. Feller brings his suit.

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Dear Sir.

Andrew Feller lives  
at Number 1683 Avenue A, City  
If there is anything you wish  
me to inform you about, I shall  
be at your service at any time.

Yours Respectfully

Mrs. Caroline Beckman

883 East 166<sup>th</sup> Street



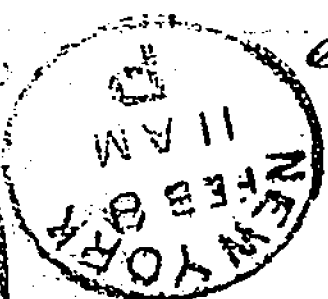
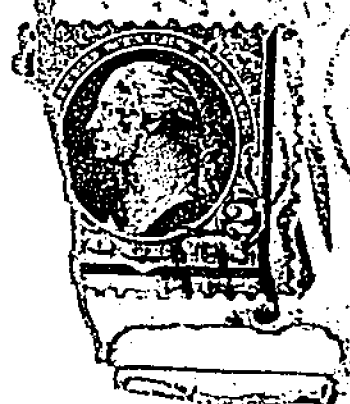
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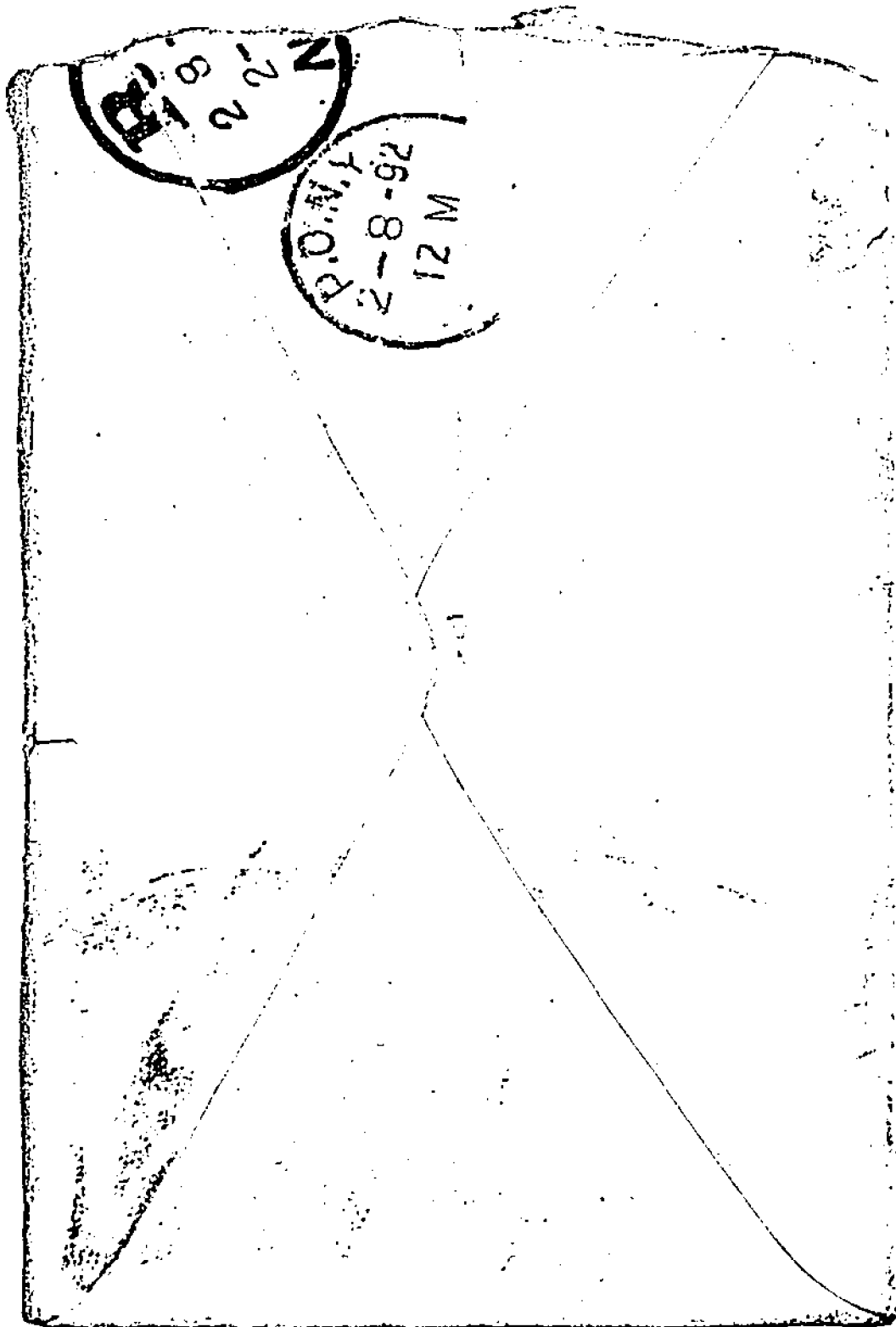
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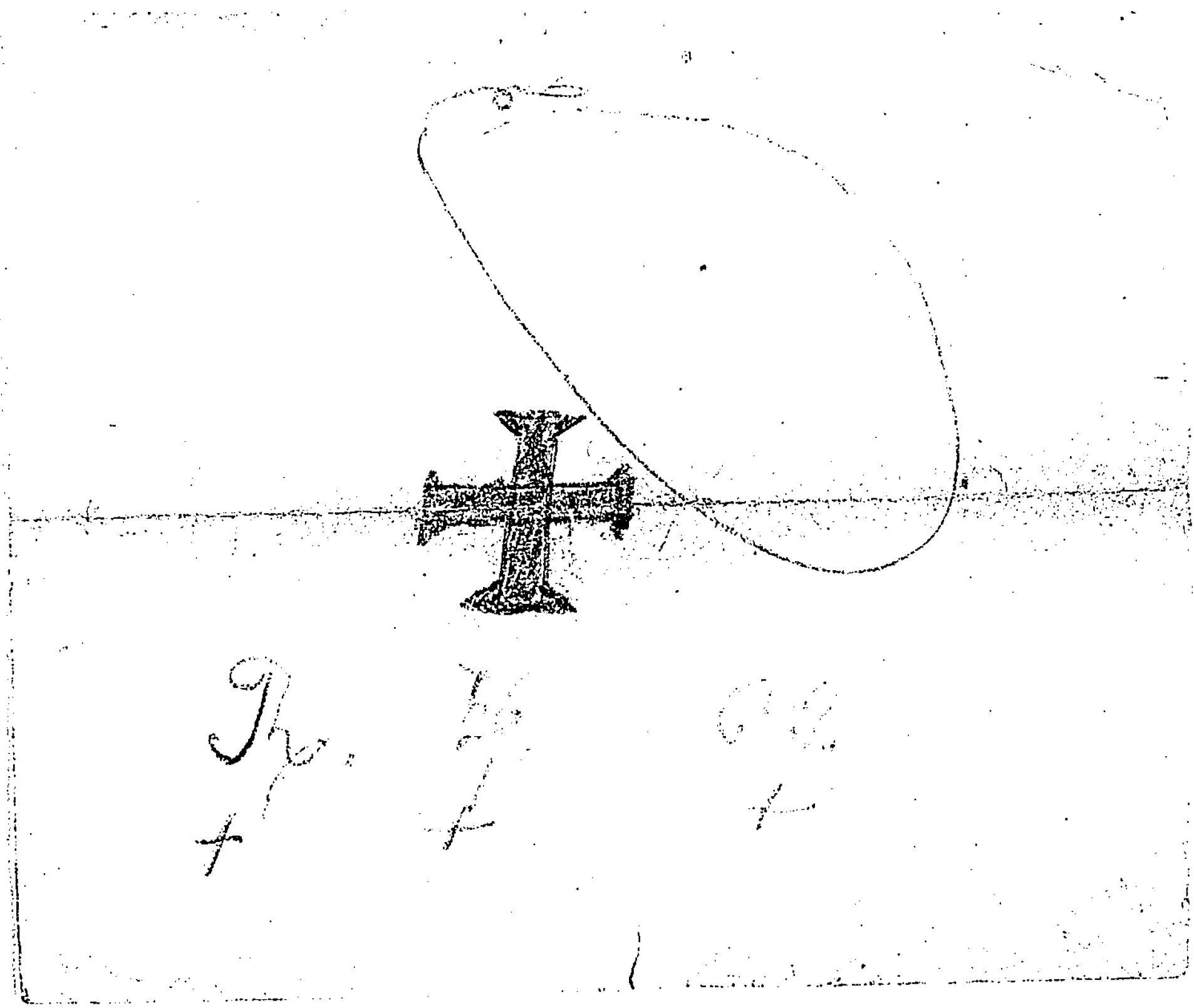
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When I first met — — — — —  
 John W. E. Q. H. — — — — —  
 most of them if at all — — — — —  
 of the same kind, and if you have  
 have — — — — —  
 more — — — — —  
 if more — — — — —  
 still if you wish you can  
 for a number of years. and if you  
 more — — — — —  
 — — — — —



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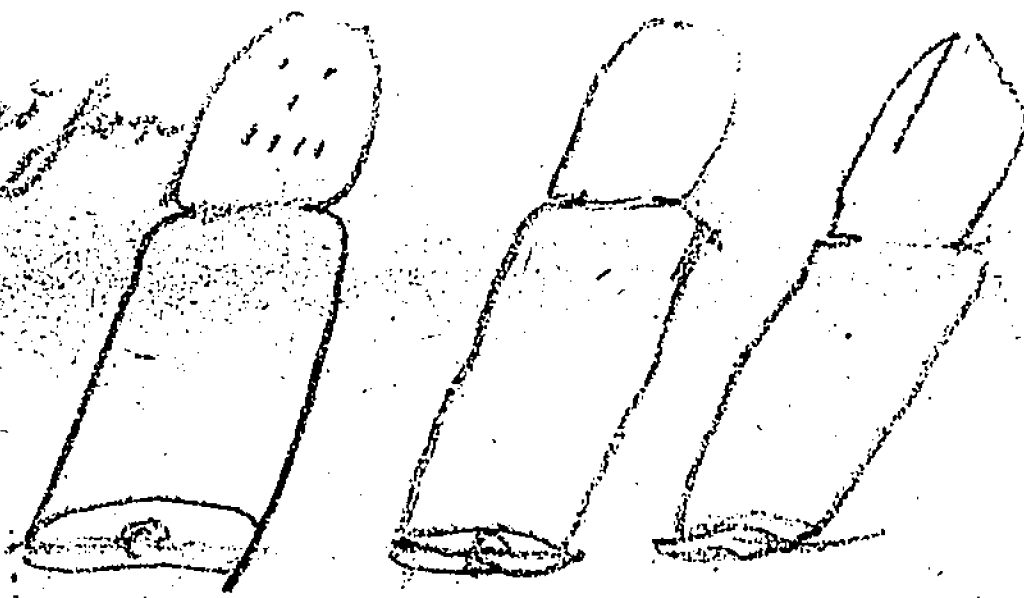
Ich fentendat mit eynem vetter  
ab kocht my allat und der gung  
Wolte, wenn ab frühlings ist dem  
künt ist mir in der arer eynig  
lassen kommen, so dem künft der  
in der vider Eik so yam ist für  
nichtigst eynst und für die unfer  
Lernung eyn leger und für die Volkzeit  
fruchtig. — Man ist nicht ya wohnt  
für die für die ist my der nicht können  
für die und soch my allat am dem

Man ist eynst soch am mir und  
minne Fern und Binde und soch  
mir eynst soch, so. man ist zu sein  
für die dem künft ist my eynig

einig Tische Lief der der eynig dem eynig  
eynig soch, ist die eynig eynig  
soch zu fern am künft soch mir  
am Lief und eynig und eynig  
und soch ab mit dem eynig und  
dem eynig eynig —



f. f. f.













### Niedergestreckt!

**Charles Blisch in seinem  
Hotel erschossen.**

„Ihr habt mir Weib und Kind und  
beinahe \$100,000 geraubt und mein  
Familienglück zerstört!“ rief gestern  
Nachmittag in der Office des Eagle  
Hotels zu Peetskill ein heftig erregter  
Mann aus, der ganz jählings einge-  
treten war.

Er richtete seine Worte gegen den  
Hotelbesitzer Charles Blisch und hielt  
in der rechten Hand einen Revol-  
ver, Kaliber 38, welchen er  
abdrückte.

Annullierung der zw.  
Annie Rowducher im Heru.  
geschlossenen Bundes bewogen.

„Sie ist ja viel zu alt für mich,“  
erzählte Ersterer in weinerlichem Ton,  
„aber sie wußte ihren Zweck durch  
Schlauheit zu erreichen. Sie führte  
mich in einen Fingerringel und machte  
mich bekneipt. Als ich wieder etwas  
nüchtern geworden war, eröffnete sie  
mir Vermögen, ich sei verheiratet.“

Ich lag so schon warm an ihrer  
Seite und hatte mich gerade in einen  
so herrlichen Traum hineingeschwelgt,  
da erwachte ich plötzlich durch das  
Schlagen der Thür. Ein Mann war  
in's Zimmer getreten und nannte  
mich einen Glenden. Ich hätte mich  
mit seiner Frau vermählt, sagte  
Annie holte ein ihr angehö-

ausll früh unterrichtet sein wollt.

gegen Bauernfänger.

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The Change Book

The rule upon its return what you wish should be  
your sister and your niece. Your wife should the  
life out of your sister and your niece is in need for  
life.

- Loafer Neptune
- Loafer Saturn
- Loafer Jupiter
- Loafer Mars
- Loafer Venus
- Loafer Mercury
- Loafer Sun



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Prayer  
Funeral  
Racoon  
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Traum  
~~Wald~~  
Wald



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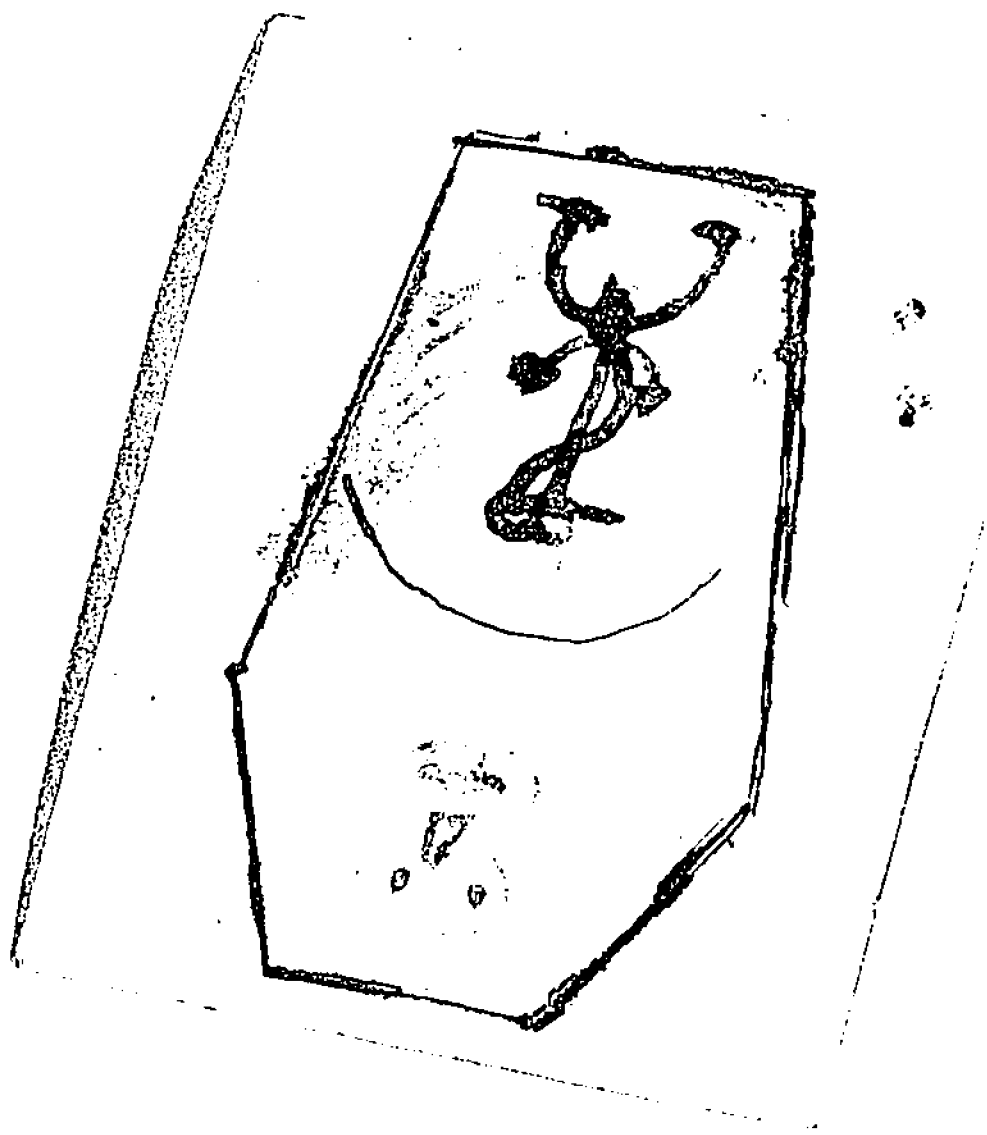
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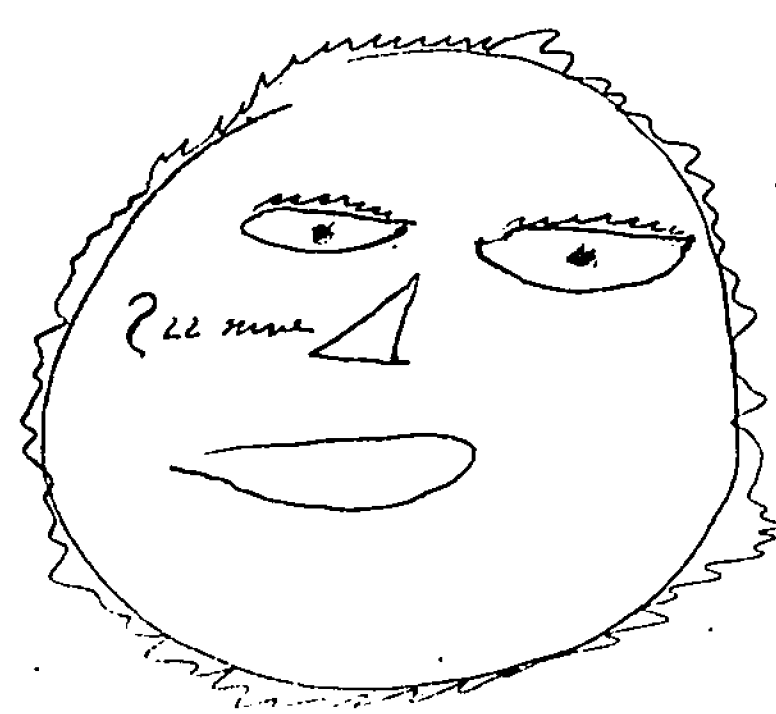
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Mr Bechmann

Wir möchten Sie wissen lassen daß Sie  
Lieber Sohn werden: = & mit - Ihrer Versicherung  
sich, Ihr - Alles abgegründet hat ist man  
man versteht sich - und daß Sie persönlich  
Wanguliert. Mrs Sellen werden früher noch  
leben, -- wenn Sie Sie nicht - Wanguliert.  
- Guter Bechmann Sie sollten das noch  
Häufiger sehen gegen Ihre Versicherung.  
Ihr Diner. Gesehen. -- Sie werden es  
selbst gut genug wissen. -- --  
daß Ihre Ihre Fr. Maggie noch auf  
so sehrsten wegen. Gr. L. ist, das ist  
& empört - eine Jünger die auf so sehr  
wegen zu leben, -- das Maggie Sellen  
auf Lebenszeit. Am Ende ist, das daß

ihnen Ehemann züchtigen — was ist —, grüßt.  
Maggie müssen sehr zuipfen Vater und  
Mutter was sie nicht? — auf fast müssen  
kommen, — — was ist das an mir?  
Fran und Dina werden werden ist, ist  
schon schon längst? — — ist nicht noch  
kommen, — das ist die große Fran  
abpendeligen gemacht fort, — und ist  
eine Person unter Pühen, — was  
ist. Mr. Ellen und Eder Ehemann sind  
Maggie ab gegangenen fort. Damit.  
Mit ist sehr kleine Person. Ich bin  
6 — das ist ganz los — — nicht  
an fassen Dina selbst — ein  
Ehemann Eder Fran. jetzt ist  
unter anstehende Menschen können  
zu laufen. — — — der Baus wird  
sie aber kommen. Es gibt noch  
ein Anzeichen? — — —

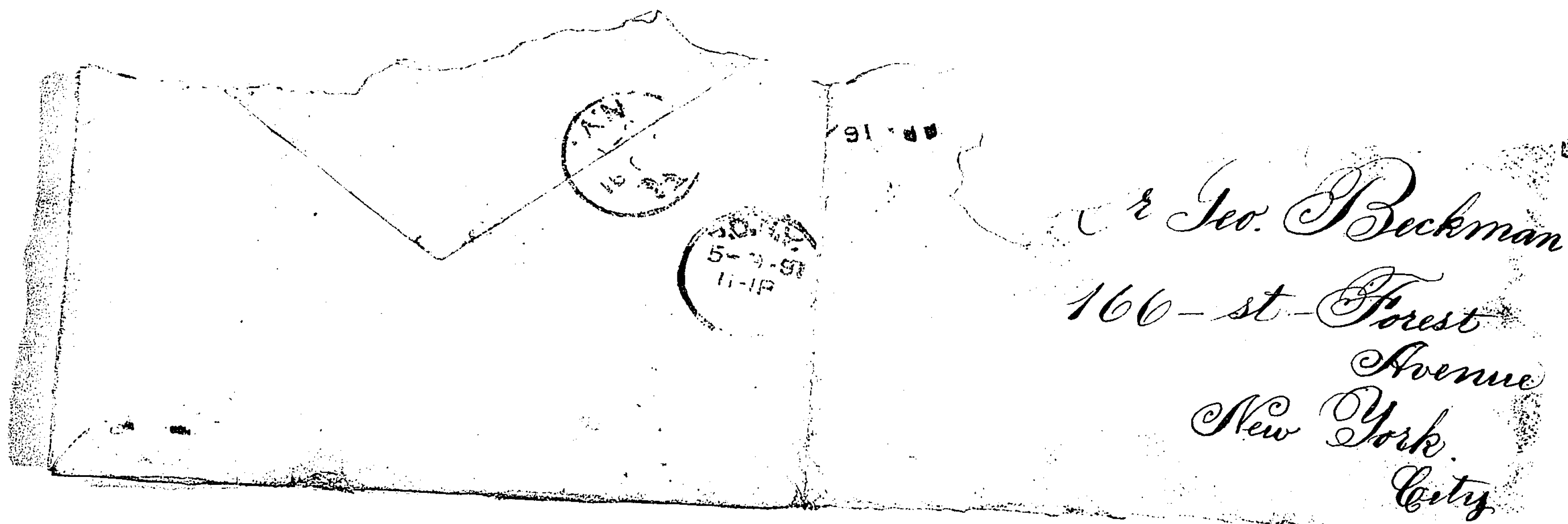


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# MY OWN DEAR

1. Home! my own  
2. Round my moun

Ev - 'ry rug - ged peak  
There from many a rock

Wir heißen Dir mit dem besten Wunsche  
gefolgt. Du verfluchter Missethater! Du  
schonst keinethaligen, Lohes Herben, das schen  
ren wir Dir bei Gott. Du verfluchter Gewin  
ler! Augst, schies, Tod! Und wenn Du Dein  
ganzes Haus mit Polizisten vollstoppst, Du mußt  
bom werden.

§ 300. Ob Einer wegen Meineids, von Ger  
icht des Verurtheilten, Unannehmlichkeiten, zu befürchten  
hat? Was Sie unter „Unannehmlichkeiten“ verstehen  
wollen, wird nicht. Es verheißt, daß jedoch von selbst  
das der Meinwidrigkeit in's Gerichtshaus gesperrt werden  
kann.

## Gladlich bereitelt!

Es ist nichts so fein gespannt,  
es kommt doch an die Sonnen!  
Ein fein eingesädelter Plan,  
wie ein gewisserloser Mensch in Deutsch  
in Verbi

Ende eines verurteilten Weibes.



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MY OWN DEAR

1. Home! my own  
2. Round my moun

Ev - 'ry rug - ged peak -  
There from many a rock

Wir theilen Dir mit, daß Deine letzte Stunde  
geschlagen hat. Du verfluchter Blutsauger. Du  
solst keines natürlichen Todes sterben, das schö-  
ren wir Dir bei Gott. Du verfluchter Schwin-  
der! Augst, schließ los! Und wenn Du Dein  
ganzes Haus mit Pollstern vollstopfst, Du mußt  
doch sterben.

S. 9. 200. Ob Einer wegen Meineids „von Sei-  
ten des Verhörs Unannehmlichkeiten zu befürchten“  
hat? Was Sie unter „Unannehmlichkeiten“ verstehen,  
wissen wir nicht. Es versteht sich jedoch von selbst,  
daß der Meineidige in's Gerichtshaus gesperrt werden  
kann.

Glücklich bereitet!

Es ist nichts so fein gesponnen,  
es kommt doch an die Sonnen!

Ein fein eingefädelter Plan.

Wie ein gewissenloser Mensch in Deutsch-  
in Verbi

Ende eines vernünftigen Weibes.



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Lieber Freund  
im L. L. L. Buch.

Bitte mache es mit  
Deinen Feinde in  
guten Wege ab. Den  
h. hat. Recht  
Den ich thue es  
nur aus Freundschaft  
Du weist nicht  
wo ich hier unter allen  
Brüdern befinde.

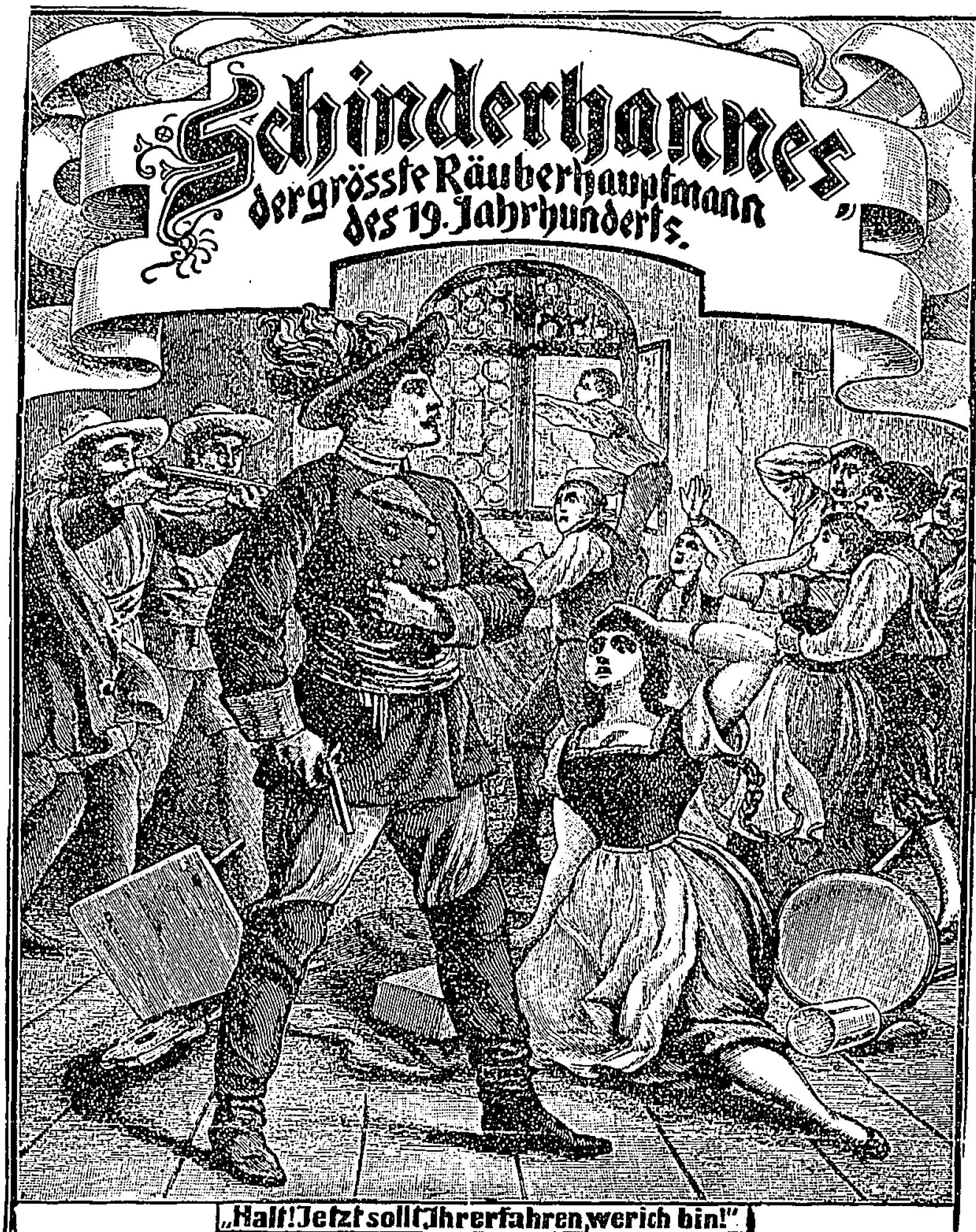
Später wenn ich  
erfahren sei. Lass  
Du meinen Rat  
gefolgt bist werde  
ich dir neuen Rath  
erweilen. Dein Freund  
war.

Bitte folge meinen  
Rat es wird dich  
nicht Reuen den son-  
st kommt alles  
an den Tag: was  
nicht braucht

Aufführung soll  
L. G. M.

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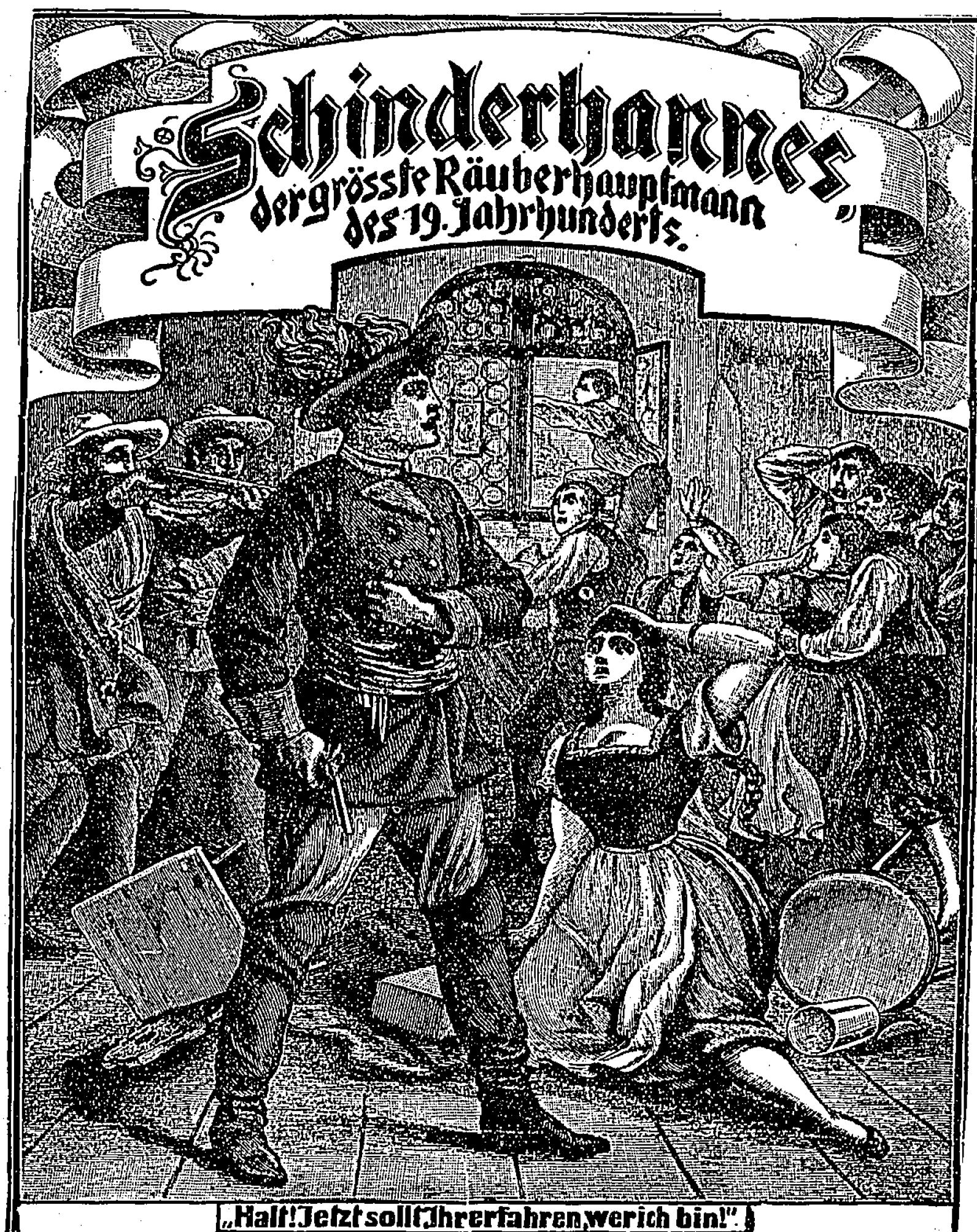
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W. J.

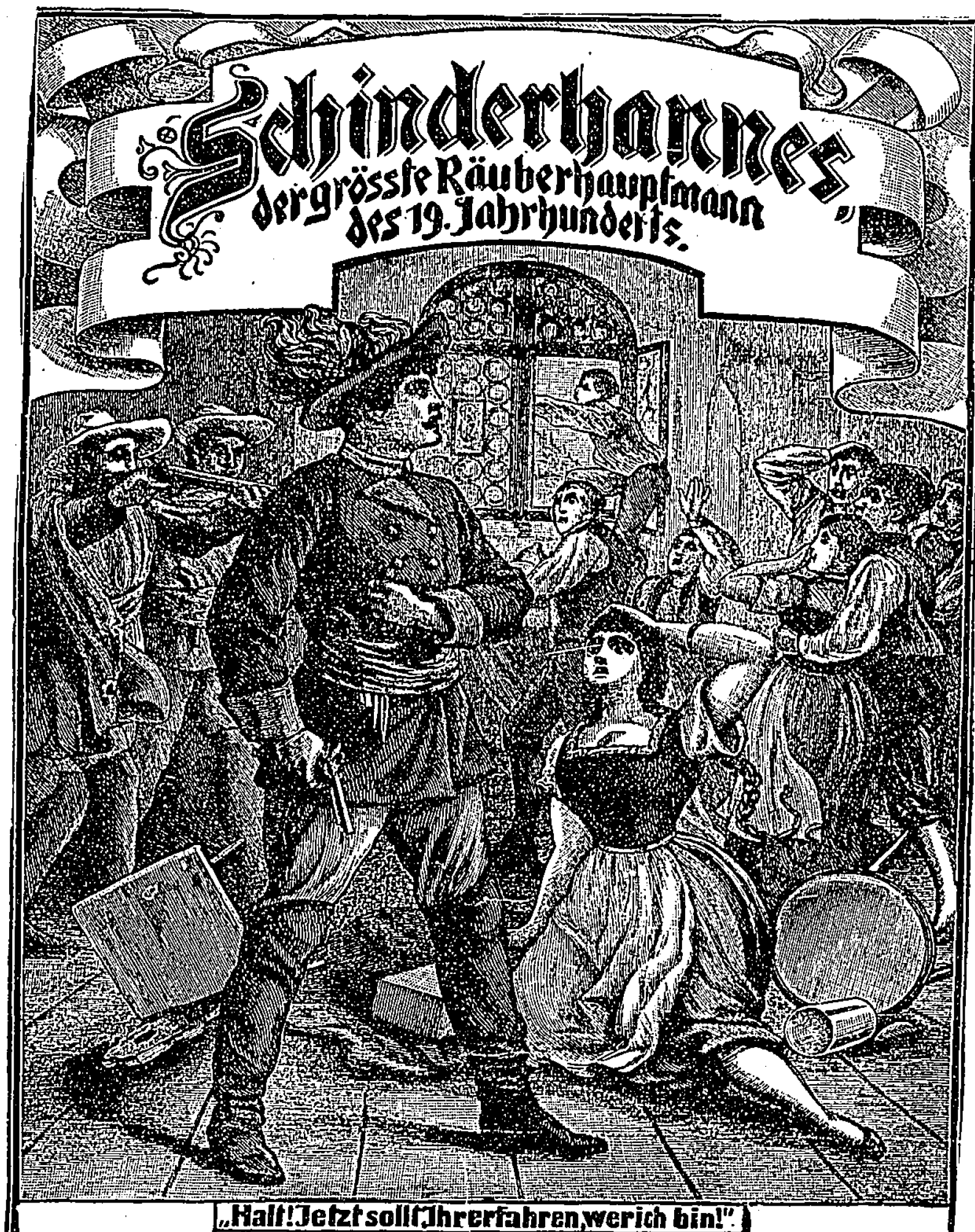
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Andrew Foster

alleged inmate of the  
Asylum

Justo Berlinguer  
Special Counsel for  
Respondent

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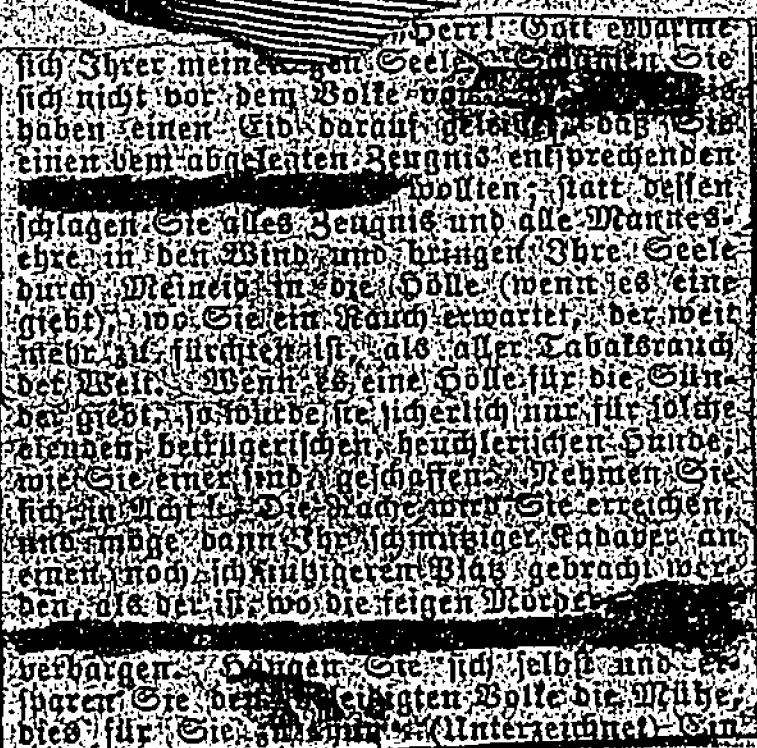
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**Word?**

# Monstrale Frechheit.

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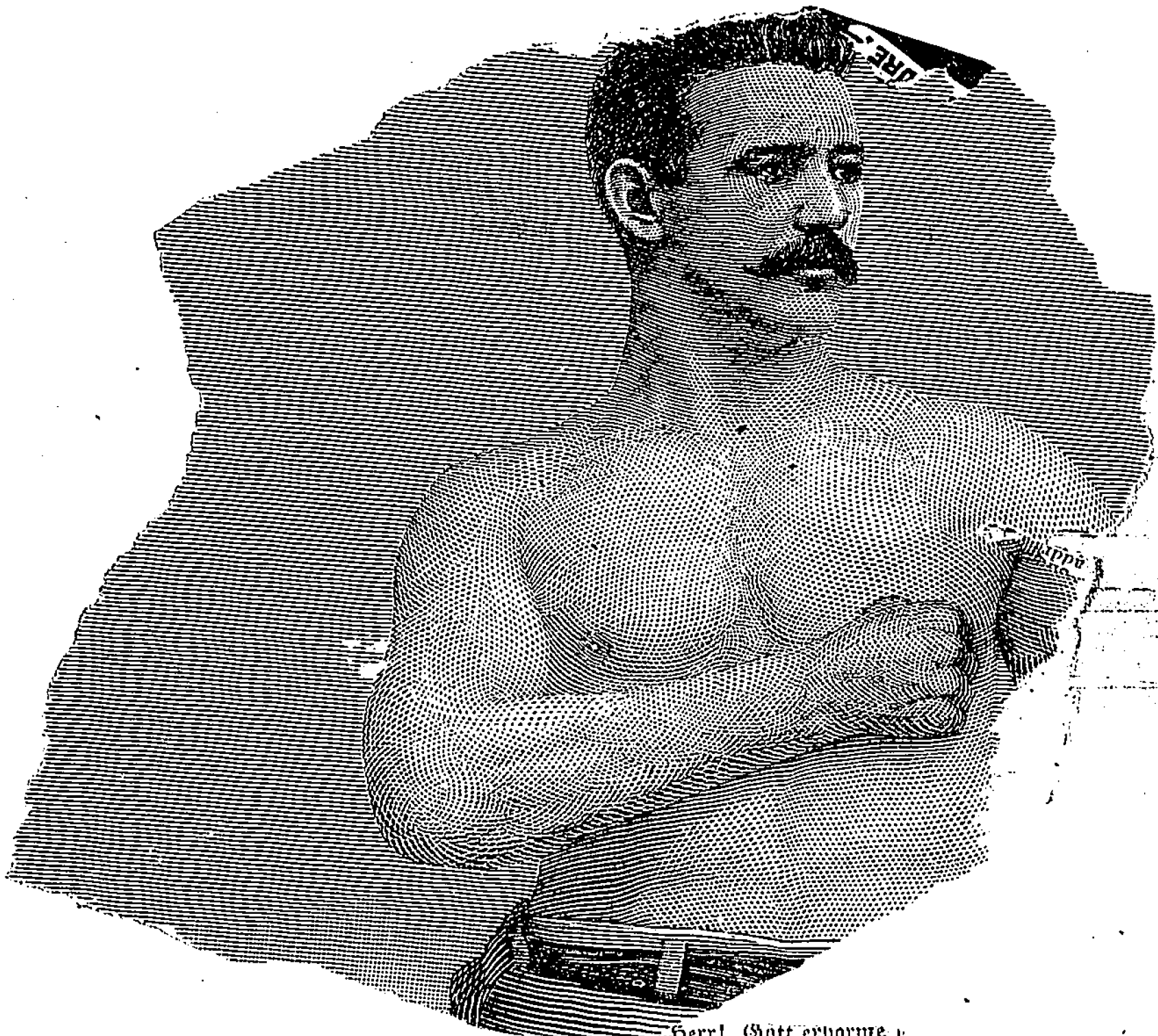
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## Introduction



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Herr! Gott erbarme  
sich Ihrer meinenden Seele. Schützen Sie  
sich nicht vor dem Wolfe vom Meere. Sie  
haben einen Eid darauf geleistet, daß Sie  
einen dem abgelegten Zeugnis entsprechenden  
schlagen Sie alles Zeugnis und alle Mannes-  
ehre in den Wind und bringen Ihre Seele  
durch Meineid in die Hölle (wenn es eine  
gibt), wo Sie ein Rauch erwartet, der weit  
mehr zu fürchten ist, als aller Tabakrauch  
der Welt. Wenn es eine Hölle für die Sün-  
der giebt, so wurde sie sicherlich nur für solche  
elenden, betrügerischen, heuchlerischen Hunde,  
wie Sie einer sind, geschaffen. Nehmen Sie  
sich in Acht! Die Nacht wird Sie erreichen,  
und möge dann Ihr schmutziger Kadaver an  
einen noch schmutzigeren Platz gebracht wer-  
den, als der ist, wo die feigen Mörder  
verborgen. Hängen Sie sich selbst und er-  
sparen Sie dem beleidigten Wolfe die Mühe,  
dies für Sie zu thun. (Unterzeichnet) Ein

Banditen in's Buchhaus freidlich

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Holossal Freiheit.

Ständes an der Arbeit.

Keine Ruhe im Sarge.

Schauspiel aus dem Leben.

Who the ar-mor on will gird?—“On-ly for a day.”  
Who will say, “The Lord is mine?”—“On-ly for a day.”  
Who for right will make a start? Who to Je-sus give your heart?  
Who from words profane will cease? Who will tread the path of peace?  
Who will choose the bet-ter part?—“Try Him for a day.”  
Who from sin will find re-lease?—“Try Him for a day.”  
Who will take the Saviour's hand?  
Who will join our Royal band?  
Who will obey the Lord's command,  
“Only for a day?”  
Who will view Him on the tree?  
Who will say “He died for me?”  
Who will take salvation free?  
“Take it now, to-day.”  
4 If where healing waters flow,  
You His tender love could know,  
You would never let Him go—  
Never for a day.  
If you now for Him decide:  
In His mercy if you hide,  
You will want no other guide—  
Never, for a day.

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“Sing We Merrily Unto God Our Strength.”

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antworten: „Herr! Gott erbarme sich Ihrer weinenden Seele. Schämten Sie sich nicht vor dem Volke von Aegypten, Sie haben einen Eid darauf geleistet, daß Sie einen dem abgelegten Zeugnis entsprechenden Tod wollten; statt dessen schlagen Sie alles Zeugnis und alle Mannes-  
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bargen. Hängen Sie sich selbst und ersparen Sie dem heiligen Volke die Mühe, dies für Sie zu thun. (Unterzeichnet) Ein

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**Polossale Grechheit.**

## Entschers an der Arbeit.

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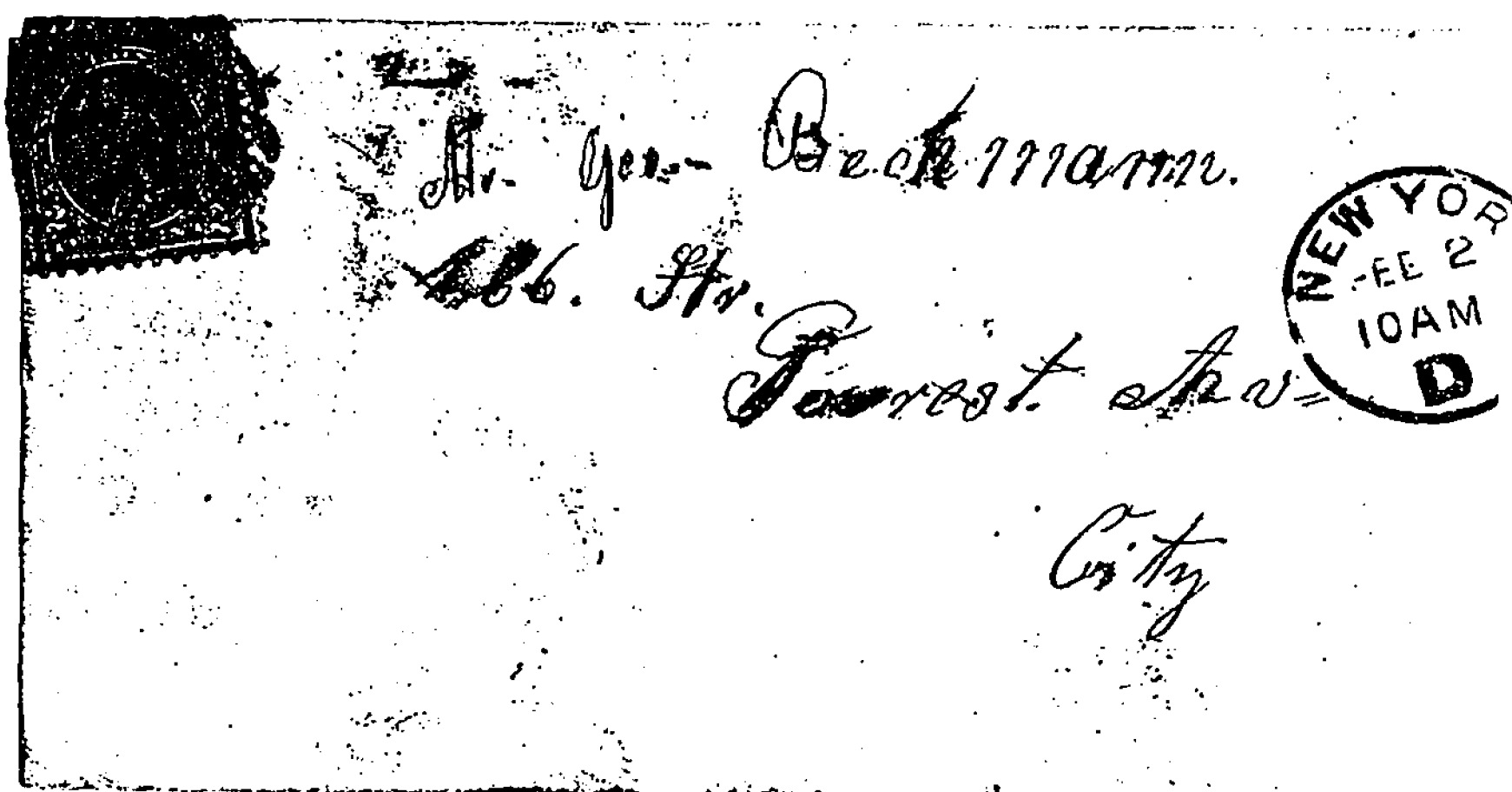
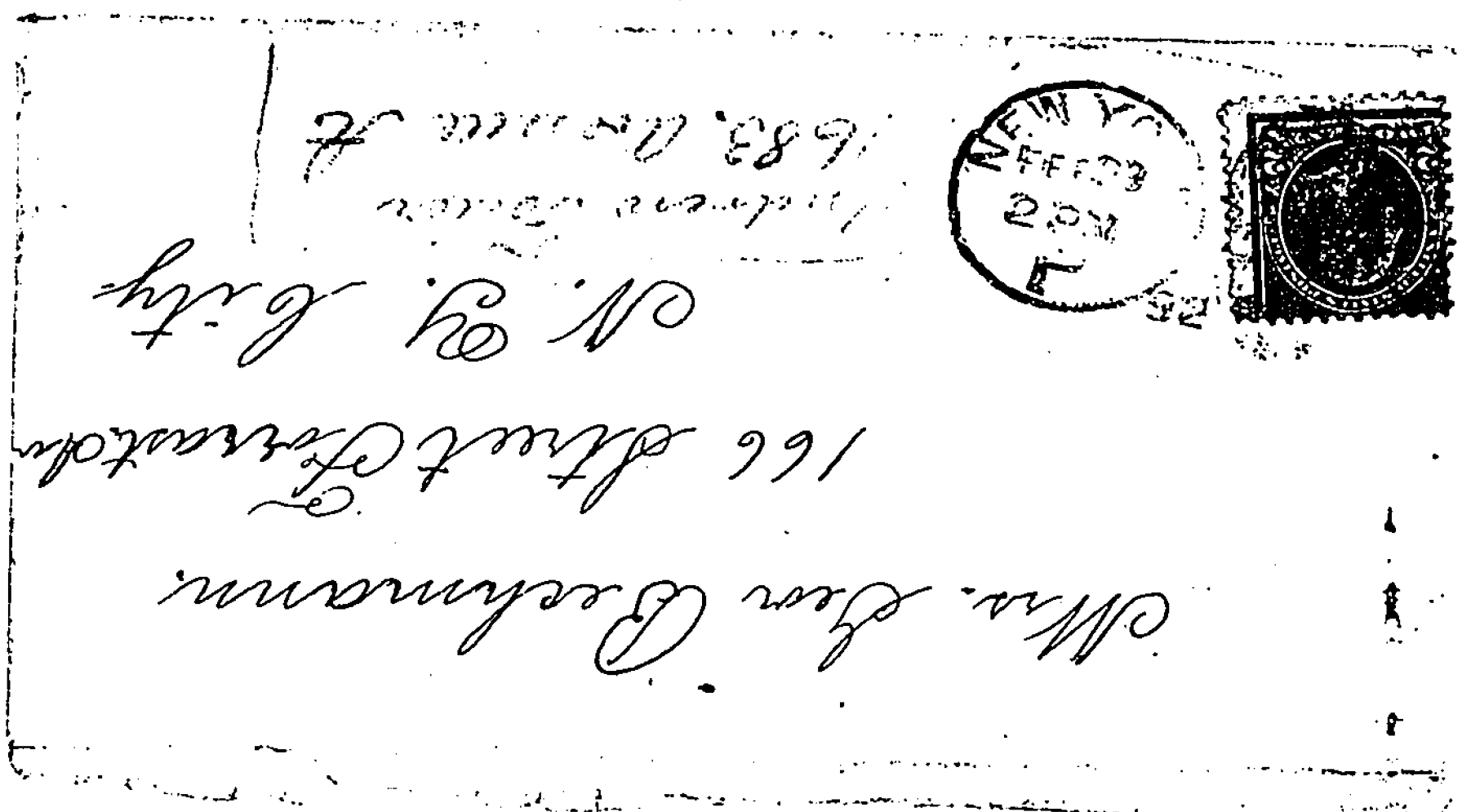
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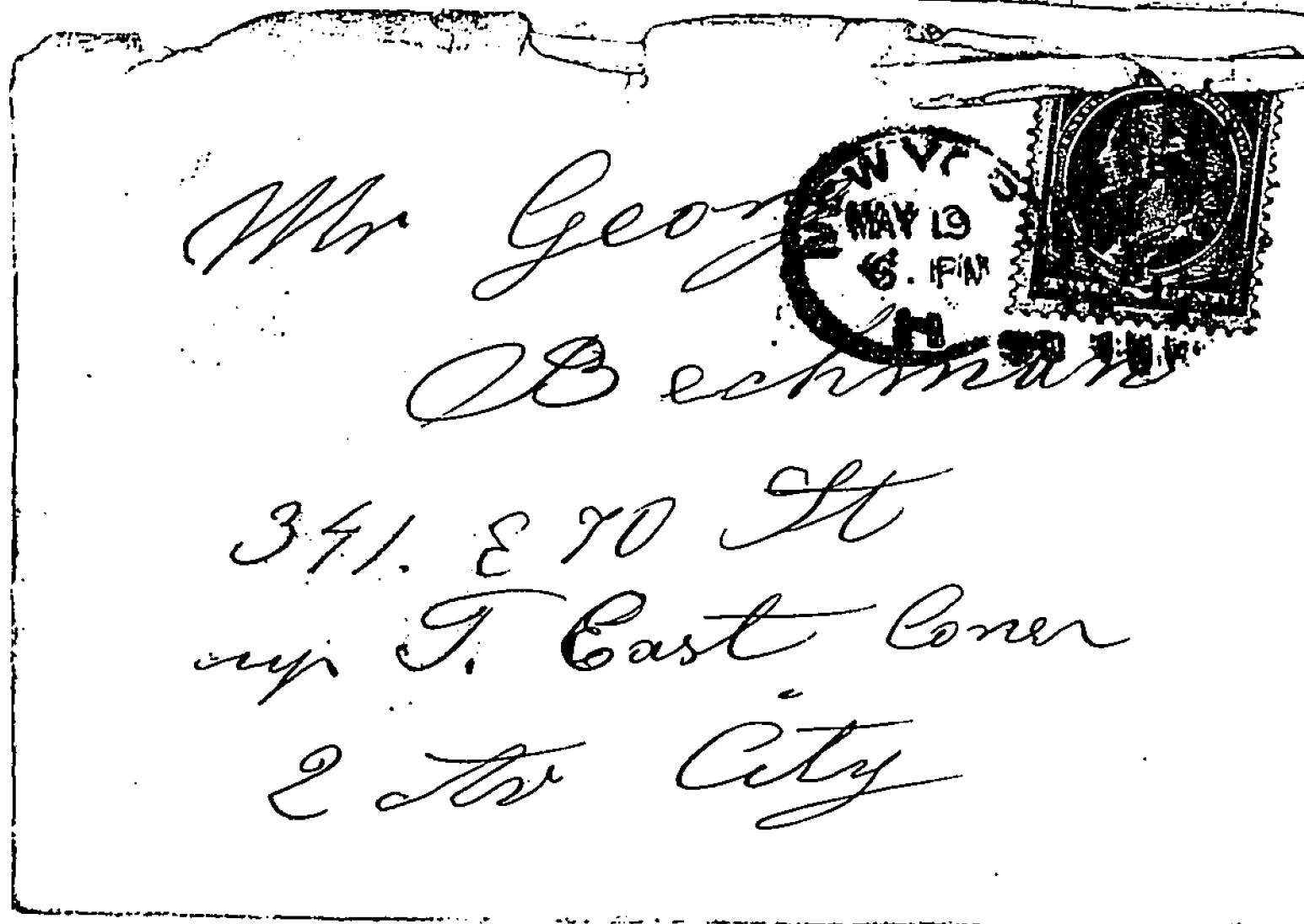
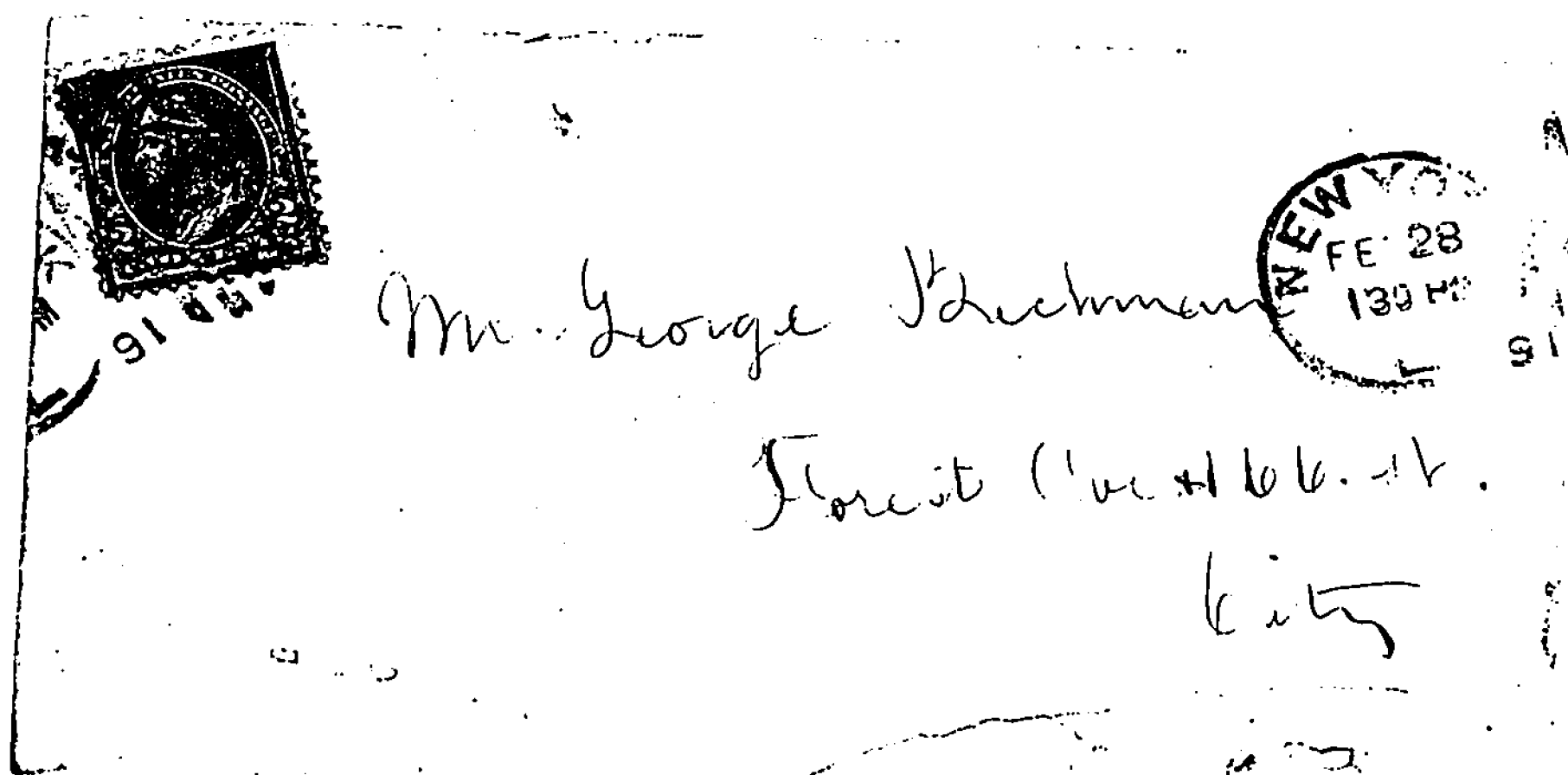
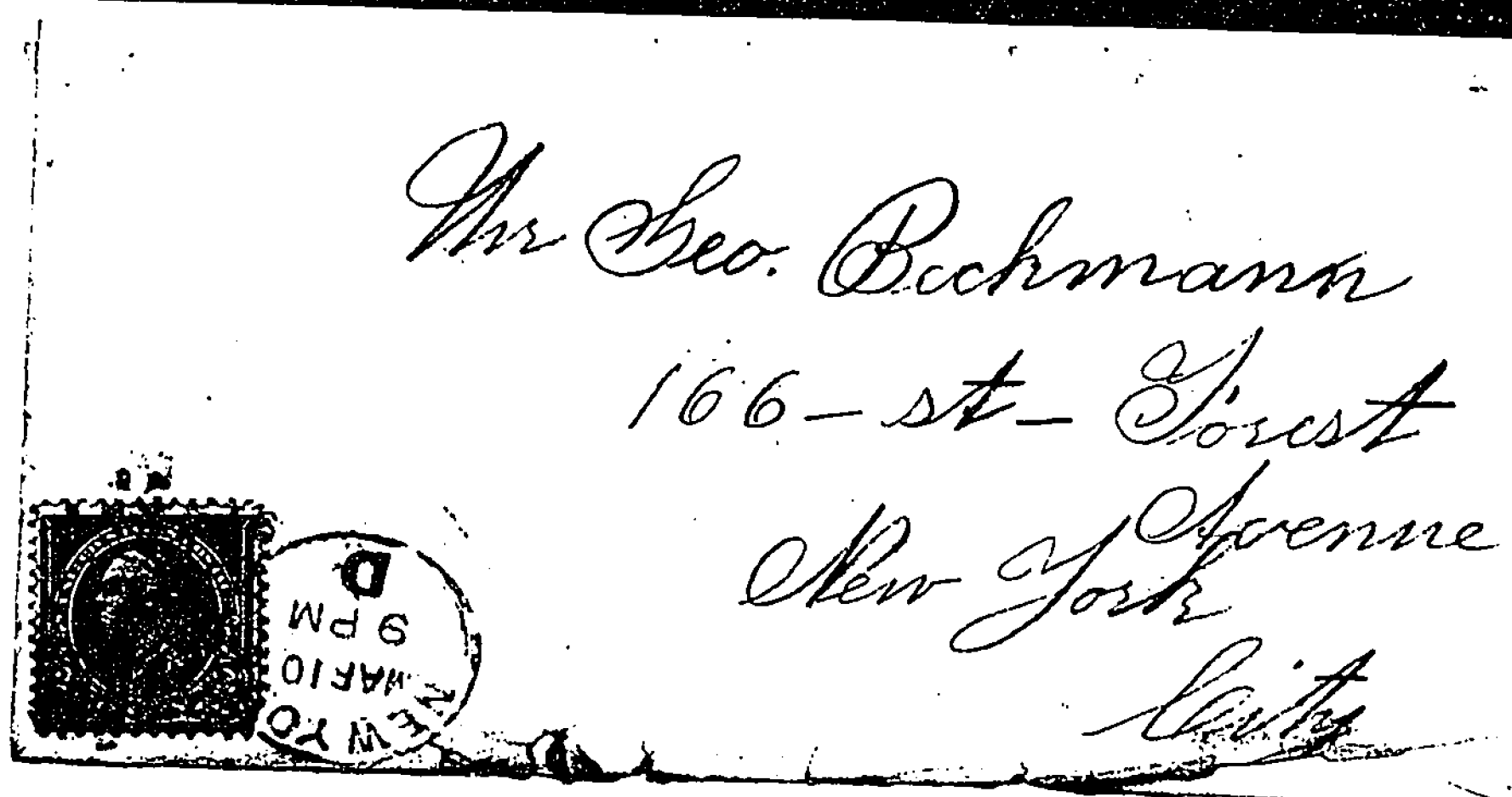


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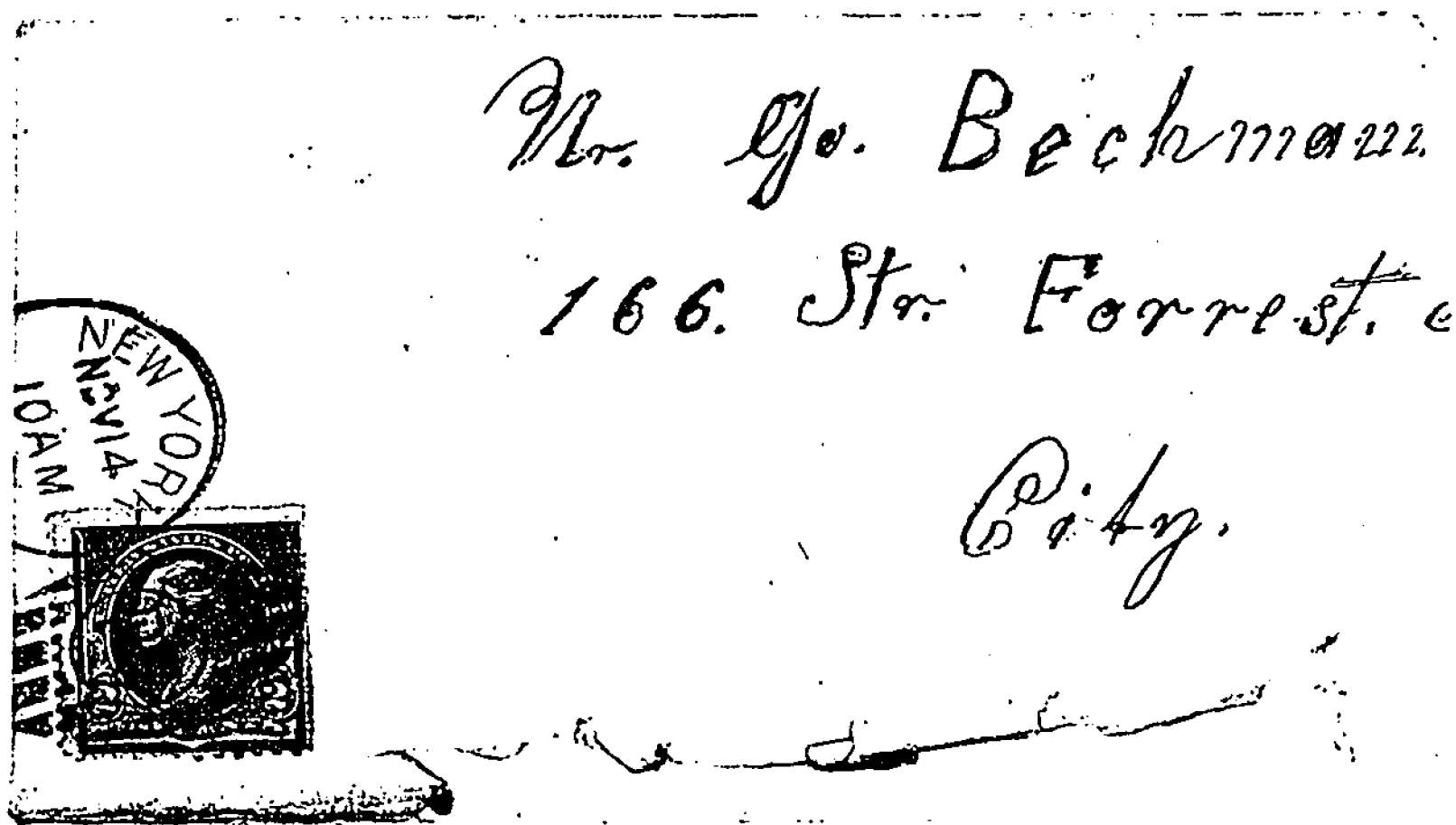
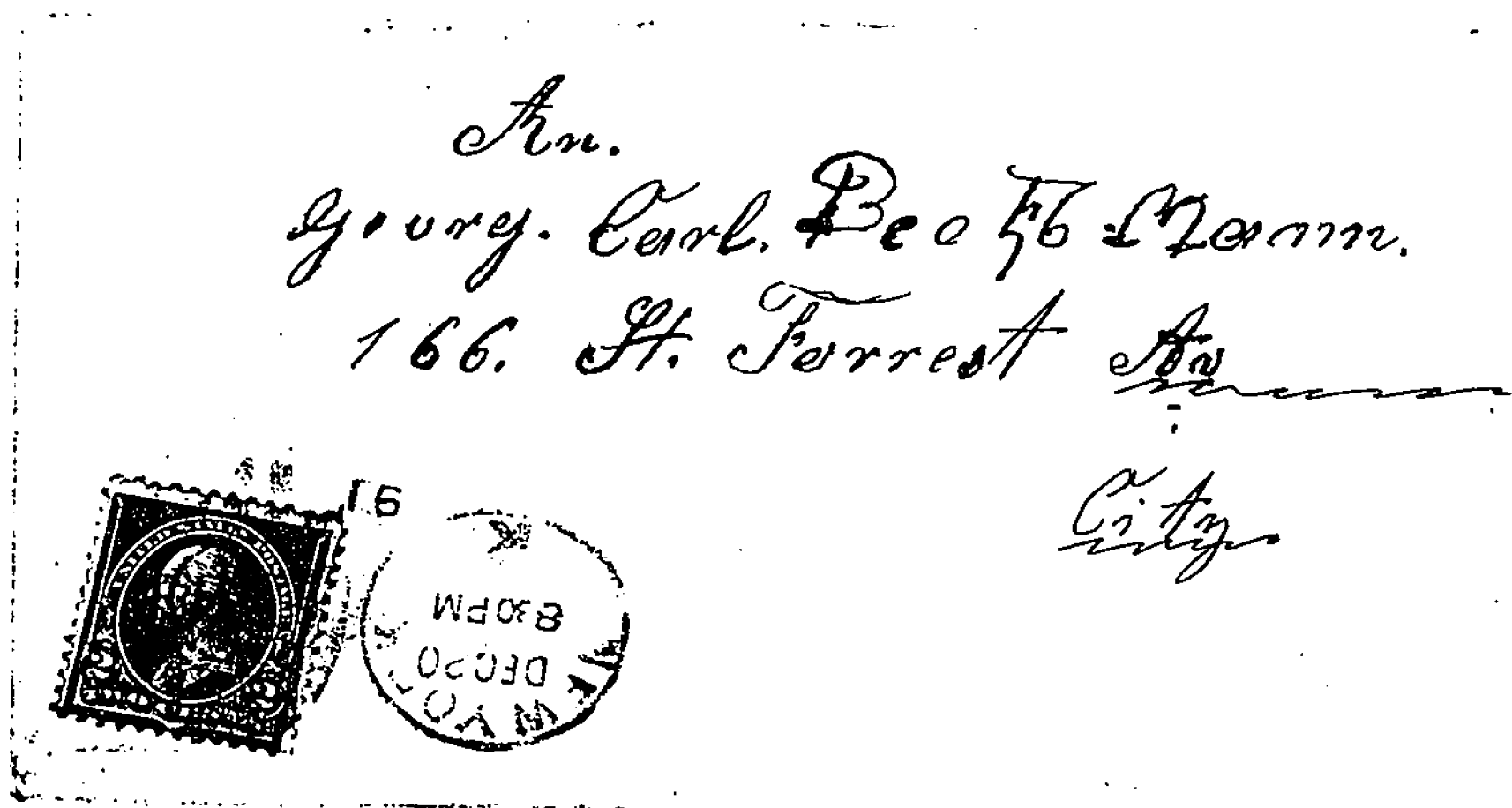
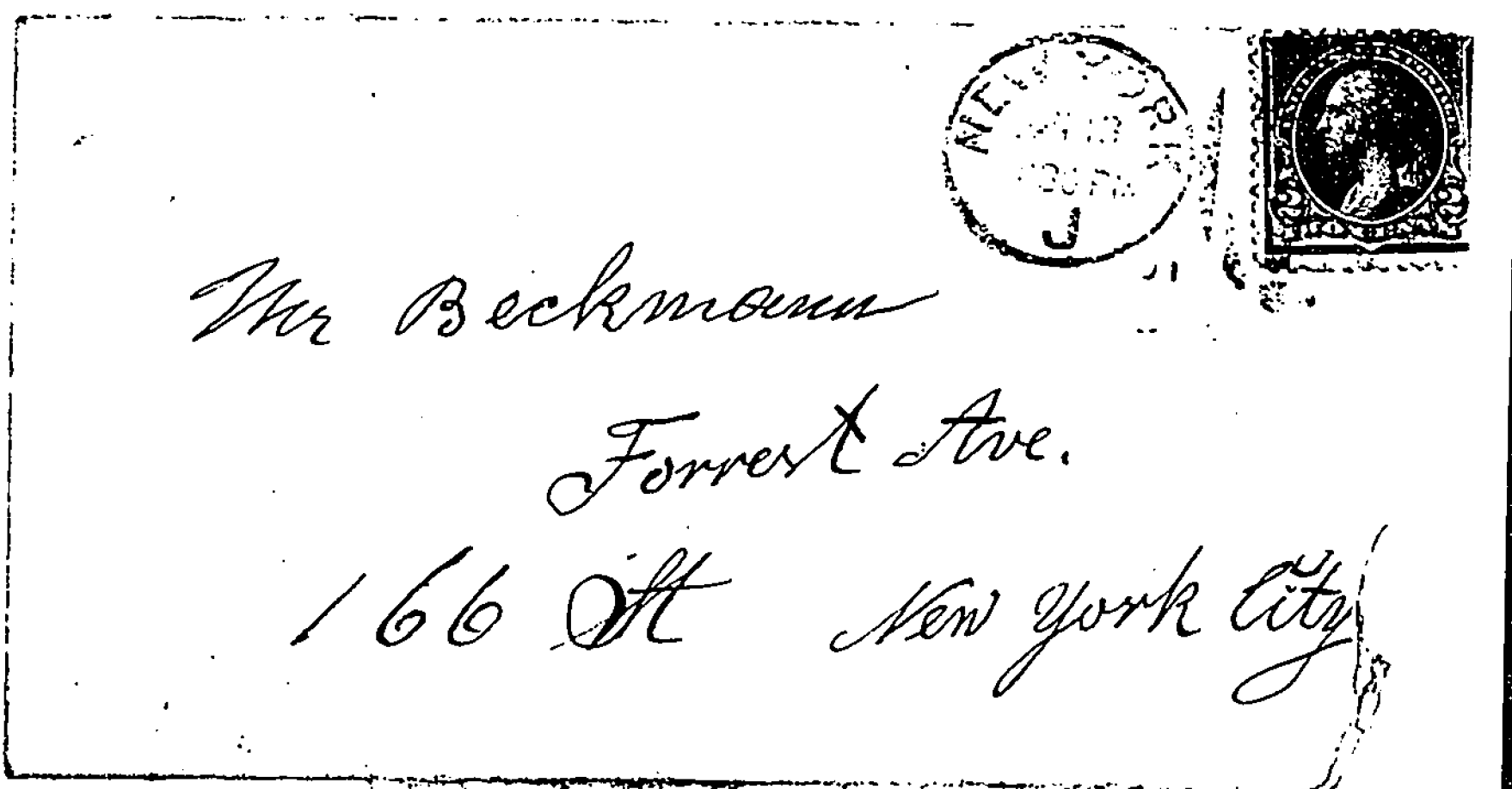
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Wörterster Herr  
Beckmann  
Im Auftrage des  
Obermeisters unserer  
Ld. Ge. muß ich Ihnen  
zu wissen thun daß  
Sie ihren Gegner in dem  
Prozesse immer bevorz  
zugen für sich und Ihre  
Frei sind diesen wichtigen  
Mann sehr zu  
zu respektieren oder mir  
werden die Kreis Regier  
ung von Würzburg  
in welche Sie die Lösung  
hat begangen haben  
über ihren verfehlten  
Ansprüchlichen

in Bremen  
hinter Maierhöf  
das Königswasser Bayern  
und hinter Hell  
von hinten Prinzregenten  
Lugbold. Ich bin mir ein  
wenig mehr in einem Menschen  
der eine solche Arbeit befreit  
die mir viel anregungsmittel  
kann. Seine Einführung  
zu vermeiden.

Th. S. Ingham

Untersmeister

O. J. R. M.



I

Is. C. Bechtmann

As you again know to prevent the publishing  
in the newspapers when the reporter called on  
you, so this for you, before your present reveals  
I will bring before the public eye, because  
you have so much money of my sweat-  
money to back everything, you are making  
it still worse. -- As I had sent you money  
to Germany and my wife gave you 3 dollars  
to be married by the priest, then again  
she got one dollar for lunch and beer  
before that I was feeding you for weeks  
with my sweat-money, 4 weeks after the  
4 of September you came to my house  
for your meals, you came still when  
you were at the Elbstrasse. -- My wife  
never complained that you or your wife  
are stopping with me, she gave you 500  
dollars in different sums in order to buy  
things, she has had your 2 children, you  
often told me that your wife is drinking  
different sums of money, I remember  
when you knocked her down, when  
you spent 100 dollars in your slippers  
you called her in my presence a  
thieving wench and she asked me to  
help her. Your sister my deceased wife  
came to <sup>help</sup> ~~help~~ through you, you deprived  
her of her life. October 1877 when she  
asked you for the money she loaned you

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you picked your sister, who was my wife, in the  
abandonment of her in the face, so you took her  
me for my sister money +++ To John Koch you  
did the same when he asked you for his 100 dollars  
and therefore he came to see and said he will have  
you surrendered into the prison at Albany.  
By your strategy when your sister was gone,  
was strangled to death, I told Mac to go  
Macroe's my ignorant child had to be thought to  
them, so that he is ruined of course, and I have  
~~been to the prison a reformatory~~  
The sister was unhappy because you had  
deprived her of her life — — —  
His calling me a murderer in the City Court,  
Charles I. was your main work, the friends of  
the abolition & liberation of the woman who was  
was kept at her home by your greedy people  
I do not wish to write you what he said to  
Sophie and what I found in City Hall when I  
related to him how I was sold in the City Court  
he confessed so much that was with them  
before the jury, he said to me that they  
were friends of you and of H. K. — — Your  
friend Silberstein had to go to the, the sister,  
Stein A. was also on the jury, when I was  
asked, is that so Mr. Tilton was a grand  
Street three years for Haggly steal — —  
I will bring it yet before the people of the  
United States, because you had had a Reg.

III

You got me twice into Ludlow  
street prison for my sweat-money  
and 3 bandits did swear in Essex St.  
Court that I am insane — — —

As sure as you had deprived my wife  
(nee Beckmann) of her life, and as sure  
as you induced Maggi to steal, and  
I was sold in the City Court with my  
sweat-money, You murdered the first mother  
of my children, the second one you alienated,  
my two youngest children then missed another  
and as Maggi who had to look on what  
man & wife were doing at night in the bed  
I say — and swear to you if you do not  
repay my loss, then when it will be done  
or accomplished, the world will only say  
I am right, then everything will get before  
the public, the kind of cruel people you are  
and that was ruined by you and her mother  
also — — Your sister's last words she  
spoke to me were that she did not get  
her money and that she from the pile you  
gave her — — and on account of your  
linen she was lost, I swear.

N. N. B. M. U. D. & T. C + B + M +.

III

made to my wardrobe — — and to have  
written to Gering that I have prepared myself,  
which you are able to do you do not shrink  
from preparing yourself — and you have  
already indicated so many persons to prepare  
themselves, how often had Gering to prepare  
himself, often he told me if he had not prepared  
himself — then the leather in law would have  
had to pay 2000 dollars — — You were  
falsely at all the companies if you were a justice  
from justice, you was to be imprisoned in  
a fortress. Peter Schmitt had to get the money  
of his father with a false day at your instigation,  
just so as you did it with Maggi. I know  
what Steck — and Steinninger did get on the  
day at the funeral of Jo — Gering can around  
with a dish of hand-dishes. Your musicians do not  
tell all you are I swear it to you that it  
will come before the public yet it has to  
come out — then is one for you, d. for me  
then you will atone for your shameful  
acts

t.t.t.





POOR QUALITY  
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Sec. 151.

Police Court <sup>Fourth</sup> District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal 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 Caroline Bechmann

of No. 1291 First Avenue Street, that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May

1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, one Andreas Heller of 1683 Avenue

A. at the City of New York in the County of New York did wickedly and maliciously  
intending to injure the reputation of the said Caroline Bechmann  
to hold her up to great public scandal, infamy and disgrace and falsely  
maliciously and scandalously orally deliver and circulate and cause to be  
circulated delivered and published to the public the said Caroline Bechmann  
accused of adultery and libelous statement of and concerning her  
against the said Caroline Bechmann well knowing the same to be false libelous and  
defamatory with intent to scandalize and disgrace the said Caroline Bechmann and to  
bring her into contempt, infamy and disgrace.

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, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the Fourth 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 25 day of May, 1888.

M. A. Beck  
POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY  
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POLICE COURT <sup>Fourth</sup> DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Caroline Bechmann

vs.

Andreas Heller.

1683-56

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Warrant-General.

Dated May 1888.

Magistrate.

Trocker

Officer.

The Defendant Andreas Heller  
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer  
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-  
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the  
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

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

Police Justice.

The within named

Age 50 Hermann No 1683. are A.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0265

COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

An indictment having been found on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October

1888, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging Andrew Feller

with the crime of Ribel

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named Andrew Feller  
and bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York, or if he require it, that you take him before any Magistrate  
in that County, or in the County in which you arrest him, that he may give bail to answer the  
indictment.

City of New York, the

8<sup>th</sup> day of March 1889

By order of the Court,

John C. Carroll  
Clerk of Court.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0266

N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE

OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Andrew Oeller*  
*1653. Ave A.*

Bench Warrant for Misdemeanor.

Issued *March 8<sup>th</sup> 1889*

The defendant is to be admitted to bail  
in the sum of *100* dollars *189*

The within named defendant was  
arrested this day and brought to the  
Court of General Sessions by *Det. Long*  
*Don't see the L. R. Kelly*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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[illegible]

6. 1. 1964

Mrs. Theodor Sommer! Hoch wohl g. Brief

Adi 14. Infante Damião!

[illegible]

10 Cent. Meine Briefe sind sehr sehr dankbar.  
 Im Dezember 3. 1881 fast ganz Boehmann, 2. von  
 seiner Ansicht, meine Zusage von vollen fünf Jahren  
 die ich ab und zu nicht ganz abgehe. Diese Correspondenz von  
 Sie für mich ist meine erste Binde an Sie für — — —

Meine Lieben Frau von mir aus + Direr Sabina. Young  
Mary Johng Keller haben die Beckmanns auch  
haben gekauft die Zierthe. Mutter haben sie von mir  
und mir + Direr auch gekauft. — — —  
2. Zierthe haben sie mir in der ersten in  
Liedern <sup>in</sup> gesungen. — — —





POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0270

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Andreas Feller

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

57 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

1683 Ave A.

2 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bricklayer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Andreas Feller  
mark

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0271

Bond received Oct 18/97  
same bondman

BAILED

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

No. 7, by

Residence

No. 8, by

Residence

Police Court No. 1301806  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Samuel Beckman  
1291-1st Ave  
East 10th St  
Brooklyn

1  
2  
3  
4

Offence

Dated May 27 1897

Yekke Magistrate

Officer

Witnesses

No. 1291-1st Ave

William Becker

No. 1291-1st Ave

See off

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

Dated May 27 1897 Police Justice.

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

Dated May 29 1898 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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POLICE COURT 4 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of Caroline Beckman  
For Libel

Andrew Feller

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~wave~~ <sup>demand</sup> a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and demand a trial at the COURT OF ~~SPECIAL~~ <sup>General</sup> SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated May 27 1888

M. A. Hende

Police Justice.

Andrew Feller  
Mark

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 very interesting document, as it shows the  
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Esse magist' herit fell-

Enten die Lufte mit einem oder zwey getrieben

oder kommt selbst geblasen mit einem oder zwey

man ist nicht fertig. - Führen Sie Mörser gegen die  
Mauern von der City, Court, und der Springen. -  
Will sie nicht gehen, so schenke sie ein wenig  
von der Luft mit ein. - Die Mörser mit einem oder zwey  
Mauern nicht fertig. - Es mag die Luft nicht mehr  
Belagern können. - Die Luft nicht mehr mit ein  
noch bringen, so ist es ein wenig fertig.

Bitte hat Sie nicht vergessen, und die Mörser  
gegen die Mauer nicht vergessen. - Die Mörser  
nicht vergessen. - Die Mörser nicht vergessen. -  
Die Mörser nicht vergessen. - Die Mörser nicht  
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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

POLICE COURT, <sup>Fourth</sup> ~~First~~ DISTRICT.

Caroline Beckmann

of No. 1291 First Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the eighteenth day of May 1888.

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, one Andreas Feller of 1683

Avenue A at the City of New York in the County of New York wickedly and maliciously intending to injure this deponent in her good name fame credit and reputation and to hold this deponent up to great public scandal infamy and disgrace and to cause it to be suspected and believed that this plaintiff had been and was guilty of the offences and misconduct hereinafter alleged did falsely maliciously and scandalously open deliver and circulate and cause to be delivered and <sup>aid</sup> publish and circulate to one Hulda Sommer <sup>and to divers other good and worthy citizens, and to the public</sup> a certain false scandalous defamatory and libelous printed statement of and concerning and against the said Caroline Beckmann to the purport and effect following to wit:

" His child was the Thief

" And he says She was taught to steal by her Aunt.

" Maggie Feller is a pretty little girl in whose sunny face no trace of evil seems to lurk. Yet she has been <sup>wicked</sup> very wicked, and not altogether through her own fault; it is said but through the teachings of an aunt who taught her to steal, and thereby caused a separation between husband and wife. In 1883. Maggie, then eight years of age, was left an orphan, and then as now lived with her father Andrew Feller of 1683 Avenue A. She also had an aunt Mrs. Beckmann, the wife of George Beckmann, and she is charged with causing all the trouble. Mrs. Beckmann is now the defendant in a suit for \$5000 damages brought by M. Feller for the following reasons: When Maggie's mother died he alleges she left in a chest a number of dresses some silverware and a considerable sum of money. M. Feller also at times kept money in a drawer in this chest. To this drawer Maggie alone had a key.

" Mrs. Beckmann discovered this and the complainant alleges immediately set about to gain access to the treasure, and with the aid of confidants and penmen she managed it is alleged to get the key from her niece, long enough to have a duplicate made. She then began to steal systematically. First

" I so said she took some of the cheeses then the silverware and finally  
 " some money. This kept on some time during which Mr. Feller married  
 " a second time. His new wife brought him \$750 all of which was  
 " deposited in the same drawer for safe keeping - Mr. Beckman  
 " and Mr. Feller became great friends and the former even learned  
 " the location of the new mine - Then it is alleged she taught Maggie  
 " to steal.  
 " The girl says that her aunt would take her out walking and by giving her 10 cents  
 " and making many promises got her to bring her some money from the drawer -  
 " This she continued to do from time to time until her step mother began to miss  
 " some money. She charged her husband with taking it, and he in turn made  
 " countercharges. No one suspected Maggie and the stealing went on.  
 " Threats and promises kept the child from telling her parents of her thefts.  
 " The relations between husband and wife became more and more strained.  
 " Finally the wife could stand it no longer and so she left her husband  
 " with her money and returned to her family. Some time after Maggie's father caught  
 " her taking money from the drawer. Maggie confessed and told him all.  
 " On her statement Mr. Feller hung her out."

That said Andreas Feller, well knowing the said statement to be  
 false, scandalous, defamatory libelous and untrue did deliver  
 a cause to be delivered a printed copy of said false scandalous  
 libelous and defamatory statement by enclosing a printed copy of  
 the said statement, to be placed in an envelope directed to "1291 First  
 Avenue - the residence of the said Hilda Sommer" (which said printed  
 statement and envelope are hereto annexed), and delivering it  
 causing to be delivered, the said statement and envelope, to the said  
 Hilda Sommer at 1291 First Avenue aforesaid by placing the said statement  
 and envelope to be placed in the letter box of said Hilda Sommer -  
 with intent on or about the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1888, with intention to  
 scandalize and disgrace the said Caroline Beckmann and to  
 bring her into contempt infamy and disgrace.

Sworn to before me this

15<sup>th</sup> day of May - 1888

Harolima Beckmann  
 M. Feller Police Justice

POLICE COURT - DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
 Caroline Beckmann

vs.  
 Andreas Feller -

Deed  
 May - 1888

Magistrate

Officer

Witness

Disposition



I have remembered my  
and my wife's kindness enough  
for her kindness you have mur-  
dered her = and from the money  
earned by my sweat you have  
procured my incarceration, My  
daughter Maggie was ruined  
through you, as long as she  
lives = That my two children  
lost their mother by your murder =  
That you rose in the world  
through the money of my sweat =  
That you from my money ---  
I have narrated to you in my  
last letter all that I have  
offered up and the way I was  
treated therefor = That I  
was branded as a Murderer  
in the City Court and that every-  
thing was sworn away from  
me = And you wish to  
brand me as a perjurer =  
I will have every thing trans-  
lated into English = 3 times =  
One to the Department of State  
in Washington and two  
remain in New York = for  
according to law no justice



can =

If you do not arrange matters  
with me peaceably = then will  
be done = the work; then I  
will save my honor and  
justice; and the people will  
say that I have done right.

Your ~~measure~~ measure will  
soon be full - - -

Either you will bring me  
to Court again =

Or come yourself to me  
with a conscience, if you  
have one -

As I have been called a  
murderer in the City Court  
by Col. Spencer = I will  
become one therefore; it is  
equal to me who it is of you,  
for your former life guard  
reveals everything now -

As true as you have sworn  
everything away of mine =

So true will I <sup>fulfill</sup> everything  
that is written -

Who took care of you  
when you came from F -  
To whom did you apply

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when you founded your bus-  
ness, look at all the good  
and my murdered wife  
done for your children =  
That my two children  
through you.  
Either or - - - -

Sehr geehrte Lesende

Wir möchten Sie aufmerksam machen  
daß Sie besser Ihre Nachrichten mit  
Ihren eigenen Eltern zu teilen  
besser so zu Recht sind. Danken  
Sie uns Ihre Kinder selbst —

Und danken Sie uns Ihre Freunde  
— wenn Sie Sie überzeugen selbst  
und Ihre Eltern Ihre Absichten  
um sich zu teilen selbst und selbst  
Ihre eigenen mehr zu verstehen wissen  
(— — —) und daß Ihre Eltern  
Ihre noch auf die persönlichsten  
wegen geachtet — — — + O wie schön  
ist — das selbst Sie noch die Ihre  
Mutter versteht und abgesehen  
genügt, —



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Glaube ich willigst das alles  
versprechen bleibt — das nicht  
nur alles um die Öffentlichkeit  
kommen wird; die haben sich  
oft selbst gesagt das immer ihre  
Voraussetzungen sein — — —  
Dankes sei — — — +  
Kein gutes Ende wird es sein — —

E. C. S. P. W.

Mr. George Beechman  
we must call to your  
attention that you had better  
settle with your brother in  
law Feller before it is too late.  
Think of your children.  
And think of your sister,  
How you strangled her,  
and why Feller squandered  
on you the money earned by  
his sweat, and you have  
several times wrongfully  
(---) and have <sup>led</sup> ~~left~~ the  
child mang. in a shameful  
manner --- + Oh How  
shameful - and have also  
taken away the step-mother  
and poisoned her mind ---  
Do you believe that every  
thing will remain concealed  
--- that everything will get  
obtain publicity; you  
have often yourself said that  
your brother in law has  
helped you ---  
Think yourself --- +  
It will not be a good end =  
E c 8 7 5 p v

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0283

I dankt Sie nicht das ich  
Kranken durch meine Behandlung  
wird gefallen ist - das ich  
Sie nicht in die gleiche Lage  
setzt. Ich bin nicht mehr  
das Fehlen einer jungen  
Damen meine Mutter hat  
nur nicht mehr

☺  
C  
8  
7  
3  
4  
12  
Y



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0284

Ihr Gewissen konnte Ruhe nicht  
finden in Lycei - - -  
O. ihr Gesetz nicht in den  
Zirkulierten Akten - und  
wird Eins - - -  
+ + +

POOR QUALITY  
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0285

♂      ♀  
Milkstone Kalk  
Wo Kinnor ffar ist - ist Kinnor  
Kinnor Oltre fin wird  
nauf Kinnor  
E  
H 4 □ △  
h

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0286

8 White Craps      Mentoring  
bedankt sich sehr lange  
es konnte zu spät kommen  
Ist nun in Gesundheit  
gefallen. Einem von - -  
x x x



I

Do you not think that your  
sister through your treat-  
ment feel white - That  
you have made her child  
unhappy -- Johnny is also  
not worth much - That  
the two children of Fellen  
Keep his mother.

Revenge cries  
and you knew that her  
sister could not find  
peace in the grave --  
Oh, you do not belong  
among civilized people,  
and again cries - X --

+ + +

II

♂ White Caps ♂  
where there is no honor there  
is no dishonor, but it will  
come yet x --

4+

4 □ Δ

5

III

White Caps Mercury  
Donat think long, it may

(Signs of the zodiac)

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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III

1 Jupiter

White caps

2

Donet

D<sub>2</sub>

T-

W.C-

R

F-

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Ma-

Fellen-

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Ling auf

Stranguliert

Monster

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get too late - - -  
That your shameful acts  
will be atoned - - -

x x x

III

4 Jupiter

White Caps

Think Dr T - W. E. -  
h F - E - Sch - D.

Ma - - Fellen - is - is - is  
through me strangled.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0290

County of General Sessions  
of the Peace

The People

vs

— Sept —

Andrew Feller.

Affidavit &c

Jacob Berlingin,

Attorney &c

23 Chambers St.

N.Y.

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

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The People etc., :

-vs- :

A N D R E W F E L L E R. :

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City and County of New York SS:

Karoline Bachman, being  
duly sworn says that she resides at No. 888 East 166th street  
in said City.

That on or about the 25th day of May, 1888, deponent as  
complainant appeared before Mr. Justice Chas. Welda, a Police  
Justice of the City of New York and made complaint against  
the above named defendant upon a charge of libel, and that  
upon said complaint, said Justice issued a warrant to arrest.

That thereafter such proceedings were had that the said  
defendant was regularly indicted by the Grand Jury of the  
City and County of New York for the said crime of libel, which  
said indictment was found on the 5th day of October, 1888, and  
thereafter on the 9th day of December, 1889, the defendant  
appeared in Part 11 of this Court and pleaded guilty to the  
charge and crime as laid in said indictment and Hon. Frederick  
Smyth, the Recorder, before whom said plea was entered, upon  
a further hearing on behalf of said defendant, sentence was  
suspended by said Recorder.

That since the said 9th day of December, 1889, said de-  
fendant has annoyed and harassed deponent, in that said de-  
fendant has a large number of occasions mailed to deponent

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some twelve letters, written in the German language, all of which are in said defendant's hand writing, to the best knowledge and belief of deponent, and in which said letters, are, as she is informed and believes, scandalous and libelous.

That the two last letters addressed to deponent have been translated into English, and said translation is hereto attached and made part of this affidavit. That the hand writing of all of said letters are alike and identical with the ones received by deponent previous to his arrest and suspension of sentence above referred to.

That at the time of the suspended sentence, the said Recorder warned said defendant that in the event said defendant further annoyed either this deponent or her husband, such sentence would be reconsidered.

That deponent asks the further permission of this Court to state verbally and in open Court of all and singular her cause of complaint and grievance against said defendant by reason of his conduct since the said suspension of sentence, and all of which *and tend* to harass, annoy and disturb the peace and quietude both of deponent as also that of her husband.

That the said letters do greatly annoy deponent as also her husband, and deponent now asks that the said defendant be brought into Court and be dealt with according to law in such case made and provided. *Corleia Bachmann.*

Sworn to before me this :

*5<sup>th</sup>* day of March, 1892.

*Phil. Maedheuer.*

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
Kings Co. Clerk, filed in N. Y. Co.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0293

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

POLICE COURT, First DISTRICT.  
South

Caroline Bechmann

of No. 1291 First Avenue

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the <sup>month</sup> eighteenth day of May 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, before the said Caroline

Bechmann states that on or about the said eighteenth day of May 1888, one Henry Vogel, a tenant of hers at 1291 First Avenue, which is the joint property of the said Caroline Bechmann and George Bechmann her husband, ~~stated~~ stated later that he had received a copy of the printed notice and statement annexed to the previous affidavit of the said Caroline Bechmann, in this matter and cause, which he said Henry Vogel stated he had ~~received~~ found on his premises, he then keeping a grocery store, that <sup>copies of said</sup> similar statements were found in the letter boxes of six others of her tenants and on information and belief a copy of said statement was also delivered to one Chas. H. Kaemmerer, a Saloon keeper at 1291 First Avenue, who is also a tenant of said Caroline and George Bechmann.

Sworn to before me this  
25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1888

Caroline Bechmann

M. A. Wilde  
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

Andrew Feller

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

Indictment accuse

Andrew Feller

of the crime of

libel

committed as follows:

The said

Andrew Feller

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

eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and eighty-eight, at the City and County aforesaid,

unlawfully and maliciously minding,  
contrivings and intending as much as in him  
lay, to injure, vilify, scandalize and  
aggrieve the good name, fame, credit  
and reputation of one, Caroline Bechmann,  
and to cause it to be believed that the said  
Caroline Bechmann had, herself, at  
divers times theretofore, feloniously taken,  
stolen and carried away, divers goods,  
chattels and personal property of the  
said Andrew Feller of great value, and  
also that the said Caroline Bechmann

had feloniously counselled, commanded, inducer and procured her niece, one Maggie Feller, a child of tender years and the daughter of the said Andrew Feller; divers other goods, chattels and personal property of the said Andrew Feller of great value at divers times therefore, feloniously to take, steal and carry away, and had feloniously aided and abetted the said Maggie Feller in so feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away the said goods, chattels and personal property, did unlawfully and maliciously print and publish and cause and procure to be printed and published a certain false, malicious scandalous, <sup>and defamatory libel of and concerning the said Caroline Beckmann, containing therein the false, malicious, scandalous, defamatory, and libellous words and mat-</sup>ters following, of and concerning the said Caroline Beckmann, that is to say:

"His child, (meaning the said Maggie Feller) was the thief.

And he (meaning the said Andrew Feller) says she (meaning the said Maggie Feller) was taught to steal by her aunt (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann)

Maggie Feller, (meaning the said Maggie Feller) is a pretty little girl in whose sunny face no trace of evil seems to lurk. Yet she (meaning the said Maggie Feller) has been wicked, very wicked



and not altogether through her own fault, it is said, but through the teachings of an aunt (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) who taught her to steal, and thereby caused a separation between husband and wife. In 1883, Maggie (meaning the said Maggie Teller) then eight years of age was left half an orphan and then as now lived with her father <sup>(meaning the said Andrew Teller)</sup> Andrew Teller at No. 1683 Avenue U. <sup>(meaning the said Maggie Teller)</sup> She also had an aunt Mrs Beckman, the wife of George Beckman, (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) and she (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) is charged with causing all the trouble. Mrs. Beckman (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) is now the defendant in a suit for \$5000 damages brought by Mr. Teller for the following reasons: When Maggie's mother died he (meaning the said Andrew Teller) alleges she left in a closet a number of dresses, some silverware and a considerable sum of money. Mr. Teller (meaning the said Andrew Teller) also at times kept money in a drawer in this closet. To this drawer, Maggie, (meaning the said Maggie Teller) alone had a key.

Mrs Beckman (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) discovered this and the complainant alleges immediately set about to gain access to the treasure and with the aid of candies and pennies she (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) managed, it is alleged, to get the key from her niece, long enough to have a duplicate made. She (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) then began to steal systematically. First it is said <sup>(meaning the said Caroline Beckmann)</sup> she took some of the dresses, then the silverware and finally some money. This kept on some time during which Mr. Feller (meaning the said Andrew Feller) married a second time. His (meaning the said Andrew Feller) new wife brought him \$750. all of which was deposited in the same drawer for safe keeping. Mrs Beckman (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) and Mr. Feller became great friends and the former (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) soon learned the location of the new mine. Then, it is alleged she (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) taught Maggie (meaning the said Maggie Feller) to steal. The girl (meaning the said Maggie



Feller) says that her aunt (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) would take her (meaning the said Maggie Feller) out walking and by giving her 10 cents and making many promises got her (meaning the said Maggie Feller) to bring her, (meaning the said Caroline Beckmann) some money from the drawer.

This she (meaning the said Maggie Feller) continued to do from time to time until her step-mother began to miss money. She charged her husband (meaning the said Andrew Feller) with taking it, and he (meaning the said Andrew Feller) in turn made counter charges. No one suspected Maggie (meaning the said Maggie Feller) and the stealing went on. Threats and promises kept the child (meaning the said Maggie Feller) from telling her parents of her thefts. The relations between husband and wife became more and more strained. Finally the wife could stand it no longer, and so she left her husband, took her money, and returned to her family. Sometime after, Maggie's father (meaning the said Andrew Feller) caught her (meaning the said Maggie Feller) taking money from the drawer. Maggie (meaning the said



Maggie Feller) confessed, and told him  
(meaning the said Andrew Feller) all.  
On her (meaning the said Maggie Feller)  
statement Mrs Feller brings her suit.

which said false, malicious, scandalous  
and defamatory libel, he the said Andrew  
Feller then and there, unlawfully and  
maliciously displayed and delivered to  
and caused and procured to be displayed  
and delivered, and to be sent to, and re-  
ceived by, and to be seen and understood  
by Hilda Cummer, Henry Vogel, Christ-  
ian Staemmerer and divers other persons  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown;  
against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and  
against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York and their dignity.

John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3076

**DESCRIPTION:**

Fenton, Edward

**DATE:**

10/30/88



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

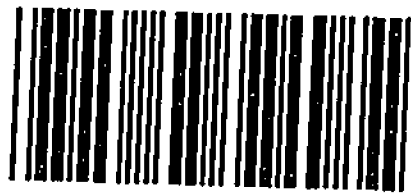
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Crowley, Dennis

**DATE:**

10/30/88



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Broderick, Edward

**DATE:**

10/30/88



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**BOX:**

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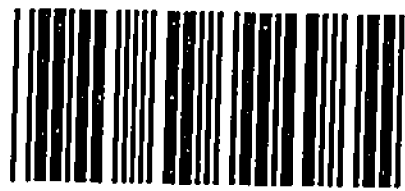
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wolf, Charles

**DATE:**

10/30/88



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0304

Witnesses:

*Jacob Cohen*

In this case I am of  
opinion that a plea of  
recurring stolen goods  
will satisfy the ends of  
justice and I therefore  
recommend an acceptance  
of the same *judged off*  
*Nov 13-88* and *sent to*

Counsel,

Filed

30

day of

Oct

188

P

Pleads,

*Not guilty - (31)*

THE PEOPLE

*Edw. S. Sinton*  
*Dennis Crowley*  
*Edward Broderick*  
*Charles Wolf*

*Edw. S. Sinton*  
*Dennis Crowley*  
*Edward Broderick*  
*Charles Wolf*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*Nov 13-88*

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*William Foreman*

*No 1 Elmore Ref*

*No 2, 3 & 4 each*

*S. P. 3 1/2 yrs*

*Burglary in the Third degree.*  
*Second degree, second*  
*Agree and receiving*  
*Section 498, 506, 525, 534, 538*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0305

Police Court—1st District.

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

of No. 182 Park Row Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation clothing being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No. 182 Park Row Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a five story brick  
building, the ground floor of  
and which was occupied by deponent as a clothing store  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

Deponent  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly removing  
the sash from a plate  
glass window leading into  
said premises, removing the  
glass in said window.

on the 22 day of October 1888 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Four overcoats valued  
at Eighty 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  
Edward Teuton, Remio Crowley,  
Edward Brodwin, Charles Gray,  
for the reasons following, to wit: at about the hour

of eleven o'clock on the eve  
of said date deponent securely  
locked and fastened the  
doors and windows of said  
premises the said coats  
being in the window at the  
time. Deponent having found  
the said window open and

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ORIGINAL

0306

the said property missing  
says that each one of the  
defendants gave to deponent a  
pam-ticket representing a  
coat. Deponent went to the  
pam-offices, mentioned on said  
pam-tickets and there saw  
the said coats, which coats  
deponent fully identifies  
as being the property which  
was burglariously taken, stolen  
and carried away.

Sworn to before me }  
this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October }  
1884 }

David C. Smith, 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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0307

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

*Edward Broderick*

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.

*115 Avenue M. Jersey City, all my life*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Dealer.*

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

Answer.

*I refuse to say anything at present, and want further examination*  
*Edward Broderick*

*mark*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*John J. McLaughlin*  
Police Justice.



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ORIGINAL

0308

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Edward Fenton*

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

*Edward Fenton*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New Jersey.*

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

Answer.

*No home.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Oyster opener.*

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

Answer.

*I refuse to say anything at present and want further examination*

*Edward Fenton*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*San J. C. Smith*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0309

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Ramsey Crowley* 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.

*Ramsey Crowley.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*4 Rivington St. 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Waiter*

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 waive all examination  
here and refuse to say anything*  
*Ramsey Crowley*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0310

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

*Charles Wolf.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany.*

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

Answer.

*21 Rivington St. 1 month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Green's 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 refuse to say any-  
thing or answer any  
more further examination.*  
*Charles Wolf.*

Taken before me this

day of

*October 1888*

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court... District...

508. 1677

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Robert Gordon*  
*282nd East River*  
*Eastward South*  
*William Smith*  
*Edmund Brown*  
*Charles White*  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *Oct 23* 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

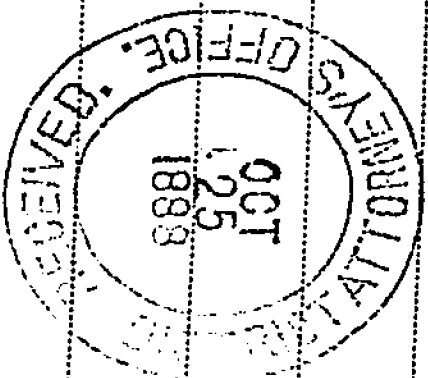
Witnesses *Call the officer*

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

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

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

\$ *15.000* to answer



(COMMITTED)

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

*Defendants*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Fifteen* 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 *Oct 23* 188 *Sam'l C. Smith* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against  
Edward Teuton, Dennis Crowley  
Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
Edward Teuton, Dennis Crowley, Edward  
Broderick and Charles Wolf  
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Edward Teuton, Dennis Crowley,  
Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf, all

late of the ninth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the twenty-second day of October in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the store of one

Jacob Cohen

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

Jacob Cohen

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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further accuse the said  
*Edward Shenton, Dennis Browley,*  
*Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf*  
of the CRIME OF *Gross* LARCENY in the second degree committed as follows:

The said *Edward Shenton, Dennis Browley,*  
*Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf*, all  
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 the said day, with force and arms,

*four overcoats of the value of twenty*  
*dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the *store* of the said

*Jacob Cohen*  
*Jacob Cohen*  
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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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THIRD COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further accuse the said *Edward Fenton, Dennis Crowley, Edward Broderick, and Charles Wolf* - of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Fenton, Dennis Crowley, Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf*, all 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,

*four overcoats of the value of twenty dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

*Edward Fenton, Dennis Crowley, Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf* - unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said *Edward Fenton, Dennis Crowley, Edward Broderick and Charles Wolf* - 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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Ferri, Etto

**DATE:**

10/19/88



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ORIGINAL

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Witnesses;

*Antonio Accardi*

Those examined  
constituted the  
case. Do you find  
any criminal intent  
on part of Sept. It was  
a different mode of commit-  
ting theft. Do not think  
a conviction can be  
obtained & as therefore  
recommended that the  
Sept. be discharged on his  
own recognizance.

*William F. Smith*  
I approve of the above.  
Oct 26/88 W. M. Davis  
Aver

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Counsel,

Filed

19

day of

Oct

1888

Pleads,

*Arguably*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Edto Ferrin*  
(2 cases)

Grand Larceny in the Second degree.  
(MONEY.)  
(Sec. 528 and 53 / Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*William F. Smith*  
Foreman.

Part III October 26/88

Defendant discharged on his  
own recognizance.



324.

Witnesses;

Pietro Designo

Counsel;

Filed

23 day of

188

Pleads, Chiquito

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Eto Ferri

(2 cases)

Grand Larceny in the second degree.  
(MONEY.)  
(Sec. 528 and 537, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Sent this case to Mr. Foster  
with directions to carefully examine  
the complainant's report as to  
whether there is a case. ~~He~~

A True Bill.

Det 26/88.

U. M. Davis

W. M. Davis Foreman.

Post III October 26/88.  
Defendant discharged on his  
own recognizance.

I have examined the  
witnesses in this case.

Do not find any criminal  
intent on part of Eto Ferri.  
The money was given to Eto Ferri  
to keep. So a deposit. No theft  
imputed money that it  
is a proper case for a civil  
court. Also was that a  
conviction can be obtained  
as the money was given to  
Eto Ferri to keep. He was charged on  
his own recognizance.  
W. M. Davis  
Det 26/88  
U. M. Davis - Act

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ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Exho Ferrin*

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

*- Exho Ferrin -*

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Exho Ferrin*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *nineteenth*  
day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*,  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *— day —* time of  
the same day, *five* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then  
and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of  
the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each* ;  
*ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of  
ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each* ; *twenty* promissory notes for the  
payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States  
Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each* ;  
*twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and  
of the value of two dollars *each*, and *others* promissory notes for the payment  
of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury  
notes), of the denomination of *one dollar*, and of the value of *one dollar* *three hundred dollars* ;  
*five* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),  
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each* ; *ten*  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and  
there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each* ; *five* promissory notes for the  
payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied,  
of the value of *five dollars* *three hundred dollars* ; *United States Silver Certificates* of the

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denomination and value of twenty dollars *each* ; *ten* United States Silver  
Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars *each* ; *twenty* United  
States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars *each* ; *thirty*  
United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of two dollars *each* ; and  
*divers other* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar  
*to the Grand Jury unknown, of the value of three hundred*  
*dollars* ; *five* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of  
twenty dollars *each* ; *ten* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination  
and value of ten dollars *each* ; and *divers other* United States Gold Certificate of the  
*a number and denomination to the Grand Jury unknown*  
~~denomination and value of five dollars, three hundred dollars~~ and divers coins, of a number, kind and  
denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *three hundred*  
*dollars,*

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of one *Pietro*

*Striagno,*

found,

then and there being

then and there

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.



Cause of General Sessions

The People }  
v }  
Elio Ferri }

City & County of New York vs

Antonio Taccanelli

being duly sworn says that  
the Camp Laid out herein,  
I have known the defendant  
for about seven years; he  
was a school teacher in  
this City and for some  
few years conducted a  
private school. Several  
of his Countrymen were accustomed  
to deposit money with him  
from time to time, among them  
myself. Sometime in October  
1885 I was negotiating with  
one Giacomo Dula of this  
City for the purchase of  
certain real estate in Italy.  
I gave to the defendant the  
sum of one hundred  
and fifty dollars to complete  
the purchase of this property.  
This transaction full charge

and I requested the  
defendant to place the \$150.00  
as deposit, as I contemplated  
going to Italy a few weeks  
later, and when I ~~was~~ requested  
him to place this deposit until  
such time as I decided to  
go to Italy, when he should  
purchase a passport ticket  
for the steamship and with  
the balance to buy Italian  
Currency. The defendant  
promised to do this and  
held the said sum of money  
as deposit. As I am informed  
and truly believe the  
defendant in the meantime  
had lost a considerable  
sum of money which he  
had loaned and  
advanced to one Dr.

Gaillard of this City, and  
which money said Dr. Gaillard  
refused to repay to the  
defendant. For this reason  
said defendant was  
unable to refund the  
amount which I deposited.

with him as aforesaid  
and to carry out his  
agreement with reference  
to the purpose of said  
trust and Italia Amey  
and said defendant  
left this City on or about  
December 7<sup>th</sup> 1885 and  
did not return until  
about a month ago.

Since the Complaint  
was made herein the defendant  
has made full restitution  
of the amount of his indebted-  
ness to me, and I have  
no further claim against  
him. I am willing to  
withdraw the Complaint  
herein



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Grand Jury Room.

No 324 B.O.

PEOPLE

vs.

Etto Ferri

Petro Ferrigno.

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Grand Jury Room.

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PEOPLE

vs.

Etto Ferri

A Vaccavelli

~~Etto~~

Petro Ferrigno.



Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

~~Antonio Ferri~~

Etto Ferri  
ad witnesses  
name & address  
to the papers.

Petro F. Henriquez  
142 Ferry St  
Long Beach City

THE GRAND JURY.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

ETTS FERRIO.

GRAND LARCENY.

*on the com-  
plaint of Pietro Ferrigno of  
142 Henry St,  
Long Island City*

New York, October 19th, 1888.

PIETRO FERRIGNO sworn:

Examined by foreman Lincoln.

(The witness was examined through the inter-  
preter.)

Q. Tell him to state what he knows about this  
case?

A. About three years ago I ~~remexhome~~ gave him  
\$300. I intended to go to Italy; I knew that man and  
I talked to him; I asked him if he could change this  
American money to Italian and buy a ticket for me. He  
said yes; I paid him the money and next day he disap-  
peared.



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THE GRAND JURY.

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

ETTS FERRIO.  
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GRAND LARCENY.

New York, October 19th, 1888.

PIETRO FERRIGNO sworn:

Examined by foreman Lincoln.

(The witness was examined through the interpreter.)

Q. Tell him to state what he knows about this case?

A. About three years ago I ~~examined~~ gave him \$300. I intended to go to Italy; I knew that man and I talked to him; I asked him if he could change this American money to Italian and buy a ticket for me. He said yes; I paid him the money and next day he disappeared.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Citizens' League*

vs.

*John F. Smith*

Dated *October 19, 1884*

Witnesses, *Citizens' League*

No. *1112* Street,

*Long Island City*

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

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

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Caust of General Services  
The People  
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City & County of New York  
ss. I, John J. Jones, of said  
City being duly sworn depose  
and say. I am the Comptroller  
herein and have known  
the defendant for about  
five years past. He was  
at the head of a private  
school in this City and  
had a deposit various  
sums of money entrusted  
to him by his Countrymen  
from time to time. I  
myself have deposited with  
him the sum of Three Thousand  
Dollars, the first deposit  
amounting to \$1000.00 was made  
in the year 1883 and the  
other deposits since that time  
the last deposit \$500.00 having  
been made about three  
weeks before the defendant  
left the State, about Dec, 1885



The defendant had promised to pay me five per cent per annum interest on my deposits with him. The defendant left the City of New York as above stated on or about Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> 1885, having left a considerable sum of money which he had loaned to another party and for that reason being unable to refund to me and to return the amounts deposited with him.

Since the making of the Complaint herein the defendant has paid me the amount of his indebtedness here and I am willing to withdraw said Complaint.

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Part III  
Friday

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Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Antonio Vaccarelli

of No. 168 Elizabeth Street, aged 30 years,

occupation Labourer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 1st day of November 1885 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:

Good and lawful money of the United

States of divers consisting of

divers bills of divers denominations

of the amount and value of one

hundred & 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 Ello Ferri

Deponent says that on or about said date, he informed said defendant that he was about to return to Italy and had the aforesaid sum of money

Deponent says that said defendant requested him to give him the aforesaid sum of money and he would have the same exchanged to Italian currency. That said deponent gave said defendant said property and said defendant informed deponent that he would return forthwith with the same. Deponent says that said defendant did not <sup>return</sup> said property

Subscribed to before me, this

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day

Police Justice.



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since Wherefore defendant charges  
said defendant with felonious  
tattling stealing and carrying  
away the same as aforesaid

Sworn to before me  
this 15 day of Oct 1888  
J. J. V. 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  
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 1888  
Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

1  
2  
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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

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to answer

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Etto Ferri* 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.

*Etto Ferri*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Italy*

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

Answer.

*239 E. 108<sup>th</sup> Street 1 month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Etto Ferri*

Taken before me this *15*

day of *October*

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*James J. Sullivan*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court / District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:*

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 *Armando Vaccarelli*

of No. *168 Elizabeth* Street, that on the *18* day of *November*

188*9* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

*Good and lawful man of the United States*

of the value of *one hundred & fifty* Dollars,

the property of *Complainant*

w*as* taken, *Stolen* and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by *Elto Ferri*

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, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the bod*y* of the said Defendant and forthwith bring *him* before me, at the *1* 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 *15* day of *Oct* 188*8*

*Armando Vaccarelli*  
POLICE JUSTICE.



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Police Court 1- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Antonio Naccarelli  
vs.

Etto Ferri

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated Oct. 15. 188 8

O'Reilly Magistrate

English Officer.

The Defendant Etto Ferri  
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer  
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-  
tained in this Warrant.

Patrick English  
Antonio Naccarelli Officer.

Dated Oct. 15. 188 8

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

San Francisco Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant,  
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York,  
is committed for examination to the

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w  
Italy  
laborer

in  
yes

239 E 108 St.

Police Justice.

The within named

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

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Police Court---  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Antonio Vaccarella*  
*168 E. 10th St.*  
*St. Paul*

Offence *Larceny*  
*Felony*

Dated *Oct 15* 188*8*

*D. O. Reilly* Magistrate.

*Paul* Officer.

*Paul* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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*DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE*

*Carroll*

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 *fifteen* 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 *Oct 15* 188*8* *D. O. Reilly* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Etto Ferri*

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

*Etto Ferri*

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*Etto Ferri*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *first*  
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *day* time of  
the same day, *seven* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then  
and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of  
the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*;  
*fifteen* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of  
ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *thirty* promissory notes for the  
payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States  
Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*;  
*seventy five* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and  
of the value of two dollars *each*; *one hundred and fifty* promissory notes for the payment  
of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury  
notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*;  
*seven* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),  
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *fifteen*  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and  
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*each*; *seven* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of  
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