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**POOR QUALITY
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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wallace, Harry

DATE:

05/04/93



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Witnesses:

James Reynolds
Thomas Garrison
Martin Graham

The defendant in this case being a very young man of previous good character & the complainant not being injured I feel that the interests of justice will be served by accepting a plea of assault in the second degree which defendant offers.

Respectfully
Thomas Bondy
Dist. Atty.
Per I May 9 1893

Counsel,
Filed
Pleas,
1893
May 3
H. H. Chandler & Co.
District Attorneys

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
Harry Louie
DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.
(Reverse.)
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

A TRUE BILL,
Foreman,
May 9 1893
S. P. 4 years.

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Police Court 2 District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

James Reynolds
of No. 167 7th Avenue Street, aged 40 years,
occupation Manager being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 24 day of April 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Henry Wallace

(now dead) who fired three shots at deponent from a loaded revolving pistol, a deponent believes with the purpose and to shoot deponent. One ball from the said pistol went through the pocket of deponent's overcoat, said shooting being

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of April 1887 } James Reynolds

John H. ... Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Harry Wallace 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. Harry Wallace

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. N. S.

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

Answer. No home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. bar tender

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. The complainant struck me on the back of the head three times and followed me as I was going away.

Harry Wallace

Taken before me this 24 day of April 1893
John W. Anderson
Police Justice.

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BAILIED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court...

District...

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Keyser
Henry Wallace

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Offense *Armed Felony*

Dated *April 24* 189

Quasha Magistrate

Witnesses *Thomas Garrison* Precinct

No. *999 E. 24* Street

Martin Abraham

No. *Car of Onells restaurant*
224 1st Cor 6th Ave

No. *1000* Street

to answer *G.S.*

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

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

Dated, *April 24* 189. *John H. Wood* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Rogers' Restaurant

AND CAFE,

NO. 6 PARK PLACE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
FINE WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS.

LADIES' DINING ROOM
UP-STAIRS.

New York, March 30th 1893

This is to certify
that Harry Wallace was
employed at United States Hotel
New Rochaway L. I. for the past
summer as Hall boy I have always
found him honest & faithful and
attentive to his duties & cheerfully
Recommend him to any one wishing
his services

Respectfully
John J. Rogers

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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
Harry Wallace

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse
Harry Wallace
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Harry Wallace*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *21st* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *James Reynolds* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *James Reynolds* a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *Harry Wallace* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge with intent *to kill* the said *James Reynolds* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *Harry Wallace*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *James Reynolds* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against *him* the said

James Reynolds
a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said

Harry Wallace
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Warren, Robert

DATE:

05/18/93



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Counsel,
Filed, day of May 1893
Pleeds, *Myself*

THE PEOPLE
in
vs.
Robert Warren
BIGAMY
Section 298, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
Chas. J. Johnson
Foreman
Part 3 - June 9 1893
Pleeds written
U.S. 2 928 & 6 mo.
P.B. 1893

Witnesses:
Anna Fox at floor
Lancey Lorne and Robert Warren
Elizabeth Warren

Robert Warren
at floor

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Police Court Second District
City ^{and} County of
New York Co.

Elizabeth Warren of No 46 Perry Street
aged 37 years occupation Canvaser
being duly sworn, says that on the
11th day of June 1888 at the City
of New York in the County of New
York

Robert Warren

~~intentionally~~ knowingly
and feloniously intemary and took
deparent to Wife, he the said dependant
well knowing at the time that Lucy
Louise Kudd Warren his lawful wife
was then living and in full life.
That on the aforesaid date,
she and said dependant were married
by the Rev D Brainerd Ray Rector
of Grace Church Harlem a Minister
of the Gospel authorized and empowered
under the laws of the State of New
York to perform the marriage ceremony,
the dependant further says, that said
dependant and herself have lived

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and cohabited together, as man and
wife at the City and County of New
York for the space of 2 1/2 years ^{and}
that she is the Mother of a
child ^{aged} 2 years ^{and} nine months old
which he is the Father

Elizabeth Garrou
Brought before me
this 3 day of May 1893
[Signature] Police Justice

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Police Court Second District -
City and County of
New York } ss
Lucy Louise ~~Mudd~~ Warren of No 432
East 12th Street aged 34 years occupation
artificial flower maker being duly sworn,
says that on the 22nd day of September
1875 at Middles^{County} London England
Robert Warren
internarrated with deponent and
took her to Wife and that the
ceremony of said marriage was
duly solemnized according to the
rites and ceremonies of the Protestant
Church by a Minister of the Gospel,
duly authorized and empowered
under the laws of dominion of
Great Britain to perform the marriage
ceremony, and that said defendant
and deponent, from and after the
time of said marriage lived and
cohabited, as man and wife for the
space of five years, and deponent says
that no decree of divorce, has been
made by any competent or lawful

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Count between deponent and said
defendant, and that deponent is the
lawful wife of defendant

Sworn to before me
this 3 day of May 1893
Lucy Louisa
Maud Wares
[Signature] Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss: '1

Robert Warren 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. *Robert Warren*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *51 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *21 Remondt Street.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoemaker*

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
Robert Warren*

Taken before me this

day of

March 1893

Wm. J. Brady
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*
OF NEW YORK, } *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 Elizabeth Tarron of No. 46 Perry Street, that on the 11 day of June 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Robert Warren knowingly and feloniously
internary and false Complaint to wife
be the said defendant well knowing at the
time that Lucy Louise Dudd Warren his lawful
wife was then living and in full life

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 2d 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

3^d day of June 1888
[Signature]

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court 2 District

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Elizabeth Garrow
vs.

Robert Warren
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Warrant-General.

Dated May 3 1883

Hogan Magistrate

Wood Officer.

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

Alburtis Wood Officer.

Dated May 8 1883

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

210 B.M., 51. W. Eng. Sherman N. No. 458, & 169. Street

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BAILIED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court--- 24

District.

THE PEOPLE, Ac.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

August H. Warner
46 Park
Robert W. Vanper

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Offense Burgamy

Dated,

May 3

1893

E. H. Brown

Magistrate.

Officer.

Const. Precinct.

Witness Augustine N. Wald

No. 405 Street 1031

Residence 1031

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ 1000 to answer

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May 10, 1893
11 A.M.

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

Dated, May 3 1893 Wm. H. Brady Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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 The People of the State of New York, :
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 against : Before
 : Hon. Randolph W. Martin
 : and a jury.
 Robert Warren. :
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Indictment filed May 18, 1893.

Indicted for bigamy.

New York, June 8, 1893.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People, Asst. Dist. Atty. R. S. Weeks;

For the Defendant, Frederick E. House, Esq.

LOUISE WARREN, a witness, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I know the defendant Robert Warren. I was married to him in London, England, at St. Mark's Church, Middlesex County, London. I forget the name of the clergyman by whom we were married. I have the certificate here in court. It was on the second day of September 1875. The religious ceremony of the Protestant Episcopal Church was performed. No decree of divorce has ever been granted separating me from this defendant.

Cross-examination:

My name is Louise Warren. I reside at 1031 Carleton Street, Philadelphia. I have been living in Philadelphia thirteen months. I swear positively I was married to the defendant on the 2d. day of September 1875

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in the City of London. I resided with him in the City of London for about three or four years. The defendant has been living in this country for 15 or 16 years I should think. I did not come to this country with him. He came alone. I remained in the City of London. I came to this country about two and a half years ago. I came to this city and resided at 402 East 12th. Street. I lived with the defendant in this city nearly three years up to 1884 I think it was. In 1884 I returned to London. I did not see the defendant from that time until the time of his arrest this year. I communicated with the defendant from time to time up to 1888 I think. I spent most of the time in London at my mother's house. I discovered that the defendant was married to another lady about two years ago. I was living with my mother at London, England, when I received the information. Upon receiving it I came to this country. I returned to England after having been living with the defendant here in the year 1883 or the early part of 1884. I lived at the same address as I had previously lived at in London.

ELIZABETH YARROW, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at 46 Farrow Street. I know the defendant Robert Warren. I first met him in October 1887. He paid attention to me and that attention culminated in a marriage ceremony on June 11, 1888, at my sister's residence by the Rev. Mr. Ray of the Episcopal Church in Harlem. He is a minister of the Gospel and he per-

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formed the religious ceremony. After that ceremony the defendant and myself lived together at 87 Sixth Avenue for about two years and four months. Two children were the result of that marriage. The defendant told me that he had been a widower for a number of years, that his wife had left him and that she afterwards died. He told me nothing whatever about his second wife. I am his third wife. His son was a witness at my wedding.

Cross-examination:

I do not remember ever saying to the defendant that I had no objection to marrying a man who had been married once, but that I would not be a third wife.

DEFENSE.

ROBERT WARREN, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I was born in London, England. I am 51 years of age. I came first to this country in 1870 in the month of November. I married the first lady who was on the stand on the 2d. of September 1875. It was somewhere in Islington. I forget the name of the church. It is a very old church. I came to the country in 1879. I sent for my wife in the spring of 1881. She came here in the spring of 1881 and she stayed until June 1883. She then returned home to her mother. I next saw her in the Jefferson Market Police Court about four weeks ago. I endeavored to communicate with my wife after she went back to London in 1885 but my letters were returned to me. One letter which I sent her at the old address was return-

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ed marked "died". I kept that letter for some time and I showed it to my son who is in court. I assumed from that marking on the letter that my wife was dead. I afterwards sent another letter to her at the same address, but received no reply to it. I supposed my wife was dead or I never would have entered into this other marriage. I married this other woman on June 11, 1887. I positively believed at that time that the first lady who was on the stand was dead. If I had thought she was alive I would not have any woman in the world before her. I honestly believed that she was dead at the time I married Miss Yarrow.

Cross-examination:

I am very fond of Louise and always was. I did not make any particular effort to find her beyond sending a letter to her address in London. After I had sent the second letter I took it for granted that she was dead and I sent no more. I did not write to her mother. I knew she had a brother living in London but I did not communicate with him. Her brother was a
in London but I did not know his address.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to the crime of bigamy.

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Letter enclosed for Col. May 18/1893

Com. of General Sessions
P. O. 111.

The Prop. Co. Co.

to.

Robert Warren

Abstract of testimony
in trial, New York,

June 8th, 1893

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Robert Warren

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

Robert Warren —

of the CRIME OF BIGAMY, committed as follows:

The said *Robert Warren*, —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second*
day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
nineteen, at the *London, England, in the*
United Kingdom of Great Britain
and Ireland, —

did marry one *Lucy Ann Warren* and *then* the said
Lucy Ann Warren did then and there have for
his wife; and the said *Robert Warren* —

afterwards, to wit: on the *eleventh* day of *June*, — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety-eight*, at the City and County
of New York aforesaid, did feloniously marry and take as *his wife*, one
Elizabeth Warren, — and to the said
Elizabeth Warren, was then and there married, the said
Lucy Ann Warren, being then living and in full life,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Weisberg, Charles

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Leff, Abraham

DATE:

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Witnesses:

App. G. ...

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleas,

July 12

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Weisberg

and

Abraham Loff

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Attorney at Law
Burglary in the
[Section 496, Penal Code.]

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. ...

Foreman.

Part 3. May 23 1893

Both tried and acquitted

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Police Court 3rd District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Yatta Rosenthal

of No. 192 Broome Street, aged 26 years, occupation Keep house being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 192 Broome Street, 13th Ward in the City and County aforesaid the said being a dwelling; the store floor

of which was occupied by deponent as a grocery and dwelling and in which there was at the time a human being by name Harris Rosenthal, and deponent and three children, ^{attempted to be} ~~were~~ BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly attempting to pry open the shutters in the rear of the house in front of deponent's apartment

on the 6th day of May 1893 in the night time, ~~and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz:~~ with intent to commit some crime therein to wit: to steal

the property of deponent and her husband and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid BURGLARY was committed ^{attempted with the intent aforesaid} and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by Charles Weisberg and Abraham Leff (Brooklyn) who were in company with each other and acting in concert for the reasons following, to wit: that the doors, windows and shutters in front thereof, were securely locked and fastened and large quantity of personal property was in the apartments. Deponent has since found that said shutters have been tampered with and an attempt has been made to break open said shutters. Deponent is informed by

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Officer Henry Germaun (now here) that at about the hour of two a.m. he saw the defendant in company with each other on Broome Street and watched their movements and saw them enter said premises and shortly thereafter went into the yard and saw the defendant in the act of attempting to break open said shutters

I swear to before me
this 6th day of May, 1893

Yetta Rosenthal

Charles N. Lantieri

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 _____ 1893
Police Justice

I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated _____ 1893
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 _____ 1893
Police Justice

Police Court, _____ District,

THE PEOPLE, etc.,
on the complaint of

vs.

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated _____ 1893

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses, _____

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

§ _____ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Henry Germain
aged _____ years, occupation *Police officer* of No.

17th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Yetta Rosenthal*,

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

Sworn to before me, this *6* day } *Henry C. Germain*
of *May* 189 *3* }

Charles W. Hunter Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Weissberg*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Austria*

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

Answer. *47 Sherriff St - 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *plumber*

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.*

Charles Weissberg

Taken before me this *6* day of *Nov* 189*3* }
Charles M. Stewart Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

1882

City and County of New York, ss:

Abraham Leff 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. *Abraham Leff*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *47 Sheriff St - 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *plumber*

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-*

Abraham ^{his} ~~Leff~~ _{man} Leff

Taken before me this
day of *May* 189*9*
Charles M. Bennett
Police Justice.

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BAILED

No. 1, by Simon Abraham
Residence 256 Delaney Street

No. 2, by Simon Abraham
Residence 256 Delaney Street

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street

Police Court... 3
District... 507

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Setta Rosenthal
Charles Winkler
Abraham Levy

Offense Attempted Burglary

Dated, May 6 1893

Samuel A. Singer
Municipal Officer

12 Precinct

Witnesses

No. _____ Street

No. _____ Street



No. _____ Street

No. 1008 to answer
Samuel A. Singer

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

Dated, May 6 1893 Charles N. Taister Police Justice.

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

Dated, May 6 1893 Charles N. Taister Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Charles Weisberg
and
Abraham Leff

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

Charles Weisberg and Abraham Leff
of the crime of attempting to commit
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Weisberg and Abraham Leff, both*

late of the *13th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
sixth day of *May* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, in the *night*-time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Harris Rosenthal*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did ^{*attempt to*} break into and enter, there being then and there a
human being within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the
goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Harris Rosenthal*

in the said dwelling house then and there being; then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal;
take and carry away, *the said Charles Weisberg*
and Abraham Leff and each of them
being then and there assisted by
a confederate actually present,
to wit: each by the other;

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.

Re Lancelo Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

White, James F.

DATE:

05/16/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel,

Filed, 16 day of May 1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James F. White

May 20 93

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW,
selling, etc., on Sunday,
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Smith
Foreman.

Witnesses:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
James F. White

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
James F. White
of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *James F. White*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-three* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

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 New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
James F. White
of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *James F. White*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wiemer, Henry

DATE:

05/10/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Bernard McLaughlin
Off Kearney

Counsel,

W. E. Grandora

Filed

10th May 1893

Pleads,

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

with wife

*35 4 in
24 1000 P*

Henry Turner

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.
(Retained.)
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Smith

Foreman.

Part 3: May 18/93 -
Pleads Assault 2^d deg
Wm. J. P. S. P.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Edward M. Langhin

Off Kearney

Counsel,

Filed 10th day of May 1893

Pleads, *W. H. Kelly*

THE PEOPLE

with

*35th St
24th St*

Hamilton

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.
(*Verdicts*)
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Smith
Foreman.

Part 3. May 18/93-

Pleaded Assault 2^d deg

Wm. J. P. S. P.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court— 5th District.

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

of No. 108 West 145th Street, aged 33 years,
occupation Wright Watchman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 6th day of May 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Henry Wegner

(nowhere) who did wilfully point aim and discharge two barrels of a pistol loaded with ball cartridge at the body of deponent and said assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of May 1888 by Bernard W. Laughlin
C. E. Drumm Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

Henry Wiener 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 sees fit, to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him; that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Henry Wiener

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 35 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 274 Sixth Avenue - 3 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I am guilty
Henry Wiener.

Taken before me this 7th day of May 1893
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

BAILLED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court,

District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward McLaughlin
308 No. 148th
Henry Stewart

Henry Stewart

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Offense,

Assault

Dated,

May 7th 1893

Magistrate,

Witnesses

No.

Street

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Street

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 500 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 7 1893 Ed. Stewart Police Justice.

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

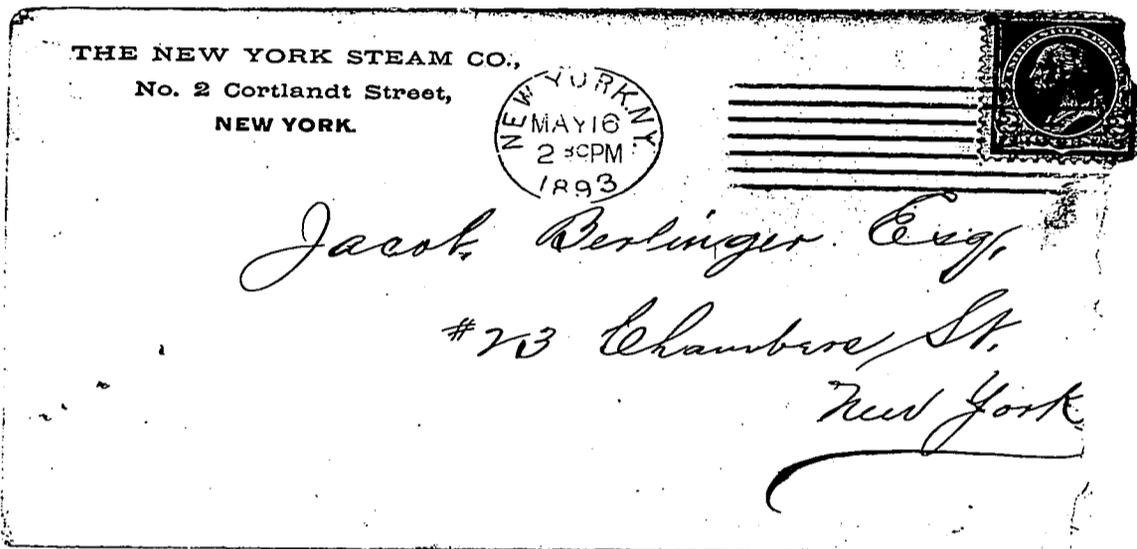
Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY
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THE NEW YORK STEAM CO.,
No. 2 Cortlandt Street,
NEW YORK.



Jacob Berlinger Esq.
#73 Chambers St.
New York

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

The Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of New York.

STATIONS:
PEARL, COR. ELM ST.
255-257 PEARL ST.
PRODUCE EXCHANGE BUILDING.

General Offices, Pearl, cor. Elm St.

STATIONS:
47-49-51 WEST 20TH ST.
117-119 WEST 39TH ST.
118-122 WEST 53RD ST.

New York, 19 May, 1893.

Jacob Berlinger, Esq.,

23 Chambers St., New York.

My dear Sir :

Henry Weimer has been employed in the Construction Department of The Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York since the first week in December, 1892. We have always found him a trust-worthy, peaceable and quiet person, and he has performed his work in a satisfactory manner.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

VI.

May 19⁵

STATE OF NEW YORK.
Executive Chamber,
ALBANY.

July 28, 1894

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of
Henry Wimmer who was convicted of *assault 2nd deg.*
 in the county of *New York* and sentenced *May 23, 1893*
 to imprisonment in the *State Prison* for the term of
three years

I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts of the case, together with your opinion of the merits of the application.

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

Very respectfully yours,

J. S. Williams
Private Secretary.

Hon. John R. Fellows
New York City.

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

Ag. Werner

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Sept. 7/94

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

W. C. ANDREWS, PRESIDENT.
O. P. SHAFFER, VICE-PRESIDENT AND TREASURER.

G. C. ST. JOHN, SECRETARY.

The New York Steam Company,
2 Cortlandt Street.

New York, May 16th 1897

Jacob Burlingame Esq.

Dear Sir, In relation to matter of
"Henry Steiner," We can say that he has
been employed by this company for about
3 years as Fireman, and We have always
found him sober, industrious, peaceable,
and attentive to duty.

Yours etc,

C. A. Gaine
Supt. Station, N.Y.
N.Y.C. Co.

C. A. G.

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2nd. Notice One sent Aug. 13th/44
District Attorney's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

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Sept. 7th 1894.

CAPTAIN OR OFFICER IN COMMAND.

Dear Sir:

I desire to see Officer Thomas
Kearney attached to your command in
May 1843 in relation to the case of
Henry Weimer
sentenced May 18/43 to 3
years and — months imprisonment by
Judge Fitzgerald

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

Yours truly,

HENRY W. UNGER,

Deputy Assistant and Secretary to the District Attorney.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Henry Wiener

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

Henry Wiener

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

The said

Henry Wiener

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 22nd day of Dec in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Bernard McLaughlin in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against the said Bernard McLaughlin a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said

Henry Wiener in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge with intent kill the said Bernard McLaughlin thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Henry Wiener

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

The said

Henry Wiener

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Bernard McLaughlin in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against the said Bernard McLaughlin

Bernard McLaughlin

a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said

Henry Wiener

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilkie, Maggie

DATE:

05/19/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel,
Filed 19 day of May 1893
Pleads,

Grand Larceny, *Second* Degree,
(From the Person)
[Sections 823, 824, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Maggie Wilkes

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Smith
Foreman
May 19 1893
Pleads *Not Guilty*
M. J. Kelly
May 19 1893

Witnesses:
Mary Shankett
I do dep't appear
to the very post,
as the fr which
she took away
Recon'd & returned
to the owner
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ORIGINAL

Order for Miss L. D. ...
Woman's Branch
New York City Mission
Room 401, United Charities Building,
Corner Fourth Ave. & Twenty-second St.
Office Hours
9:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. & 2 to 5 P. M.
except Saturdays. Mrs. Lucy L. Buisbridge,
Sup't.

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

Ladue Meyer
28 years

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Jessie Clark

of No. Hunter Point 89 Bowdoin St. Street, aged _____ years,
occupation Deputy being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 15 day of May 1897 at the City of
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

one
pocket book containing two dollars
and thirty cents, eleven ferry tickets
of the value of thirty three cents of
the value of two dollars and
sixty three cents

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Maggie Welkie

now living Deponent had the said
property in her pocket on said
date while deponent was attending
a counter in Maezi Store and
deponent is informed by Mary E
Plunkitt now living that she saw
the defendant take the said property
out of deponent pocket, and the
defendant was immediately arrested
with said stolen property in her
possession - Miss Jessie Clark

Sworn to before me, this 15 day of May 1897
Jessie Welkie Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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aged years, occupation Mary E Plunkett
Sold Lady of No. Macy's 6th Ave & 14 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Jessie Clark
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 16 day }
of May 1893 } Mary Plunkett

John B. Woodis Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court. 1882

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Maggie Miller

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Scotland

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

Answer.

242 East 35 Street. 2 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Domestic

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
Maggie Miller

Taken before me this 16 day of May 1892

John W. Ballantine

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court... 23 District... 544

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 FOR THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas B. ...
89 Broadway, N.Y.C.
Mugger's ...

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Offense *Larceny*
with a ...

Dated, *July 16* 1893

Charles ... Magistrate.

McHenry ... Officer.
C.O. Precinct.

Witnesses *James ...*

No. *...* Street *...*

No. *...* Street *...*

No. *...* Street *...*

To answer *...*

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

Dated, *July 16* 1893 *John R. ...* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Maggie Wilkie

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Maggie Wilkie
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Maggie Wilkie*,
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifteenth*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand *eight* hundred and
ninety-*three*, in the *day*-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

one pocketbook of the value of one dollar, the sum of two dollars and thirty cents in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of two dollars and thirty cents and eleven pieces of paper of the value of three cents each piece

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jessie Clark*
on the person of the said *Jessie Clark*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Jessie Clark*
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

De Laurence Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Willetts, Lewis E.

DATE:

05/16/93



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Willetts, Lewis E.

DATE:

05/16/93



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Witnesses:

Mary E. Dwyer
Freda ...

Placed at
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May 17" 1893.

Filed by Robert Holmes

Saywell & S.

J. P. Reed
Counsel,
Vanderhey's Building
675

Filed
16 day of May
1893

Pleas, May 17

THE PEOPLE,

31-
Sawyer
Lewis E. Willett

Sec. 298, Code

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney

June 14/93

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. ...

Foreman

June 14/93

Pledge ...

June 14/93
June 20/93

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

1427

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 16 day of May
1893, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace of the County of
New York, charging Lewis E. Willetts
with the crime of Bigamy

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named Lewis E. Willetts
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.

City of New York, the 16th day of May 1893:

By order of the Court,

John F. Carroll

Clerk of Court.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

1427

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 16 day of May 1893, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace of the County of New York, charging Lewis E. Willetts

with the crime of Bigamy

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named Lewis E. Willetts 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.

City of New York, the 16th day of May 1893

By order of the Court,

John H. Carroll
Clerk of Court.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

New York General Sessions of the Peace.

**THE PEOPLE
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against**

Lewis E. Willetts

BENCH WARRANT FOR FELONY.

Issued *May 16th 1893*

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The within named defendant was
arrested this day and brought to the
Court of General Sessions by

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The officer executing this process will
make his return to the Court forthwith.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

New York General Sessions of the Peace.

THE PEOPLE
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Lewis E. Willetts

BENCH WARRANT FOR FELONY.

Issued *May 16th* 1893

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The Court of General Sessions by

The officer executing this process will
make his return to the Court forthwith.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

District Attorney's Office,
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

Mary Denzin
of No. *Lindenhurst, Long Island, N.Y. Street,* aged *eighteen* years,
occupation *Button-maker* being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *2nd* day of *October* 18 *92*, at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

one *Lewis E. Willette* did feloniously marry
deponent, and take her as his wife, he, the
said *Lewis E. Willette*, having at the time a wife
living and in full life, to wit: one *Mollie*
Willette ^{*Holmes*} to whom the said *Lewis E. Willette*
had been married on or about *October*
third, 1883. Deponent has been informed
by her father *Ferdinand Denzin*, that
on or about the *fifth* day of *November*, 1892
the said *Lewis E. Willette*, admitted to
him that he had been married before as
above set forth.

Sworn to before me } *Mary Denzin.*
this 16th day of *May*, 1893

Jno. Henderson
Clerk of said
City & Co. of N.Y.

Willette or Lewis - works for Hulse -
Sayville - carpenter
- 29 - tall - brown mustache - skin - bad
of hearing - black hair -

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Deuzin
Ludewichs & Co.

vs.

Leona E. Willetts

Offence

Dated May 16 1893

Witnesses, Ferdinand Deuzin

No. Ludewichs & Co. Street

Henry Willetts

No. Ludewichs & Co. Street

Robert Holmes

No. Ludewichs & Co. Street

ad. Cornelius Flynn

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

STENOGRAPHERS MINUTES.

Grand Jury Suffolk Co.

People

L. E. Willett

BEFORE.

May 1

1893

Witnesses:

Direct. Cross. Re-Direct. Re-Cross.

W. Green

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M. L. Denzil

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J. Housner

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

STENOGRAPHERS MINUTES.

Grand Jury Suffolk Co

People

L. E. Willett

BEFORE.

May 1 1893

Witnesses:

Direct. Cross. Re-Direct. Re-Cross.

| Witnesses: | Direct. | Cross. | Re-Direct. | Re-Cross. |
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| M. L. Demzigel | 3 | | | |
| J. Housen | 8 | | | |
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STENOGRAPHERS MINUTES.

Grand Jury Suffolk Co.

People
v
L. E. Willett

BEFORE.

May 1 1893

Witnesses:

Direct. Cross. Re-Direct. Re-Cross.

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| W. Green | 1 | | | |
| M. L. Dewzel | 3 | | | |
| J. Housner | 8 | | | |
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Grand Jury; Suffolk County N. H.

The People

vs.

Louis Edgar Willett

Riverhead L. I. May 1, 1893 .

WYLETT GREEN sworn and examined .

Q. You live at Sayville? A. I do.

Q. You are what? A. The clerk of the Congregational Society, of Sayville .

Q. Have you with you the records of the society? A. Yes

Q. The record in relation to the marriages that occurred there ? A. Yes, sir . (Records produced)

Q. I refer to the marriage of Louis E. Willett: to C. M. Holmes on September 30, 1883, by the Rev . R. J. Liscomb?

A. Here it is (referring to book) "1883 September 30, Louis Edgar Willett of Sayville to Charlotte Mille rton Holmes of Sayville."

Q. What minister ? A. R. J. Liscomb.

Q. In whose handwriting is that ? A. Mr. Liscomb's

Q. Are you familiar with his handwriting? A. Yes sir

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Q. You are sure that is his handwriting? A: Yes, sir

Q. And the witnesses are? A. Witnesses Robert Holmes and Glarvina Holmes .

Q. Robert Holmes is the father inlaw of this Willett, is he not? A. Yes, sir .

Q. And the other Mrs. Holmes there is his wife?

A. I don't know .

Q. Willett is still living with that woman as his wife ?

A . As far as I know he is living in Sayville with her .

Q. You know this Mrs . Willett is in Sayville? A. I expect she is; she is living .

Q. How long have you known them to live together there so far as you know? A. That is simple guess work; they live in the outskirts.

Q . He is a carpenter? A. Anything almost, carpenter or anything; I saw him this morning; and I see him two or three times in the streets of Sayville .

Q. Who was he working for there? A. Couldn't tell you.

Q. How long do you think he has been there continuously?

A. I don't know; I have not seen anything of him until recently; the last 2 or 3 weeks saw him 2 or 3 times and he

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may have been in the village all winter for all I know .

Q. You are not conversant with the population of the village ? A. Not altogether.

Q. You would be apt to know if people were there or continuously in the village? A. Yes, sir; I think so.

Q. Has he not been away from Sayville in the Winter ? A. I should think he had .

Q. Do you know whether he has been married again? A. I don't know whether he has or not .

MARY L. DENZIL sworn and examined .

Q. Where do you live ? A. At Lindenhurst.

Q. How old are you? A. 18 in January.

Q. Are you acquainted with Louis E. Willett? A. Yes, sir

Q. When did you first get acquainted with him? A. In May of last year; 1892 .

Q. Did he begin to pay attention to you? A. Yes, sir; he went home and he said he would see me. I didn't expect to see him. He wrote me a letter; I didn't know what to do. I was at my sister's. She said, "Let him come and

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have a day of enjoyment." He came and I arrived on that day.

Q. Did you ask him if he was a married man? A. No; I had no idea about it. He asked me to keep company and be engaged, and we became engaged in August; didn't know he had a wife living; didn't dream of it. After I was engaged a servant girl, a real tough, said "I hear you are engaged." I said "yes"; she said "He is a married man" I told Mr. Willett about it and he denied it. Afterwards I went up on the stoop where she was sitting, and I said "Annie, can you prove Mr. Willett is a married man?" She said "No, I cannot". That was the end of it; I never heard any more .

Q. This occurred at your home ? A. Yes, sir .

Q. You never made any further enquiry as to whether he was married or not? A. I asked him--my father asked him, and he came on his knees in the room where I was lying sick, and my father, mother and little brother were there; and he said "God strike me dead before I get up, if I am a married man". He wrote letters and said he wouldn't marry anybody unless he married me.

Q. Were you over 16 when this occurred? A. I was 17 and 9 months .

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Q. Do you know the distance from Lindenhurst to Sayville?

A. About 18 miles .

Q. You went to New York with him? A. Yes .

Q. What was the agreement? A. The agreement was to buy the flowers for a wreath and slippers and gloves and box.

Q. Did you go willingly? A. No, sir; I didn't want to; wanted him to go alone; he didn't compel me; he asked me to go. He said you had better go along; Mother said, "you had better go along, you will have everything to suit you and you had better go." So I went .

Q. After you got there tell about your getting married ?

A. After I got there I went and bought a number of things; he asked what I wanted to buy and I told him. We went past the City Hall once.

Q. In going by the City Hall what did he propose (showing paper) A. He went past again a little while after.

He said "Mary, let us get married"; I said "Are you crazy?"

He said "Well, I am afraid your father will part us."

He got on his knees on top of the steps where you walk

in the door and he said "Have you not any confidence in me?"

I said "We are going to get married in a few weeks."

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He got so far as talking nonsense--got me by the arm. When I got in there I was in and couldn't get out any more. I went in before Alderman Cornelius Flinn and was married on the 22d of October.

Q. Is that the marriage certificate you have in your hand?

A. Yes, sir .

Q. Did you subsequently live with him as his wife ?

A. Just one week in New York.

Q. At what hotels ?

A. The first hotel was the Astor House, and then the 34th street hotel Mt. Vernon--no, Shelby Hotel; was there two days and he went to Brooklyn where he worked. He didn't admit he had another wife until I got a letter from my sister stating it. I said "Is that so". He said "Your sister is a little devil to write you such a letter." I was crying terribly. He said "Don't believe it".

I said "There will be a terrible row. " He said "I will go home with you". He said "Go to Patchogue and get my divorce papers from the lawyer^(Arman)" I asked two or three times about it; I couldn't remember it. He said "Tell them from Louis Willetts to give you the divorce papers from his wife." I asked my sister what to do. She said "You had

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better not write because he lies so. I wrote on Sunday; and he wrote back saying that he was not divorced. I have it in my pocket.

Q. You were married just one week? A. Yes, sir.

(Witness produces letter). This is a letter from Amityville, and I never understood it. He said that a person ran away from his wife; it was not him. I have another letter from the lawyer. I wrote to him and he said he had no divorce papers whatever from Mr. Willetts. He told me to get the divorce papers from him. He was arrested in Post Place in Brooklyn; he was arrested there and came to Babylon. Father sent a constable down to Brooklyn for him to be brought and brought him up, and he was brought up that evening.

Q. When did you arrest him? A. I arrested him as soon as I got a letter from my sister, as soon as I was satisfied he was married, and I took a warrant out from Mr. Cooper for him in Babylon. The matter was adjourned to Riverhead. He was put under bail there.

Q. He went to New York? A. Conductor Weeks said to me "Look out he is a married man". He was not a conductor but freightman. Willett. came up to Weeks and

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said "Can you prove it?" I am no married man." "I was once but am divorced now. Don't you dare to say a word". So Weeks went away.

Q. That was twice somebody told you he was a married man; didn't the young lady tell you? A. Annie Raglin; she is of a bad reputation. I said "Annie, can you prove it?" She said "No, I cannot"

JULIUS HAUSER of Sayville is the town clerk of the town of Sayville and has charge of the town records showing the marriage of Louis E. Willett to C. L. Holmes on Sept. 30, 1883 by the Rev. R. J. Liscomb. Robt. Holmes and his wife Lavinia Holmes of Sayville were the witnesses to the marriage; the former is the father in law of the defendant Willett.

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Grand Jury

People

vs
Amos E. Willett

STENOGRAPHERS TRANSCRIPT

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Willett

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Grand jury

People

Dennis E. Willett

STENOGRAPHERS TRANSCRIPT.

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Grand jury

People

Allen E. Willett

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May 1893

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State of New York } ss:
County of Queens }

Clinton S. Weeks of Babylon

L.I. being duly sworn says that he told Mary E. Denzen during the month of October 1892 before her marriage to Lewis E. Willets that the said Willets was married and had a wife living. Also Augustus Denzen told the said Mary E. Denzen in my presence at Lindenhurst L.I. that the said Lewis E. Willets was married and had a wife living at that time also I heard the said Augustus Denzen trying prevent her from accompanying the said Willets also ^{I saw said} the Augustus Denzen take her by the arm and put her off the train at Lindenhurst L.I. and he further swears that the said Mary E. Denzen boarded train after it had started and that she ~~was~~ joined the said Willets at Amityville on the same day that the above statements had been made to her

~~She~~ Sworn to before
me this 16th day of June 1893 }

Thaddeus C. Miller

Clinton S. Weeks

Notary Public

Queens County

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U.S. Court of Sessions.

The People

— vs. —

Levin E. Willett

Affidavit in mitigation of
penalty.

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } SS:

Francis Gerber being
duly sworn says, I am 48 years of
age. I am a merchant and reside
at Sayville Suffolk County New
York. I was a member of the East Grand
Jury of the Court of Oyer and Tenner of the
County of Suffolk held at Riverhead in
said County commencing on the first
manday in May 1893 and at which ses-
sion of said Grand Jury, in the case of the
People vs L. E. Willetts one Mary Druzen
testified on her oath after having been duly
sworn by the Foreman of said Grand Jury
among other things, as follows: "I was told
while on the train going to New York to Mary
Willetts that he (Willetts) was married and
his wife lived at Sayville" I asked her who
told her and she answered Mr. Wick's

subscribed and sworn to
before me this 17th day Francis Gerber
of June 1893.

John J. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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Francis Porter

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } ss:

Henry F. Brown being
duly sworn says I am 54 years
of age I reside at Sayville Suff-
olk County New York. I was
a member of the last Grand
jury of the Court of Oyer and
Terminus of the County of Suffolk
held at Riverhead in said County
commencing on the first Monday in
May 1893 and at which session of
the Grand Jury Mary Deuzen
testified on her oath after having been
duly sworn by the Foreman of said
Grand Jury in the case of the People
vs. Louis G. Willets, among other things
as follows. "I was told while on my
way to New York that Louis Willets
was already married and had a
wife living at Sayville, this was
while we were on our way to get mar-
ried"

Henry F. Brown
subscribed and sworn
to before me this 17th day
of June 1893 Jno. J. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } ss:

Julius Hauser being duly sworn says, I am the Town Clerk of the Town of Islip. I have resided in the Village of Sayville in said Town & County for the past fifteen years, and have known Louis C. Willets for the last ten years. And have known him to be an honest industrious hard working young man. And never knew anything derogatory to his character until the present trouble

Julius Hauser
subscribed and
sworn to before me
this 13th day of
June 1893
Jno. J. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

State of New York }
County of Suffolk } ss:

John J. O'Brien being duly sworn says, I have resided at Sayville in said County of Suffolk for the past seven years and have been Justice of the Peace for the last 3 1/2 years. I have known Louis E. Willett for the past six years, and know him to be an honest industrious hard working young man and I have never known anything derogatory to his character until his present difficulty -

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 13th day of June
1893.

Ellsworth Opium
Notary Public
Suff. Co.

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } ss:

Woodhull N. Raynor being
duly sworn I am Postmaster
at Sayville Suffolk Co. I have
resided at Sayville for the past
40 years. I have known Louis
E. Willetts for the past ten years
and have always found him an
industrious, hard working young
man and have known nothing
detrimental to his character pre-
vious to his present trouble

Woodhull N. Raynor
Subscriber and
sworn to before me
this 13th day of June 1893

Jno. Q. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

State of New York }
County of Suffolk } S.S.

Charles L. Raynor being
duly sworn says I have resided
in Sayville Suff. Co. for the
past forty years. I am County
Superintendent of the poor of
Suffolk Co. I have known Louis
E. Willers for the past ten years
and have always known him to
be industrious, truthful and
honest, and has always borne
a good business reputation &
of good character in our
Community.

Charles L. Raynor

Subscribed and
sworn to before me
this 13th day of June, 1898
Jno. J. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

State of New York }
County of Suffolk } ss:

John H. Prescott being duly sworn says, I reside in Sayville Suffolk County, and have resided there for the past twenty years. I am the Rector of St. Ann's Ep Church, and have been such for the past 19 years. I have known Louis E. Willett for the past ten years and have known him to be an industrious hard working young man, and never saw anything derogatory to his character previous to this present difficulty

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June 1893
Jno. W. Prescott
Justice of the Peace

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

State of New York }
County of Suffolk } ss:

Chas. H. Hulse being duly sworn says I have resided in Sayville Suffolk County for the past twenty years. I am and have been in business in Sayville as a contractor and builder for the past 20 years. I have known Louis E. Willetts for the past eleven years and he has been in my employ at different times for the past ten years. And I have never known anything detrimental to his character previous to his present trouble. While with me he was always sober industrious and straight forward. And I always thought him such.

Charles H. Hulse

subscribed and
sworn to before me
this 13th day of June
1893.

Jno. J. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } SS:

Francis Gerber being duly sworn says I have resided at Sayville Suff. Co. for the past ~~18~~²⁵ years. I have kept a General Mercantile Store at Sayville for the past 18 years. And have known Louis C. Willette for the past fifteen years and have done business with him and have always found him to be honest, straight and upright, and of good character, up to the time of the present trouble.

Subscribed and Francis Gerber sworn to before me this 13th day of June 1893

Jno. B. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

State of New York }
County of Suffolk } SS:

Harry F. Hildebrandt
being duly sworn says I have res-
ided at Sayville Suff. Co. and
have been in business there for the
past twelve years. I have known
Louis C. Millis for the past twelve
years and have known him to be an indus-
trious hard-working honest and
upright young man, and never
knew anything against his character
previous to the present trouble

Harry F. Hildebrandt
subscribed and
sworn to before me
this 13th day of June
1893

Geo. B. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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W. S. Velsor,
Builder.

Salem, N. Y. June 12. 1893

To who it may concern
 Louis E. Willetts was in my
 employ beginning of Apr. 1888
 and I never knew any thing
 detrimental to his character
 previous to his present trouble.
 While with me he was
 sober industrious & straight-
 forward & I always thought him
 to be so. Yours,
 W. S. Velsor

State of N.Y. }
 County of Suffolk } ss. On this 13th day of June
 1893 before me personally called W. S. Velsor to
 me personally known and affixed his signature
 to the above statement which he declared to
 be true & correct.

Geo. H. Smith
 Notary Public
 Suffolk Co.
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W. J. Webb

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I have known Lewis E. Filletts since Boyhood, and have never known or heard of any thing reflecting on his character, previous to the present trouble

Edward E. Stevens

Sworn & subscribed before me this 13th day of June 1893

Garret Smith
Notary Public
Suffolk
N.Y.

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } SS:

Anthony V. Green
being duly sworn says I have
resided in Sayville for the
past 30 years. I have known
Louis E. Willetts for the past
ten years and have known
him to be industrious and
honest, and have never known
anything derogatory to his character
previous to the present trouble

Subscribed and Anthony V. Green
sworn to before me
this 13th day of June 1893

Jno. J. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Supper County

State of New York

James Palmer being duly sworn says he resides in Unityville in Blair County - that he has known, seen or been well acquainted with Lewis C. Mullett for the past 10 or 20 years, that his reputation as a citizen and veracity has always been good - never known or heard anything against him until this month now existing

Done at Blair County

this 27th day of June 1890

James Palmer

James Palmer

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James Palmer

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } 50
Town of Babylon }

Oscar L. Balchen being duly sworn says that he is a resident of the town of Babylon aforesaid, and is a constable therein and that on or about the first of November ¹⁸⁹³ on the railway train of Long Island Railroad, he overheard some men conversing, and he heard those men say that Mary Densen was a wild kind of a girl and that her conduct was not what it should be. Deponent further says that he is now unable to state the names of those men who were thus conversing respecting the said Mary Densen.

Subscribed & sworn to } Oscar L. Balchen
before me this 13th day }
of June 1893 }
J. B. Coffer }
Justice of the Peace }

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk }
Town of Babylon } 88

Clinton S. Weeks being duly sworn says that he resides in the town of Babylon aforesaid, and that he is a brakeman upon the Long Island Railway - that some time ~~some time~~ in October last when upon the trains he at different times heard several persons, whose names he cannot now remember, speak of Mary E. Devozen as being rather wild and not what she ought to be. Those remarks or those of similar meaning, he says he frequently heard from people riding upon the cars.

Subscribed & sworn to
before me this 18th
day of June 1893
J. J. Mason

Clinton S. Weeks

Justice of the Peace
Babylon
N.Y.

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } 88
Town of Babylon }

Clinton S. Weeks being
duly sworn says I am a brakeman on the
Long Island Railroad, and on the 10th of October
last I met Mary Jones upon the train
going to Long Beach, and Brooklyn
and I then and there told her that I
knew Lewis ^{Smith} was a married man,
and had a family consisting of a wife
and two children.

Clinton S. Weeks
Subscribed & sworn to
before me this 13th day
June 1893
J. W. [Signature]
Justice of the Peace

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State of New York }
County of Suffolk } S.S.:

Louis G. Hulse being duly
sworn says, I reside at Sayville
Suff. Co. I have known Louis E.
Willetts for the last ten years,
and also am acquainted with
Mary Seuzen since July 19th 1892
and know that she is not of
good character. I know it from
personal experience, as on one
occasion she asked me to come
to Lindenhurst and she would give
me anything I wanted

Louis G. Hulse

Subscribed and
sworn to before me
this 13th day of June
1893.

Jno. B. O'Brien
Justice of the Peace

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U.S. Court of Sessions

The People of the State
of New York

against
Lewis E. Willett

City & County of New York, ss:

Lewis E. Willett

being duly sworn says that he is the Defendant above named; that he is of the age of thirty one years, a carpenter by trade, married, and is the father of two children - girls - aged respectively three and six years. That he has no means except such as he secures from day to day by his services as a mechanic, and his wife and children have no means of support except such as they derive from defendant's earnings.

Defendant further says that he made the acquaintance of Mary Deuzin the complainant herein in May, 1892, at a public celebration held in Dresden where complainant resided. That the acquaintance was made by reason of complainant's flirting with and visiting at defendant. That from her bold conduct toward him, a stranger, he inferred that she was a woman of easy virtue, and soon after making her acquaintance he learned that in fact she was a lewd woman - she readily and without protest assenting and consenting that this defendant should have sexual intercourse with her - which sexual intercourse was continued between defendant and complainant on very many occasions. That complainant was told by defendant at the time of his first carnal connection with her that he was a married man; but complainant insisted that we could

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have "a good time" - meaning sexual indulgence - just the same, so long as I took care of her - meaning not getting her in the family way - and her folks did not find it out. That anything said to the contrary therefore as to my not being a married man was at the suggestion and request of complainant who professed to be very much in love with defendant and insisted upon being with him as often as possible, and to this end would frequently come long distances to places where defendant was working at his trade and by coaxing induced defendant to meet her alone for the opportunity to indulge in sexual intercourse together.

That this continued until the time when defendant was induced by the importunities of complainant to go to the city of New York with her to have what she called a good time. That no question of marriage was thought of or suggested by the defendant. That during the day preceding the trip to New York, defendant drank many times and by reason of being being used to excessive indulgence in intoxicating drinks was under the influence of liquor when he and complainant reached New York City. That after reaching the city, he took many liquors, and when he was so far under the influence of such drinks as to make him unaware of the serious nature of his act, he was by the importunities and persuasion of the complainant induced to marry her - an act which, when sober, he would never have committed.

That by reason of complainant's continued and ready intercourse with defendant and her importunities that defendant would indulge in sexual intercourse with her, this defendant had no object or purpose in going through the marriage ceremony with complainant, save to yield

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to her wishes in that behalf - complainant with out such ceremony,
always being ready and willing to cohabit with defendant whenever
she and defendant were alone together.

Defendant further says that he has with his wife and
children, on Fayette St, St. Louis, in suits miles of company with
residence for more than eight years last past.

Sworn and subscribed before

me this 14th day of June, 1893

Lewis E. Willette

Henry W. Wenger
Notary Public
my J

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vs People

vs
Lewis E. Wilkins.

Applicants in mitigation of sentences.

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VS.



GREENPORT, SUFFOLK COUNTY, N. Y.,

1893

Dictated.

May 20,

Hon. Delancey Nicoll,
N.Y. City, N.Y.,

Dear Sir:-

I send you in a separate envelope, the Stenographer's minutes in the case of the People against Lewis E. Willetts, accused of bigamy. The case came before our Grand Jury and when I found that the second marriage took place in New York and that the arrest was not made in our County, I had to advise our Grand Jury not to find an indictment, but the Grand Jury recommended that I send the minutes of the case to you with their request that you look into the matter.

I see by the paper that you have already taken steps. I should have sent you these minutes before but I did not get them until last night from the Stenographer. These minutes will show you who it is necessary to subpoena in order to prove the first marriage and they will also show you where the first marriage is on record.

Sincerely,

B. H. Reeve
Mr. B.

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 a month of yesterday I had
 to find I was I had
 I was I was I was
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Sunday June 18, 1893.
 Mr. Martine,
 Dear Sir!
 I would kindly like to ask
 you, if Mr. Hillitt was sent
 away on Friday or not, I have
 look all the papers there.
 But am unable to find it.
 and then there is another
 question I would like to
 ask you, and that is if I
 must really commence to sue
 him again, for a civil action
 for a reparation from him.
 I always thought & heard that
 if I sue him for bigamy, my
 my marriage would be free.
 That is the principal reason
 I sue him for bigamy. Because

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I wanted to be free of him.
but any way he ~~me~~ needs punishment.
If you only know the
whole story of his life, why it
is something terrible.

But the only thing, that
was principal after was, that I
want to be free of him.

It has cost me such a lot of ex-
pense all ready, + I really can't afford
it. But I don't see why I must see
him again, ~~from~~ now again for
separation, after I see seeing
him for bigamy, + then making
his second wife. I thought my
marriage wasn't legal, as ^{making} being
the second wife. That's what
they all told me. So would
you kindly inform me what
I have to do, + the easiest
way. So please be so kind

as to answer this for me
+ if you don't mind, please
tell me, how long Mr. Willits
got, + ^{where} ~~why~~ they are taking
him to.

Hoping in kindness
you will do me the favor
and answer.

I Remain

Respt.

Mrs Mary Denzin

Lindenhurst

P.O. Box 33.

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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

Dennis R. Willets

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

indictment accuse *Dennis R. Willets* —

of the crime of *Bigamy*. —

committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the 22nd day of October, 1897, the said *Dennis R. Willets*, late of the City and County of New York, at the City and County of New York, being a married man, and then having a wife, to wit: *Constance Holmes*, living, did feloniously marry and take as his wife one *Mary Deuzin*, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

De Lancey Noble,
District Attorney

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Williams, James

DATE:

05/24/93



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Williams, James

DATE:

05/24/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Patrick McPherson

*In this case the amount being
only \$15. His previous pro char.
order*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads,

Wm. W. W.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Williams

Grand Larceny, *second* Degree,
(From the Person),
[Sections 228, 229, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Smith

Foreman.

*Part 3 - June 6/93 -
read and argued*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court— District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 2130 - 2nd Avenue Street, aged 55 years,
occupation Laborer being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 14 day of May 1893 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
and person of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money of
the United States amounting to
about Fifteen dollars

Sworn to before me, this

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 James Williams (now here)

for the following reasons - deponent was in a room in a house on the Bowery in company with defendant and three other persons - deponent had said money in the left hand pocket of the pants that he then wore - The defendant put his hand in said pocket and took said money therefrom - and he (defendant), then put deponent out of said room -

deponent waited on the street and the defendant came out of said house and deponent caused his arrest -

Patrick X Mc Mahon
his mark

of 11 day of May 1893
John J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198-200.

1882
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Williams

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

9 Bowery

10 months,

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

James Williams

Taken before me this

day of

1894

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court---

District.

1st 528

THE PEOPLE, Ec.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James H. Gordon
2130-2407e
James Williams

Offense Larceny from the person

Date

May 14, 1893

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No. 1

Residence

No. 2

Residence

No. 3

Residence

\$1000 to answer

1000 Bond May 16-1893

James Williams

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 1000 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 18 1893 James Williams Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

AFFIDAVIT FOR COMMITMENT OF WITNESS.

4771

POLICE COURT / DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Sworn to before me, this
day of / 1893

of the 6 Michael Kehoe Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that Patrick McMahon

(now here) is a material witness for the people against
James Williams charged
with Larceny

As deponent has
cause to fear that the said Patrick McMahon
will not appear in court to testify when wanted, deponent prays
that the said Patrick McMahon be
committed to the House of Detention in default of bail for his
appearance.

Michael Kehoe

John P. Justice
Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court, First District.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the *Fifteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord *1913*

James A. Ryan
of No. *172 Wells Avenue* Street in the City of New York,

personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and ac-

knowledged *him* self to owe the PEOPLE of THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

the sum of *One* Hundred Dollars,

of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of *his* goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the condition following, viz.:

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, That if the person above recognized, shall personally appear, at the next COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, and then and there *Testify* and give such evidence, in behalf of the people of the State of New York, as he may know, concerning an **Offence or Misdemeanor**, said to have been committed in the City of New York, aforesaid by

James Williams

And do not Depart thence, without leave of the Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the *15* day and year first above written.

James A. Ryan

James A. Ryan
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

3481
 sworn before me this
 day of May 1873
 Police Justice

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

James A. Lyon

the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says, that he is a house holder in said City, and is worth Ten Hundred Dollars,

over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of leasehold property and household furniture situated at 172 Wells Avenue New York City worth five thousand dollars & more or less.

James A. Lyon

New York General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

28.

James Williams

Magistrate.

Filed day of May 1873

This bond is given for the appearance of Patrick Heffernan, complaining witness James A. Lyon

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Williams

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

James Williams

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

The said

James Williams

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

the sum of fifteen dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of fifteen dollars

[Signature]

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Patrick McMahon* on the person of the said *Patrick McMahon* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Patrick McMahon* then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lacey Nicoll
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, Samuel

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, George

DATE:

05/09/93



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, Walter

DATE:

05/09/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

X1021

Witnesses:

Mary Kinnes
Allen May

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

19th day of May 1893

at New York

vs. THE PEOPLE

vs.

Samuel Williams,

George Williams,

and

Walter Williams

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

16th St. Park 3. May 16/93

W-20 tried and acquitted.
A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Ambler

Foreman.

May 15/93

100. I heard of being?

Edw. Thomas 9 Def of Vm
May 21/93

Grand Larceny, Second Degree,
[Sections 828, 831, N.Y.C. Penal Code.]

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court 2nd District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss: Mary Skinner

of No. 323 West 37th Street, aged 28 years, occupation Waitress being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 4 day of May 1893 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 the amount of thirty five dollars
\$ 35⁰⁰/₁₀₀

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

Samuel Williams, George Williams and Walter Williams (all now here and while acting in concert with each other, from the following facts to wit: that about the hour of 1.30 o'clock P.M. of said date, deponent placed a packet containing the aforesaid property, under a bed in a room at the above mentioned premises - and that about the hour of five o'clock P.M. of the 5th day of May, 1893 deponent missed the aforesaid property from said packet, and that the defendants after being advised of their rights, admitted and confessed in Open Court, to deponent in presence of Officers Hoy and Curry, of the 20th Precinct Police, that said defendants Samuel Williams and Walter Williams, had taken, stolen and carried away the aforesaid property.

Sworn to before me this 18th day of May 1893

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

And that said defendants George Williams had received the sum of six dollars from said Samuel Williams & deponent therefore charges the defendants, while acting in concert with each other, with having committed a Larceny And asks that they be held and dealt with as the Law may direct -

Sworn to before me } Mary Skarver
this 6 day of May 1843 }

Wm. H. Brady
Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1021

Patrick Curry
aged _____ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. _____
20th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Mary Kinney*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *6* day of *May* 189*9* *Patrick Curry*

Thos. H. Brady Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1021

Allan Hay
aged _____ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. _____
20th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Mary Kinney*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *6* day of *May* 189*9* *Allan Hay*

Thos. H. Brady Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198-200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Williams*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *W.S.*

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

Answer. *323 West 37th Street - 3 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *the defendant Samuel Williams gave me six dollars. but I did not know it had been stolen*

Geo. Williams

Taken before me this
day of *May*
1890
Wm. J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court. 1882

City and County of New York, ss:

Samuel Williams 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. *Samuel Williams.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *W.V.*

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

Answer. *223 West 37th St. - 3 Weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *I am guilty.*

S. Williams.

Taken before me this
day of *Nov* 189*2*
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198-200.

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1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Walter Williams - 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. Walter Williams -

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 15 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. N.Y.

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

Answer. 223 West 37th Street - 3 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. None

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

Answer. I am guilty -

Walter Williams

Taken before me this

day of

189

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court--- District. 504

THE PEOPLE, Ec.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. J. Murphy
 Samuel Williams
 George Williams
 Willie Williams

Offense

Dated May 6 1893

Magistrate

Officer

Witness

No. _____ 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 Defendants

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

Dated, May 6 1893 Wm. J. Murphy Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

No. 2. 400
TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of
PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Wilson

Mary Skinner

District Attorney.

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

No. 2.

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of
PEOPLE

vs.

Frank W. ...

Mary Skinner

District Attorney.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions
The People
vs.
George Williams

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.
No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE,
(Corner East 23d Street.)

New York, May 8 1893

CASE NO. 72185 OFFICER Springley
DATE OF ARREST May 5
CHARGE Grand Larceny

AGE OF CHILD 15 years
RELIGION Protestant
FATHER Charles

MOTHER

RESIDENCE Amelia
322 West 37th

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT The boy has not been arrested before. He was committed on May 19 1890 by Judge Hogan at 2^d D. Police Court to the New York Juvenile Asylum. The boy was discharged one year ago. since which time he has been living in various places. The boy is mild. Parents are both dead.

All which is respectfully submitted,

William L. ...
W.L.

To ...

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions

The People

vs.

George Williams

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE. (Corner East 23d Street.)

New York, May 8 1893

CASE NO. 72185
DATE OF ARREST May 5
CHARGE

OFFICER Springley

Grand Larceny

AGE OF CHILD
RELIGION
FATHER

15 years Protestant

Charles

MOTHER

RESIDENCE

Annalia
322 West 34th

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT the boy has not been arrested before. He was committed on May 19 1891 by Judge Hogan at 2nd D^{istrict} Police Court to the New York Juvenile Asylum. The boy was discharged one year ago. Since which time he has been living in various places. The boy is mild. Parents are both dead.

All which is respectfully submitted,

To

George Williams
1893

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court *1st*

Annual Sessions

the people
v.
vs.
George Williams

Frank Forester
PENAL CODE, *1/2*

**Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.**

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,

No. 297 Fourth Avenue,
Corner East 23d Street,
NEW YORK CITY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court # 14

General Sessions

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| <p>The People vs. George Williams</p> | <p>Frank Foreman PENAL CODE, 26</p> |
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Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. CERRY,
President, &c.,
 No. 297 Fourth Avenue,
 Corner East 23d Street,
 NEW YORK CITY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions

The People
vs
Galtio Williams

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE.
(Corner East 23d Street.)

New York, May 8 1893

CASE NO. 72,855 OFFICER Corbin Cey
DATE OF ARREST May 5
CHARGE

Grand Larceny

AGE OF CHILD 15 years
RELIGION Protestant
FATHER Charles

MOTHER

RESIDENCE Amelia
323 West 37th Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT The boy
has not been arrested before. They
were committed on May 19 1890. by
Judge Hogan at 2^d D^o Police Court
to the New York Juvenile Asylum.
The boy was discharged one year
ago. Since which time they have
been living in various places the
boy is mild. Parents both dead

All which is respectfully submitted,

G. Williams

Edwin S. ...
Super

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions

The People)
vs)
Walter Williams)

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE.
(Corner East 23d Street.)

New York, N.Y. May 19 1893

CASE NO. 72-85
DATE OF ARREST May 5
CHARGE

OFFICER John Coy

Grand Larceny
15 years

AGE OF CHILD
RELIGION
FATHER

Protestant
Charles

MOTHER

Amelia

RESIDENCE

323 West 37th Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

The boy has not been arrested before. They were committed on May 19 1890. by Judge Hogan at 2^d D^o Police Court to the New York Juvenile Asylum. The boy was discharged one year ago. since which time they have been living in various places the boy is mild. Parents both dead

All which is respectfully submitted,

Ga.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of

Genl. Sessions

The People
vs.

Walter Williams

PENAL CODE, § 100

James J. [Signature]

Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.,

No. 297 Fourth Avenue,

Corner East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of

Annals. Session 5

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| The People | vs Walter Williams |
| Grand Jurors <small>PENAL CODE, 1/2</small> | |

Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. CERRY,

President, &c.,

No. 297 Fourth Avenue,

Corner East 23d Street.

NEW YORK CITY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Samuel Williams, George Williams and Walter Williams

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Samuel Williams, George Williams and Walter Williams of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Samuel Williams, George Williams and Walter Williams, all late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fourth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of thirty-five dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of thirty-five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary Skinner

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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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

George Williams

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,

*the sum of thirty-five dollars
in money, lawful money of
the United States of America,
and of the value of thirty-five
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary Skinner
by *Samuel Williams* and *Walter Williams* and

by a certain ^{other} person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Mary Skinner*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

George Williams

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Charles

DATE:

05/12/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Chas W. Muzzey
Opp Stewart

Counsel,

Filed 12/21/189
Pleads, M. M. Muzzey

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Wilson
A.D.

Grand Larceny, Second Degree,
(From the Person),
[Sections 523, 524, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

M. M. Muzzey

A TRUE BILL.

Chas W. Muzzey
Foreman.
May 29 1893
Richard [unclear] on [unclear]
M. M. Muzzey

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court 4th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. Bway Central Hotel Street, aged 40 years.
occupation Hotel Keeper being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 10 day of May 1893 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 day time, the following property, viz:

and Person

Thirty-five dollars; good and lawful money of the United States

the property of Deponent.

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Charles Wilson; now here,

from the fact; that deponent met the said defendant at the Shelburne Hotel; and the said defendant was showing deponent how easy he could take his scarf-pin without detection.

Immediately after defendant left said deponent, he missed the said money; which he deponent was carrying in his right hand pocket of his vest.

Deponent immediately went to the 21st Precinct Police; and officer John Stewart subsequently arrested this defendant; which defendant deponent immediately identified as the man

Sworn to before me, this 10 day of May 1893
Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL

who took, stole, and carried away
said money.

Wherefore the present charge
the said defendant with the larceny
of said money; and prays that
he may be held, and dealt with
according to law.

Sworn to before me } C. W. Wozzey
this 10th day of May 1893 }

C. Wozzey
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198-200.

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1882 District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?
Answer. Charles Wilson

Question. How old are you?
Answer. 21 years of age

Question. Where were you born?
Answer. New York City

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?
Answer. 377 East 40th St (4 months)

Question. What is your business or profession?
Answer. Laborer

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation.
Answer. I am not guilty
Charles Wilson

Taken before me this 11th day of July 1893
Police Justice

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Michael Murphy
bailiff of Court
Adroit Murphy's

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

Police Court---
District
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HOUSE OF DETENTION CASE

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
B
James Murphy
James Murphy

Dated _____ 1893
Magistrate
Officer

Complainant
to Court of Adolition

No. _____ Street
to answer
\$ _____
No. _____ 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 2500 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 11th 1893 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions
of the Peace.

The People of the
State of New York.

—against—

Charles Wilson

City and County of New York ss:

Charles W. Muggery being duly sworn says that he is the complainant in the above action - that he resides in the city of Hartford - State of Connecticut - that he is 43 years of age that on the 8th day of May 1893. he arrived in the city of New York from Hartford that he attended to certain business which occupied the whole of Monday the 8th and part of Tuesday the 9th - that during the whole of Tuesday the 9th your deponent visited a number of saloons and drank considerable intoxicants and deponent believes that during the greater part of Tuesday night and Wednesday morning he was partially if not wholly intoxicated - that at or about 5 A.M. on the morning of Wednesday the 10th your deponent entered a saloon at the corner of 34. street and 3rd Ave. - and while in there drank some intoxicants and engaged in conversation with some persons who were there

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Present. that among said persons - was as your deponent believes - the above named defendant. That deponent believes he staid in said saloon about from half an hour to an hour and had several drinks there - that deponent believes when he entered said saloon he had about \$35 - in his vest pocket, in bills - that he cannot swear to the exact amount - that he cannot swear he had \$25 - but knows that he had some money in bills -

After remaining in said saloon as above stated deponent went into the lavement of the saloon to the water closet, and then came up stairs and had another drink - as he was about to go out of the saloon he missed the money which he had in his pocket and mentioned that fact to the bar tender, who told deponent to call a Policeman - deponent called a Policeman & told him about the loss of his money & deponent accompanied the policeman to a restaurant nearby and saw there the defendant who had been in the first saloon with deponent. Deponent told the Policeman that he recognized the defendant as the person who had brushed against him while in the

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saloon on 3rd Ave - the policeman then
arrested him. That deponent's only reason
for believing ^{at that time} that defendant stole his
money is that while in said saloon on 3rd Ave
the defendant had been standing next to
deponent and had taken a Pin out of his
neck-tie, as a joke, which pin - however
he immediately returned to deponent without
being requested so to do - that at the time
deponent was in said saloon there was a
great deal of "sky-larking" and deponent
can not say who took his money - if it
was taken at all - or how he lost it while
in said saloon - Deponent states that he
may have dropped the same while
in the water closet or may have let it
fall out of his pocket while in the saloon.
That deponent was so under the influence
of liquor at that time that he is unable
to recall what happened on said
morning of 10th except as stated above.

Sworn to before me

this 18th day of May 1893.

Charles W. Muzzey
Commissioner of Deeds,
N. Y. Co.

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Court of Sessions
of the Peace

The People vs.

- agst -

Charles Nelson,

Defendant vs.

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AFFIDAVIT FOR COMMITMENT OF WITNESS.

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POLICE COURT 4 DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of the 21st John Stewart
Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that Charles W Muzzy
(now here) is a material witness for the people against
Charles Wilson charged
with Larceny from the person. As deponent has
cause to fear that the said Charles W Muzzy
will not appear in court to testify when wanted, deponent prays
that the said Charles W Muzzy be
committed to the House of Detention in default of bail for his
appearance.

John Stewart

Sworn to before me, this 10th
day of May 1883.
John M. [Signature]
Police Justice

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Charles Wilson

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Charles Wilson
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Wilson*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, in the *day*-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

the sum of thirty-five
dollars in money, lawful money
of the United States of America,
and of the value of thirty-five
dollars

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

Re Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Louis

DATE:

05/09/93



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Counsel,

Filed, 9 day of May 1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE vs. Louis Wilson
CO. B
James W. G. 3

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW
selling, etc., on Sunday,
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 2]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Johnson
Foreman.

Witnesses:
Officer Connor

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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

Louis Wilson

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

Louis Wilson

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

Louis Wilson

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 26 day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, to one

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 New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Louis Wilson

of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

Louis Wilson

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

James Cowen

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wolfe, Philip

DATE:

05/08/93



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Witnesses:

Alexander Ford

Counsel.

A. J. Long

Filed,

day of May 1893

Pleads,

Maguelly

THE PEOPLE

18 Dec 1893
178 Dec 1893
D
Philip Wolfe

Grand LARCENY, 2nd degree
(MISAPPROPRIATION.)
(Sections 528 and 531 of the Penal Code.)

com. May 10/93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Smith

Part 3, May 15/93, Foreman.

Jured and convicted

174, 178 Dec 1893
178 Dec 1893

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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The People of the State of New York, :
      against                          : Before
Philip Wolfe.                          : Hon. James Fitzgerald
                                         : and a jury.
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Indictment filed May 8, 1893.

Indicted for grand larceny in the second degree.

New York, May 15, 1893.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People, Asst. District-Atty. E. S. Weeks;

For the Defendant, Mr. Nathan S. Levy.

ANTHONY GROCK, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am employed by A. Paul & Co. in the poultry business in West Washington Market. On the 26th. of September 1890 I sold some poultry to Philip Balsam -- five coops of old roosters. The amount of the bill was about \$102 or \$103. Those goods were delivered by me to Philip Wolfe, the expressman, to be delivered to Philip Balsam. Wolfe was to collect the amount of the bill and turn it over to us. I gave Wolfe what is known as a C.O.D. ticket. I saw Wolfe in the afternoon but had no conversation with him. He afterwards told me he had delivered the goods to Balsam.

Cross-examination:

I have known the defendant about five years. I have been in the employ of Mr. Paul about a year and a half.

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I do not know of my own knowledge that Wolfe was ever in the habit of buying goods from Paul. I do not know whether Wolfe did business with Paul before I was in his employ. I am positive that Mr. Wolfe did not buy the goods in question for his own account.

ALEXANDER PAUL JR., a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am in the produce business, poultry &c., in West Washington Market. The last witness was in my employ in the month of September 1890. I have known the defendant Philip Wolfe for about five years as an expressman. I recall the 26th. of September 1890 very well. I first saw the defendant on that day about eight or nine o'clock in the morning. He called at my place with his wagon. Grock told me there was some poultry to be delivered to Philip Balsam, 175 Division Street, C.O.D. He loaded it on his wagon and drove away with a C.O.D. ticket which he procured from Grock. The amount due on that ticket was \$103.50. The name and address of the purchaser of the goods was also on it. That amount was to be collected by Wolfe and turned in to our concern. I saw Mr. Balsam about a week after that. Prior to my seeing him I had not received the money for that C.O.D. ticket, \$103. After seeing Mr. Balsam I went to Jefferson Market and got out a warrant for the defendant. I did not see the defendant Wolfe after that time until March 1892. I then saw him at 40 Ludlow Street. I

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went there in company with a Mr. Schwab who was in the same line of business with me and had a conversation with Wolfe. He told me that he was very sorry he had taken those goods and kept the money. He asked me how much was due me. I told him six hundred and two dollars and some cents. He said he was very sorry he had taken the money and had not returned it, but that if I did not have him arrested he would try and straighten it out. I asked him what he had done with the money, and he said he went to Europe and spent it; that he got married while he was there, and that his wife was at that time sick in bed. I never received any payment for those goods.

Cross-examination:

I have known the defendant five years, to the best of my knowledge. Our concern did some business with him in the Fall of 1890. I had no running account with him. Our business was all done on a C.O.D. basis. He did not buy goods directly of us which he sold to other parties. His connection with our concern was that he was an expressman who delivered our goods and collected money on C.O.D. tickets.

FRANK N. EVANHOE, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a Detective Sergeant attached to the Detective Bureau in the Central Office. On the 5th. of October 1890 I received a warrant for the arrest of the defendant Philip Wolfe. I started out to look for the defendant. I went over to Ludlow Street to see if he was

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there and I was informed that he had gone to Europe. I left word with the officer on post, who knew him very well, to arrest him at any time he saw him. In April 1892 Mr. Paul sent word that the man had returned to this country. I went over to his place of business and arrested him. He told me if he got a chance he would pay the money back; that he was going into the ice business. I asked him what he had done with the money, and he said that he spent it. I asked him how he liked England, and he said it was not much of a place; that he was glad he was home. I told him that Balsam had come to court and sworn that he had given him the money. The defendant did not deny it.

LOUIS J. SCHWAB, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am in the poultry business in West Washington Market. I went, in company with Mr. Paul, to No. 40 Ludlow Street. We saw the defendant. He greeted us. He told us he was very sorry that he spent all that money. He asked Mr. Paul how much money was owing him, and Paul told him six hundred and two dollars and some odd cents. He told Mr. Paul if he would not have him arrested he would pay him as soon as he could.

DEFENSE.

PHILIP WOLFE, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am married and live at 78 Orchard Street. I am in the ice business and also in the express business. I have heard the evidence of Mr. Paul in relation to the \$103. The truth of the matter is that I bought these

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goods on my own credit. I keep a store at 24 Ludlow St. with my father. I had been buying goods in this way from Mr. Paul for 18 months or so. The goods in question were not sold to Mr. Balsam, but sold to me. I did not receive those goods with a C.O. D. ticket to be delivered to Balsam. I admit that I owe Mr. Balsam some money for goods which I purchased of him on my own personal account. When Mr. Paul and Mr. Schwab called on me I told them that I should pay the money as quickly as I could. In a few days he got a warrant out for me and had me arrested.

Cross-examination:

I was in the express business with my father Jacob Wolfe. We also sold poultry in the store. The poultry that I bought from Mr. Paul was taken by me to this store of my father and afterwards sold. I got credit from Mr. Paul in my own name. When I left for Europe I owed Mr. Paul about \$600. I remained on the other side about six months and then came back. I was working while I was over there. Since I have returned to the City I have not attempted to conceal myself in any way.

PHILIP BALSAM, a witness for the defendant, sworn, testified:

I live at 75 Division Street. I did not buy any bill of goods for \$103.50 from Mr. Paul on the 26th. of September 1890. To my recollection I bought no goods whatever from Mr. Paul on that day. Mr. Wolfe never delivered goods to me of the value of \$103.50 on that day. He

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never collected that amount or any other amount of money from me for Mr. Paul.

Cross-examination:

I have bought poultry at different times in this City. I bought some from Mr. Paul. I have known him for about six or seven years. I do not know Mr. Grock. I have not made any different statement to any person about this transaction. I had no conversation with Sergeant Evanhoe about this case. I have stated the facts so far as I recollect them.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree.

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Indictment filed May 15th 1893

Court of General Sessions

Part III

The People vs.

v.

Philip Wolfe,

Defendant
on trial, New York

May 15th 1893.

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sitting for coops what
 are they worth I figured
 it up & it amounted to 77⁰⁰
 cents. I give the cash member
 C. O. D. and the amount
 in the 5. I delivered the
 from coops & put down
 the amount on two cards C.O.D.
 on each & I said you
~~put the money~~ want you
 to put the money when you
 deliver the funds & bring it
 to me on Friday. He said
 I can't come here tomorrow
 as its holiday & Saturday is
 the substitute & Sunday you
 won't be down but I will
 be here Monday morning.
 When he came on the 25th at
 4 PM. he said there were
 out ~~my~~ ^{the} ~~stuff~~ ^{parties} & I said why
 didn't you bring the C.O.D. from
 yesterday. Well I just said
 Paul a C.O.D. & ~~that's~~
~~got all~~ I will not collect
 the money the parties were
 so busy but I will have
 it all by Monday
 Monday went down looking

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for him at 22 Ludlow,
where he lived, went round
to Kings & found he had gone
to Europe

John J. Schmitt

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

expecting to forward the
 business soon then I'll get
 some money & pay you
 four or five dollars a month
 and Mr Paul 10
 dollars a month
 I'll tell what I'll do I will
 see my brother right away
 send up see you at
 Mrs Pauls office Thurs
 day

This conversation took place
 a day or two before he was
 arrested. It was written
 the 27th of April 1842

I delivered to him five coops of
 Puller off on the 25th & on
 the 24th three coops of the
 same were to be delivered to Mrs
 Alexander his sister. Mrs 101
 & three for cuts. Two coops
 were sold for another
 party whose name I have
 forgotten 75 & 29. ~~Two~~ ^{Two} coops
 on the 24th were for Mrs
 Alexander 77 & 2. I wish
 that you take the Puller
 & bring me money Monday morning
 I'll see Mr Paul then
 order for Mrs Alexander my

Louis J. Schwalb

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Jimmie J. Schaub

Have known the defendant
 six years. He was in the
 express business & was
 up the painter, business
 I went to see him with my
 Paul at 40 Hudson Street
 He said ^{to me & to Paul} I am very sorry
 that I took your money
 & will not return it.
 He said to my Paul I am
^{is trying to} ~~much~~ ~~to~~ ~~you~~ &
 my Paul said his
 hundred two dollars
 & some cents.

~~He said~~ ~~to~~ ~~me~~ ~~that~~ ~~he~~ ~~was~~ ~~very~~ ~~sorry~~ ~~that~~ ~~he~~ ~~took~~ ~~my~~ ~~money~~ ~~&~~ ~~will~~ ~~not~~ ~~return~~ ~~it~~
 He said ^{to me} I am
~~much~~ ~~to~~ ~~you~~ &
 my Paul said his
 hundred two dollars
 & 27
 cents. He said if you
 will not have me as
 master & want to
 I can get the money
 I will pay you every
 cent I owe you. He
 said I went out to England
 and got married & lost
 all that money & my
 wife sorrowed in child
 birth. I am ^{doing} nothing
 anything now but I am

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You will collect the amount \$103.00
 Phillips & Co. to see he had collected
 and took the poultry. Baltimore
 Place was at 175 Avenue A

Alexander Paul Jr.
 54 & 60 Grace Ave. West Wash-
 ington Market. I know Phillip
 Wolfe about 5 years. He was an
 expressman. On the 25th of Sept
 1890 I gave the said Phillip Wolfe
 some live poultry to deliver them
 to Phillip Balsam at No. 175 Division
 Street. ~~the poultry is to be delivered to Phillip Balsam~~
 He did deliver them as Mr.
 Balsam told me and that Mr. Balsam
 paid him (Phillip Wolfe) one
 hundred and three dollars and
 fifty cents. Phillip Wolfe never
 paid me the money. He went
 out of town and remained
 away till April 1892. Then I
 called on him on the ~~25th~~ ^{25th} of Apr.
 at No. 40 Ludlow St. (He sent
 for me to call on him). I and
 Louis J. Schwab went to see
 him. He offered to settle with
 me by paying me \$10. per
 month.

When Mr. Schwab and I met
 him he asked me what amount
 of money he owed me. I told
 him six hundred and some odd
 dollars I don't remember the amt.
 He then made me the above

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offer. I made no reply, but
Mr. Schwab and I left together. I
called Officer Stanhoe on the telephone
and directed him to meet Mr.
Schwab, who would point out
Phillip Wolf. I have not seen
the defendant nor had any other
conversation with him.

I have the book containing all
entries of sales, and that particular
sale ~~is~~ this shows date and
amount of stock delivered to Phillip
Wolf by me

Alex Paul

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He said I am very sorry
that I took your money
& did not return it"

He also said "How much
was it" I said six hun-
dred & two & some cents.

He said I will pay you
back at the rate of ten
dollars per month.

Louis J. Schwab

I went with my
Paul & Paula across
the independent. He
when the independent said
I am very sorry that I took
your money, and not
return it" I am not doing
any thing now but

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Alex Paul
&
Schwab.

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Jest Evanston

Hendricks

I received the dependent on the
27th of April 1892. I will show
a warrant for your sworn
out by Paul for 103 + 50 cents
~~to wit~~ that you had delivered
to Bulman. Bulman says he
paid you the money, what
did you do with it? He
said my sister put money
and I gave it to him, they
got me in all that trouble.
I will show you how like
England. He said there is nothing
to do now there. I am glad I
am home - I will pay back
Paul back for my
and the ice business. He
was coming on. Do you
think he will give me a chance
I got the warrant & want to
look for the dependent about
Oct 5th. ¹⁸⁹⁰ I went to his residence
I saw some members of his fam-
ily. Went to several places
neighborhood & inquired of the
officers of the post to whom he
went to his wagon stand & put

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made a thorough search for
him & did not find him.

Wm. E. Lamb

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

On the 25th. Sunday
 Aunt. You bring those with
 C.O.D. I would be said I'll have
 it to Memphis have to be
 believe where the parties ordered
 to be delivered & they will pay later
 Memphis have people when
 they get it & will pay you.
 I said you bring it as soon as
 you can
 Anthony Grubb
 I told Bulman the Puller
 & Camp of meeting & to get
 Pulley Walpe to C.O.D.
 Pulley called I said Pulley
 here is your puller for
 Bulman ^{for the Memphis party} but here is your
 C.O.D. ticket. Hold it the
 party on the way
 He told me ^{Anthony} he delivered
 the Puller to ~~the~~ according
 the Memphis have for
 Bulman

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Louis J. Schwab

I have known the defendant six years, he was in the express business I was in the Poultry business. I went to see him with Mr. Paul at 40 Ludlow Street. He said fine and to Mr. Paul I am very sorry that I took your money and did not return it.

He said to Mr. Paul "How much is coming to you and Mr. Paul said Six hundred two dollars and some cents. He then said How much is coming to you Louis two thirty three dollars and 27 cents. He said if you will not have me arrested and wait till I can get the money I will pay you every cent & over you

He said I went out to England and got married and lost all that money and my wife is now sick in child birth. I am not doing anything now but I am expecting to go into the Ice business soon then I'll get some money and pay you Louis \$5 a month and I'll pay Mr.

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POOR QUALITY
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Paul's 10 per month. I'll tell you
what I'll do I will see my brother
right away and come up and see you
at Mr. Paul's office Thursday. This con-
versation took place a day or two be-
fore he was arrested. He was arrested
the 27th of April 1892. I delivered
to him five coups of Poultry on the
25th & 4th. Three coups of the five
were to be delivered to Mrs Alexan-
der his sister it was \$101²³. Two
coups were ordered for another
party whose name I have for-
gotten 5499. Four coups
on the 24th were for Mrs Alex-
ander 77²³. I said Paley
you take this Poultry and
bring me the money Monday
morning. He said I have
an order for Mrs Alexander
my sister for coups. What
are they worth I figured
it up and it amounted
to 77²³. I gave the card mark-
ed C.O.D. and the writ on the
25th. I delivered the five
coups and put down the
amount on two cards

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6.0.2 on each and I said
I want you to get the money
when you deliver the goods
and bring it - tomorrow (Friday)

He said I can't come down
tomorrow as it is a holiday and
Saturday is the sabbath and
Sunday you won't be down
but I will be here Monday
am

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When he came on the 25th
at 4 P.M. He said

I said why didn't you bring
the 6.0.2 from yesterday.

Well I just said Paul a
6.0.2 and I did not collect
the money the parties were so
busy but I will have it all
by Monday. Monday I
went around looking for him
at 22 Ludlow where he lived
went round to his and
found he had gone to
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James J. Schwab

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Sec. 192

District Police Court.

Undertaking to Appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss :

An information having been laid before Patricia Quiver a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging Phillip Wolfe Defendant with the offense of Larceny (Petty)

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

WE, Phillip Wolfe Defendant of No. 41 Levee Street, by occupation a Lawyer Samuel Wolfe and of No. 45 Levee Street, by occupation a Permitter Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above-named Phillip Wolfe Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 2 District Police Court in the City of New York, during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me this 28 day of April 1897

Phillip Wolfe
Samuel Wolfe
Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

City and County of New York, ss:

Dennis Wolfe

Sworn to before me this
day of *April*
1899
Police Justice.

the within-named Bail and Surety, being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Five* Hundred Dollars,

exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *the house and lot at No 45 Ludlow Street worth 10,000 free and clear*
Dennis Wolfe

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to Appear during
the Examination.

vs.

Taken the *189* day of *April* 1899
Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Philip Wolfe

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

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

The said *Philip Wolfe*;

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 26th day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, at the City and County aforesaid, being then and there the agent and trustee of *Alexander Paul the younger*,

and as such agent and trustee then and there having in his possession, custody and control certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Alexander Paul the younger, the true owner thereof, to wit: *the sum of one hundred and three dollars and fifty cents in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of one hundred and three dollars and fifty cents,* —

the said *Philip Wolfe* — afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously appropriate the said *sum of money* —

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said *Alexander Paul the younger*, of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Alexander Paul the younger*.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.