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Counsel, *R. H.*
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Pleads *Unlawfully*

THE PEOPLE
vs. *B*
George Stamps jr
(2 cases)

MISDEMEANOR.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Part H April 15/87
Pleads guilty
William W. Conner
Foreman.
Wasp

Witnesses:
Thos L. Dubois
Joseph F. Fisher

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Sec. 151.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Police Court 4th District.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Thomas J. Outhoff of No. 523 Lexington Avenue Street, that on the 9th day of March 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

one George Hampe of No 819 Second Avenue in the City of New York did offer for sale and did sell to Depoent one half pound of oleomargarine as and for butter made from unadulterated milk or cream from the same -

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, each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 4th 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 15th day of April 1886
G. M. ...

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10 o'clock on Saturday
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-General.

Dated 188

Magistrate

Bennett Officer.

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

age 26 MS Res 819. 2. Ave
..... Officer.

Dated *April 17* 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

..... Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.
Dated 188

Police Justice.

The within named

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OFFICIAL CHEMIST
- TO THE -
N. Y. MERCANTILE EXCHANGE.

Office and Laboratory
JOSEPH F. GEISLER, Ph. C.,
Analytical and Consulting Chemist,
N. Y. Mercantile Exchange Building.

New Series, No. 115

New York, March 10th 1886

Certificate of Analysis

of a sealed sample of "BUTTER"
marked #115 March 9th 1886, #819-2nd av. T. J. Tuthill T. C. DuBois.
received from Mrs. B. F. Van Valkenburgh, Assist. State Dairy Com.
per Mrs. T. J. Tuthill on March 10th 1886

This Sample contains

Animal and Butter Fat, - - - - -	87.16 %
Curd, - - - - -	1.12 %
Salt, [Ash] - - - - -	2.62 %
Water, at 100° C., - - - - -	9.10 %
	<u>100.00 %</u>

Analysis of the Fat present in the sample:

Soluble Fatty Acids, [on a dry basis] - - - - -	10 %
Insoluble " " " " - - - - -	95.12 %
Specific Gravity of the dry Fat, at 100° F., - - - - -	9069
Titre, - - - - -	

This sample is composed mainly of Animal Fat and is not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter—the product of the dairy, and is made in imitation and semblance of butter produced from unadulterated milk or cream from the same.

Very Respectfully,

J. F. Geisler

Mrs. B. F. Van Valkenburgh,
Assist. State Dairy Com.

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

On the sixteenth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty six before me personally came Joseph F. Geisler to me known, and known to me to be the individual described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he executed the same.

E. J. DuBois
Notary Public
Chgo 70.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,

County of New York

ss.:

Thomas J. Tutbill, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he resides in the 523 Lexington Avenue of New York City in the County of New York and State of New York, and is 34 years of age, and is a Milkman, appointed by JOSHUA K. BROWN, New York State Dairy Commissioner; That on the 9th day of March, 1886, in the Store occupied by him, No. 819 Second Avenue street, in the City of New York in the County of New York and State of New York, one George Hampe, against the form and statutes in such cases made and provided, and in violation thereof, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York, had in his possession, with intent to sell the same for Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, a number of pounds of a substance, product, manufacture and compound, which was not Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, but had been made by manufacturing, mixing and compounding with and adding to a small quantity and proportion of natural Milk, Cream or Butter a large quantity and proportion of animal fats, or animal or vegetable oils, and was a manufactured oleaginous substance not produced from Milk or Cream; that it had been and was colored with some coloring matter whereby the same was made to resemble Butter, the product of the Dairy, and was so colored thereby, in semblance of and resembled Butter and did resemble Butter, the product of the Dairy; that the said George Hampe

offered said substance, product, manufacture and compound for sale as and for Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream at such time and place, with intent to sell the same as and for Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, and did sell some considerable portion thereof, to wit one half pound as and for Butter, the product of the Dairy, and represented the same to be Butter at such time and place; that the said substance, product and compound was not natural Butter produced from pure unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, and was not Butter, the product of the Dairy, and was not made exclusively from Milk or Cream, or both; that it contained some substance for the purpose and with the effect of imparting thereto a color resembling that of yellow Butter, and was in imitation and semblance of natural Butter produced from pure unadulterated Milk or Cream of the same, and was colored by some substance to resemble yellow Butter, and was in semblance of natural Butter; that the same was a substance known as Oleomargarine; that it had been made, manufactured and rendered out of some animal fat, or animal or vegetable oils, not produced from unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, in imitation and semblance of natural Butter, produced from pure unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, by mixing, compounding with and adding to a small quantity of Milk, Cream or Butter, a large quantity and proportion of some animal fats or animal or vegetable oils not produced from Milk or Cream, with design and intent to render, make and produce an article, substance and human food in imitation and semblance of natural Butter.

~~That the tubs in which the same was contained did not have the words "Oleomargarine Butter" upon the top or side thereof, and such words were not burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint, in a straight line not less than one half inch in length, where deponent could see such brand; that no printed label, bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter" was delivered therewith to the purchaser thereof.~~

Deponent further says that on said 9th day of March, 1886, he went to the said Store of said Hampe in said City and County and told Said Hampe that he wanted to buy some butter; that said George Hampe showed deponent one half pound of the said Oleomargarine hereinbefore mentioned, offered the same to deponent for sale, and sold the same to deponent; that he so sold to deponent one half pound thereof, and deponent then paid to him therefor the agreed price thereof, amounting to the sum of \$ 0.14; that, as deponent believes and charges, the said George Hampe at the time of so offering and selling the same, well knew that it was Oleomargarine, and had been manufactured and colored as hereinbefore stated; that he did not tell deponent at any time that the said Oleomargarine so sold to deponent was not Butter, the product of the Dairy; that deponent saw the tubs in which the said Oleomargarine was contained, and no printed label bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter," was delivered by said George Hampe to deponent with the Oleomargarine sold to him; that on March 10th, 1886, deponent delivered a sample of such Oleomargarine, so purchased by him as aforesaid, to Joseph H. Fowler a chemist of the city of New York, N. Y., and caused the same to be analyzed by such chemist, as shown by the annexed certificate of such chemist.

Wherefore, deponent prays that a warrant may issue for the arrest of the said George Hampe and that he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me this April day of 1886
J. Henry Ford } T. J. Tutbill
Police Justice.

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South District Police
Court of the City of New York

County of East York

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs.
George Pompe
Section 8. ch. 113. l. 1863.

Affidavit:

J. P. Cathel
573 Levington Ave

Witnesses:

J. C. Dubois

Residence 350 Madison St.

J. H. Guider

Residence 350 Madison St.

Residence

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Sec. 108-200.

1 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer George Haupe

Question. How old are you?

Answer 26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. WA

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

Answer. 89 1/2 Ave 6 mo

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. Manager

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

Answer. I am not guilty and demand a trial by jury Geo. Haupe.

Taken before me this 17 day of April 188 8
Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Joseph Fuller

Residence

141 - 1st Ave

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court
District
1886

THE PEOPLE, &
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Mulholland
George Brown

Office *West 183rd St*
Section 8, Chap. 183, Laws 1886

Dated

April 17

188

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

J. L. Dubois
350 Washington St.
Wm. J. Seiden
350 Washington St.

No.

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Street

To answer

Wm. J. Seiden

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 *100* 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 17* 188 *Andrew J. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Apr 17* 188 *Andrew J. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

George Stamp the manager

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

George Stamp the manager

(Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 3.) of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *George Stamp the manager*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the City and County aforesaid, *one half pound* of a certain oleaginous substance and compound, not made nor produced from milk or cream (a more particular description of which said substance and compound, and of the ingredients and matters of which the same was made and produced, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), unlawfully did sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one *Thomas J. Indell*, for butter, the product of the dairy; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SECOND COUNT: (Chap. 246, Laws of 1882, § 1.)

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

George Stamp the manager

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *George Stamp the manager*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold, at retail, to one *Thomas J. Indell*, *one half pound* of a certain substance, not butter, commonly called oleomargarine, and did then and there falsely represent the same to the said *Thomas J. Indell*,

to be butter; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

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THIRD COUNT: (Section 430, Penal Code.)

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

George James De Young
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *George James De Young*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold, to one

Thomas J. Tuttle, as an article of food *one half pound* of a certain substance in imitation of a certain article of food, to wit: butter, without disclosing such imitation by a suitable and plainly visible mark or brand; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

FOURTH COUNT: (Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3.)

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

George James De Young
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *George James De Young*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, a certain parcel containing *one half pound* of a certain article and substance in semblance of butter, not the legitimate product of the dairy, and not made exclusively of milk or cream, but into which divers oils and fats not produced from milk or cream, entered as component parts (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), the same being then and there an article and substance required by law, in case of retail sales in parcels, to be sold from a tub, firkin, box or package, distinctly and durably stamped, branded or marked upon the top and side with the words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, where it could be plainly seen, in Roman letters, burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint in a straight line, and not less than one-half inch in length, and wherewith the seller was then and there required by law, to deliver to the purchaser, a printed label, bearing the plainly printed words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, in Roman letters not less than one-half inch in length, in a straight line, unlawfully did then and there sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail to one *Thomas J. Tuttle*.

from a certain *tub* which was not then and there stamped, branded or marked as aforesaid, and did then and there unlawfully omit to deliver therewith to the said *Thomas J. Tuttle*, a label of the kind and description aforesaid, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

Justice.

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FIFTH COUNT : (Chap. 215, Laws 1882, § 2.)

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

George George De Young

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said *George George De Young*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Thomas G. Tuttle, one half pound

of a certain article and substance in semblance of natural butter, and known as oleomargarine or imitation butter, the same not being the legitimate product of the dairy, and not being made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with salt or rennet, or both, with or without coloring matter or sage, but into which divers oils, and animal and other fats, not produced from milk or cream, had been introduced (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SIXTH COUNT : (Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 2.)

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

George George De Young

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said *George George De Young*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Thomas G. Tuttle, one half pound

of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of, and designed to take the place of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same the said article, substance and compound, so sold as aforesaid, being rendered and manufactured out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article, substance and compound not being manufactured or in process of manufacture on the ~~thirteenth~~^{30th} day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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Witnesses:

Thos G. Durbins
Thos J. Justice
vs Joseph F. Gwinlee

Counsel, *R.M.*
Filed 20 day of May 1886
Pleads *M.G. v. G.*

MISDEMEANOR.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B
George Stampfer Jr
(2 names)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Martin K. Harner
Foreman.
Geo W. G. G. G.

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OFFICIAL CHEMIST
- TO THE -
N. Y. MERCANTILE EXCHANGE.

Office and Laboratory
JOSEPH F. GEISLER, Ph. C.,
Analytical and Consulting Chemist,

New Series, No. 1197

N. Y. Mercantile Exchange Building.

New York, Apr. 15th 1886

Certificate of Analysis

of a sealed sample of "BUTTER"
marked #116 March 31st 1886 No. 819-2 an. J. R. Wheeler March 31, 1886
received from Mr. B. F. Van Valkenburg, assist. State Dairy Comm. F. E. DuBois
per Mr. T. E. DuBois on April 15th 1886

This Sample contains

Animal and Butter Fat, - - - -	88.48 %
Curd, - - - - -	1.19 %
Salt, (Ash) - - - - -	1.45 %
Water, at 100° C., - - - -	11.58 %
	<u>100.00 %</u>

Analysis of the Fat present in the sample:

Soluble Fatty Acids, [on a dry basis] - - - -	35.00 %
Insoluble " " " " - - - -	94.86 %
Specific Gravity of the dry Fat, at 100° F., - - - -	9064
Titre, - - - - -	

This sample is composed mainly of Animal Fat and is not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter—the product of the dairy, and is made in imitation and semblance of butter produced from unadulterated milk or cream from the same.

Very Respectfully,

J. F. Geisler.
Mr. B. F. Van Valkenburg
Assist. State Dairy Comm.

State of ny
City of ny } ss.
County of ny

On the 15th day of apr in the year one thousand eight hundred
and Eighty six before me personally came J. F. Geisler
to me known, and known to me to be the individual described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and
acknowledged that he executed the same.

E. T. Windsor
Notary Public
Ch 70.

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No. 116.
April 10th 1886
[Signature]

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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STATE OF NEW YORK,
County of New York ss.:

Thomas C. DuBois, being duly sworn, deposes and says:
That he resides in No 64 East 105th Street in the County of
New York and State of New York, and is 28 years of age,
and is an Inspector, appointed by JOSIAH K. BROWN, New York State Dairy Commissioner;
That on the 31st day of March, 1886, in the
of New York occupied by him, No. 819 Second Avenue, in the City
and State of New York, one George Haupe, against the

form and statutes in such cases made and provided, and in violation thereof, and against the peace of the
people of the State of New York, had in his possession, with intent to sell the same for Butter made from unadul-
terated Milk or Cream, a number of pounds of a substance, product, manufacture and compound, which was not
Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, but had been made by manufacturing, mixing and compounding with
and adding to a small quantity and proportion of natural Milk, Cream or Butter a large quantity and proportion of
animal fats, or animal or vegetable oils, and was a manufactured oleaginous substance not produced from Milk or
Cream; that it had been and was colored with some coloring matter whereby the same was made to resemble Butter,
the product of the Dairy, and was so colored thereby, in semblance of and resembled Butter, and did resemble Butter,
the product of the Dairy; that the said George Haupe

offered said substance, product, manufacture and compound for sale as and for
Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream at such time and place, with intent to sell the same as and for Butter
made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, and did sell some considerable portion thereof, to wit 1 pound

as and for Butter, the product of the Dairy, and represented the same to be Butter at such time
and place; that the said substance, product and compound was not natural Butter produced from pure unadulterated
Milk, or Cream of the same, and was not Butter, the product of the Dairy, and was not made exclusively from Milk or
Cream, or both; that it contained some substance for the purpose and with the effect of imparting thereto a color
resembling that of yellow Butter, and was in imitation and semblance of natural Butter produced from
pure unadulterated Milk or Cream of the same, and was colored by some substance to resemble yellow
Butter, and was in semblance of natural Butter; that the same was a substance known as Oleomargarine; that it had
been made, manufactured and rendered out of some animal fat, or animal or vegetable oils, not produced
from unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, in imitation and semblance of natural Butter, produced from pure un-
adulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, by mixing, compounding with and adding to a small quantity of Milk, Cream
or Butter, a large quantity and proportion of some animal fats or animal or vegetable oils not produced from Milk or
Cream, with design and intent to render, make and produce an article, substance and human food in imitation and
semblance of natural Butter.

~~That the tabs in which the same was contained did not have the words "Oleomargarine Butter"~~
~~upon the top or side thereof, and such words were not burned in or painted thereon with permanent~~
~~black paint, in a straight line not less than one half inch in length, where deponent could see such brand,~~
~~that no printed label, bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter" was delivered therewith to the purchaser thereof~~

Deponent further says that on said 31st day of March
1886, he went to the said store of said
Haupe in said City and County, and told said Haupe
that he wanted to buy some butter; that said Haupe
showed deponent 1 pound of the said Oleomargarine hereinbefore mentioned, offered the
same to deponent for sale, and sold the same to deponent; that he so sold to deponent 1 pound
thereof, and deponent then paid to him therefor the agreed price thereof, amounting to the sum of \$ 0.27;
that, as deponent believes and charges, the said Haupe at the time
of so offering and selling the same, well knew that it was Oleomargarine, and had been manufactured and colored as
hereinbefore stated; that he did not tell deponent at any time that the said Oleomargarine so sold to deponent was not
Butter, the product of the Dairy; ~~that deponent saw the tabs in which the said Oleomargarine was contained, and no~~
printed label bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter," was delivered by said Haupe

April 1st 1886 to deponent with the Oleomargarine sold to him; that on
April 1st 1886 deponent delivered a sample of such Oleomargarine, so
purchased by him as aforesaid, to Joseph H. Giesler a chemist of
the city of New York N. Y., and caused the same to be analyzed by
such chemist, as shown by the annexed certificate of such chemist.

Wherefore, deponent prays that a warrant may issue for the arrest of the said George
Haupe and that he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me this 30th
day of April 1886

Thomas C. DuBois
Justice.

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Paul Dismey Police
Court of the City and
County of New York

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs.

George Temple

Affidavit

J. G. DuBois
307 Washington St

Witnesses:

Joseph H. Gueler
Residence 307 Washington St

J. R. Wheeler
Residence 350 Washington St

Residence

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Sec. 151.

Police Court _____ 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 Thomas C. DuBois
of No. 64 E 108 Street, that on the 31 day of March
1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

*one George Hauke did sell a
substance known as oleomargarine
in violation of the Act in
such case made and provided*

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 _____ 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 31 day of April 1886
Thomas C. DuBois POLICE JUSTICE.

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819 2d av
Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
" " " " " "

Warrant-General.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate

Bennett Officer.
The Defendant George Hampe
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant
age 26 MS Res 819-2 Ave
Officer.

Dated April 30- 1886

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

✓ District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Haupe*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *NY*

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

Answer. *819. 2nd Ave. NY 3 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty and if I had denounce a trait by my Geo. Haupe, Jr.*

Taken before me this *30* day of *April* 188*8*
Wm. J. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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The following is a list of the names of the persons who were present at the trial of the defendant in the case of the People vs. [Name] in the Court of Sessions, New York City, on the 14th day of [Month] 188[Year].

BAILLED,
No. 1, by *[Signature]*
Residence *1212 5th Ave*
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

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Police Court
District *1038*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT
of *Thomas C. [Name]*
330 Washington
Street
New York
City
188[Year]

Dated *April 13*, 188[Year]
Magistrate *[Signature]*

Witnesses
No. 1 *J. P. Wheeler*
350 Washington Street
No. 2 *J. S. [Name]*
[Address] Street
New York

No. _____
to answer \$ *100.*
Street *[Signature]*

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

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

Dated *April 13*, 188[Year] *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated *May 1*, 188[Year] *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____, 188[Year] _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0192

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Figoras Damp
de ymagin*

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

Figoras Damp de ymagin

(Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 3.)

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Figoras Damp de ymagin*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *21st* day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, *one pound* of a certain oleaginous substance and compound, not made nor produced from milk or cream (a more particular description of which said substance and compound, and of the ingredients and matters of which the same was made and produced, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), unlawfully did sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one *Thomas P. Dubois*, for butter, the product of the dairy; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SECOND COUNT: (Chap. 246, Laws of 1882, § 1.)

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

Figoras Damp de ymagin

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Figoras Damp de ymagin*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold, at retail, to one *Thomas P. Dubois*, *one pound* of a certain substance, not butter, commonly called oleomargarine, and did then and there falsely represent the same to the said *Thomas P. Dubois*,

to be butter; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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THIRD COUNT: (Section 430, Penal Code.)

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

George Dampé de Young

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *George Dampé de Young,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold, to one

Thomas R. Dubois, as an article of food *one pound* of a certain substance in imitation of a certain article of food, to wit: butter, without disclosing such imitation by a suitable and plainly visible mark or brand; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

FOURTH COUNT: (Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3.)

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

George Dampé de Young

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *George Dampé de Young,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, a certain parcel containing *one pound* of a certain article and substance in semblance of butter, not the legitimate product of the dairy, and not made exclusively of milk or cream, but into which divers oils and fats not produced from milk or cream, entered as component parts (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), the same being then and there an article and substance required by law, in case of retail sales in parcels, to be sold from a tub, firkin, box or package, distinctly and durably stamped, branded or marked upon the top and side with the words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, where it could be plainly seen, in Roman letters, burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint in a straight line, and not less than one-half inch in length, and wherewith the seller was then and there required by law, to deliver to the purchaser, a printed label, bearing the plainly printed words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, in Roman letters not less than one-half inch in length, in a straight line, unlawfully did then and there sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail to one *Thomas R. Dubois,*

from a certain *tub* — which was not then and there stamped, branded or marked as aforesaid, and did then and there unlawfully omit to deliver therewith to the said *Thomas R. Dubois,* a label of the kind and description aforesaid, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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FIFTH COUNT : (Chap. 215, Laws 1882, § 2.)

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

George Dange the younger
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said

George Dange the younger

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Thomas D. Davis, one pound

of a certain article and substance in semblance of natural butter, and known as oleomargarine or imitation butter, the same not being the legitimate product of the dairy, and not being made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with salt or rennet, or both, with or without coloring matter or sage, but into which divers oils, and animal and other fats, not produced from milk or cream, had been introduced (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SIXTH COUNT : (Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 2.)

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

George Dange the younger
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said

George Dange the younger

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Thomas D. Davis, one pound

of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of, and designed to take the place of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same the said article, substance and compound, so sold as aforesaid, being rendered and manufactured out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article, substance and compound not being manufactured or in process of manufacture on the ^{30th} ~~thirteenth~~ day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2156

DESCRIPTION:

Hanaway, John

DATE:

05/07/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Nancy Allen

Wm. J. Keeler

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Counsel,

Filed *7* day of *May* 188*6*

Pleads.

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree, etc. [Sections 628, 631, 550, Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

v.s.

John Hanaway

GRANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Richard A. Landon

Foreman.

Henry H. Kelly

S.P. H. Evans.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0197

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 68 Courtland Street, aged 48 years,
occupation Engineer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 3rd day of May 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

A quantity of rope known as a "hawser" valued at Thirty Five Dollars

the property of The New York Steam Company and in the care and custody 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 John Hanaway (now

here) for the reasons following, to wit: said rope was in store room of said Company on Pier 3 North River and deponent having missed the said rope is informed by Patrick Brogan an officer attached to the 27th Precinct that he Brogan found the said deponent and with the said rope in his possession in the hallway of 21 Morris St.

Deponent having since seen the said property and having identified the same charges the said deponent with the larceny thereof

H. R. Allen

Sworn to before me this 3rd day of May 1888 at New York City
Samuel Jackson Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY

0198

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick Brogan
Police Officer of No.

aged 35 years, occupation

27th Reciner Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of J. Henry Allen
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me 4
day of May 1886

Patrick Brogan

A. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0199

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Hanaway*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *63 Washington St. 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Truck driver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty
John Hanaway*

Taken before me this

day of *May* 188*6*

John M. Butcher

Police Justice.

0200

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court - 1650 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 Henry Allen
2 John Sawary
3 Grand Juror
4 Offence

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence

No. 2, by
Residence

No. 3, by
Residence

No. 4, by
Residence

No. 5, by
Residence

Date: May 4 188

Magistrate

Officer

Witnesses

No. 1
Street

No. 2
Street

No. 3
Street

No. 4
Street

No. 5
Street

\$ 1000.00 in answer

Comd

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

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

Dated May 4 188 J. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0201

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

against

John Danahy
and himself, did feloniously...

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

John Danahy

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

The said *John Danahy*

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

Five hundred and fifty feet of rope, of the value of thirty cents each foot.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *a certain corporation called the New York Steam Company*

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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0202

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Danaway—

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

The said *John Danaway*

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

Two hundred and fifty feet

of more or less value of thirty

cents each foot.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ *a certain corporation*
called the New York Steam Company.

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

unlawfully ~~and feloniously~~ receive and have; the said

John Danaway,

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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2156

DESCRIPTION:

Harris, Edward

DATE:

05/04/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0204

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Counsel,

Filed # day of

1886

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Harris

A. D.

ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Richard W. Bennett

Foreman.

May 7/86.

Proceed to Verdict.

Witnesses:

Edward Johnson

Off. John Hogan

4th Ward

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0205

Police Court First District.

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

Edward Johnson

of No. 42 Baxter Street, aged 19 years,
occupation Laborer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 1st day of May 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by
Edward Harris (now here)

who did wilfully cut and stab
deponent in the back with the blade
of a pen knife then and there held in
his deponents hands 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 dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day
of May 1886.

E. J. Johnson

Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0206

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Edward Harris

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Edward Harris*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *104 Cherry Street 12 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Drive an Express Wagon*

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*

Edward Harris

Taken before me this

day of *May* 188*8*

2nd

David P. Kelly Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0207

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

1st District

THE PEOPLE, Sec.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Moran

1 Edward J. Moran
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Offense Felonious Assault

Dated

May 2 1887

John J. Kelly

Magistrate

John J. Kelly
Officer

Witness

No. 1
Complainant
No. 2
Committed to the
No. 3
House of Detention
No. 4
The Arsenal - 57th St

Street

No.

\$ 1000

to answer

9.8.

Street

Committed

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 10 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 2 1887. Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1887. _____ 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 _____ 1887. _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0208

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 15th DISTRICT.

of No. The 1st Precinct Police Street aged 27 years.
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says
 that on the 2nd day of May 1886
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Edward Johnson
 (now here) who is a material witness
 in a case of felonious assault against
 Edward Harris and deponent has
 reason to believe that said Johnson
 will not appear at the next Court of
 General Sessions in and for said city &
 county of New York to testify
 wherefore deponent prays he may be ordered
 to enter into recognizance with security for his
 appearance at such court

John Hogan

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day of May 1886
 of John Hogan
 J. W. Kelly
 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0209

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Edward Davis

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

Edward Davis

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

The said *Edward Davis,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *May*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Edward Johnson,* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *kill* the said *Edward Johnson,* with a certain *knife*

which the said *Edward Davis* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

with intent *kill* the said *Edward Johnson,* 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

Edward Davis

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

The said *Edward Davis,*

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 one *Edward Johnson,* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *kill* the said

Edward Johnson, with a certain *knife*

which *he* the said *Edward Davis* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a *instrument* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Edward Johnson
Edward Johnson

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0210

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Counsel,
Filed & day of *May* 1886
Pleads *Not guilty (5)*

THE PEOPLE
vs. *R*
Edward Harris
H.D.
ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William W. Mansueti
May 7/86. Foreman.
Ordered & Requested.

Witnesses:
Edward Johnson
Off John Boyan
H. M. Menden

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hays, John B.

DATE:

05/26/86



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FOLDER:

2156

DESCRIPTION:

Avery, Washington, J.

DATE:

05/26/86



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Bail fixed at \$1000 for Avery
R.B.C.

Witnesses:

Chas. Muesener
Centine Office

For the reasons stated
in Report of Asst. Dist. Atty.
Semple herewith filed I
recommend that within
indictment be dismissed
as to deft. John B. Hayes
and that the bail of deft.
Hayes be discharged.

October 25, 1886
Randolph B. Martine
Dist. Atty.
For reasons stated in
the report of Asst. Dist.
Atty. Semple which I re-
commend that within
indictment be dismissed
as to deft. John B. Hayes
and that the bail of deft.
Hayes be discharged.
Paul Redner
\$5000 R.B.C.
subs of 88 9

No. 2 - 1887 Feb 13/88
311 (663)
Mr. A. G. Fox

Counsel, 21 Court Row
Filed 26 day of May 1886

Pleads Acquitted by
2 do Judge

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John B. Hayes
Lms P
Washington J. Avery

Mr. Martine
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill
Foreman
Substituted dismissed

[Sections 628 and 631, Penal Code]
(False pretenses)
LARCENY

0213

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0214

OFFICE OF THE SALVO REMEDY, No. 2 WEST 14TH STREET,

258 East 125th St

H. G. Ballin M.D. Money to paid Feb 3 1886
Geo. B. Kaye M.D. 17. Pls in this office

New York Feb 1st 1886

I, Charles Messmer, hereby agree to subscribe Two Hundred Dollars, to be paid into the Treasury of the N.Y. Detective Co & in return for same I am to have one fifteenth interest in the Management & proceeds of said Company & also to have issued to me by said Company shares equivalent to said amt as security for said investment & in addition thereto I agree to pay the agents John A. Hays ten per cent of said amt. for securing said business. Payment to be made on deposit of my - Charles Messmer

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Weyland Yessum
Contract

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Westchester County. Address: Responsible, box
World, Newtown Branch.
HAVE YOU A BUSINESS and want capital, or have
you capital and want a business? Call and investi-
gate. West 14th St., rooms 10 and 11.
W.

WANTED - A young man with some capital to connect
with a detective bureau well established;
salary guaranteed and investment secured. - Apply
West 14th St., rooms 10 and 11.
WANTED - An honest man to help a woman secure
an investment involving thousands.
A. REST

Aug 31/86
W. H. Wood
Sunday

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0217

...WANTED...
...World Uptown Branch...
HAVE YOU A BUSINESS and want capital, or have you capital and want a business? Call and invest...
HAVING other...

Gravesend, L. I.
WANTED—A young man with some capital to connect himself with a detective bureau well established; large salary guaranteed and investment secured. Apply at 2 West 14th st., rooms 10 and 11.
WANTED—An honest man to help a woman secure her right in an investment involving thousands.

Jan 31/1915
N.Y. World
Shannon

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0218

Police Court

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District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. *758 East 125th* Street, aged *37* years,

occupation *Carpenter* being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the *3rd* day of *February* 188*6* 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 amounting to Seven hundred and twenty dollars (\$720.00)

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

John B. Hayes of *Washington*

D. Avery for the following reasons to wit: On the *31st* day of *January* 188*6* there appeared an advertisement in *Sunday World* Newspaper for a man willing to invest from *Two Hundred to fifteen Hundred Dollars* for an interest in the *New York Detective Bureau* with instructions to apply to one *John B. Hayes* No. 2 West 14th Street Rooms 9 and 10. That deponent answered said advertisement on the *1st* February 188*6* by calling at No. 2 West 14th Street where deponent met a man whose name is unknown to deponent and who directed deponent to call at *19 East 14th Street* and see said *Washington D. Avery*. That deponent went there as directed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3rd* day of *February* 188*6*

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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and saw said Washington J. Avery who told deponent that he was organizing a new Company to be called the International Secret Service Company and that he had eight men to work - That the said Avery then directed deponent to call back and see the said John B. Hayes at No. 2 west 14th Street - Deponent did as directed and saw the said Hayes who asked deponent if he were ready for business Deponent answered that he was - The said Hayes then ^{and agreed with} promised deponent that he would give deponent a position of fifteen dollars per week in the International Secret Service Company and one fifteenth interest in the business, stocks and fixtures of the New York Detective Bureau No. 19 East 14th Street on condition that deponent would ^{pay} over to said Hayes the sum of ^{one hundred and twenty} dollars - Deponent believing the representations so made to be true, deponent handed to said Hayes the aforesaid amount of money on the 3rd February 1886 at 12 o'clock noon -

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 ^{one hundred} Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York until he give such bail.
 Dated 1886
 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named
 to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
 Dated 1886
 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 1886
 Police Justice.

Police Court, District, _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 on the complaint of
 1. Charles Messers
 2. John B. Hayes
 3. Washington J. Avery

Offence - LARCENY

Dated April 22 1886

Magistrate

 Officer

 Clerk

Witnesses, _____
 No. _____ Street, _____
 No. _____ Street, _____
 No. _____ Street, _____
 § _____ to answer _____ Sessions _____

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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March
New York Tuesday 2 1886,
Received from *H Irving Young*
Fifteen Dollars **Dollars**
in full & date
On account of Unizes
\$ *15.00*  *Charles Messmer*

After paying said Hayes the money as
already described, the said Hayes took
deponent to No 19 Court of the Court House of
where he received a bill of sale and an
agreement the papers of which are
hereto annexed. That the said Hayes
has failed to ^{supp.} his agreement ~~and~~ ^{with}
deponent. That deponent called
every day from the 3rd of February till
the 13th March 1866, when the said
Washington S. Avery agreed and
stipulated to repay deponent the
sum of two hundred dollars on the
13th April 1866. That the said
Avery has left for parts unknown
to deponent.

Wherefore deponent charges
said defendants acting in concert
together with the barony of said
moneys through false and fraudulent
representations.

Sworn to before me
this 21st day of April 1866

Charles Messmer

J. H. Coffey
Police Justice

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HILL OF SALE.

W. Reid Gould, Law Blank Publisher and Stationer, 168 Nassau St. N. Y.

Know all Men by these Presents, That
I Washington Irving Avery of the
City, County and State of New York,
party

of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of
Two Hundred Dollars lawful money of the United States,
to me in hand paid, at or before the ensembling and delivery of these presents
by

Charles Messmer of the same
place, party

of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have bargained
and sold, and by these presents do grant and convey unto the said party
of the second part, his executors, administrators and assigns, all the
full undivided one fifteenth interest of, in,
and to the business, stock, and fixtures of the
New York Detective Bureau, (of which
said Bureau I am sole Proprietor) -
Subject however to the conditions and
stipulations set forth in a certain agree-
ment of even date herewith and made
part hereof. The office of said Bureau
being at No: 19 East 14th Street in the
said City of New York,

To have and to hold the same unto the said party of the second
part, his executors administrators and assigns for ever. And I do
for myself, each of my heirs, executors and administrators, covenant and agree, to
and with the said party of the second part, to warrant and defend the
sale of the said Business, Stock, and fixtures hereby sold unto the
said party of the second part his executors, administrators and assigns,
against all and every person and persons whomsoever.

In Witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
seal the Third day of February in the year one thousand
eight hundred and eighty six

Sealed and delivered in the presence of

Washington Irving Avery

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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State of New York
City of New York } SS.
County of New York

On the Third day of February in the year
one thousand eight hundred and eighty six before me personally came
Washington Irving Avery

to me known, and known to me to be the individual described in, and who
executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged
that - he - executed the same.

John C. Fulger
Notary Public (111)
N.Y.C.

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W. J. Avery

TO

Chas Maxwell

BILL OF SALE.

Dated Feby 3rd 1886

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

John D. Hayes 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 to see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John D. Hayes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *7 West 14th St (7 Months)*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Broker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
John D. Hayes

Taken before me this *12* day of *Sept* 19*11*
[Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 151.

2nd District Police Court.

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 any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Charles Meesmer

of No. 258 East 125th Street, that on the 3rd day of February 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

Good and lawful money of the United States

of the value of Two Hundred and twenty Dollars, the property of Complainant

was taken, stoien and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by John Bayo and Washington Henry

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith bring them before me, at the 2 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 2nd day of February 1886 [Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated

Feb 22 1886

Magistrate

[Signature]

Inspector Henry Officer

The Defendant

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

Officer.

Dated

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This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest

Native of

Age

Sex

Complexion

Color

Profession

Married

Single

Read

Write

Whereas, Washington Irving Avery of the City County and State of New York Party of the first part, has this day sold unto Charles Messmer of the same place, Party of the second part, a full undivided one fifteenth interest of, in and to the business, stock, and fixtures, of the New York Detective Bureau, No: 19 East 14th Street, New York City, Subject however to the following Condition, to wit: That the said party of the second part expressly agrees to the formation of a company, about to be incorporated under the laws of the State of New York entitled "The International Secret Service Company" of which, said party of the first part is the originator.

And it is hereby expressly understood and agreed by and between the parties hereto, that immediately subsequent to the incorporation of said Company and upon the engraving of the certificates of stock, said party of the first part will deliver or cause to be delivered to the party of second part either twenty shares of paid up stock of said company (for value of which is Ten Dollars) or a ten percent paid up interest of the stock upon an aggregate of Two thousand Dollars each or either of said certificates of stock amounting to the sum of Two Hundred Dollars.

Now this Indenture Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of Two Hundred Dollars lawful money, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged

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the said party of the First part has
this day sealed and delivered a proper
Bill of Sale of one fifteenth part of
said Business above recited, Conditioned
as aforesaid

In witness whereof the parties hereto have
hereunto set their hands and seals
the Third day of February in the year
one thousand eight hundred and
eighty six (1886)

In the presence of

Of Irving Ave
Charles Messner

John A. Fuller

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ORIGINAL

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J. J. Know all men by these presents,
Whereas Charles A. Messmer has
heretofore paid to me Washington
Irving Avery the sum of Two Hundred
Dollars lawful money, for a one
fifteenth part or interest in my business
carried on at No 19 East 14th Street
New York City under the name or
style of "The New York Detective Bureau",
and whereas said Charles A. Messmer
is desirous of withdrawing from the
terms of the agreement made at the
time of the sale of said interest,
Now this Indenture Witnesseth
that I hereby agree and stipulate
to repay to said Messmer (on the
delivery and cancellation by him to me
of the agreement and Bill of Sale made
as aforesaid) the said sum of Two
Hundred Dollars on or before the
13 day of April 1886.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and Seal this 13th day
of March 1886.

In presence of
John Gregory W. Irving Avery



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State of New York }
City of New York }

On this 13th day of April, 1886 before me personally appeared Washington Irving Avery known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

John C. Sargent
Notary Public in and for the City of New York

W. I. Avery
with

Charles Meener

Agreement

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Chapman
John B. Hayes
Washington D. C.
Offence *Grand Larceny*

BAILLED,
No. 1, by *A. E. Hayes*
Residence *15 E. 83rd*
Street

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street

Dated *April 22* 188*6*
Magistrate
W. H. C. [unclear]
Precinct.

Witnesses
Charles Medmen
Atlanta
Street.

No. *Brooklyn East*
Watson's

No. *to answer*
Paul Paulud



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

John B. Hayes
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 22* 188*6* *J. G. Duffy* Police Justice.

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

Dated *April 25* 188*6* *J. G. Duffy* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

Case of General Persons.

The People
v.

Washington J. Query et al.

G. L.

2 d.

Depositions

Charles Messerer:

Cor. Atlantic & Utton St.

East New York

Carpenter. On the 1st of February, 1886,
through a representative of John
F. Hayes, I was brought to the
defendant Query, at his office
No. 19 East 14th St. The defend-
ant said, he was starting a
new business, called the Inter-
national Detective Agency. If
you are willing to go into it,
you can have a share thereof.
I have eight men at work
now. They are all veterans
who served in the army, the
same as yourself. I have also
Dr. Hayes at the head of my
business. He is a very smart
man. He has been in the U. S.
service and has been an officer

Case of General Peers.

The People
v.

Washington & Avery et al.

C. D.
2 d.

Depositions

Charles Messner:

Cor. Atlantic & Ocean St.,

East New York

Carpenter. On the 1st of February, 1886,
through a representative of John
F. Hayes, I was brought to the
defendant Avery, at his office
No. 19 East 14th St. The defend-
ant said, he was starting a
new business, called the Inter-
national Detective Agency. If
you are willing to go into it,
you can have a share thereof.
I have eight men at work
now; they are all veterans
who served in the army, the
same as yourself. I have also

Dr. Hayes at the head of my
business. He is a very smart
man. He has been in the U. S.
service and has been an officer

in the army. I have had several cases in which my men have recovered the money. One man has just recovered \$1600. It is a ~~very~~ lucrative business, an honorable business. Its object is to create a new system of detection. I had papers drawn up by Commodore Brown. I told the defendant that my object was to get a job at about \$15 a week, that I would be willing to invest \$200 in any honorable business. The defendant said; You better go over and see Dr. Hayes. I went over and returned with Dr. Hayes. We agreed that I should pay \$200 and get one undivided fifth part interest in the business. A bill of sale was given to me. The defendant then introduced me to a lot of men as his operator. On going downstairs, he asked me what I wanted, \$15 a week or \$3 a day. I said, I wanted \$15 a week, and asked the defendant, what my duties would be. He replied I should have to relieve another man. He asked me whether I

was ready to go to work to-day.
I said I was ready. I remained
six weeks at defendant's office.
On the first Saturday he gave me \$6,
On the next Saturday he did not give
me anything. The whole amount
I received in installments from the
defendant was \$68. I was never
sent out on duty, and he refused
to give me the stipulated wages.
I demanded my money back.
On the 13th of March, 1886, he gave
me \$15 and said, he could not give
me any more. Hereafter he agreed
in writing to return me the
money in thirty days; he did
not keep his agreement and
thereupon I preferred a charge
against him and Harp.

Complainant stated that one
Sydney James Oredenburg could
give valuable evidence, but
~~subpoena~~ subpoena server has, however,
been unable to subpoena him.

Edward Drosse
Dep. Asst. Dist. Atty.

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I am of opinion that the testimony of Charles Messenger is insufficient to secure a conviction of ~~the~~ defendant. It does not prove the falsity of any of statements which the defendant made to him in regard to his business and by which the complainant was induced to part with his money. The People are unable to procure any further evidence, for the present at least, and as the defendant has been imprisoned for nearly two months I recommend the dismissal of the indictment as against him.

Dated N. Y. March 23, 1838

Edward Gross
Dep. Sect. Dist. Atty.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.

W. J. Haery

BRIEF OF FACTS.

~~And never in part in~~
~~to character in part in~~

For the District Attorney.

Dated March 23 1888.
Edward Gosse

Deputy Assistant.

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L.M.

STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Charles Messmer

John O. Stange
Washington, D.C.

BEFORE HON.

J. H. Duffy

POLICE JUSTICE,

April 22 1886

APPEARANCES:

{ *For the People,*
For the Defence,

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I N D E X .

WITNESSES.

Direct Ex.

Cross Ex.

Re-Direct.

Re-Cross.

Stange
Messmer

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M. J. O'Keefe

Official Stenographer.

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2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
vs
COMPLAINANT OF
Charles Messum Examination held April 22 188
J. B. Stays Before John H. Duff Police Justice.
H. D. [unclear]

I, M. J. Cooney Stenographer of the 2 District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of J. B. Stays Charles Messum and [unclear] as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Date: April 22 188
J. H. Duff Police Justice.
M. J. Cooney Stenographer.

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New York April 22 1886
Deccoy District Police Court
Hon. C. G. Duffy - Presiding

Charles Messmer }
J. D. Hays and }
H. D. Avery }

~~~~~ J. D. Hays, being duly  
sworn, deposed and says  
that he is 38 years of age,  
is Manager of the Knickerbocker  
Protege Company at No  
7 West 14<sup>th</sup> St.

Ques How long have  
Ans you been Manager  
since the 5<sup>th</sup>  
Januany 1886.

Ques State what  
kind of business is carried  
on there?

Ans We buy and sell  
Patents, negotiate business,  
sell stores, procure partners  
and such as that; we  
get capital for those who  
want it. I am the middle  
man between the Capitalist  
and partners.

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Ques And in each transaction your pecuniary interest is what?

Ans Brokers percent.

Ques Does the amount vary?

Ans Up to five hundred dollars we charge ten per cent, money invested over that we charge 5 per cent.

Ques And that is paid by whom?

Ans The party contracting with us.

Ques How long do you know Avery?

Ans He came into the office about the middle of January 1886 and said they was about to establish a United States Detective Bureau.

Ques Was he in any other business before that time?

Ans He said he was a detective.

Ques Did he have any office of his own?

Ans Yes Sir, at 19 East 14th St.

Ques Note all the conversation that took place

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Q. Between you and Mr  
Covey? He said, he said  
he wanted a person to  
represent him in securing  
capital to establish a  
United States Detective  
Bureau. That they were  
incorporated under the  
State of New York, he said  
they wanted five incorporations  
and that they had three  
and he wanted two more,  
and that I would send  
to him all such parties  
as came, and in a Broker-  
age Business it would look  
most natural; he wanted  
me to act as his agent.

Q. At that time were you  
carrying a general Broker-  
age Business?

A. Yes. I was.  
Q. You advertised different  
kinds of business?

A. Yes. Yes sir.  
Q. After that statement was  
made by him, what did  
you do?

A. He asked me to go  
and see the rooms he  
had. I went over with him

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Ie looked through the course and it looked like a prosperous enterprise, I told him I knew little or nothing about such business, and he would have to interview such parties as come.

Ques

Did you advertise his scheme?

Ans

He did, he paid for the advertisement.

Ques

This last advertisement attached to the paper, he wrote and paid for?

Ans  
Ques

He did, did. In response to that advertisement did you receive any reply by letter or in person?

Ans

Quite a number. Mr Mesamer called in reply to that, he, come and I referred him to Mr Avery and told him to go and look into it. I told him where the place was, the address was given him. He went over to the Bureau and come back and said he was well pleased. I asked him what proposition Mr Avery made to him and

I wrote it on this paper  
(Exhibit A) I got down and  
wrote it down, and said  
well if you want this  
space my Proterage will  
be 10 per cent, I read this  
paper to him, so there would  
be no misunderstanding,  
I wrote it, and he signed  
it. He said he would be  
down in a day or two, and  
I said if he failed to come  
the contract would be broken,  
He did not leave any  
money with me. He came  
on Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> and said he  
was ready to fulfil his  
contract. He said "I am  
going into the business"  
I will go and get the  
money; he came back  
with the money. I said  
they have made an  
appointment to meet you,  
if they are not here I  
will go with you to the  
Office, my Proterage is 10  
per cent, and he pulled  
over the money and  
handed it to me. I took  
my Commission and  
went with him to Mr



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Ques Do you know the methods  
of Mr Avery's scheme?  
Ans Nothing about it.  
We have one hundred  
such callers each day &  
said to him "You must  
look into this, as I am not  
competent to."

Answered before me this  
7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

Police Justice

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Charles Messmer being  
very evasive, deposes again  
says that he is 34 years of  
age, a Carpenter by occupation  
and lives at 258 East 125<sup>th</sup>  
St.

Ques When you first went  
to this office who did you  
see there?

Ans I saw that  
young man there (Mr. Wingo)

Ques What conversation did  
you have with him?

Ans I said I came in  
answer to the advertisement

Ques What did he say?

Ans He said he did not  
know what the business  
was, but that Mr. Hayes  
and other parties were  
getting up a company  
and he was to be called  
The United States Detective  
Co. Mr. Wingo told me  
to go to 19 West 14<sup>th</sup> St and  
see Mr. Avery; I saw  
and told him I had been  
to 7 West 14<sup>th</sup> in answer to  
an advertisement.

Ques Whose representation did  
you pay the money?

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Ques On Mr Hayes, partly, when you paid the money did you see the money pass to my one?

Ans I never saw it after Mr Hayes got it.

Ques Was Mr Hayes present when the papers were signed?

Ans Yes Sir he was.

Ques You paid the money in good faith?

Ans Yes Sir. I thought I would get a job Chase & Livingston

Ques And you have any conversation with Mr Hayes before you went to Mr Murray's Office the first time?

Ans No Sir before I saw Mr Hayes, I first called on Mr Carr in N.Y. I did not see Mr Hayes there, I was sent to Mr Albany Office. I had a conversation with myr. He said I would have to negotiate with Mr Hayes.

Ques Mr Murray told you all about the thing?

Ques No Sir. He presented to you what you would have to do?

Ans Yes Sir, but said I would have to see Mr Hayes.

Ques Write all the correspondence you had with Mr Hayes?

Ans He asked me if I wanted to go into this business. I said I think it would be all right. He asked me how much I had, I had \$200; he asked me if I had \$300, I said no, he said what you want is to get at 15 dollars a week, I said on your representation I will be here at 17 o'clock Wednesday. Before I came I saw Mr Hayes. He said he would be my attorney, that he would secure me, I then got the money.

Ques Who gave you the Bill of Sale?

Ans This was handed me on 19 East 14th Street office. Dr Hayes went there with me.

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Ques When you came back  
from Army Office did  
you tell him what he  
told you?

Ans I had more  
confidence in Mr Hays  
& told Hays what they  
told me. I asked him  
what he thought about it,  
then he wrote this paper  
(GA) Mr Hays and myself  
went to Mr Myers Office  
and I was introduced as  
an Operator

Edward Hays me  
this Friday of April 1886

Police Officer

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Mr King, age 23 years, residence Brooklyn (house number refused)

Ques

Did you see this man Messenger when he called on the Office?

Ans

I had a conversation with him.

Ques

Did you hear the conversation related that he has just related, is it correct or not?

Ans

I stated to him the scheme as it was represented to me, that they were to establish a Detective Bureau similar to Pinkerton, having branches in all the principal cities. I referred him to Dr Hayes, not having any interest in the scheme. I did not know anything about it.

Ques

Did he see Dr Hayes?

Ans

He went to Mr Webb's

Ques

Have you stated now, all the conversation you had with him?

Ans

As Sir.  
Sworn to before me this }  
17 day of April 1886 } 12

Police Justice

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Ques

Do Hays recalled if you did not see Mr Messner the first time he called?

Ans

I saw him only when he signed the ~~country~~ may have seen before

Ques

Were you present when these papers were handed to him?

Ans

I never saw them till today. I paid nothing to him about 15 dollars a week.

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District Police Court.

*Edward Heesmer*  
*John C. Hayes*

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT.

*April 22*  
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BEFORE HON.  
*C. A. Dwyer*  
Police Justice.

*M. J. Sweeney*  
Official Stenographer.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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State of New York, :  
: ss:--  
City and County of New York :

We, the undersigned *Washington Irving Avery*  
*Susan M. Avery* *Sydney James Wredenbergh*  
*Samuel Clapp* and ~~*Samuel Clapp*~~ *John Kipper*  
all of whom are residents of this State, being desirous of  
forming a Company in the class of limited liability, in ac-  
cordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of  
the State of New York, entitled "An Act to provide for the  
Organization and regulation of certain business Corporations"  
passed June 21st, 1875, hereby certify:

That the name of the proposed Corporation shall be  
*The International Secret Service Company* Limited.

That the object for which it is to be formed is for carrying  
on the business of the detection and prevention of crime, de-  
rivation in the performance of necessarily legal duties and  
in the observance of lawful relations, misdemeanors and mal-  
feasances, the discovery and reclamation of stolen or lost  
property and the finding and restoration of lost and missing  
persons, and the office and place of business thereof is to be  
in the City and County and State of New York.

That the amount of Capital Stock of said Corporation  
shall be *Fifty Thousand* — dollars.

That all of the Capital Stock shall be represented in  
lawful money.

That the number of shares of which said Capital stock

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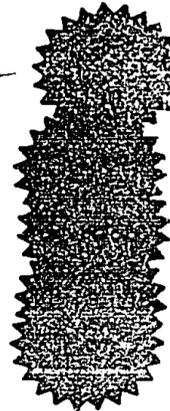
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consist is *Five Thousand* \_\_\_\_\_ of the par  
value of ten dollars each,

That the location of the principal business office of  
said Corporation is to be in the City of New York and in the  
County and State of New York.

That the duration of said Corporation is to be for  
the term of *Twenty five* years.

*Washington Irving Avery*  
*Susan M. Avery*  
*Sydney James Vredenburg*  
*Samuel Otis Clapp*  
*John Keiper*



State of New York, :  
: ss :--  
City and County of New York:

On this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of January, A. D. 1886, before  
me personally came and appeared *Washington Irving Avery*  
*and Susan M. Avery his wife - Sydney*  
*James Vredenburg - Samuel O. Clapp*  
*and John Keiper,*  
to me personally known, and known to me to be the persons  
described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and  
who severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same  
for the purposes therein set forth.

I N W I T N E S S W H E R E O F, I have hereunto

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set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the city of  
New York, County and State of New York, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of  
January, A. D. 1886.

*T. D. Sullivan*

State of New York, } ss.:  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE }

I have compared the preceding with the  
*original Certificate of Incorporation of*  
*the International Secret Service Com-*  
*-pany Limited* with acknowledgment  
thereto annexed, filed and recorded in this office on the *fifth*  
day of *February* 1886, and do **HEREBY CERTIFY** the  
same to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of the said original.

Witness my hand and the seal of office of the  
Secretary of State, at the City of Albany,  
this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*

*Frederic C. Wall*  
Secretary of State.

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set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the city of  
New York, County and State of New York, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of  
January, A. D. 1886.

John C. Gulyard  
Notary Public (111)  
N.Y.C.

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L I C E N S E .

State of New York- :  
Office of the Secretary of State : ss:--

Whereas application for the formation of a Corporation in the class of limited liability, under the Corporate name *The International Cross Service Company, Limited* pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 611, Laws of 1875, entitled "An Act to provide for the Organization and regulation of certain business Corporations", was filed in this office on the *fifth* day of ~~January~~ *February*, A. D. 1886.

I therefore license and appoint *Washington Irving Arroy, Susan M. Arroy, Sidney James Vredenburg, Samuel O. Clapp and John Deeper* Commissioners to open books for subscription to the Capital stock of such Corporation, agreeably to the requirements of the said Act.

W I T N E S S my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the City of Albany, this *fifth* day of ~~January~~ *February*, 1886.

*Fredrick Cook*  
Secretary of State

*Seal*

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(Endorsed)

The International Bank  
of America Company  
Limited

Preliminary  
Certificate

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE,  
FILED AND  
RECORDED *Nov 5* 1886

*Dickrook Willis*  
DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE.

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People  
~~of~~  
Hayes }

21 Park Row  
New York May 12<sup>th</sup> 1886.

Hon. Vernon M. Davis.

Asst. Dist. Atty.

Sir: In comparing the manu-  
script copy with the type written copy, of the  
affidavit of Mr. Sulzer, the duplicate of which  
I hold, I find that, on page 5, line third, April  
should be February - the mistake is quite obvious.  
Sulzer's business address, is room 16, 132 Nassau  
St. If it should be the inclination of your office  
to submit Mr. Hayes case fully to the Grand Jury,  
and in doing it, unavoidably ~~the business~~ the business  
files of the business of Avery becomes the subject  
of investigation, I would be willing, should you  
desire it, individually, or in connection with  
Mr. Sulzer, to tell the Grand Jury, all I know  
of Avery's Bureau and his purposes - I have  
considerable knowledge of those, and I can  
frankly state to you, that acting as his counsel  
in his matters, and in his intercourse with me  
in this capacity, I always found Avery animated

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by an honorably ambitious endeavor to build  
up a first class detective agency - He put all  
of his ready means into it - about \$1900 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> and  
was short of money to go on as he wished - He  
had definite expectations of \$5000 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> about the 13<sup>th</sup>  
of April; this can be easily substantiated. This  
money was to be used to put the proposed incor-  
porated company on its feet, and it was on this  
that he relied to meet his engagement with Messrs.  
Avery had given me his acceptance for \$150 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> maturing  
about the 15<sup>th</sup> of April, and relying upon the certainty  
of its payment, I used it, but Avery not getting his money,  
of course, it was not paid, and I had to take it up.  
His sincerity and integrity of purpose, <sup>in this matter</sup> I have never  
questioned. And as his counsel I had every oppor-  
tunity to know the honesty of his purpose. He is not  
over 28 years of age, but he, in my judgment, is wanting  
in the necessary executive capacities to manage the proposed  
business - but he does not think so. I am impressed  
with the belief that Fuller, a rival detective agency,  
has been at the bottom of this matter, and if Messrs  
would be truthful ~~in this matter~~, I am firmly convinced he would  
say so -

Yours respectfully

John A. Gross

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*Arnour, Ritchie & Woodford.*

*18 Wall Street.*

WILLIAM H. ARNOUR,  
THOMAS G. RITCHE,  
STEWART L. WOODFORD.

HALEY FISKE,  
C. H. BOVEE, JR.,  
W. H. WALLACE.

*New York*, September 24, 1886.

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:--

Permit me to ask your attention to the case of  
the People vs. John B. Hays and to ask you to authorize and enter  
a nolle pres therein.

After careful examination I believe the facts to be sub-  
stantially as follows:

Dr. Hays the defendant was partner with Mr. Ralph K. Wing  
at No. 2 West 14th Street in a general brokerage business, under  
the name of The Knickerbocker Brokerage Company. Mr. Wing is a  
son of Mr. Francis H. Wing, who is a reputable citizen of Brooklyn  
residing at No. 80 Columbia Heights. Dr. Hays was previously the  
principal of a private school in this City. That school having  
been burned out, Dr. Hays went into the brokerage business. He  
was also at one time Surgeon of one of our City Regiments. He is  
very respectably connected, being a brother of Mr. Hays of the well  
known law firm of Robeson & Hays of Camden, New Jersey. The

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brokerage business was commenced about January of this year. One Avery came to them stating that he had formed a detective agency and wished to raise about \$3,000 capital for use in such business and offered to pay Dr. Hays's firm a commission for services to be performed in obtaining such capital. Avery then caused an advertisement to be made referring applicants to the Knickerbocker Brokerage Company or to their office. Messamer, the complaining witness in this matter, was one of those who answered the advertisement. He called during the absence of Dr. Hays and was sent by Mr. Wing to Avery's office. He subsequently reported to Dr. Hays that he had seen Avery and agreed to put \$200 in Avery's business; that he was satisfied with it and was to be employed in connection with it. Messamer paid Dr. Hays the commission due his firm and the \$200 which Messamer was to put in Avery's business. Messamer and Dr. Hays then went to Avery's office where Hays paid the \$200 to Avery in presence of Messamer, who was subsequently and for several weeks in Avery's employ at salary of \$15. per week. Dr. Hays was not interested in Avery's business; simply acted as broker and Messamer was induced to put up his money by Avery before he had seen Dr. Hays.

Hays is evidently better fitted to be a school-master

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than a broker or business man. He probably acted unwisely, but after investigation I believe that he acted without any criminal intent. I have sent for Detective Sergeant Heidleberg who has to day called upon me and tells me that he made or was cognizant of the original arrest; that on further and full examination he agrees with me in thinking that Dr. Hays was innocent of any fraud; and says that he will gladly call upon you, should you request him to do so, and make the same statement to yourself.

Under these circumstances I trust that you will see your way to entering a nolle pros and relieving Dr. Hays alike from the stigma of the indictment and expense of trial.

Very Respectfully Yours,

*Wm. L. Woodford.*

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

*Miss Susan M. Wood*

*225 Adams St.*

*Brooklyn*

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Know all men by these Presents  
Whereas Charles Messmer has  
heretofore paid to one Washington  
Irving Avery, the sum of Two Hundred  
Dollars lawful money, for a one  
fifteenth part or interest in my  
business carried on at No: 19 East  
14<sup>th</sup> Street New York City, under the  
name or style of The New York Detective  
Bureau - And whereas said Charles  
Messmer is desirous of withdrawing  
from the terms of the Agreement made at  
the time of the sale of said interest,  
Now this Indenture Witnesseth  
that I hereby agree and stipulate  
to repay to said Messmer (on the  
delivery and cancellation by him to me  
of the Agreement and Bill of Sale made  
as aforesaid,) the said sum of Two  
Hundred Dollars on or before the 13<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1886.  
In Witness Whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand and seal this 13<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1886 -  
In presence of } W Irving Avery  
John Gulger - }  
Date as aforesaid - Thereby consent to  
accept the terms of above  
Charles Messmer

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State of New York }  
City & County of New York }

On this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886 before me personally appeared Charles Messmer to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing Consent to a above agreement, and duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same -

John E. Sledge  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

Charles Messmer

to

W.D. Avery

Consent

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New York, Oct. 1st, 1886.

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney,  
New York Co.

Dear Sir :

In the matter of the People vs John B. Hays  
and Washington Irving Avery, indicted for Grand Larceny  
in the second degree (false pretenses), I respectfully re-  
port as follows:

I have examined carefully all the papers and depositions  
in this case, and have consulted with the Detective  
Officer who conducted the preliminary investigation. I  
have also made inquiries and informed myself concerning  
the previous life and character of the defendants. I am  
of opinion that Avery is a man of bad character, and that  
he is guilty as charged in the indictment. The defendant  
Hays, however, is a man of previous good character and well  
thought of by those who know him, and know of him. His  
occupation heretofore, has been that of a school teacher.  
Before embarking in the general brokerage business, he  
had no business experience, and in his dealings with Avery  
I, cannot but think, that he acted the part of a dupe, <sup>rather than</sup> that  
of a guilty consort. He professed to be acting as broker  
or middle-man between Avery and the prosecutor, and to  
all appearances, the services he rendered in the matter  
were brokerage services merely. Moreover, it was on the

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brokerage basis that the defendant Hays was compensated. For his services in the matter he received the sum of - twenty dollars only, being ten ~~dollars~~ <sup>percent</sup> on the amount of the investment he negotiated. If his connection with the affair had been that of criminal complicity, he would most naturally have been compensated upon the principle of ~~his~~ participation in the spoils. The fact that Avery was a plausible unscrupulous sharper gives confirmation to the theory that Hays' part was that of a dupe.

Under these circumstances it can hardly be said that the evidence against Hays is such as to exclude every reasonable hypothesis of his innocence. I should rather say that the case is one in which his conduct by reason of previous good character is entitled to the most favorable consideration, and in which the presumption of innocence should be liberally indulged.

Regarding the case from this stand-point I am reluctant to say that Hays' part was not in reality what it appears to have been, the part of a negotiator and broker. I do not doubt but that a jury would exonerate him from the charge of complicity in the crime of Avery.

I am therefore of opinion and so report that the indictment should be dismissed as against Hays.

Detective Sergeant Hidelberg, who, in the first instance, had the investigation in charge, and upon whose direction Hays was originally arrested wishes me to state that he concurs in the foregoing conclusion and recommendation.

Respectfully submitted *W. H. K. Smith*  
*Carl D. Dill*

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK

*against*

*John B. Hayes  
and  
W. J. Avery*

*Rapport*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK CITY.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John C. Stays and Washington Irving

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

John C. Stays and Washington Irving of the CRIME OF LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said John C. Stays and Washington Irving late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the third day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent to deprive and defraud one Charles Messmer,

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter mentioned, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to their own use, did then and there feloniously, fraudulently and falsely pretend and represent to

Charles Messmer,

That the said Washington Irving... was then engaged in organizing a company to be called the International Secret Service Company, and that the said Washington Irving had then already... interests of said company. That the said Washington Irving was then the sole proprietor of a company called the... number 19 East 14th Street in said City. That the said... and fixtures... and that... purchase thereof at that price was a... and injudicious investment.

That the said John C. Stays... then had the power, authority and right to... the said Charles Messmer a position with the said International Secret Service Company... a salary of \$5000 per year.

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By color and by aid of which said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations, the said *John P. May* *Washington Bureau* did then and there feloniously obtain from the possession of the said *Charles Messmer*

*Messmer*, the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars in manufactured money of the United States, and of the value of two hundred and twenty dollars, -

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Charles Messmer*

*Messmer* \_\_\_\_\_, with intent to deprive and defraud the said *Charles Messmer* - of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to their own use.

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Washington Bureau*

*any* was not then engaged in organizing any company to be called the International Secret Service Company, and did not then already have sight, name or mode in the business and interests of any such company, and was not then the sole proprietor of any such company called the *International Secret Service Bureau*, and the said pretended Bureau was not then possessed of business, stock and fixtures of great value, or of any value whatever, and a one-third interest therein was not then, with the said portion above mentioned, reckoned with the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars, and a purchase thereof at that price was not a safe nor judicious investment.

And, whereas in truth and in fact he the said *John P. May* did not then have any power, authority or right whatever to offer the said *Charles Messmer* a position with the said pretended International Secret Service Company, or any salary or expense, -

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And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid by the said *John C. Hoag & Washington Irving Querry* to the said *Charles Messmer*, was and were then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as *they* the said *John C. Hoag and Washington Irving Querry* at the time of making the same then and there well knew.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say: That the said *John C. Hoag and Washington Irving Querry*, the day and year first aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, in the manner and form aforesaid, and by the means aforesaid, with force and arms, the said proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Charles Messmer*, then and there feloniously did STEAL, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

Second Count.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid by this indictment further accuse the said *John C. Hoag and Washington Irving Querry* of the crime of *Perjury* in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *John C. Hoag & Washington Irving Querry*, both late of the City and County aforesaid, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars in money, goods and chattels of the United States, and of the value of two hundred and twenty dollars, of the property, moneys and personal property of one *Charles Messmer*, then and there lawfully in the possession of the said *Charles Messmer*, 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.

*Randolph B. Martine,*  
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:  
Hertz, Jacob

DATE:  
05/03/86



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DESCRIPTION:

Hertz, Rosa

DATE:

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Counsel,  
Filed 3 day of May 1886  
Pleads Inqually (4)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Jacob Herz  
Rosa Herz  
Henry Herz

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Mr. Chain Paul L. ...  
May 20th Foreman  
May 7th 1886  
May 10th 1886

Witnesses:

Adela News  
Off Patrick English  
13th Street

Upon the Certificate of  
Capt Betty of 13th Precinct  
that premises 10, 12, Pitt  
St. are no longer occupied as  
a broody house and that debts  
have removed therefrom and  
the nuisance abated, I  
recommend that within  
a indictment be dismissed  
June 4, 1886.

Randolph B. Martine  
District Attorney

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New York General Sessions

The People }  
Rosa <sup>apt</sup> Henry }  
and Jacob Henry }

John M<sup>c</sup>Cauley and John J. Crook  
Officers attached to the 13<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
of the Municipal Police of the City  
and County of New York separately  
and respectively state that they  
know the defendants <sup>above named</sup> and each  
of them, that they have heard  
read and personally seen subscribed  
the statement of ~~Charles~~ Patrolman Jacob  
hereto annexed; that the said  
statement is true in every respect  
as the facts therein stated are  
within the personal knowledge  
of said M<sup>c</sup>Cauley and Crook, sub-  
scribers to this statement and  
they hereby affirm and corroborate  
in every particular the said  
statement of said Charles Jacob,  
New York June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1886

In presence of

By <sup>as</sup> ~~was~~ <sup>is</sup> ~~subscribed~~

John M<sup>c</sup>Cauley  
John J. Crook

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At General Sessions

The People  
Rosa <sup>ageb</sup> Hertz  
and Jacob Hertz

Charles Jacob a Patrolman of the Municipal Police force of the City and County of New York doing duty and assigned to the 13<sup>th</sup> Precinct states I know the defendants above named who are ~~indicted for keep~~ under indictment for keeping and maintaining a disorderly house at #12 Pitt Street in said City of New York. I have seen them on the premises which are situated on the post which I patrol. They do not now live ~~at~~ on said premises having moved away on or about April 30<sup>th</sup> 1886 and the business ~~of~~ <sup>formerly</sup> there ~~carried~~ <sup>carried</sup> on by them has ~~been~~ and is now abandoned and the premises are now vacant.

New York June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1886 Charles Jacob.  
In presence of <sup>of</sup> Thomas Dwyer District Atty.

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. 13.

New York, June 3<sup>d</sup> 1886.

Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney,

Sir -

This is to  
certify, that Jacob Hertz, and Rosa his  
Wife, late of No. 12 Pitt Street, in this  
City, have vacated the said premises, and  
removed from this Precinct, on May 1<sup>st</sup> 1886.

The Saloon  
is now kept by Jacob Neuman, formerly  
of No. 226 Livingston Street, on a Transfer  
License from that place, granted by the  
Board of Excise, on May 28<sup>th</sup> 1886.

Respectfully,

Jeremiah Fitzg  
Captain.

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Adelia Weiss  
of No. House of Detention Pitt Street, in said City, being duly sworn says

that at the premises known as Number 101 Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888, and on divers

other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint  
Jacob Herz and Rosa Herz  
did unlawfully keep and yet continue to keep and maintain a House  
of ill fame and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure  
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come  
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said  
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil  
name and fame there to be drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving  
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and  
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Jacob Herz & Rosa Herz  
and all vile disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said

may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1888

Adelia Weiss

John J. Harrison Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-300.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Jacob Hertz*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *36 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *12 Otto Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Saloon Keeper*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge and I demand a trial by jury*

*- Jacob Hertz*

Taken before me this *27* day of *April* 188*8*  
*Wm. J. ...*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Rosa Hertz* 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.

*Rosa Hertz*

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.

*12 Pitt Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Housekeeper*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge and I demand a trial by jury*  
*Rosa Hertz*

Taken before me this *27* day of *April* 188*8*  
*John J. Brennan* Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3rd District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by William P. Giff of No. 129 Street, that on the 26th day of April 1888, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Jacob Hertz & Rosa Hertz did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 129 Street, in said City, a House of Ill fame and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be ~~whoring and misbehaving~~ whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

Jacob Hertz and Rosa Hertz and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said

and forthwith bring them before me, at the 3rd 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 27th day of April 1888

John Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Police Court—3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Adelia Weiss*  
vs.  
*Jacob Herz*

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Magistrate.

\_\_\_\_\_ Officer.

\_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Officer.

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or  
at night.

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

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

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

Police Justice.

The within named

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STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }  
POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

of No. the 13 Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested

Jacob Hertz and Rosa Hertz  
charged by Adelia Weiss with  
keeping a House of Ill Fame  
that said Adelia is without  
a home and she being a  
material witness for the People  
deponer fears that if not detained  
as a prosecuting witness she will  
not appear when wanted  
deponer therefore asks that she be held in accordance  
with law

Patrick English  
13<sup>th</sup> Prec

Sworn to before me this  
of April 1886  
John J. McGuire  
Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0286

POLICE COURT—3 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Patrick English*  
vs.  
*Adelia Weiss*  
AFFIDAVIT.

Dated *April 27* 188*6*  
*Dorman* Magistrate.  
*English* Officer.  
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Witness, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Disposition *House of Detention*  
*in default of \$100 bail*

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*Part by Spirit Writing  
315 East 54th Street*

BILLED,  
No. 1 by *Jacobs Heller*  
Residence *315 E. 54*  
Street

No. 1 by  
Residence  
Street

No. 2, by  
Residence  
Street

No. 4, by  
Residence  
Street

Police Court *3* District *619*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*John J. Kelly*  
House of Detention

*James DeLoe*  
*John DeLoe*

Dated *April 27* 188*6*

*Epiphanius J. McCauley*  
Magistrate  
*109 W*  
Precinct

Witnesses  
No. *2* *Basilia*  
Street

No. *578* *East 10th Street*  
Witnesses  
*Walter J. ...*  
*...*

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

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

Dated *April 27* 188*6* *John J. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated *April 28* 188*6* *John J. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*6* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0288

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Jacob Denton and  
Rosa Denton*

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

*Jacob Denton and Rosa Denton*

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Jacob Denton and Rosa Denton*  
*Denton, each -*

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-fifth* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine* and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common-bawdy house and house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

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

SECOND COUNT.—

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

*Jacob Denton and Rosa Denton*

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Jacob Denton and Rosa Denton*  
*Denton, each -*

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

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

THIRD COUNT.--

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

*Jacob Denton and Rosa Denton*

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said *Jacob Denton and Rosa Denton*

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hoffman, Charles

DATE:

05/12/86



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Counsel, *R. L. May*  
Filed *day of May* 188*8*  
Pleads

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 531 - Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Charles Hoffman*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*William Van Kester*  
*Elmer W. [unclear]* Foreman.  
*Plays Truly*  
*S. P. [unclear]*

Witnesses:  
*Att. Keenan*

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Police Court— First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.

Otto Abbsman

of No. 118 Fulton Street, aged 19 years,

occupation Baker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One silver watch, plated chain and gold locket attached, one purse and a pocket book containing five dollars, said property being valued at the value of twenty-two (22) dollars, the property of deponent; and a silver watch, two aprons and two under shirts in all of the value of fifteen dollars the property of a friend named William Schallerer, said property being together and in all of the value of thirty-seven (37) dollars

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 Hoffmann, now

here, from the fact that said deponent works in the Bakery at 118 Fulton Street with this deponent and said William Schallerer that said deponent left said Bakery on the morning of said day and did not thereafter return, and deponent then discovered that all of said property had been stolen from deponent's bed room in which room said deponent slept. That deponent is informed by officer Abbeard, here present, that the said officer arrested the said deponent at 3 o'clock on the morning

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May 1888

Notary Public

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of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant and upon searching  
him found in his possession a  
part of said stolen property, viz:  
the two silver watches, the chain  
and locket and ~~valuable~~ purse all  
of which dependent identifies as  
the stolen property aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this  
10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

Ollo Asmann

John Gorman  
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 27 years, occupation Thomas Ahern  
Police officer of No. 14<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Edw. Asmann  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

10<sup>th</sup> } Thomas Ahern  
May }  
188 }  
Police Justice.

John Asmann  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Charles Hoffmann* 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 Hoffmann*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *118 Fulton St. 3 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Baker*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the charges*  
*Charles Hoffmann*

Taken before me this

day of *May* 188*9*

*Alfred W. Moore*  
Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Police Court District

14674

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John A. ...*

*118 ...*

*Charles Hoffmann*



Offence *Larceny*

Dated *May 10* 188*6*

*John ...*  
Magistrate

*H*  
Precinct

Witnesses *Thomas ...*

*H ...*  
Street

*From ...*

No. *116 ...*  
Street

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

\$ *500* to answer

*John ...*

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

*Charles Hoffmann*

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 10* 188*6* *John ...* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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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 Hoffman*

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

*Charles Hoffman*

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

The said *Charles Hoffman*,

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

*one watch of the value of fifteen dollars, one chain of the value of five dollars, one pocket of the value of five dollars, one purse of the value of one dollar, and the sum of five dollars in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of five dollars, of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one Otto Hermann, and one watch of the value of five dollars, two aprons of the value of one dollar each, and two under shirts of the value of one dollar each,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*William Schallmer*

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.

*Randolph B. Matine,*  
*District Attorney*

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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1886.  
Pleads \_\_\_\_\_

Grand Larceny, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
[Sections 528, 531 - Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Charles Hoffman

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*Nicholas Van Karschen*  
*May 13/86* Foreman.  
*W. J. [unclear]*  
*Plays Truly.*  
*S. P. [unclear]*

Witnesses:  
[Signature]  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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DESCRIPTION:

Hoffmann, Frank

DATE:

05/21/86



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Witnesses:

*May Kanner*

Counsel,

Filed *21* day of *May* 188*6*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Frank Hoffmann*

*1st Counsel*

Grand Larceny in the *second* degree.  
(MONEY)  
(Sec. 528 and 531, Penal Code)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Nothing for Kanner*  
*May 21/86*

Foreman.

*Placed Guilty*  
*State Reporter in Court*

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Police Court—

1 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Mary Stramer  
of No. 158 Canal Street, aged 26 years,  
occupation Restaurant Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 18 day of May 1886 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 daytime, the following property viz :

Good and lawful money of the United States consisting of Bank Bills of divers denominations of the value of Sixty One Dollars; Gold coins of the value of Ten Dollars and silver coins of divers denominations of the value of Twenty-six Dollars the whole being of the amount and value of Thirty-six Dollars. \$36.00

the property of Christina Stramer and in the care and custody of deponent as Manager and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Frank Hoffman (an Italian) from the fact that said money was in a safe in deponent's store and having missed said money is informed by Officer Crystal that he Crystal found the said money secreted in a store pipe in the cellar of said premises. Deponent says that the said defendant was the only one who could have access to said cellar, and the said defendant confessed in open court that he took, stole, and carried away the aforesaid money.

Henri Krauer

Sworn to before me this 18th day of May 1886  
Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 31 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 6<sup>th</sup> Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of May Kramer and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 18 day of May 1886 } Thos Crystal

Samuel C. Buckley  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Frank Hoffman* 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. *Frank Hoffman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *15 Leonard street 3 weeks*

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 guilty I did take the money*

*Frank Hoffmann*

Taken before me this

day of

*May* 188*8*

*Edward J. Kelly* Police Justice.

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Police Court - 174 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. Thomas  
vs.  
Frank Hoffman  
Grand Juror

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

1  
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Offence

Dated

May 18 1885

Magistrate

Prosecutor

Prison

Witnesses

See the other

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 1000

to answer

Handwritten signature

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 Frank Hoffman

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

Dated May 18 1885 David O'Connell Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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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

*Franka Hoffmann*

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

*Franka Hoffmann*

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

The said *Franka Hoffmann*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *eighteenth* day of *May* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *day* — time of the same day, *three* — promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied, (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *thirty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *and* divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *thirty six*

*dollars.*

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels, and personal property of one —  
~~as the person of the said~~ *Christina Kramer*, then and there being  
found, ~~from the person of the said~~ — 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.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
*District Attorney.*

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DATE:

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*Munk Adams*

Counsel, *378 My*  
Filed *28* day of *May* 188*6*

Pleas *Whitney*

*Dr. Chatham*

THE PEOPLE

*Chatham*

sent to the Court for  
reasons for trial by

*Henry Housman*  
*Henry Housman*

*Post Office*  
*sent to the Court*

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Sunday).  
III Rev. Stat., 7th Edition, page 1983 Sec. 21, and  
page 1990, Sec. 51.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE

*delivered to the Court*  
*A True Bill.*  
*M. C.*

*Urban*

*Foreman.*

*II*  
*Nov 28 1886*

Witnesses:

*Off John Housman*  
*Off Inspection*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0308

**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 Dousman*

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

*- Henry Dousman -*

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

The said *Henry Dousman*

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

*John Sherman, and to*

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

*- Henry Dousman -*

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

The said *Henry Dousman*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week,

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commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away as a beverage to

*John Sherman, 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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

*Henry Housman —*

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

The said *Henry Housman.*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of certain premises at number

*182 Nathan Street, —*

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

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Howle, Parke J.

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Witnesses: *Geo. J. Smith*  
*George H. Smith*  
*James W. She*  
*James W. She*

Counsel:  
Filed *25* day of *May* 188*6*  
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THE PEOPLE  
*W. J. Smith*  
*Wm. J. Smith*  
*Barney J. Smith*  
Grand Larceny, second degree  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*By* *M. G. Smith* District Attorney.  
*Wm. J. Smith*

A True Bill.

*William Van Lunsden*  
Foreman.  
*Ed. Rep*

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Signed [Signature]  
Residence 140 Street.  
Agent. Collect at 190 White St Street.

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Police Court— / District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.

Walter V Miles

of No. 358 Broome Street, aged 36 years,

occupation Manager being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8 day of May 1886 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 :

Four Photograph Albums of the value of Twenty six dollars

the property of Thomas Kelly

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 Parke J. Howle

Deponent says that said defendant falsely represented that he had purchasers for said property, in said City and informed by name who they were and their place of residences a list of the same together with contracts are hereto annexed and made part of this Complaint. Deponent says that he is informed by George W Smith that they are no such persons by the names given in said contracts residing at said places by said defendant. nor has there been at the time said defendant obtained said property. Wherefore deponent charges said

of sworn before me, this 1886 Police Justice.

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said defendant with feloniously taking  
stealing and carrying away said property  
as aforesaid

Walt. V. Miles

Sworn to before me

this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

Sam'l A. Hill Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*George H. Smith*

aged *34* years, occupation *clerk* of No.

*108 E 108th* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Walter V. Miles*

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

Sworn to before me, this *20*  
day of *May* 188*6* } *Geo H Smith*

*Sam'l C. Bennett*  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Parke J Howle 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. Parke J Howle

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Washington D.C.

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

Answer. 86 Bowers 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Canvasser

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

Parke J Howle

Taken before me this

29 day of

May 1888

James M. Kelly Justice.

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Court Officer  
Recorder Smyth's Court

N.Y. Nov 3/86

Please deliver to bearer the nine  
(9) albums left in Court-Room to be called  
for.

Walt. V. Miles  
Manager

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THOMAS KELLY,

PUBLISHER OF

Subscription Books and Family Bibles.

MANUFACTURER OF

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS,

358 and 360 Broome Street,

NEW YORK.

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Sec. 151.

1886 District Police Court.

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

Whereas, Complaint on oath has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Walter V Miles

of No. 358 Broome Street, that on the 8 day of May 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

Four Photograph Albums

of the value of Twenty six Dollars, the property of Thomas O'Leary as taken, stolen, and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by Patrick J. Horne

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith bring him before me, at the 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 20 day of May 1886  
Samuel O'Reilly POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Walter V Miles

vs.

Patrick J Horne

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated May 20 1886

S O'Reilly Magistrate

James Officer

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

Samuel Officer.

Dated May 21 1886

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Samuel O'Reilly Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 9 AM

Native of W.S.

Age, 24

Sex

Complexion,

Color Br

Profession, Agent

Married

Single, do

Read, do

Write, do

Wm. John Henry & Son

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BAILED,

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

Mattie W. Hayes  
358 Avenue  
Randle & Randle

RECEIVED  
MAY 24 1886  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Offence Grand Larceny

Dated

May 22 1886

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No. 108 & 108 1/2

Street

No.

Street

No.

Street

\$ 1000

to answer

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 22 1886 Sam'l O'Reilly Police Justice.

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

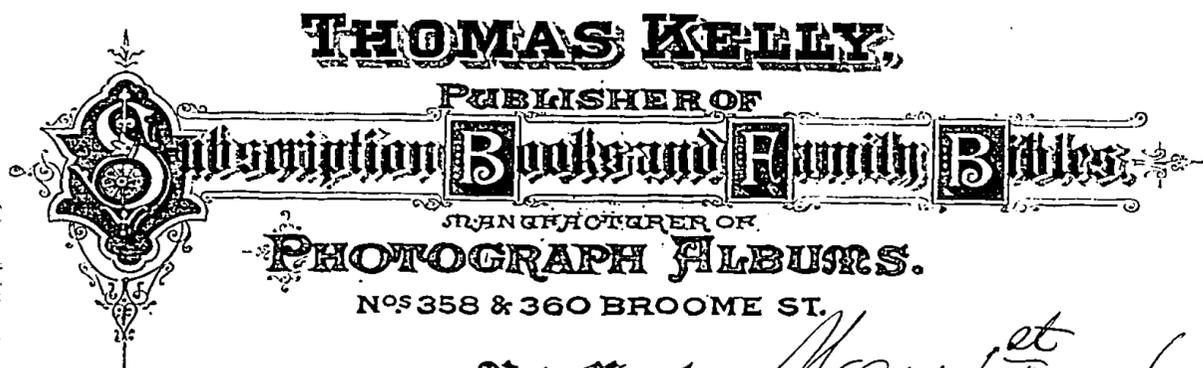
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

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

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New York, May 1<sup>st</sup> 1886

To whom it may concern- This is to certify that the bearer- Parks Howle, was in my employ for about seven months and that during that time I found him strictly honest and reliable. He leaves us as we think we can secure help better adapted to perform the duties required in the position he filled.

Thomas Kelly  
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Boston Sept. 15 / 85  
Mrs. A. M. Palmer.

Madam,

Your Nephew Park J. Howle  
was in our employ about  
2 years, and left it to  
better his condition.

We always found him  
attentive to business and  
a very capable, and  
competent clerk, and  
to any one who has  
need of his services we  
cheerfully recommend him  
as such.

Respectfully yours,  
Tucker & Hazard Co.

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SUCCESSORS OF  
SOLOMON BROTHERS.

Importers,  
508 BROADWAY.

SAMUEL SOLOMON.  
HENRY SOLOMON.

New York Sept 17<sup>th</sup> 1885

This is to certify that Park  
Howell was in our employ as entry clerk  
and we find him honest & trustworthy

*Samuel Solomon*

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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*

*Padre J. Standa*

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

*Padre J. Standa*

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

The said *Padre J. Standa*

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

*four photographic albums of the value of six dollars and fifty cents,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Thomas Kelly*

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.

*Randolph Martin,  
District Attorney*

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Huber, Frederick

**DATE:**

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Witnesses:

*Eldridge J. Gray*  
*Charles Arch*  
*Joseph Arch*  
*Geo Amvcher*  
*for Blackman*  
*1874*

Counsel, *Morse*  
Filed *7* day of *May* 1886  
Place *North City*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *Frederick Huber*  
vs. *Frederick Huber*  
[Section 282 Penal Code]

*W. S. P. Martin*  
*Frederick Huber*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
*May 19/86*  
A True Bill.

*William Van Henschen*  
Foreman

*44.2.1007*

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

The People  
against  
Frederick Huber.

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE.

The prisoner, who is a barber, residing at 14 Thompson Street and 28 years of age, is charged under § 282 of the Penal Code (as amended by Laws of 1886, Chapter 31) with abducting a female child called Martha Hoch, aged 14 years, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, at the premises 214 Broome Street. He found the child wandering about the Bowery, took her to a furnished room house, top floor of 214 Broome Street, and had sexual intercourse with her. The details of the case appear in the evidence.

EVIDENCE FOR THE PEOPLE.

ADOLPH HOCH: - resides at 780 Washington Street, and is the father of Martha Hoch, aged 14. On Friday, April 23, 1886, the child left the house without hat or coat. After trying in vain to find her, on Tuesday the 27th April, witness went to Police Headquarters and reported that his daughter was missing and caused a general alarm to be sent out and notices to be put in several of the daily papers, giving the child's name and his address. On Thursday April 29th, the prisoner came to his house, saw the wife of the witness, told her he knew where her daughter was, and upon payment of \$7. the amount he had spent on her, would tell her where she could find her. His wife referred Huber to witness. Between 4 and 5 o'clock P. M. prisoner called at 104 Centre Street,

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where witness worked, said he had seen the notice in the paper about Martha and by that means got his address. That Martha told him her name on Tuesday last but could not tell him the street she lived in. The prisoner then said that he would produce the child for \$7., which witness agreed to pay. Prisoner then told witness to meet him in Washington Square Park on Friday April 30, at 10 o'clock and he would have the girl there. Witness met the prisoner as agreed, but the girl was not there. They walked through 4th Street to the Bowery and there met the girl. Prisoner then told witness that if there was going to be any trouble and if the girl said that he (the prisoner) had done anything to her, he would marry her. Witness saw Officer Barrett on the corner, called the officer and caused the arrest of the prisoner. Since the arrest, witness has received the following letter from the prisoner: "New York, May 1, 1886. Mr. Hoch, Sir: I would like to know what you are going to do with me and Martha. I am willing for to marry her and support her and make her my lawful wife. I know she would be willing to be my little wife, because she is a nice little girl. I kept her in hands. If you say I will marry her before the Judge on Monday to settle all the trouble. Write, soon as received. I am waiting for answer. Fred Huber. Jefferson Market Prison, 6th Avenue and 11th Street, N. Y. C."

MRS. HOCH: - resides at 780 Washington Street, is the wife of the last witness and the mother of Martha Hoch. Knows the age of the child to be 14 years. Knows that the girl left home as stated by last witness. On Thursday April 29th, the prisoner came to witness, told her he knew where her daughter was and on payment of \$7. the amount he had spent on her, he would tell her

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where she could find Martha. Witness referred prisoner to her husband. The child received an injury some time since in the head, in consequence of which she has not been very bright.

OFFICER BARRETT: - 15th Precinct. Remembers making the arrest of the prisoner at the request of Mr. Hoch, at the corner of 4th Street and the Bowery.

MARTHA HOCH: - daughter of the first witness, is 14 years of age and resides at 780 Washington Street. At 2 o'clock on April 23rd, she left home without hat or coat. Could not tell what she left for. Wandered down town and found herself in the Bowery near the Globe Dime Museum about 5 o'clock. There met a girl named Annie Mack. Annie asked her to come and stop all night. She did so. On Saturday morning witness went with Annie Mack to 539 Broadway where Annie works. Martha returned to the Bowery about 4 P. M. As she was near 1st Street the prisoner came up to her and asked her where she was going, as she was without any hat or coat on. He said, "I guess you have run away from home." Witness told him it was none of his business. Prisoner said if she would come up town with him he would get her some clothing. He said he had a girl, but she ran away and left some of her clothes behind her. Witness consented to go with the prisoner. He took her to some neighborhood near 23rd Street and 2nd Avenue, and he went up into a house and remained about 5 minutes. Then returned saying that the woman was out. They went out to 1st Street where he left her. She slept at Annie Mack's that night. On Sunday morning about 9 o'clock witness met the prisoner and he gave her some breakfast in a restaurant. Then told her to walk up and down, and he would go up town and see if he could get some

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her a pair of new shoes. On Friday morning April 30th, she left the room in Broome Street, went up the Bowery to 4th Street, and met her father and the prisoner. Could not tell the number of the house in Broome Street, but said she could find it if taken to Broome Street. The prisoner told witness if she would live with him he would take her for his girl.

DR. CORNELIA S. SIMPSON: - is a physician attending the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Made an examination physically of the person of Martha Hoch, on Friday April 30th, at 9 A. M. Witness found the girl was immature and her genital organs not yet fully developed. The vulva was inflamed and swollen and the hymen partly torn from its insertion; the orifice to the vagina was very sensitive to the touch. The general conditions of the parts shew that sexual intercourse had been attempted and partial penetration had taken place within two days.

A. SEITZ: - is a cobbler residing at 214 Broome Street. On Tuesday the 27th April, the prisoner came to him and stated that he wanted to hire a furnished room for himself and a little girl. Witness loaned the prisoner the room and prisoner paid half a week's rent, \$1.25. Witness did not see the girl at all, but identifies the prisoner as being the man.

MARY RYAN: - 543 West 46th Street, occupies a furnished apartment; knows the room which Martha Hoch had at 214 Broome St. Saw Martha in the room adjoining her on Tuesday April 27th, and remained there until Friday April 30th. Saw a man in the room

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with the child. The child was continually looking out of the window and playing with the children on the sidewalk. Witness identifies Martha as the child.

SARAH FARLEY: - resides at 214 Broome Street, and will corroborate the statement of the last witness.

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**N.Y. GENERAL SESSIONS**

**THE PEOPLE**

**AGAINST**

*Frederick  
Huber.*

PENAL CODE, § 282

**BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.**

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Sec. 198-200.

21 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Frederick Huber 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 Frederick Huber

Question How old are you?

Answer 28 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer New York

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

Answer 14 Thompson St

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Barber

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

Frederick Huber

Taken before me this

day of

May

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at

Police Justice

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BAILLED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

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

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

Police Court 21 District. 653

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Henry K. Stocklin*  
*of the County of New York*  
*vs.*  
*Frederick Kuber*

Offence abduction

Dated May 3<sup>d</sup> 1886

*Wm. W. W.*  
 Magistrate

*Stocklin*  
 Officer

*107 E 73<sup>d</sup> St.*  
 Precinct.

*100 E 23<sup>d</sup> St.*  
 Precinct.

*214 Avenue C*  
 Precinct.

*334 W. 10th St.*  
 Precinct.

*334 W. 10th St.*  
 Precinct.

*1000*  
 Precinct.

*to answer*  
 Precinct.

*to answer*  
 Precinct.

*to answer*  
 Precinct.

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

*Frederick Kuber*

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<sup>d</sup> 1886 *ay bow* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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This certifies that I have  
this day examined Martha Hook  
14 years of age, and find the following  
conditions. - The girl is immature  
& the genital organs not yet fully  
developed. Vulva inflexed  
& inverted; hymen partly torn  
from its insertion; the surface  
to the vagina very sensitive to  
touch & - the general condition  
of the p. its show, that no sexual  
intercourse has been attempted  
& that p. tend for retention has  
taken place within two days.

Dr. Cornelia D. Simpson

Kear Park  
Lepine St. N.Y.

57 Livingston Ave

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*Campbell*  
*1400th St*  
*April 3<sup>rd</sup>*  
*1877*

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New-York May 7/86.

Mr Hoch

Sir

I would like to know what you  
are going to do with me and  
Martha I am willing for to  
marry her and support her  
and make her my lawful wife  
I know she would be willing  
to be my little wife because she  
is a nice little girl I kept her  
in hands if you say I will  
marry her before the Judge  
on Monday to settle all the  
trouble Write soon as Received  
I am waiting for answer

Fred. Huber

Jefferson Market Prison

6 ave & 11 st

N.Y.C.

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District Police Court.

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

Henry E. Stocking  
of Number 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the <sup>or about</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> day of April 1886, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York, ~~Deponent is informed~~

and has just cause to believe, that one  
Frederick Wober now present, did unlawfully  
and willfully take, receive, harbor and  
use a certain female now present called  
Martha Koch said female then and  
there being under the age of sixteen  
years, to wit: of the age of fourteen  
years, for the purpose of sexual intercourse  
without the consent of her father or mother  
or guardian  
and in the premises situated at  
Number 214 Broome Street in said  
city, in violation of the Penal Code  
of the State of New York as amended.

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said Frederick Wober

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of May 1886

Henry E. Stocking  
Police Justice

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POLICE COURT 21 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

*Way C. Stirling*  
*Frederick W. W. W. W.*



DATED, May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1886  
*W. W. W.* Magistrate.

*Stirling* Clerk.  
*Stirling* Officer.

Witnesses:  
*E. Fellows Jenkins, Supt.*  
*100 East 23d Street.*

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Disposition, .....

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

*Henry C. Stebbins*

of No. *100 East 73rd Street* being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the *24th* day of *April* 18*86* at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn before me, this *30th* day of *April* 18*86*

*and has just cause to believe that the said Frederick Weber has not fully and truthfully taken, seen, and used within the course of his business a certain sum of money called "Magenta" which said sum and the being under the age of sixteen years of age of the age of fourteen years for the purpose of prostitution and vice and in a sum of money known as "Magenta" (number unknown to defendant) in said city in violation of the Penal Code of the State of New York as amended.*

*Wherefore defendant prays said Frederick Weber may be dealt with according to law.*

*Henry C. Stebbins*

*Henry C. Stebbins*

Police Justice.

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\* Sw P. E. Train  
Mary.

Police Court Second District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.



Wm. J. C. [unclear]  
F. H. [unclear]

Dated, April 30, 18 86.

Justice.  
St. King Officer.

Disposition

\$1000-Bail for  
Mary E. [unclear] 2/12 1886

M. A. [unclear]

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

*Martha Hoch* being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
of No. *780 Washington Street*  
that on the *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 18 *86* at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn before me, this  
day of *May* 18 *86*

*My*  
*Commissioner*  
Police Justice

*Deponent met Frederick*  
*Kuber on First Street near the Battery*  
*at about 4.30 P.M. that deponent went*  
*with the said Kuber and had supper*  
*in a restaurant, after supper deponent*  
*accompanied the said Kuber to a*  
*furnished room on the top floor of*  
*Number 214 Brown Street in said city,*  
*and while there the said Kuber un-*  
*dressed deponent and took her to go*  
*into bed, and deponent did. Then the*  
*said Kuber undressed himself and*  
*got into bed with deponent, and putting*  
*one leg of deponent said Kuber inserted*  
*his penis into her private parts and did*  
*have sexual intercourse with deponent,*  
*and did her carnally know.*

*Martha Hoch*

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**STENOGRAPHERS' MINUTES.**

*Court of General Session - D. C.*

*The People vs  
against  
Frederick Huber, Indicted  
for Abduction -*

BEFORE

*Hon. Frederick Brewster*

*Recorder, and a Jury*

*May 19<sup>th</sup> 1886*

WITNESSES.

DIRECT.

CROSS.

RE-DIRECT.

RE-CROSS.

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Court of General Sessions, Part 2.

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 T H E P E O P L E &c.: )  
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 - against - ) Before Hon. Frederick Smyth,  
 ) Recorder and a Jury.  
 Frederick Huber, Indicted )  
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 for Abduction. )  
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Tried, May 19, 1886.

APPEARANCES.

Assistant District Attorney, James Fitzgerald, for the People  
Mr. Spencer for the Defence.

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ADOLF HOCH, being duly sworn testified that he lived at 780 Washington Street. He was the father of Martha Hoch, She was born on the 24th day of April, 1871. On the 28th, day of April, 1886, his, the complainant's wife, who had been sick for many years sent Martha to a drug store and she did not return. He, the complainant, worked at 104 Center

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Street. He left his house to go to work at 6.15 o'clock that morning. His daughter was at home at that hour. He returned to his home at half past 9 on that evening. His daughter was not then at home. I went to the Charles Street Police station and made a complaint. He did not see his child until eight days afterwards. He saw the defendant at his workshop 104 Centre Street.

The day before he saw his daughter, he had a conversation with the defendant. It was 6 o'clock in the evening. The defendant said he had been up to see his, the complainant's wife and that she was sick. He said that he knew where Martha was, but he would not tell where she was. He said that she was in First Street, and that he had been up to see his, the complainant's wife and told her all about it, and that if he, the complainant would give him, the defendant seven dollars for the expenses and what he had lost on time he would bring his, the complainant's daughter back. He, the complainant, said that he would go with him, the defendant, that night, to where his daughter was and that he would pay the money. He, the complainant, was foreman in the shop and was alone, and had the key of the shop and the boss was not in, and he had no chance to follow the defendant. The defendant asked him to come down into a lagerbeer saloon with him and they had a glass of beer together. He, the

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complainant went home at 7 o'clock and went to the Charles Street police station and told the captain about it. He, the complainant, told him that he would come home with his daughter, and he sat up until 12 o'clock at night. On the following morning the defendant again came to his shop. The defendant asked him if he had a chance to go with him for his daughter, and he, the complainant put on his coat and went right away with him. He, the complainant asked him why he had not come on the night before with his daughter, and he said, "I was drunk and I did not have the chance to go up." He, the complainant asked where his daughter was, then he said that he had brought her up to the 4th Street Park, and had promised to buy her a new pair of slippers. He, the complainant went to the 4th Street Park, the defendant said that she was sitting near 5th Avenue, but the girl was not there. He, the complainant told the defendant that he had better tell him where his daughter was as he had no time to run about. The defendant said that he was dry and asked for a glass of beer, and he, the complainant gave it to him; then the defendant said that the girl was at the Bowery and 4th Street, on the left hand side, she was there, and he, the complainant called officer Brooks to arrest the defendant. He did not give his consent to the girl's going away with Haber; it was against his will.

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UNDER CROSS EXAMINATION the complainant testified that it was the first time that his daughter had run away. Six weeks before he was in Essex Market Police Court with her, and it was in connection with her being with another man. A gentleman came to his house six weeks before in the evening and told him that his daughter was picked up with a man who was trying to get her into a bed house, and that the man was arrested. The gentleman was from the Society for the Prevention of cruelty to children and said that they would take care of her for the night. She stayed with the society that night and came the next morning. There was no complaint made against the man in Essex Market Police Court next morning.

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Under re-direct examination he testified that his child was run over on the 14th of February 1884, by a wagon on the corner of Abingdon Square and Hudson Street, and her head was injured, and her brain was affected. Sometimes she was all right and sometimes she didn't know what she was doing.

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OFFICER JAMES BROOKES, of the 15th Precinct, being duly sworn, testified that he arrested the defendant, at the Bowery and 4th Street, on the complaint of Mr. Hoch.

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MARTHA HOCH, being duly sworn testified that she lived with her father and mother at No. 480 Washington Street. She left her home on the 26th day of April at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. She had no coat or hat on. She was playing on her street until 4 o'clock. At 4 o'clock she walked down Rleecker Street to the Bowery. She met a girl at the Bowery, named Annie Mack. She saw the defendant about 5 o'clock. She was walking past a big beer saloon near a museum, and the defendant came and spoke to her, and she walked down First Street, where he followed her. He asked her where she was going and she said with a friend of hers. She was going down to Annie Mack's house. He said that he would buy her a hat. She said, "Never mind". Then he asked her if she wanted to go cross town to get some dresses and things. She accompanied him to a house, but the lady was not in. She didn't go into the house, but the defendant did. He came out and said that the lady was not in, but would be in at half past eight. She and the defendant waited until half past 8 o'clock; then the lady

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came and he went into the house. Then she, Martha Hoch went to Annie Mack's house. She next saw Haber on Easter Sunday morning. He went to the lady's house again. She, Martha Hoch, saw him again at about 3 o'clock that afternoon. The defendant gave her money to go to Central Park. He gave her 13 cents. She saw Haber again at 6 o'clock that evening. Easter Sunday evening. She went with him to First Street. She slept that night at Annie Mack's house. On the following morning, at eight o'clock, she saw Haber again, and on Tuesday. On Tuesday, Haber said that he was going to try and get a furnished room for her, Martha. They went and looked for a furnished room. That night she, Martha slept in a hall way. On Wednesday, he got a room, in Broome Street. They had supper, and then he took her to the door of the house and went away. She, Martha, went to bed. Haber came to the room on Tuesday morning and brought her some milk and crackers. She Martha, went down to work in a shop on Broadway with Annie Mack. She went to 935 Broadway. At half past 5 o'clock she returned to the room. She met Haber on the street and he went up to her room with her, and they went to bed together and had connection with her. She went to sleep and when she woke up he was gone. She saw him in the morning. He brought her some things to eat, and gave her ten cents and told her to go to Central Park.

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She saw him on Friday, the day her father found her. He was in the room the night before with her. He got up about 6 o'clock that morning and then she met her father and officer Brookes.

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of 147 East 53rd Street,  
Dr. CORNELIA L. SIMPSON, being duly sworn testified that she is a practitioner of medicine and a graduate of the Homeopathic medical College for women, and was connected with the New York, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. She examined Martha Hoch, at her office at No. 57 Lexington Avenue on the 30th of April, in the evening. She found that the girl was immature and that the genital organs were not fully developed. She found the hymen torn, and the vulva inflamed and swollen and the vagina sensitive to the touch. Sexual intercourse had taken place in the witnesses judgment, and partial penetration had been effected judging from the appearance of the organs.

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Enser Seitz, being duly sworn testified that he live at 214, Broome street. On Tuesday the 27th. April, 1896, he saw the defendant, Huber, in his basement at 214 Broome street. Huber said that he wanted to rent a room

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I For himself. The room was on the top floor, facing the street. He used the room from Tuesday, to Sunday, and paid for it. He paid ten shillings for the room. He, the witness, gave Huber the key for the room. It was furnished as a bedroom. He said that he wanted the room for himself, but there was a little girl who would cook something on the stove.

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For the defence, Frederick Huber, the defendant, being duly sworn, testified that he met the little girl on the Bowery, on Saturday, April 4, about five o'clock in the afternoon. She was alone. She was crying in front of the museum. She had no hat or cloak, and she came to him, the defendant, and asked him if Jack was inside." He said that he didn't know, and she went down the street and came back and said that Jack was to buy her a hat, and give her thirty five cents, and he the defendant, asked her what Jack was to give her the money for. She said that she had known him for a long time, and she said that she went around with a man with flowers. He told her he would give her a cloak and hat if she would keep off the Bowery, and

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that some of the men would ruin her. He accused her with a man, and she turned red and admitted that she was with a man in Bleeker street, and she walked with him to a house at 16th. street and Avenue D, and he went in to get her a hat and cloak but could not. She waited outside and they walked down the street and she went off and slept in a hallway. He left her in the Bowery, at First street, where he first met her at nine o'clock in the evening. Martha met him on Sunday morning, and he sent her to church and he told her he would go up town and see if he could get some cloths for her; that he met her at third street and second Avenue about twelve O'clock and he gave her a hat and shawl and some money to go to Central Park. In the mean time he was looking for her father. She said that she lived in James or Jay Street. On Sunday he took her to his father's house at 14 Thomson Street and let her sleep there. On Wednesday night he told her he had a room in Broome Street, and bought her something to eat and took her to the room. The next morning he went for the room and fixed the locks so that she could lock it on the inside. On thursday afternoon he went up in the morning and told her he would not be back until late and gave her money to get something to eat. He went over to her mother's house and told her

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mother. He found her address through the news -papers. The mother asked if she was not in a house of prostitution and he said that he would vouch for her as long as he had her and that he had had no connection with her, but had given her clothes and food, and it had cost him \$7.00. The mother said that she had no money to give him, and sent him to 104 Centre Street. He told the father that he knew where Matha was. On Thursday night he slept at his father's house and on Friday morning he went to her and bought her a comb and gave her some money and told her father if he wanted his child he must go for her at once. He never had connection with her.

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Under cross examination the defendant testified that he was a barber and worked at Jungman's five years before, at East Broadway and Cathrine Street; He had been collecting rags of late and selling them. He would pick them up on the street, and buy them from customers. He had regular customers. He lived at 14 Thomson Street between Canal and Grand. His only motive in taking care of the girl was to save her. He saw an advertisement about her in the paper and learned where her parents lived, but he did not take her right back to her home.

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MRS. EMMS HUBER, being duly sworn testified that she was the defendant's sister-in-law, and that the defendant had always acted and talked like a fool.

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CHARLES WILLIAM KLINGEL, junkman, being duly sworn, testified that he had known the defendant for about five years. The defendant was not sound in his mind. He would get up at night, and look at the ceiling, and make maneuvers the same as though he was "Off his nutt." Every body put him down as foolish.

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Under cross examination, he testified that he had been out with the defendant in the junk business and had seen him buy rags and sell them. He got the full price for the rags and took the money, and counted it very well. He could weigh the rags very well. Nobody could cheat him in weighing rags.

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CATHERINE FALLON, being duly sworn, testified to the effect.

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Indictment filed May 16

County Gen. Session 1886

The People vs

against

William Miller

indicted for abduction

STENOGRAPHERS' TRANSCRIPT.

May 19<sup>th</sup> -

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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

*Fredrika Duber*

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

*- Fredrika Duber -*

of the CRIME OF *Abduction,*

committed as follows:

The said *Fredrika Duber,*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty fourth* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*with force and arms, did unlawfully*  
*take, receive, harbor and use one Martha*  
*Stodt, who was then and there a female*  
*under the age of sixteen years, to wit:*  
*of the age of fourteen years, for the*  
*purpose of sexual intercourse, the*  
*said Fredrika Duber not being her*  
*and due the husband of her said*  
*Martha Stodt: 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*

*Richard C. Martin,*

*District Attorney*