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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Landino, Henry

DATE:

06/20/90



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Witnesses:
W. M. Kennedy

Counsel,
Filed *20* day of *June* 18*90*
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Henry Sandino
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2/20/90
Grand Larceny Second degree.
[Sections 528, 531, —, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Charles Haggins
June 23/90 Foreman.
Henry D. Spivey
Catharine D. Haggins
P.B.H.

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Police Court—4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 169 E 127

occupation Gilder

William H. Kennedy

Street, aged 26 years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16 day of June 1892 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

one gold watch with brass
chain attached of the value
of fifty dollars

\$50.00

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 Henry Landino (prisoner)

from the fact that deponent is informed
by Andrew Appelt of the 18th
Precinct Police that he found
said property in the possession of
said defendant in East 14th
Street in said City
Wm. H. Kennedy

Sworn to before me, this
day of June 1892

Ed. J. Kelly Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Andrew Appelt
aged 30 years, occupation Police officer of No.
18 H. Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

18

June 1890

Da [Signature]
Police Justice.

Andrew Appelt

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Henry Landino

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

14 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

U.S.

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

Answer.

702 E-13th St 1 week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Labourer

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 charge

Henry Landino

Taken before me this

day of

June 1898

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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

June 18, 1880

Laurel B. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated

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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

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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 4 District. 943

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H. Kennedy
vs.
Henry Landrum

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3 _____
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Dated 18 June 1890

Daniel O'Reilly Magistrate

Andrew O'pelt Officer.

18 Precinct.

Witnesses *Officer*

No. _____ Street.

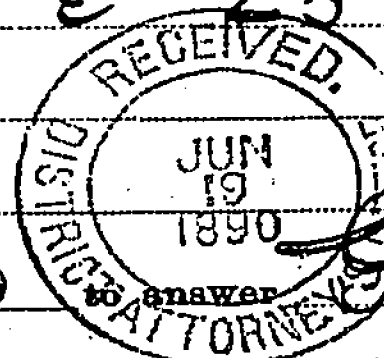
William H. King

No. 100 E 23 Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1000 answer

Committed 5/21



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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs

Henry Landino

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

100 EAST 23D STREET,

New York, June 21st 1890

CASE NO. 49837

DATE OF ARREST

CHARGE

OFFICER

AGE OF CHILD

RELIGION

FATHER

MOTHER

RESIDENCE

June 17th

King

Grand Larceny
fourteen Catholic

dead

Mary
702 E. 13th St.

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT boy lives in a fair home with his mother who is a respectable woman. He is an apprentice in the employ of the Snow book binding establishment and has been suspected several times of stealing small sums of money. Books of Society show nothing against him.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. Holloway Secretary

To Dist. Attorney.

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Count of

General Sessions

The People

vs

Henry Landino

Grand Larceny

FENAL CODE, §

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

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,
New York City.

0017

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 Landino

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

Henry Landino

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

The said

Henry Landino

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*,
, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of
fifty-five dollars and one chain
of the value of five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

William H. Kennedy

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

*John R. Fellows,
District Attorney*

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DESCRIPTION:

Larson, Carl

DATE:

06/11/90



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Witnesses:

Peter Hughes
Off. Clerk

Counsel,

Filed

11 day of

June 1890

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Carl Larson

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree,
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 580, & Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

George Higgins
Foreman,
June 12/90
Heard & 2 day
D. P. Higgins. D.M.

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Police Court- / District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Peter Hughes
 of No. *388 Water* Street, aged *35* years,
 occupation *Boarding House Keeper* being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the *4* day of *June* 18*97* at the City of New

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

One gold Watch attached to a Hair Chain
of the Value of Eighty dollars
\$80.00

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 *Carl Larsen (now here)*

From the fact that deponent was sitting
in the sitting Room of deponent's Boarding
House at the aforesaid premises when
deponent had said Watch attached to said
Chain in the left hand pocket of the Vest
then worn upon deponent's person
deponent fell asleep, and when deponent
awakened he missed said property
deponent is informed by Hans Larsen
of 190 Cherry Street that he saw said
Watch in the possession of said defendant
said defendant on the 4th day of June
brought a Pawn ticket to deponent's place
of business, representing a Gold Watch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

4th

day

Notary Public

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which Watch defendant saw in the Pawnshop
and identifies the same as the property
stolen from defendant as opposing

Sworn to before me this
8th day of June 1890

N. J. W. M. M. M.

Notary Public

Peter Hughes

0022

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 22 years, occupation Sailor of No. 190 Cherry Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 4 day of June 1887 } Herr Laersen

H. McMahon
Police Justice.

0023

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Carl Larson

Taken before me this

day of

June

1890

H. H. Anderson

Police Justice

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

Refused
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 *June 8* 18*90* *H. W. McMahon* Police Justice.

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

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

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

Dated.....18.....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---

893 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Peter Hughes
388 Water

1 Carl Larson

2 _____

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Dated

June 8 1890

Magistrate.

Wm. H. Shearn Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Hans Larson

No. 190 Cherry Street.

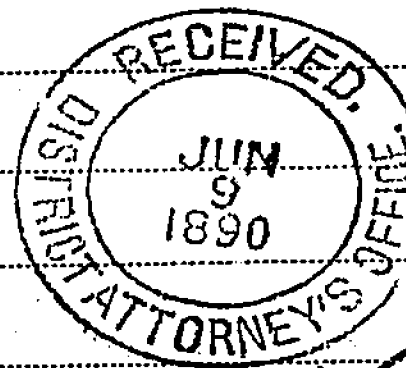
No. _____

Street.

No. _____

Street.

\$ 1000 to answer



Ch. G. H. Shearn

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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

Carl Larson

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

Carl Larson
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said

Carl Larson

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fourth
day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-nine, in the night — time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the
value of seventy-five dollars,
one chain of the value of five
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one
on the person of the said

Peter Hughes

then and there being found, from the person of the said

Peter Hughes

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Carl Larson
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

Carl Larson

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

one watch of the value of
seventy-five dollars and one
chain of the value of five
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Peter Hughes

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

Peter Hughes

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

Carl Larson

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lawther, Maggie

DATE:

06/03/90



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Mager, Martin

DATE:

06/03/90



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Simon, Frank

DATE:

06/03/90



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Frank Kopyman
Jno Ross

Maggie Slaughter
 Martin Magee
 Frank Simon

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Haggerty Foreman.

Part III June 9/90.
All tried and acquitted

1-C.E.P. # 23
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3. *Chloro*

day of Jul 1890

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Sections 628, 630 & 635, Penal Code.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Oscar Wall
aged 31 years, occupation Coachman of No. 21 St 2^d Avenue

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

Sworn to before me this 2^d
day of April 1898 } Oscar Wall

[Signature]
Police Justice.

0033

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation Fredrick Mott of No. Police Officer

29th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Fredrick Mott

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

Sworn to before me, this 29

day of April

1887

Fredrick J. Mott

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 45 years, occupation Furniture dealer of No.

2386 N 2 Ave

Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Leed Koopman

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

Sworn to before me, this 15

day of Sept

1888

R T Berkeland

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.of No. 1016 East 137th Street, aged 41 years,occupation Mason and Builder being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 25th day of April 1898 at the City of NewYork, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and
of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money of the
United States to the amount of
one hundred and fifty dollars. And
my double case silver watch of
the value of ten dollars. Together of
the value of one hundred and fifty
dollars. (\$150.00)

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 Maggie Lawther, Martin
Mager, and Frank Quinn. and others
(all now here) from the fact

that at about the hour of 8 o'clock
P.M. said date deponent entered the
Saloon No 2346, 2nd Avenue. Which
is kept and maintained by the
defendant Maggie Lawther. And
when deponent entered said Saloon
deponent had about one hundred and
fifty dollars. And said silver watch
in the pocket of his clothing. And
after remaining in said premises
for a few hours. and spending a
few dollars. deponent was placed in

Sworn to before me this

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Police Judge

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a crack and sent home. And when

Alpment arrived home. Alpment

discussed that said watch. And said

money was missing.

Alpment is informed by Oscar Wall a

Crackman. that at the hour 12:45 A.M.

April 26th he was called to the

Saloon on 2nd Avenue near 120th Street

by the defendant Martin Mayer. Who

informed him that there was a man in

said saloon. who was full, and wanted to

go home. and that he Wall then went

to said premises. when the defendant Mayer

and the defendant Linn brought this

Alpment out of said saloon and placed

him into his Wall's Crack. And that

he Wall then drove this Alpment to his

home. and that they did not stop on

the way and that this Alpment did not

get out of said Crack until his arrival

at his home.

Alpment is further informed by Detective

Fredrick Mott. that the defendant Martin

Mayer. informed him that the defendant

Maggie Lurthen. gave him a silver

watch. and telling him that a man

had given her said watch for some drink

which he owed her for. instructed him to sell

said watch. And that he did sell said

watch to a man named Berkland for

two dollars. And seventy five cents. And

that he the said Mayer gave the said

Maggie Lurthen two dollars. And fifty cents.

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Friedrich Meier that the defendant Martin Mayer informed him that the defendant Maggie Lurthen gave him a silver watch. And telling him that a man had given her said watch for some drink which he owed her for. Instructed him to sell said watch. And that he did sell said watch to a man named Berkland for two dollars and seventy five cents. And that the said Mayer gave the said Maggie Lurthen two dollars and fifty cents of said money which he had received for said watch.

Defendant is still further informed by Reinhard Berkland that he did buy a watch from the defendant Martin Mayer and did give him two dollars and seventy five cents for said watch. Defendant further says that he has since seen said watch which Berkland bought from the defendant

Martin Mayer and fully identifies said watch as his property and as a portion of the property aforesaid.

Wherefore defendant charges the said defendants with being together and acting in concert with each other, and feloniously taking, stealing, and carrying away said property from the person of defendant.

Sworn to before me this 28th day of April 1890

Friedrich Koopmann

J. J. P. P.
Deputy Justice

0038

Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Maggi Lanthier

Taken before me this
day of

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Martin Mager

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Martin Mager

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

213 E. 120th St. 3 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Work in an auction house

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

Martin Mager

Taken before me this
day of

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Frank Simon

Taken before me this
day of

Police Justice

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

Maggie Lawrence
Martin Mager And Frank Simon

guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of

Five Hundred Dollars, each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of

the City Prison, of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated April 30 1890 Henry Lawrence Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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\$1,000 bail for Ex

April 30. 2.30 P.M.

May 2. 2.30 P.M.

May 6 2.30 P.M.

May 7 9.20

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

The magistrate presiding
at the 5th Dist. Police Court
will please hear and
determine the within case by
reason of my absence

J. J. Duffy
Power Justice

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Fredrick Koopman

1074 East 137 St

Waggu Lawther

Martin Magen

Frank Simon

Dated *April 28* 18*90*

Duffy Magistrate.

Mott Price Ross Officer. S

29 Precinct.

Witnesses *Oscar Wall*

No. *2188* *2nd Avenue* Street.

Fredrick Mott

No. *29* Precinct. *Peter Street*

Benjamin Baskind

No. *238* *3rd Avenue* Street.

1070 *no answer* *G. S.*

Bella Johnson *2494 2nd*

Committed

0043

Fifth Dist. Police Court. Judge Murray.

Frederick Koopman, plff.

vs.

Maggie Lawther, Martin Major
and Frank Limon, Dfts.

Charged with grand larceny.

Frederick Koopman, sworn, testified.

By the Judge:

Q What is your name A. Fred K. Koopman. I live 108 East 137th St.

Q. On the 25th day of April last did you lose any property. A. Yes sir.

Q What property did you lose on that occasion. A. \$50.00 and a silver watch.

Q What time of the day or night did you lose this money; tell us all about it.

A. I went in there about a quarter past 8 in the evening, in this place between 120 and 121st Streets on Second Ave.

Q What kind of a place is it. A. A saloon.

Q You went about 8 o'clock. A. Went in there and met this barkeeper; he used to be barkeeper in 108th St and Lexington Ave., we had several drinks in there and afterwards, I suppose, a bottle of

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wine.

Q Have you any doubt about it. A. No. By and by we had more, how much, could not tell. Linn fetched the wine; this lady, Maggie Lawther and myself and another came in afterwards. We had several drinks there. Did not know, but found out afterwards. Drank a good deal & lost my money there.

Q Where had you been drinking before? A In back in the block between the same place in another saloon.

Q How long? A. From the morning; 11 until that evening.

Q What were you drinking? A Drinking wine & playing pinochle.

Q Did you eat anything? A. Yes, we had lunch

Q Were you drunk? A. No, sir. Just had enough.

Q When did you last count your money? A When I paid for the drinks.

Q You were in there playing cards and drinking wine, did you pay for it. A. I didn't ^{pay} for all.

Q Where did you get that money. I had two notes cashed. Notes from O'Brien, 93 Broadway, Brooklyn, he gave me the notes \$160. I gave my partner \$5.

Q What time? A. Tuesday or Wednesday the same week

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Q When did you last count your money. A In the place; I had the money in the place. I paid only in that place out of this money. Your Honor, I had two notes cashed —

Lawyer You say that you got this money \$160.00 on Wednesday. A. Yes.

Q Out of that you gave your partner \$5.00? A. Yes and I paid \$5.00 when I had my measure taken for pants and vest.

Q When did you get the pants and vest measured? A. Tuesday.

Q Then on Wednesday you put \$1.00 in your vest pocket? A. Yes.

Q You didn't count it at all after that, A. I didn't take it out.

Q You were playing pinole, A. Yes.

Q You didn't use that money? A. No sir.

Q Where was the \$1.00 stored away? A. In the watch pocket.

Q You got at this place at about 8 o'clock in the evening, pretty well loaded? A. No sir.

Q Anybody direct you there? A. Went in there on my own accord; saw the barkeeper and asked him to drink.

Q Anybody else in there at the time? A. First I saw the barkeeper, afterwards a lady came in.

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- 2 Did you and the barkeeper drink together?
A. We had a bottle of wine; a lady came in she drank with us; I paid for the first bottle.
- 2 How long did you sit there? A. Can't tell.
2 What is the reason you cannot tell.
A. I thought maybe, he put some thing into the wine.
- 2 You don't know how much more you drank? A. Remember going up stairs, heard so afterwards, didn't know then.
- 2 Remember counting out your money?
A. No sir.
- 2 Didn't use the \$150.00 from the day before.
- 2 Did you take it out, look at it, didn't you count it all that night?
A. No Sir.
- 2 Any of it. A. No Sir.
- 2 What did you pay for the drinks?
A. Don't know; don't remember anything else that happened.
- 2 What was the first thing that ^{you} remember ~~that~~ after that. A. Found myself home; boy told me at half past one.
- 2 Don't remember anything else? A. Nothing at all.

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Judge

Q Did you stop anywhere? A. No recollection at all.

Q Do you identify this watch? A. I identify this watch as mine.

Q Did you lose that watch on that night? A. Yes.

Q How long afterwards before you saw it? A. Not until the detective showed it to me. Went back to the place

next day and saw there the lady and the barkeeper. I asked her if she had seen the money. I asked her if I paid her. She said I paid her \$5 or \$6.

Q Did you tell her about losing the money? A Yes, and thought, maybe, she took the money to keep for ^{me} until the next day, she said no she didn't.

Bella Johnson, sworn, testifies.

I was living with this woman at the house in question at the time of this alleged offence. I was getting ready to go out when Frank Simon came up stairs and asked me to come down as he wanted to introduce me to a friend of his. I went down; we had 2 or 3 drinks and then he asked me if we could not go to a more private place, he wanted to be shown to my room. He was there ten minutes, and then

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went back again. He then paid Mrs. Lawther & for the drinks and gave me the change of five dollars and then we had another drink.

Q. Had he much money? A. No sir, I didn't see any money.

Q. Did you see any bills? A. No bills.

Q. Did he have a watch? A. I didn't see any watch.

Q. Did you ever see him before that night?
Lawyer. You had some drinks up stairs in the parlor; who was up there? Who waited on you? A. He went down for the drinks.

Q. How often? A. Two or three drinks the change he gave to me; I saw him give her a bill, he gave me the change.

Judge. What conversation did you have with Simon? A. He said I was "dead slow".

Q. What time did he go home? A. About one.

Q. Door open then?

Q. Door was not open then; one o'clock, Simon said that I was "dead slow" for not getting a part of his money.

Q. What were they doing? A. He was smoking a cigar and he was lying on the lounge.

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Q When did you first learn that he was robbed? A - Saturday night when Simon was arrested.

Q Did you understand that Simon meant that you should rob that man? A No, Lawyer. Was Martin Mayor there any time during the evening? A. I never saw him so far as I know he was not there.

Oscar Wall, coachman, sworn, testifies I live at 2195 Second Ave.
Judge What do you know ^{about} this? A. I just came in the stable at half-past twelve.

A man asked me if I would take a man home; the man was drunk, but quiet; had him right in the doorway his man here, Simon rode down in the coach that brought him home.
Lawyer Q What man? A. I don't know, it was dark, nearly one o'clock; didn't know anybody. Somebody said to drop him off across the bridge. They told me to enquire after I got over the bridge where Hoopman lived. I asked somebody where Hoopman lived and he told me where but when I drove on and stopped at the house where I was directed Hoopman said that he did.

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not live there; but a boy, I think
said it was all right he did live there.
He gave me five dollars and I told him
to come down to the stable and he could
get his change.

Frederick J. Martin - Ward Detective
Special Duty. 2nd Precinct, sworn,
testifies;

I got the watch identified, I got it
from a man on First Ave, a second-hand
man who bought it from this man, Ma-
jor, for \$2.75.

Counsel for Def. Maggie Lowther moved for
a dismissal on the ground that there
was no testimony, which motion was
denied.

Maggie Lowther, sworn, testifies;

Judge

Tell us what occurred.

A. Your Honor, he came in about 8
o'clock and treated everyone.

Q. What was his condition then? A. He was
drunk, he said he had drunk 18 or 19
bottles of wine since 11 o'clock to-day. He
asked if we had any Rhine wine and

we said no. Then he asked if we ^{had} claret wine and we answered yes. Bella Johnson came in and we had several drinks. He asked if he could go outside, and when he came in he laid down a five dollar bill. He took the change and afterwards we had another drink. Then we went into the parlor and had ^{four} more drinks, and he gave me another five dollar bill. (Major was down stairs throwing dice with the barkeeper. Mr. Hoopman said it was time to go, so

I went down stairs and asked them to help carry him down stairs. We got him down stairs and someone went for a coach and we put him into it. Then the coachman and Major had a drink. (Complainant was in the coach at this time). The next day when he came back he asked me how he got out last night. He said he remembered nothing. He said he had a terrible head on him. He then asked if I had left anything there, and if he had paid for everything. I told me that he didn't leave anything there, but that he had paid for everything.

Judge

You heard her ^{Bella Johnson} say that the barkeeper came up for her. A Yes

Judge

What your parlor and her room adjoin?

Judge

A They are on the same floor

Who is this woman. A She came to my house and asked for a room. My house is a residence for ^{respectable} hard-working people

Lawyer

You remember that Bella Johnson came in there that night, what time?

A. Don't know, I was up stairs

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2 Did you hear Simon make any remark?

No.

2 Didn't hear Simon say that she was "dead slow" for not getting a part of his money?

No, nothing of the kind.

2 You were sitting there but didn't hear any such remark? A No; asked both to have a drink; Simon didn't say anything.

2 How long have you known (Major)? A Four months; he came with a woman and asked for rooms as husband and wife; lived there until a week ago Saturday night, when this woman found that he was a married man.

Lawyer 2 (You didn't say to him: Does your house sell watches?) No.

2 Didn't he say that his house would sell anything? A No.

2 When did (Major) leave the house? A The moment the crash started.

Judge Frank Simon sworn, testified;

2 What is your name? Frank Simon.

2 Where do you live? A 2346 Second Ave.

2 What is your occupation? A Bar-keeper at this place.

2 How long have you been there? A About a month. Mr. Shoopman sat down and asked for Rhine wine. We answered that we did not have any and he then asked for claret, which we gave him and he then asked everyone to drink. He said that he had drank 19 bottles of wine; had

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been on a "terrible racket" since 11 o'clock. Mrs. Lawther was not in the barroom at that time. They had a number of drinks, but he (Sloopman) didn't pay him (Simon). Afterwards Mrs. Lawther came down stairs.

Lawyer

Didn't you tell Bella Johnson to come down?

A. Not true. They then went up stairs.

2 - Who went for the drinks? A. Mrs. Lawther always comes for the drinks, but I didn't see any money at all. After a while Mrs. Lawther came down stairs and told me to help Mr. Sloopman down stairs.

2 Was (Mayer) there? A. Yes (Mayer) was there all the evening.

2 How did he get down stairs? Came down step by step.

Lawyer

2 Who went for the coach? A. ^(Sloopman) He said to get him a coach and (Mayer) went for one. We then helped Sloopman into the coach and I said - that I had better go and see the gentleman home, but Sloopman said - that he could find his own way. I asked him where he lived and he said East 13th St. We told the coachman if he did not get paid to come here and we would pay him.

The next day (Mr. Sloopman) came here and said that he had lost \$140.00 or \$150.00 and a silver watch. I said, my goodness! you had better go to the Station House and have this thing looked up. He says: "Give me a bottle of wine". I says, you drank all the wine last night. He says "Get me a bottle of wine"; so I got it and he went into the back room and drank it. He then went out and came back with Detective Ross.

Judge

Did you see Mrs. Lawther ^{hand Mayer} with the watch? A. No sir.

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Q Did you hear anything said about the sale of a watch? A No sir.

Judge Martin Majer, sworn, testifies:
Where do you live? A 213 East 120th St.
Let us know what occurred on the night of the 25th of April? A I went in there to get a drink when this man came in and commenced telling us how many bottles of wine he had taken. Mrs. Pawther came down after a while and asked us to give a hand down stairs that the man was full. Me and the barkeeper brought him down stairs and they sent me for a coach. After the man had gone away she asked me; "Do you sell watches? here is a watch a man left here, will you sell it for me?" The barkeeper was turning out the gas. We were the only persons present.

Lawyer Did the barkeeper see you take the watch? A Don't know.

Q You took it watch and sold it? Yes at Berlinds.

Q For how much? A \$2.75

Q What did you do with the money? A Gave it to her Saturday night; she told me if anybody went for the coach I was not supposed to go for the coach at all.

Lawyer You have been in trouble before? A Yes was arrested for driving a horse.

Q Were you not arrested for stealing a watch before? A No sir.

Q Was that the only time you were arrested? A My wife had me arrested for abandon

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ment but that was settled.

Judge

Detective Ross, 29th prot. sworn, testified: What do you know about this? - Well, just about the same as this man. I went with him when he asked the woman what was done with this man's watch; she said she didn't know.

Lawyer

There doesn't seem to be any evidence ^{against} him at all. Koopman was drunk, playing cards, and had not counted his money for 36 hours.

Judge

Koopman, at the time that you paid for the first bottle of wine; did you lose your senses? you remember nothing? A. I don't remember anything.

Lawyer

I don't remember going up stairs. I ask that they be discharged. Denied.

Judge

Bring this girl "Stutling Sal" here to-morrow morning ^{at 9.30}; she may be the key to the whole thing. Adjourned.

Wednesday.

After a lengthy argument by counsel for Frederick Koopman held the prisoners in \$100.00 bail

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Maggie Lawther

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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

*Maggie Sawyer
Martin Mager and
Frank Simon*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *Maggie Sawyer, Martin
Mager and Frank Simon*
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *First* DEGREE,
committed as follows:

The said *Maggie Sawyer, Martin Mager
and Frank Simon*, all
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th*
day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *one hundred and forty* -
\$140.- dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
one hundred and forty -
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred and forty*
dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred and forty*
dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *ten dollars*.

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Second COUNT:—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further
accuse the said *Maggie Sawyer, Martin*
Mage and Frank Simon —
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROP-
ERTY committed as follows:

The said *Maggie Sawyer, Martin*
Mage and Frank Simon, all —
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the same goods, chattels and personal
property described in the first count
of this indictment

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Fredrick Koopman*,

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

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; — *they* — the said
Maggie Sawyer, Martin Mage and Frank Simon

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

Witnesses;

J. Thompson

Officer Martin

Penitentiary

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

21 days

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Maggie Lawther

Martin Mager

and

Frank Simon

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree
[Sections 523, 530, 550, Penal Code]

A TRUE BILL

Chas. B. Edwards

Foreman.

Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

Maggie Lawther

Maggie

Foreman to

These defendants were indicted on this charge by the May Grand Jury, - but by an oversight the indictment omitted mentioning & describing the watch which was stolen with the money.

It has been deemed unsafe to go to trial under these circumstances and the case is therefore again admitted in order that the indictment be amended to include the watch. It is found to correspond to the old one

May 2/90

Just. J. J. J.

Complainant & officers can give the necessary evidence

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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

*Maggie Sawyer, Martin
Mager and Frank Simon*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by

this indictment, accuse *Maggie Sawyer, Martin
Mager and Frank Simon*
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *First* DEGREE,
committed as follows:

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The said *Maggie Sawyer, Martin Mager
and Frank Simon, all*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th*
day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
nineteen, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *one hundred and forty*
dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
one hundred and forty
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown; of the value of *one hundred and forty*
dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred and forty*
dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *ten dollars, and one note*

of the value of ten dollars;

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

~~JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.~~

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Second COUNT:—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further
accuse the said *Maggie Sawyer, Martin*
Magee and Frank Simon —
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROP-
ERTY committed as follows:

The said *Maggie Sawyer, Martin*
Magee and Frank Simon, all —
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the same goods, chattels and personal
property described in the first count
of this indictment,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Fredricka Hoogman,*

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

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; — *they* — the said

Maggie Sawyer, Martin Magee and Frank Simon

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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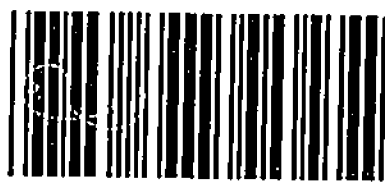
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Leary, Michael

DATE:

06/18/90



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Julia Williams

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THE PEOPLE

225.

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

Michael Leary

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Murphy

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Police Court—1 District.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. 288 Frank Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Monday the 27 day of January
in the year 1890 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Michael Reas (murderer)
who struck repeated blows
on the head with a Hammer he
held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 27 day
of January 1890

John J. Williams
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

18th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Michael Leary*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *50 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *288 Grand Street 10 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer.*

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

Answer. *I did not strike the complainant
she struck me with a Lamp*

Michael Leary
Witness

Taken before me this

27

day of *March* 1897

John J. McNamee
Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 Jan 27 1890 John J. Hoffman Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 27 1890 John J. Hoffman Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 John J. Hoffman Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by James H. Heston
Residence 290 Frank Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court---1---1890 District.

THE PEOPLE, vs.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Julia Williams
248 vs. George D. H.
Michael Leary

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Offence Assault
Flourish

Dated January 27 1890

James Magistrate.
Michael Crawley Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses _____

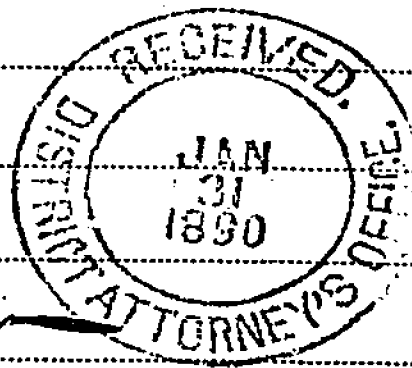
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No. _____ Street.

\$ 2.00 to answer 1/27

Chas. B. B. B.



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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

Michael Leary.

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

Michael Leary

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

The said

Michael Leary

late of the City and County of New York, on the *twenty-seventh* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty-ninety~~, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Julia Williams
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said *Michael Leary*

with a certain *hammer* which *he*, the said

Michael Leary
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument ~~and weapon~~ likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *her*, the said *Julia Williams* then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, bruise and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

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
said

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and the said Michael Leary
the said Julia Williams
with a certain hammer

which he the said Michael Leary
in this right hand then and there had held, in and upon the
— head — of her the said Julia Williams

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Lee, William

DATE:

06/04/90



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Witness:

Ed Newman

Counsel,

Filed

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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William Lee

VIOLETION OF EXCISE LAW
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1088, Sec. 21 and
page 1089, Sec. 6.]

Wm Lee

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Huggins Foreman.

Iperfected June 30 92.

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Excise Violation-Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT

DISTRICT,

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No.

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the

at premises No.

did then and there SELL, CAUSE, SUFFER and permit to be sold, and GIVEN AWAY under his direction or authority strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, to be drunk as a beverage contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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

of

Sworn to before me, this

day

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Lee*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *48 Bow (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 not guilty and*
I demand a trial by
jury *Wm Lee*

Taken before me this

day of *January* 1897

Police Justice.

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

Defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *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 *Mar 23* 18*90* *M. Deane* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Mar 23* 18*90* *M. Deane* 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.....18.....Police Justice.

0075

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

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Dated

1890

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

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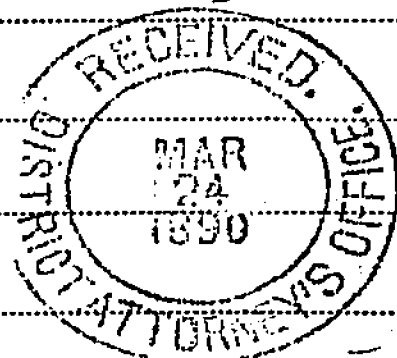
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace,

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William Lee

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

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

The said

William Lee

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

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

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

The said

William Lee

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Lester, Michael

DATE:

06/13/90



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Witnesses;

May Lester

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

13 June 1890

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Easter

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Frank Higgins
June 13/90 Foreman.

Frank Higgins
June 13/90 Foreman.
P. H. & W. S. - P. B. M.

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Police Court—5 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York, }

Mary Lester
 of No. 1889-3rd Avenue Street, aged 29 years,
 occupation none being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 10 day of June 1889 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Michael Lester
 (murderer) who did then & there cut
 and stab deponent upon the head
 and arm with the blade of a
 knife which knife he the said
 Michael Lester then gave there then
 in his hand that deponent was
 so violently and feloniously assaulted
 and beaten

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day }
 of June 1889 }

PLP Duffy
 Police Justice.

Mary X Lester
 maker

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

✓ District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Michael Lester

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 36 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Belgium

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

Answer. 1889-3 Ave. 1 year

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 guilty of the charge

Michael Lester
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

1890

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Twenty 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, June 15 189 0

Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189

Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189

Police Justice.

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Police Court---

907 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Lester
1889 vs. 3rd ave
Michael Lester

Offense *Assault*
February

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated, *June 11* 1890

Cruffy - Magistrate.

Daniel E. Leaguer Officer.

27th Precinct.

Witnesses *Mary Lester*

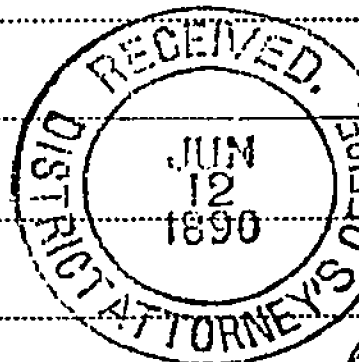
age 6 years -

No. *1889-3rd ave* Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

§ *31111* to answer *hs.*



Chm
W. H. H. H.

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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

Michael Lester

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

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

The said

Michael Lester
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
tenth day of June in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ninety, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Mary Lester
in the Peace of the said People then and there (being, feloniously did make an assault
and her the said Mary Lester
with a certain knife

which the said

Michael Lester
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

with intent

her the said Mary Lester
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
Michael Lester
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

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

with a certain

knife
which the said
Michael Lester
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did
wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab 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.

John R. Fellows,
District Attorney

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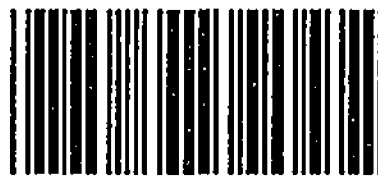
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Levin, Samuel

DATE:

06/12/90



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Witnesses:

Wm Rosenberg

Counsel

Filed

12 day of June 1898

Fleeds

Chapman

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Samuel Levin

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE
(Section 219, Penal Code).

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Francis Higgins Foreman.

Part III June 19/98
Bail discharged

On the withdrawal and
recommutation of *Chapman*
(*Chapman*) I advise that the
defendant be discharged
in his own recognizance
John McLaughlin
Clerk Dist. Ct.

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

3rd

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, etc., IN COMPLAINT OF
Max Kossberg
Sam Levine

BEFORE HON.
Charles J. Santor
POLICE JUSTICE,
May 11th 1887

APPEARANCES: { For the People, _____
For the Defence, _____

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M. J. Greacy
Official Stenographer.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF

Rossberg
Revine

Examination had
Before

May 11th
Charles H. Kaintor
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Police Justice.

M. J. Cready

Stenographer of the

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

Rossberg & all herein

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated

June 2nd

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M. J. Cready
Stenographer.

Charles H. Kaintor
Police Justice.

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New York May 11th 1890
Third District Police
Court
Hon Charles H. Taintor
Residing Justice

William Crossberg }
vs
Samuel Levine }

Q William Crossberg being
only sworn, Were you
assaulted at any
time on the 10th of
May?

A. Yes Sir.
Q. When was that?
A. Between three and
four o'clock in Liddon
St. between Dwyer and
Canal St. The
Defendant assaulted
me.

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Q. How did he do that?
A. I was going to take a car and some one took me behind the back and hit me in the face, and in the mouth.

Q. What did he strike you with?

A. His fist.
Q. What did you do then?

A. I yelled for Police, he ran away and the Officer got him.
Q. He ran away?

A. Yes Sir.
Q. Did he attempt to throw you?

A. No. He grabbed me, I yelled and he ran away.

Q. Who were present?

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Isaac Harsher and others, I cannot tell who they are, there were about a hundred there.

Q. How long do you know the Defendant, did you have any trouble with him before?

A. No Sir,
Q. Did you have any trouble with him before?

A. Before you met him in Lindlow St.

A. Yes Sir, He came to my house, I heard hollering in my room, I went up stairs, and found him there, my wife and my sister were there. Some fellows, his friends were down stairs in the hallway, I said

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What is the matter;
make no fight in my
peace, You must go
down from here, he
commenced to fight
me; he did not fight
me in the room, I
called my cousin, he
was not strong enough,
then he ran away, ^{for}
a couple of hours
after, I met him in
Ludlow St. as he
assaulted me

Q. Cross Examination
How long has the
Defendant been work-
ing for you?

A. He was
working for me a
couple of months, it
may be six months,
no about three months

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Q. Your Prisoner Marshal,
is he here

A. Yes Sir,
Q. Was Cohen there from
the beginning?

A. Yes Sir,
Q. Was the boy Meyer
there?

A. No, I did not
see him.
Q. Was he at the fight?

A. He was there from
the beginning to the
end

Q. Was he in your
room on Grand St
when the trouble began

A. He was there
in the morning, but
not then when the
Defendant was put
out of the room

Sworn to before me
this 11th day of May 1898

Police Justice

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Isaac Marshner, being
duly sworn deposes ^{and}
says

Q. Do you work for
the complainant?

A. Yes Sir,
Q. How long?

A. Three years
Q. Did you see him
assaulted in Ludlow
St. yesterday?

A. I was
with him

Q. Who assau-
lted him or struck him

A. The Defendant
Q. Tell what you saw
him do?

A. He gave him
a punch in the
face and took him
around west, there
were other people with
him

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Q. him, he hollered Police
Did he approach
him from behind?

A. He came from
behind

Q. Were you with
him?

A. Yes Sir,
Q. Did you see him
grabbed around the
body?

A. He grabbed him
around the body, He
came from behind and
grabbed him that way,
Q. Did him strike
him in the mouth

Q. Cross Examination
You are a Presser
in the employ of the
Complainant?

A. Yes Sir,
Q. You have been indicted

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and in Prison for a
Year

Objected to -
Q.

I was in the
Tomb about four (4)
weeks

Q. Were you charged
with any crime?

A. I never was
at General Sessions

Q. Were you
accused of any crime
Burglary

Q. A. Were you convicted?
No Sir.

Q. Were you discharged?
Yes Sir.

Q. A. How long were you
in the Tomb on
a charge of Arson,
Were you charged with
Arson?

A. No Sir

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Q. You are there in
the employ of the
Complainant?

A. Yes Sir,
I swore before me
this 11th day of May 1890

Police Justice

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Officer Sullivan of the  
Seventh Precinct, being  
duly sworn deposes and  
says

Q. You made the  
arrest?

A. Yes Sir, I  
saw a crowd run-  
ning across the street,  
I heard that some  
one grabbed a watch,  
I did not see him  
running, I followed  
him across the street

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up through the house  
and found him on  
the top floor and  
the people claimed  
they did not know  
him. He was in the  
bedroom

Q. Was he under  
the bed?

A. No Sir.

Q. Did you inquire  
about him?

A. Yes Sir, the  
lady, told me she  
did not know him <sup>and</sup>  
he did not belong  
there, and I arrested  
him on complaint  
of this man, It was a  
lady who pointed him  
out to me, then I  
brought him down  
and confronted him  
(10)

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with the Complainant  
and the Complainant  
said said he wanted  
to show his Watch <sup>and</sup>  
that he assaulted him  
and I put him under  
arrest

Q. Did you notice  
any marks of violence  
on the Complainant?

A. No Sir,  
Q. Did you notice that  
he was bleeding?

A. No Sir,  
Q. Did you notice the  
crowd chasing the  
Defendant?

A. I did not  
see him till I found  
him in the bedroom

Q. Will you testify  
that you saw the  
owner of such room  
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or room in which  
he was?

Q. A. Yes Sir,  
Was she a Helene?

Q. A. Yes Sir,  
Will you swear she  
is not a relative?

A. I swear she  
told me she did not  
know him, that she  
never saw him before

court. What was the number  
of the house?

A. I did not  
take the number, it is  
Division St, Pike St

Sworn before me  
this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1890

Police Justice

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David Levine, the  
Defendant, being duly  
sworn, deposes <sup>as follows</sup> that:

Q. Where do you live?  
A. No 101 Orchard St, I  
am Operator

Q. Will you  
state what took place  
at the corner of Linden  
and Grand Sts, yesterday  
afternoon, you are  
charged, with having  
punched the com-  
plainant in the lips  
and caused it to bleed,  
is that true, state all  
you know in connec-  
tion with this?

A. I worked for this  
man eight months  
and when I came  
Wednesday night for  
the 1.70 he owed me.

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I asked him would I come to work, and I went there at seven o'clock and he said he had not any work for me. I went for the scissors after dinner, I did not see him and asked his wife for the scissors.

Q. Tell what you said?

A. I asked his wife for the scissors, he came up from the shop, he said to me "You very operator, and your very Union."

Q. What time of the day was it?

A. About two (2) o'clock, the presser was



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not up stairs, but  
down stairs, he and  
his Wife knocked me  
out and I went to  
the Union

Q. Where did

A. You meet him  
in Ludlow St,  
I said, give me my  
Hat, he said go  
away, I will mur-  
der you, I then  
got a push, some  
boys were pushing,  
and he struck me  
in the heart, then  
I got away and  
that is all

Q. Cross Examination  
When you saw him  
in Ludlow St did  
he have your Hat in  
his hand or on his  
person?

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Q. After the fight was over, you walked away

A. The Presser checked me down stairs

Q. I mean what was done to you in Ludlow St?

A. This man struck me in the heart, I walked away

Q. Did you run or walk away?

A. I walked

Q. May Did the Police-man walk or run away after you?

A. No, he ran after me  
I was before me  
This 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1890

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Louis Cohen being  
 my sworn deposer<sup>and</sup>  
 says I live at 42-101  
 Orchard St.

Q. Were you  
 present when this  
 occurred?

Q. A. Yes Sir,  
 What did you see  
 there?

A. He asked him  
 for his hat. Grossberg  
 turned around and  
 hit Levine, then they  
 commenced to fight,  
 Levine walked away  
 in Division St., then  
 the policeman came  
 and took him in.

Q. Cross Examination  
 You work for Mr  
 Levine?

A. No Sir,

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J.P.

Q. What did he do?

A. He slapped him in the cheek.

Q. Did you see the Police man arrest Mr Levine?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. Where did he arrest him?

A. Division St, he brought him down stairs.

Sworn to before me }  
this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1890 }

Police Justice

J.P.



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Abraham Hager, being  
 duly sworn deposes and  
 says, I live in No. 5  
 54 Norfolk St. Here you

Q.

in Ludlow St. when  
 this occurred?

A.

Yes Sir, with  
 my friend, Ed Avery  
 then both for some time,  
 I saw them at my  
 Uncle's wedding, when  
 he asked him for  
 his hat and then he  
 said go away I  
 will murder you,  
 and then he hit him  
 in the face, and then  
 he began to holler "Police"  
 "Murder" and "thief" so he  
 ran away I ran  
 after him and I  
 picked up Levine's  
 hat, he was waiting

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down stairs till the  
cop came and then  
he said the man  
wanted to steal his  
watch

Cross Examination

Q. Do you know to  
what you are mean-  
ing?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. You say the complain-  
ant struck you?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. What did he do after  
that?

A. He struck him  
back

Q. Where did he  
strike him?

A. I did  
not see so well,  
I was behind & saw



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Q. what Slossberg did,  
but not every thing that  
Levine did. What did

Levine do after he  
struck Slossberg?

A. He yelled  
"murder" "thief" and he  
ran away to Division  
St.

Q. Who told you to  
come here?

A. No one,  
Q. Did you come here  
yourself?

A. Yes Sir  
Q. Did you have a talk  
with Levine?

A. No Sir,  
Q. What time was this?

A. About half  
past two or three after  
noon.

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Q. What did you do  
after you saw Levine  
strike Golsberg?

A. He ran away.  
Q. You swear now that  
you came here today  
for the public good?  
A. Yes Sir.

Held in three \$300  
hundred dollar &  
answer

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

*Samuel Levine*

*As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the  
defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney  
may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing  
are not controlled by any advantage to myself.*

*his name in Hebrew  
עמרם שלום  
William Schlossberg*

Court of General Sessions  
of the Peace.

William Schollberg

- vs -

Samuel Lewis

The defendant is hereby



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Police Court—

3 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss,  
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 333 Grand Street, aged 26 years,  
occupation, boat maker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on the 10 day of May 1890 at the City of New York,  
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Samuel Lewis  
who struck deponent a vicious blow  
on the face with his clenched hands

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 the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 11

day of May

1890

William Storsberg

Charles W. Tantor

Police Justice.

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*Defendants' Counsel*

Alex. S. Rosenthal,  
Counselor-at-Law,  
70 Essex Street,

(Opposite "Essex Market Police Court,") NEW YORK.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty and  
if held I demand a trial by jury  
*Samuel Levin*  
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Court



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

Dated *May 11* 18*90* *Charles N. Luntz* Police Justice.

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

Dated *May 11* 18*90* *Charles N. Luntz* 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.....18..... Police Justice.

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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

William Stenberg

vs. Edward & Samuel Levin

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Dated

May 11 1890

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Magistrate.

Sullivan

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Isaac Marshall

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of Lewis

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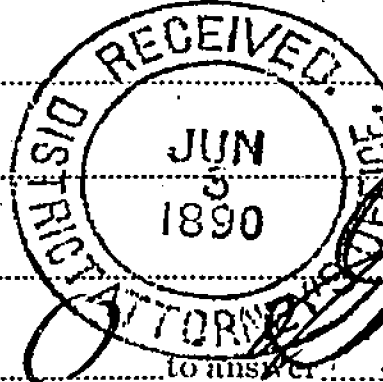
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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Samuel Levin*

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

*Samuel Levin*

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

The said

*Samuel Levin*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth*  
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
~~eighty-ninety~~ at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *William*  
*Slossberg* in the peace of the said People then and there being, with force  
and arms, unlawfully did make an assault, and *him* the said *William*  
*Slossberg* did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage  
of the said *William Slossberg* against the form of the  
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3712

**DESCRIPTION:**

Leyton, George

**DATE:**

06/30/90



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Witnesses:

Almstock

Counsel,

Filed 30 day of

June 1890

Pleads

Chapman July 1

THE PEOPLE

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under 100.  
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George Leyton

(2 cases)

POLICY.  
[§§ 848 and 844, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chapman

Ex. 100000.

Part 2 - April 20, 1892

Readability & Discrepancy

of the book & a few

for the present.

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Anthony Comstock } Ferged with  
ages } Lowery Policy  
George Leyton } Deputy Sheriff  
L. F. W. Graham  
Police Justice  
June 90 1890

Anthony Comstock being duly  
sworn deposes and says

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of May I entered  
the premises 488 6th Avenue  
and saw the defendant, knocked  
into the place, and the door  
leading to the back room was  
open and I found Mr. Leyton there  
and I said to Mr. Leyton if he  
had made a purchase of a play  
in the premises, and he stated  
that he had, I then asked him if  
he had it and he said he had  
and he handed me the paper that  
is attached to that complaint  
I asked him of whom he pur-  
chased it, and he pointed to



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The defendant, I asked him how much he paid for it and he said ten cents, I asked him if he saw him record it on the manuscript and he said he saw it recorded. I found the manuscript there and the play, and I respectfully submit that the play attached to the complaint and the play on the manuscript that they are written with the same stroke of the pencil, and at one and the same time.

I also asked him if he had made a purchase of a play in the morning and he said yes and the defendant was present and stood beside him, and I asked him where and what the numbers were, and he produced these numbers and in the possession of the defendant I found the book with the play recorded.

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and I submit that the play attached  
to the complaint is made with  
the same stroke of the pencil  
It is identically the same stroke  
of that pencil,

*J. H.*

Francis J. Kouzning being  
duly sworn deposes and says  
By Mr. Courtster

Q where do you reside?  
A 215 Park place Brooklyn  
Q How old are you?  
A 19 years  
Q what is your business?  
A Student

Q what do you know about this  
play referred to in this complaint  
on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of May? Tell me all  
you know about it and all you  
know in connection with it  
Q So that a copy of the numbers you  
played (showing witness)

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Ayes Sir

Q And did you make that play with numbers?

A This gentleman the dependant at 488 6th Avenue

Where?

A 850 in the morning.

Q How much did you pay for it?

A 15 cents for it

Q Did the dependant furnish you with paper to write it?

A Yes Sir

Q And did you see it recorded on the manuscript?

A Yes I did

Q Look at this paper and state if you ever saw it before (showing witness)

A Yes I did

Where?

A 488 6 Avenue

Where did you get it?

A From him

Q How much did you pay for it?

A 10 cents.



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Q Did you see it recorded ?  
A I did

Q Were you present when the defen-  
dant was arrested ?

A I was

Q Did you see him record that a  
minute or two before the officers  
came in ?

A Yes sir.

Q Are those the numbers 19. 34. 57  
6. 32 48 ?

A Yes sir.

Q Will you state how it was done ?

A A dark paper a blue paper  
was placed over the white  
paper and then the manifold  
upon it, and he then wrote the  
figures and tore off the slip  
and handed it to him.

Cops Examined

Q Did you see the figures on the  
manifold paper ?

A Yes sir.

Q Where were you ?

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A In front of the desk.

Q And for what purpose did you  
buy those plays to win?

A Yes sir.

Q What was your object in doing  
that?

A To get evidence.

Q And that was the only purpose?

A Yes sir.

Q Were you employed to get the  
evidence?

A Yes sir.

Q By whom?

A Mr. Constock.

Q Was that the first time you  
were employed?

A Yes sir.

Q How often have you played?

A Very few times.

Q About how many?

A Less than a dozen.

Q You say you are a student?

A Yes sir.

Q Of what?

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Are you preparing for examination at Columbia College?

And you are with your parents?

And you have no other occupation except preparing for your studies?

Are you especially doing other work?

What work?

Are you printing?

Will you print for amusement or hire?

Are you both?

Are you supported by your parents?

And they are aware of your procuring evidence in these matters?

Are you?

And do it with their consent?

Are you?

How long have you been getting such evidence? A less than a month?

Heads Counsel wants Examination

And more to discuss Complaint Motion heard



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

ss.

Anthony J. Bontock

of No. 41 Park Row Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that George Leyton (now present) is the person of the name of

John Doe mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the 23<sup>rd</sup>

day of May 1890, hereunto annexed.

Sworn to before me, this 24

day of May 1890

Anthony Bontock

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

An information having been laid before John J. Brown a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging George L. Brown Defendant with the offence of Selling Lottery Policy

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

We, George L. Brown Defendant of No. Manhattan Hotel 6<sup>th</sup> Ave + 28 Street; by occupation a Clerk and Ernest Crawford of No. 320 West 28 Street, by occupation a Real Estate Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named George L. Brown Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the District Police Court in the City of New York, during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of ten Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 24

day of May

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John J. Brown POLICE JUSTICE.

George L. Brown  
Ernest Crawford



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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Sworn to before me, this 24th day of March 1881  
George W. Brown  
Police Justice.

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and free holder within the said County and State, and is worth twenty Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of House & lot 220

West 28 Street of the Value of Ten Thousand Dollars

Erastus Crawford

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Underlying to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.



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*[Signature]*  
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14. 32.71  
6. 42.57/5

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G. C. H.  
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Deponent further says, he has just ~~come~~<sup>came</sup> to believe, is informed and verily does believe from personal observation and from statements made by Francis J. Kintyng

that the said John Doe 1 to deponent  
aforesaid, now have in his possession, at in and upon  
certain premises occupied by him and situate and known as Number  
488 Sixth Avenue  
in the city of New York and within  
the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }  
23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890. }

*Antony Conitoch.*

*[Signature]* Police Justice.

CITY OF New York AND COUNTY OF New York ss.

*Francis J. Kintzing of 45 Park Row*

being further sworn deposes and says that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890,  
deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said  
John Doe aforesaid, and

had dealings and conversation with him as follows:

Deponent entered the room, and asked to see yesterday's drawings. John Doe showed deponent a package of printed slips which represent the drawings for yesterday & days previous. Deponent examined the same. John Doe ~~took out his~~ *manifold book* and deponent asked for 11.26.33 } for both lotteries for five cents  
14.32.71 }  
6.42.57 }

deponent meaning thereby to place five cents upon each of the three numbers or gigs thus selected. The said John Doe, wrote annexed paper aforesaid, recorded same upon his manifold book or paper, then handed deponent annexed



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paper, for which deponent paid John Doe, the sum of fifteen cents. Deponent saw a blackboard or slate upon the wall, and also saw books and papers such as is usually used in the conducting of the policy business.

Subscribed & sworn to before me } Francis P. Kinging.  
this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890

*John Doe*  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*George Layton* 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 Layton*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *31 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *Manhattan Water Corner 28 Street & 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue*

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*

*George Layton*

Taken before me this

*24*

day of *February*

*1890*

Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

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

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

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me, by Anthony Bonaiuto & Francis J. Kintz of 41 Park Row Street, New York City, that there is probable cause for believing that John Doe, whose real name is unknown but who can be fully identified by said Kintz,

has in his possession, at, in and upon certain premises occupied by him and situated and known number 488 6th Avenue in said City of New York certain and divers device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings, papers and documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, books and other documents for the purpose of enabling others to sell lottery policies and other writings, papers and documents, black-boards and gaming tables, with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense.

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

and in the building situate and known as number 488 6th Avenue aforesaid, for the following property, to wit: all Faro layouts, \_\_\_\_\_ Roulette Wheels and layouts, \_\_\_\_\_ Rouge et Noir, or Red and Black layouts, \_\_\_\_\_ gaming tables, \_\_\_\_\_ chips, \_\_\_\_\_ packs of cards, \_\_\_\_\_ dice, \_\_\_\_\_ deal boxes, \_\_\_\_\_ lottery policies, \_\_\_\_\_ lottery tickets, \_\_\_\_\_ circulars, \_\_\_\_\_ writings, \_\_\_\_\_ papers, \_\_\_\_\_ documents in the nature of bets and wagers, or insurance upon the drawings, or drawn numbers of a lottery, \_\_\_\_\_ books \_\_\_\_\_ documents for the purpose of enabling others to gamble or sell lottery policies, \_\_\_\_\_ black-boards, \_\_\_\_\_ slips or drawn numbers of a lottery, \_\_\_\_\_ money to gamble with, and all device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes.

And if you find the same, or any part thereof, to bring it forthwith before me at the Third District Police Court at the Court House, in Centre Street in the City of New York.

Dated at the City of New York, the }  
23rd day of May 1890

John J. Bonaiuto  
POLICE JUSTICE.



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Inventory of property taken by Edward J. Corners, the Peace Officer by whom this warrant was executed :

~~Faro layouts,~~ ~~Roulette Wheels,~~ ~~Roulette layouts,~~ ~~Rouge et Noir lay-~~  
~~outs,~~ ~~gaming tables,~~ ~~chips,~~ ~~packs of cards,~~ ~~dice,~~ ~~deal~~  
~~boxes,~~ ~~deal trays for holding chips,~~ ~~cue boxes,~~ ~~markers, or tally cards,~~  
~~ivory balls,~~ 2 ~~lottery policies,~~ ~~lottery tickets,~~ ~~circulars,~~ ~~writings,~~  
~~papers,~~ ~~black boards,~~ 243 ~~slips, or drawn numbers in policy,~~ ~~money,~~ 33  
 manifold books, 40 Returned, 2 dream books, 2 quic, 4 Pencils  
3 Memoranda books,

City of New York and County of New York ss:

I, Edward J. Corners the Officer by whom this warrant was executed,

do swear that the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1890 } Edward J. Corners

John J. [Signature]  
 Police Justice.

Police Court--- District. 16

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony [Signature]

vs. George [Signature]

Search Warrant.

Dated May 23<sup>rd</sup> 1890

[Signature] Justice.

E. J. Corners Officer.

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Sec. 151.

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

Police Court, Third District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Anthony Cornuto and Francis J. Kutzin of No. 41 Park Row Street, charging that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890 at the City of New York, in the County of New York that the crime of selling what is commonly called a lottery policy

has been committed, and accusing John Doe whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by Francis J. Kutzin thereof.

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

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

Dated at the City of New York, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890  
John J. Sullivan POLICE JUSTICE.



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POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

A. L. L. L.

vs.

John D. L. L.

George Leyton

Warrant-General.

Dated May 23 1896

Thomas Magistrate.

O'Connor Officer.

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

Edward J. O'Connor Officer.

Dated May 23 1896

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest May 23 1896

Native of MS

Age 31

Sex M

Complexion

Color W

Profession Clerk

Married

Single S

Read Yes

Write Yes

Marshall Hotel  
28 St + 6 Ave



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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 Legumung

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 June 9 1890 W. W. McMahon Police Justice.

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

Dated June 9 1890 W. W. McMahon Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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\$1000 bail for  
22 PM May 26

1890  
May 29 2 PM  
June 2 2 PM  
" 9 2 PM

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

The Magistrate presiding  
in this Court will hear  
and determine the within  
case by reason of my  
absence

Protestant

Police Court---

1890 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Constantino

1. George Hopton

2.

3.

4.

Dated May 24 1890

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$1000 to answer

Bailed

Receiving

Seizing



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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 Leyton*

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

*George Leyton*

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

The said

*George Leyton*

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

SECOND COUNT.

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

*George Leyton*

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

The said

*George Leyton*

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



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THIRD COUNT.

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

George Leyton  
of the CRIME OF SELLING TO ANOTHER WHAT IS COMMONLY KNOWN AS A  
LOTTERY POLICY, committed as follows:

The said

George Leyton  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to  
one

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

BC 23  
11. 26. 33  
14. 32. 71  
6. 42. 57 5

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a  
Lottery Policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the  
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

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

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

The said

George Leyton  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to  
one

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

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

BE 23  
11.26.33.  
14.32.71  
6.42.57 f

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

FIFTH COUNT.

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

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

The said

George Leyton

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

Francis T. Kintzing

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

BE 23  
11.26.33  
14.32.71  
6.42.57 f

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

John R. Fellows  
**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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Witnesses:

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John A. ...  
Arthur ...  
ap the Regt.

Counsel,

Filed 30 day of June 1890

Pleads

Guilty July

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Leyton  
(2 cases)

POLICE.  
[SS 848 and 844, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Rec'd. 9/1

A True Bill. April 22/92

Francis Higgins

Foreman.

Part 2 - April 20, 1892

Reads Gilly & Brickman



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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

An information having been laid before John F. Gorman a Police Justice  
of the City of New York, charging George Lepton Defendant with  
the offence of Voluntary Homicide

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

We, George Lepton Defendant of No. 100 West 28 St  
W. 6 St & 28 St Street; by occupation a Clerk  
and Erastus Crawford of No. 220 West 28 St  
Street, by occupation a Real Estate Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that  
the above named George Lepton Defendant  
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the District Police Court in the City of New York,  
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of ten  
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 24th

day of May

1890

John F. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Subscribed to before me, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1889  
John W. McKean  
Police Justice.

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and free holder within the said County and State, and is worth Twenty Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of

House & lot No 220 West 28 Street of the  
Value of ten thousand dollars  
Erastus Crawford

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.



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

45 Park Row  
of ~~150 Nassau Street~~, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than  
21 years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of the New York Society for the  
Suppression of Vice, that ~~he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does~~  
~~believe, that~~ George Leyton here present

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

did, at the City of        County  
of        and State of New York, on or about the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890,  
unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and  
did engage as ~~a dealer or game keeper~~ in a gambling or banking game, where money or  
property was dependent upon the result—and did sell, or offer to sell what is com-  
monly called a "lottery policy," and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing  
or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did indorse and use a book or  
other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies,  
writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing  
or drawn numbers of a lottery, against the form of the statute of the State of New York  
in such case made and provided.

Deponent further says, he has just <sup>come</sup> ~~come~~ to believe, is informed and verily does  
<sup>and charge</sup> believe from personal observation and from statements made by Francis J  
Kintzing and George Leyton to deponent

that the said George Leyton  
aforesaid, <sup>did</sup> ~~now~~ have in his possession, at in and upon  
certain premises occupied by him and situate and known as Number  
488 Sixth Avenue  
in the City of New York and within  
the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a



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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1890.

Anthony Santolucito

*John J. Conner* Police Justice.

CITY OF New York AND COUNTY OF New York ss.

Francis J. Kitzing of 45 Park Row

being further sworn deposes and says that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1890,

deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said

George Leyton aforesaid; and

had dealings and conversation with him as follows:

Deponent purchased of said Leyton, the paper annexed aforesaid and paid to said Leyton the sum of ten cents for the same, and the said Leyton, wrote the annexed paper, and recorded the same upon his manifold book in deponent's presence.

Francis J. Kitzing

Subscribed and sworn to before me }  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1890 }  
*John J. Conner* }  
Police Justice }

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THE PEOPLE

ON COMPLAINT OF

*Anthony Santolucito*

AGAINST

*George Leyton -*

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

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES :

*Police Justice.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_.

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Sec. 198-200.

1. District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Leyton*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *31 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *Manhattan Hotel 28 Street 46th Avenue*

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*

*George Leyton*

Taken before me this

*24*

day of

*May*

188*8*

*John J. McNamee*  
Police Justice.



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

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 June 9 1890 W.D. Mahon Police Justice.

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

Dated June 9 1890 W.D. Mahon 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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\$1000 bail for  
2 PM 26 May

Adj May 29  
2 PM  
" June 2. 2 PM  
" 9. 2 PM

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

The Magistrate presiding  
in this Court will please  
hear and determine the  
matter case by reason of  
my absence.

John J. Gorman  
Prosecutor

Police Court---

980 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Cassioli

vs.  
1 George Heston

2 /

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Dated June 24 1890

John J. Gorman Magistrate.

Alam Officer.

Cliff Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

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No. Street.



Court of General Sessions of  
The Peace City of New York

The People }  
vs }  
George Layton }  
plea of guilty

City County & State of New York ss  
George Layton being  
duly sworn deposes and says  
that he never was arrested before  
charged with any crime -

that since his arrest he  
has abandoned the business  
of selling & visiting policies  
and will never resume the same

that deponent was very ill  
for many months after his  
arrest and when he recovered  
his health in part, went to  
the City of Albany where  
he worked as a conductor  
on the Albany City Railway

that deponent returned to  
this City some three months  
since and owing to ill health  
has been and is now out of  
employment -

Sworn to before me this  
5th day of June 1894

George Layton

James W. Brinck

Commissioner of deeds Suffolk



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Case of Sen. J. J. ...

Part 2

The People vs

George Layton

Appellant

April 21 1892

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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 Leyton*

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

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

The said

*George Leyton*

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

SECOND COUNT.

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

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

The said

*George Leyton*

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

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THIRD COUNT.

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

George Leyton  
of the CRIME OF SELLING TO ANOTHER WHAT IS COMMONLY KNOWN AS A  
LOTTERY POLICY, committed as follows:

The said

George Leyton  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to  
one Francis J. Kintzing

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

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a  
Lottery Policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the  
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

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

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

The said

George Leyton  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to  
one Francis J. Kintzing

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



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

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

FIFTH COUNT.

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

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

The said

George Leyton

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

Francis J. Kintzing

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

BH 23

19. 34 57  
-6-32 48 50

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

John R. Fellows,  
**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

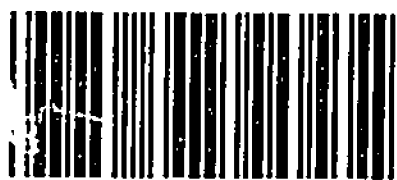
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Long, Littleton

**DATE:**

06/03/90



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

*Louis Nordlinger*

After an examination of all the facts surrounding the commission of the offense alleged in this indictment, after an examination into the past career of the defendant from which it appears that he served long & honorably in the Union Army & that his character hitherto has been excellent I am convinced that the ends of justice would be served by allowing the defendant to go upon his own recognizance. I am quite sure that such a disposition of the case would be just & proper, & in the recommendation the District Attorney concurs.

Vernon M. Davis  
June 12th, 1890, asst

Counsel,

Filed

day of June 1890

Pleads

*Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

(*Verdict*)

*Entlebon Long*

Forgery in the Second Degree.  
[Sections 511 and 512, Penal Code.]  
(Endorsement, etc.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

*Charles H. Higgins*

Foreman

Discharged on his own recognizance

# June 1890 Part 2  
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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

*Louis Madliger*

After an examination of all the facts surrounding the commission of the offense alleged in this indictment, & after an examination into the past career of the defendant from which it appears that he served long & honorably in the Union Army & that his character hitherto has been excellent, I am convinced that the ends of justice would be served by allowing the defendant to go upon his own recognizance. I am quite sure that such a disposition of the case would be just & proper, & in this recommendation the District Attorney concurs.

*Vernon M. Davis*  
*June 12th, 1890. Asst*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1890

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs

*Littleton Long*

(2 cases)

Forgery in the Second Degree.  
[Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.]  
(Endorsement, etc)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Charles H. Higgins*

Foreman.

*discharged on his own recognizance*

*# June 13/90 Part 2*  
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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

*Louis Nordlinger*  
 of No. *17* <sup>and</sup> *19* *Bridge* Street, aged *29* years,  
 occupation *Importer* being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on the *15* day of *April* 18*90* at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
 of deponent, in the *day* time, the following property, viz:

*Good and lawful money of the  
 United States of the value of Three  
 dollars and sixty Two cents*

the property of *Jacob D. Nordlinger and Company*  
 of which firm deponent is a member

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 *Littleton Long* (now here) for the

reasons that on said day and previous  
 thereto the defendant was in the em-  
 ploy of said firm as a bookkeeper  
 and among his duties it was to receive  
 money from the collector of said  
 firm and make entries in the firms  
 books of moneys so received and then  
 deliver <sup>the money</sup> ~~it~~ over to deponent.

Deponent is informed *Louis Mayer*  
 (now here) ~~that~~ an employee of said firm  
 that on said day *he* *Mayer* collected  
 the above sum of money for said  
 firm and delivered it to the  
 defendant in cash. Deponent upon

Sworn to before me, this  
 188 } day

Police Justice.



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an examination of the books kept by said defendant the entry shows that said sum was paid by check.

Deponent alleges that said money collected by said Mayor for said fund and received by the defendant was not paid over to deponent by the defendant as it was his duty and custom but was withheld by the defendant and appropriated to his own use depriving this deponent and his partners of the use and

Benefit  
Sworn to before me by Louis Nordlinger  
the 13<sup>th</sup> day, 1890

W. J. McMahon  
Police Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 17 years, occupation Clerk of No.

37 Clinton Place Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Louis Rodliger

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

Sworn to before me, this 13

day of May 1890

Louis Mayer

W. W. McMahon

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Littleton Long*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *55 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Maryland*

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

Answer. *Bath Beach N.Y.*

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*  
*Littleton Long*

Taken before me this

*13*

day of *May* 189*8*

*Wm. J. McMahon*

Police Justice.



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

*defendant*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *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 13* 189*0* *W. T. McMahon* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Police Court---

742 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Nordlinger  
17 & 19 Bridge St  
Littleton Long

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Offence

W. L. Lawrence

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

May 13 1890

Memorandum

Magistrate.

Mulvey Seawson Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

Louis Meyer

No.

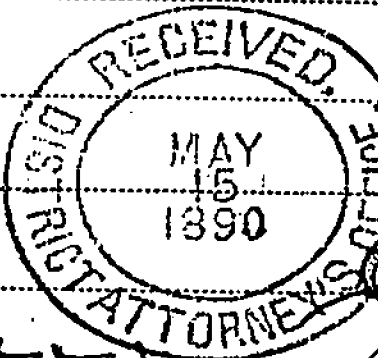
17 & 19 Bridge Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.



to answer

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Complaint of Nordlinger  
also against DeLong

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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

*Littleton Long*

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

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, committed  
as follows:

The said

*Littleton Long*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*fifteenth* day of *April* — in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty-ninety~~ *eighty-nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, being  
then and there the clerk and servant of *Louis Nordlinger*

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

the true owner thereof, to wit:

*the sum of three dollars  
and sixty-two cents in money, law-  
ful money of the United States  
and of the value of three dollars  
and sixty-two cents: —*

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

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and  
personal property of the said *Louis Nordlinger* —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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#5.

Witnesses:

Louis Muller

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1880

Pleads,

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Littleton Long

(2 cases)

With Larceny,  
(MISAPPROPRIATION.)  
(Sections 528 and 532 of the Penal Code).

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Higgins  
Foreman.

Indorsed on his own recognizance  
Jan 11/89. Part 2.



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Police Court, / District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,of No. 17<sup>and</sup> 19 Bridge Street, aged 29 years,occupation Importer being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 18 day of March 1890, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, Littleton Long (now here) with intent to defraud did make, forge and utter an indorsement upon an instrument or writing, to wit: a check for the payment of money, purporting to be the act of another by which a pecuniary demand or obligation is or purports to be created, transferred and conveyed or in any manner affected by which false making, forging, altering or counterfeiting deponent and his co-partners were injured in their property in violation of Section 511 of the Penal Code of the State of New York for the reasons following, to wit: that on said day there was due and owing to the firm of J. D. Nordlinger and co-partners of which firm deponent is a member, the sum of Three hundred and fifty three <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars ~~and some~~ ~~about paid~~ ~~by the annexed check~~ ~~drawn~~ from B. Frank Steele and Company of Springfield, Massachusetts, and on or about said day the annexed check drawn by B. Frank Steele to the order of J. D. Nordlinger upon the First National Bank of Springfield, Massachusetts, was sent to deponent's firm in payment for said account. That the defendant was in the employ of said firm in the position of Book Keeper and as such obtained possession of the checks belonging to said firm. That said check above mentioned bears its order and endorsement as follows: Pay to L. Long or order J. D. Nordlinger

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L. Long," and again endorsed "N. E. Cramer. That said endorsement was so affixed and written without the knowledge and consent of deponent or his co-partners and was so affixed by the defendant to transfer and convey the property in said check to the defendant without authority and with intent to defraud this deponent and his co-partners and said check has been paid by said P. Frank Steele, the drawer.

Wherefore deponent charges the defendant with obtaining said sum of money by means of forging ~~uttering~~ said endorsement and utting said check and appropriating the proceeds to his own use.

Sworn to before me  
the 13<sup>th</sup> May, 1890.

Louis Nordling

Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_  
Hundred Dollars, \_\_\_\_\_ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City  
Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named \_\_\_\_\_  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Police Court-- District.

|                                         |  |                                     |                        |
|-----------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| THE PEOPLE, &c.,<br>ON THE COMPLAINT OF |  | Offence,                            | Dated, _____ 188 _____ |
| 1.                                      |  |                                     | Magistrate.            |
| 2.                                      |  |                                     | Officer.               |
| 3.                                      |  |                                     | Clerk.                 |
| 4.                                      |  |                                     |                        |
| Witnesses,                              |  | No. _____ Street, _____             |                        |
|                                         |  | No. _____ Street, _____             |                        |
|                                         |  | No. _____ Street, _____             |                        |
|                                         |  | No. _____ to answer _____ Sessions. |                        |



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Littleton Long* 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. *Littleton Long*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *55 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Maryland*

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

Answer. *Bath Beach; 3 years*

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*  
*Littleton Long*

Taken before me this

*13*

day of *March*

*1896*

Police Justice.



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

.....*defendant*.....  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Fifty* 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 13* 189*0* *W. D. Mahon* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court---

945 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Nordmeyer

vs.

Littleton Long

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Offence Forgery

Dated

May 13<sup>th</sup>

1890

W. Mahan

Magistrate.

Mulvey & Pearson

Officer.

C. O.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

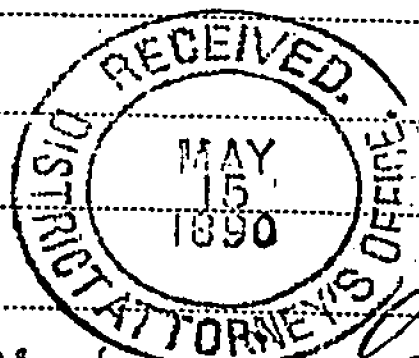
Street.

\$

5000

to answer

G. S.




#11

For  
and



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|  <p>B. FRANK STEELE &amp; CO.<br/>260 &amp; 262 MAIN ST.</p> | <p>\$ 353 <sup>9</sup>/<sub>100</sub></p>                                                                 | <p>Springfield, Mass. Apr 17 1890</p> |
|                                                                                                                                                 | <p><b>INTERNATIONAL BANK</b><br/>OF SPRINGFIELD.</p>                                                      |                                       |
|                                                                                                                                                 | <p>Pay to the order of <u>D. S. Hildinger</u><br/><u>Three Hundred Fifty Three and 91/100</u> Dollars</p> |                                       |
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H. BLASDALE. Cashier.

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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

*Littleton Long*

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

*Littleton Long*  
of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*Littleton Long*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth*  
day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
~~eighty ninety~~, at the City and County aforesaid, having in *his* custody a certain  
instrument and writing, *to wit: an order for the payment of*  
*money, of the kind called bank cheques*

which said *bank cheque* is as follows, that is to say:

*\$353 9/100 Springfield, Mass. Apr 17 1890*  
*First National Bank*  
*of Springfield.*

*Pay to the order of J. D. Nordlinger*  
*Three Hundred Fifty Three and 9/100 Dollars*  
*No 11579 B. Frank Steele :*

the said

*Littleton Long*

afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge,  
and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in forging on the  
*back* of the said *bank cheque*  
a certain instrument and writing commonly called an *endorsement* which said forged  
instrument and writing commonly called an *endorsement* is as follows, that is to say:

*Pay to L. Long or order*  
*J. D. Nordlinger*

with intent to defraud, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and  
against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT--

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
Littleton Long  
of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Littleton Long

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,  
at the City and County aforesaid having in his possession a certain instrument  
and writing, to wit: an order for the payment of

money of the kind called bank cheques

which said

bank cheque

is as follows, that is to say:

\$353 9/100

Springfield, Mass. Apr. 17 1890

First National Bank  
of Springfield.

Pay to the order of J. D. Nordlinger  
Three Hundred Fifty Three and 9/100 Dollars  
No. 11579 B Frank Steele

on the back of which said bank cheque there was then and  
there written a certain forged instrument and writing commonly called an Endorsement  
of the said last-mentioned bank cheque which said forged  
instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement is as follows,  
that is to say:

Pay to L. Long, or order  
J D Nordlinger

with force and arms, the said forged endorsement then and there feloniously did  
utter, dispose of and put off as true, with intent to defraud, he the said  
Littleton Long then and there well knowing the premises,  
and that the said endorsement was forged, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York  
and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.