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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wagner, Charles

**DATE:**

05/23/89



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Witnesses:

Rose Zeisler  
Officer Mahoney

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

23 day of May 1889  
Not guilty of

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Charles Wagner

Accused, third degree  
[Sec. 219, Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Transferred to the Court by Specialney.  
Sessions for trial and final disposition.

Part of the Bill.  
L.K. 1886.

Foreman.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Charles Wagner

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

Indictment accuse Charles Wagner

of the crime of Assault in the Third Degree,

committed as follows:

The said Charles Wagner,

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

nineteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid,

with force and arms, in and upon one  
Rose Reider, then and there being,  
unlawfully did make an assault, and  
a certain wagon, drawn by two horses,  
then and there being driven by him the  
said Charles Wagner, to, at, against and  
upon her the said Rose Reider, then and  
there unlawfully did force and drive, and  
her the said Rose Reider, with the said  
wagon and the horses aforesaid, forced  
and driven as aforesaid, then and there  
unlawfully did strike and knock and

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throw down into and upon the ground  
there, 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. Mallows.

~~Attorney General~~

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Walsh, Joseph

**DATE:**

05/09/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Officer Griffin

The complainant

is unable to say.  
positively that the  
defendant committed  
the assault charged a-  
gainst him herein.  
The People have no other  
witnesses to the crime,  
the officers having de-  
nied their knowledge  
of the statements of the  
complainant. Upon  
these facts I recom-  
mend the dismissal  
of the indictment  
herein.

Dated May 28, 1889.

Edw. J. Gross  
District Attorney

I concur in the above  
recommendation.

June 9/89 J. M. Davis  
District Attorney

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

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph W. Davis

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edw. J. Gross

Part III June 20, 1889. Foreman.

On recom. Dist. Atty.  
indict. dis. P.B.M.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0141

Court of General Sessions  
The People  
vs.  
Joseph Walsh

Peter Peterson, 98 Oliver Street,  
Dock builder. On the 28th of  
March, 1889, at about eleven  
o'clock in the evening, while  
on my way home in Oliver  
Street, I was assaulted by three  
men, and one of them stabbed  
me with a sharp instrument,  
but I do not know which  
of the three men did it. I cannot  
swear that the above defendant  
did it.

Jeremiah J. Griffin, patrolman,  
4th precinct. On the 28th of  
March, 1889, at about three o'clock  
P. M., officer Hogan and my-  
self, arrested the defendant herein  
upon complainant's com-  
plaint. He did not make  
any remark which might  
be construed as an admission.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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of his guilt. We heard the cries of the complainant, when he was being stabbed. This was at about one o'clock P.M. of the 28th of March, 1889. The complainant stated that his assailants had escaped into a building. The defendant was arrested about two hours afterwards.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0143

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs,

*Joseph Walsh*

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated *May 23* 1888

*Edward Grace*

Deputy Assistant.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0144

District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Mr. Fitzgerald  
This is the case  
in which you  
sent the mother  
of this boy to me  
Mr Davis has  
recommended his  
discharge on the  
back -

Yours Respy  
Andrew Hay

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0145

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

Joseph Walsh

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.

Edward Grover

P. Pedersen

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs.

Joseph Walsh

Warner

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0147

Police Court— District

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Peter Peterson*  
of No. *98 Oliver* Street,

*Boek builder* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on *Thursday* the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *March*

in the year 188*9* at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by *Joseph*

*Walsh (nowhere) who cut and  
stabbed deponent in the left  
leg with some sharp instrument  
which he, defendant 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 *28<sup>th</sup>* day  
of *March* 188*9*

*Peter Peterson*  
make  
*G. M. [Signature]* POLICE JUSTICE.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0148

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

District Police Court.

*Joseph Walsh* 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.

*Joseph Walsh*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*77 Oliver Street. 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Joseph Walsh*

Taken before me this

*28*

day of *March* 188*9*

*J. J. Thompson*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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

Police Court... 485  
District...

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Peterson  
98 Adams  
Joseph Alkalat

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Offence Fel. Assault

Dated March 28 1889

Magistrate

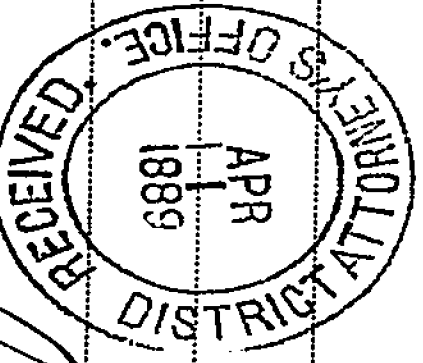
Special Assistant Officer

14 Precinct

Witnesses

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

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



No. 1000  
to answer

Signature

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

defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 March 28 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0150

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Joseph Walsh

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

The said

Joseph Walsh

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
twenty-eighth day of March in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Peter Peterson  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,  
and him the said Peter Peterson  
with a certain sharp instrument to the Grand Jury  
aforesaid unknown  
which the said Joseph Walsh  
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

him

the said

Peter Peterson

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

The said

Joseph Walsh

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 Peter Peterson  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make another assault, and him the said  
Peter Peterson  
with a certain sharp instrument to the Grand  
Jury aforesaid unknown  
which the said Joseph Walsh  
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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said

*Joseph Walsh*  
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  
*Peter Peterson* in the peace of the said People then  
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and

him the said *Peter Peterson*  
with a certain sharp instrument to the  
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,

which *he* the said *Joseph Walsh*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *leg*  
of *him* the said *Peter Peterson*

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and  
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-  
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Peter Peterson*

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:**

Walsh, Thomas

**DATE:**

05/09/89



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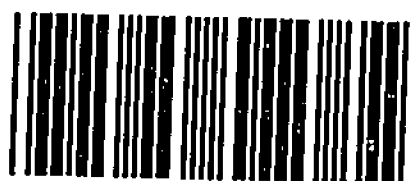
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Houston, Daniel

**DATE:**

05/09/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

*Officer Muller*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1889

Pleads,

*Chiquita*

THE PEOPLE

*vs. Paul*

vs.

*Thomas Walsh*

*vs. Daniel*

*Houston*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

*Pr. May 13/89*  
*Brk. held before Burg. 3.*  
*Both P.D. 2 yrs & 6 mo*

A TRUE BILL.

P.B.M.

*John R. Fellows*

Foreman.

*Burglary in the Third degree.*  
*Section 498, 526, 528 & 531 A.D.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0155

Police Court—1<sup>st</sup> District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 315 Pearl.

occupation Merchant

Henry B. Hopper Street, aged 43 years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 315 Pearl Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Brick Building  
in the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward of said City.

and which was occupied by deponent as a General Business

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

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly removing  
the Cover of the Seattle Hole in  
the roof of said premises

on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1889 in the Evening time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A Quantity of Brushes of  
the Value of Two Hundred Dollars.

the property of Deponents: and Henry B. Hopper  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

Thomas Walsh, & Samuel Houston  
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That at or about the hour  
of 6 O'clock P.M. on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April  
1889 deponent, Samuel Houston, went  
left said premises. That deponent is  
informed by Gabrielio Muller, That  
at or about the hour of 4<sup>th</sup> A.M. on the  
26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1889 he was Company  
with officers Carr, M. Mann, & Lynam  
found the said defendants in said

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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premises with the said property in  
bags ready for removal from said  
premises. Defendant therefore prays  
that the said defendants may be  
held to answer.

Given before me  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1889 } Henry B. Happeh  
J. B. Happeh  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

Burglary

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 53 years, occupation

*Fabrisse. Muller*  
*Police Officer* of *the*  
*4th Precinct Police* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1889

*cu s Bone*

Police Justice.

*Fabrisse H. Muller*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0158

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Thomas Walsh*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thomas Walsh*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*25 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*422 Pearl St. 2 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I have nothing to say and  
waive further examination. Thomas Walsh*  
*here*

Taken before me this

day of

1889

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0159

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

1 District Police Court.

*Daniel Houston* 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. *Daniel Houston*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *40 New Chambers St. 18 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say and*  
*want further examination*  
*Daniel Houston*

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*8*

*W. J. Davis*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0160

1570 ft. Examination  
920 N. M. St.  
May 3.

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

Police Court 656  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas B. Stoddard  
3157 10th St.  
Albany, N.Y.  
Small Stealer  
Burglary

Offence

Dated April 27th 1889

James J. Mullen  
Magistrate

James J. Mullen  
Officer

James J. Mullen  
Precinct

James J. Mullen  
Street

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James J. Mullen  
Street

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

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

Dated April 27th 1889 James J. Mullen Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1889 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1889 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0161

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*Thomas Walsh and  
Daniel Houston* } <sup>against</sup>

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

*Thomas Walsh and Daniel Houston*

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

The said *Thomas Walsh and Daniel*

*Houston, both*

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

*Henry B. Stoppel*

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein,  
to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*Henry B. Stoppel*

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



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Thomas Walsh and Daniel Houston*  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Walsh and Daniel Houston, both*

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

*one thousand brushes of the  
value of twenty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Henry B. Stoppel*

in the *building* of the said *Henry B. Stoppel—*

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

*John R. Bellows*  
*District Attorney.*



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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

**Ward, Mary**

**DATE:**

**05/07/89**



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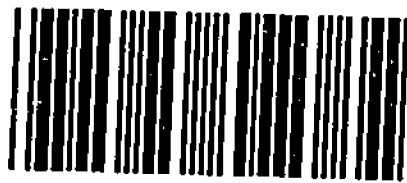
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Ward, Mary

**DATE:**

05/07/89



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

Reads,

1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

Mary Ward

to the People of the State of New York

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

May 14/89 WMD

A TRUE BILL.

Grand Juror

Foreman.

May 14/89

Spoken & Consigned up

John J. Lawrence

Amos W. H.

Grand Larceny  
[Sections 528, 530 — Penal Code].  
First degree.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0166

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, First DISTRICT.

of the 6<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested one  
Mary Ward on complaint of William Miller  
who charged the said Ward with having  
gloriously taken, stolen and carried away  
from his possession and person, property of  
the value of fifty dollars. Deponent  
believes that the said Miller will not  
appear to prosecute the said Ward  
at the court of General Sessions, he  
being a non-resident of the City, deponent  
therefore prays that the said Miller may  
be required to furnish surety for his  
appearance to testify. David A. Montgomery

Sworn to before me, this 29<sup>th</sup> day  
of April 1889

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

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

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

Witness, \_\_\_\_\_

Disposition, \_\_\_\_\_

In the House of  
Detention



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0168

Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. Delphi New York State Street, aged 27 years,  
occupation Farmer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 28th day of April 1887 at the City of New

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

Good and lawful money of the  
United States issued to the amount  
and value of fifty dollars.

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Mary Ward. (now here)

from the fact that at or about the hour  
of 10<sup>30</sup> P.M. on said date deponent was  
accompanied by the said Ward on Park  
Row for the purpose of prostitution, that  
deponent went with the said Ward  
to a house unknown to deponent, that  
while lying on a bed with the said  
Ward, having sexual intercourse with  
her, deponent felt the hand of the said  
Ward in the right hand pocket of the  
pantaloons then on deponent's person,  
and when deponent had placed  
said money, that deponent immediately  
after having sexual intercourse with

Sworn to before me, this

of

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day

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with the said Ward. Missed said  
Money from said pocket. That, <sup>deposited</sup> ~~deposited~~  
then accused the said Ward with <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>possession</sup> ~~possession~~  
of said Money, and while <sup>deposited</sup> ~~deposited~~ was  
standing to the said Ward. she put hand  
into <sup>deposited</sup> ~~deposited~~ pocket, and put <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>same</sup> ~~same  
into <sup>deposited</sup> ~~deposited~~ pocket. The purse which  
contained said Money.  
Seymour. Then you says that the said  
Ward may be held to answer the same~~

Signed before me ✓ William Miller  
This 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 1889  
City of <sup>Chicago</sup> ~~Chicago~~  
(Police Justice)

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Sec. 198-200.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Mary Ward*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *40. Shropshire St. 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Prostitute*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge*

*Mary Ward*  
*Ward*

I went with <sup>the</sup> woman into a house, has connection with her — before it and after entering the room I took out my ~~purse~~ <sup>purse</sup> and unrolled a one dollar note and gave it to her, while in the act of copulation she took the money out of my pocket and returned the bills and returned the purse afterwards to my pocket. I charged her with the larceny

Taken before me this

day of

*March*

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I was hustled by her & some  
others and followed them  
through the flat & had  
her arrested by the officer.

William Miller



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

Police Court---

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Miller

Mary Ward

Offence

Larceny

Dated

April 29 1889

Residence

Magistrate

No. 3, by

J. A. Montgomery, Officer

Residence

Precinct

Witnesses

Complainant

No. 2, by

Committee to the Street

Residence

House of Melville

No. 1, by

in default of the Court

Residence

to the Court

No. 1, by

to the Court

No. 1, by

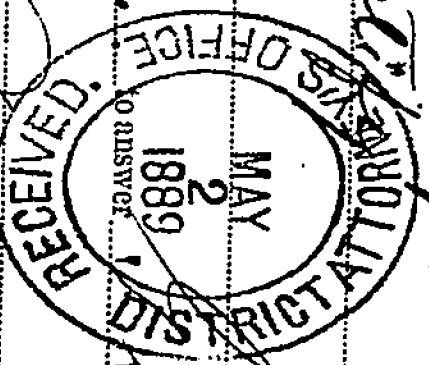
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to the Court



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 April 29 1889 and to w Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



The People vs Mary Ward  
Indictment for grand larceny in first degree.  
William Miller, sworn and examined.  
I live in Delhi, Delaware Co. and work on a farm; on the 28th of April I was in this city. I met the defendant on Park Row about half past ten o'clock at night; she spoke first, I was going down to the hotel where I was stopping; she halted me and asked me if I did not want something? I said, not, that I had been after having something; she says to me, Come back and I will get it up for you. I was stopping at the Hamilton house in Chamber street. I went with her to the house 103 Park Row. I went up stairs into a room and she went with me; she closed the door and sat down on the bed. Then I had connection with her. Then I went into the room I had between fifty and seventy five dollars in money on my person in a little purse; it was in my right hand trousers pocket. The defendant slipped her hand down into my pocket while I had connection with her and took the purse containing the money from my pocket. Then I got through I buttoned my pants; I put my hand down, the pocket book was pretty big with the money in it. I felt my pocket, and I says, "You have

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got my money." She said, "No, I aint, I have only got the dollar you paid me for having connection." I began to speak a little loud and there came another lady up and the man who rents the house. She came in and searched her with her drawers and shirt on. She did not undress before we went to bed; she had her clothes on. I was standing at the bed side when I charged her with taking my money and she was there also; she had only been about three feet away from the bed. There was not over three minutes conversation between me and her about the loss of the money before anybody else came in the room. The man came up stairs when I was speaking loud and made some sort of a threat if I did not stop he would do so and so. He was standing at the entrance of the door; he opened the door and said not to make any noise, that he would have her searched right away, that he was not going to have the house disgraced. He halled down for some lady, and she came up and she made the defendant strip, and she searched her under her shirt and drawers. The process of searching her I suppose took five minutes. I stayed in the room all the time; she said she could not find any

money on the defendant; she (the defendant) said  
"I will go to the station house with you."  
I could not tell what became of the woman  
who searched the defendant. I followed her.  
The man went down stairs after the lady who  
searched the defendant. I do not believe there  
was a light in the hall, but there was a  
light in the room. The defendant went down  
into the bar room and I followed her; she  
went out and ran across the street and  
when she got to the corner she said some-  
thing to a young man who was standing  
there. I called for police, and she wheeled  
around and came back the same way  
and then she ran three or four blocks. The  
officer arrested her. I told him she robbed me  
the money I had was in five and ten dollar  
bills. During the time of the search she said to  
me, "Try your pockets again and see if you  
have got your money." I tried them, and there  
was no money or pocketbook there. This was  
in the room. Then she came back and  
said, "I will try your pockets." So she put  
her hands right down in my pockets again  
and I cannot say whether she had the  
pocketbook, but she had something  
black in her hand going right into my  
right pants pocket. When I put my  
hand in my pocket. I did not get any.



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Cross Examined. This happened on a Sunday evening in April but I could not tell what date it was. I came to the city the Saturday night before. I got in here about seven o'clock and went to a hotel, the Hammiton house in Chamber street. I stayed there till Sunday morning. I took a ride around in the street cars to get up an appetite for breakfast. I could not tell where I did go. I came back and had my breakfast and remained in the hotel half an hour after and then went out again for another ride with an old gentleman who was stopping at the hotel. I don't know his name, I got acquainted with him on the train. I never saw him before. I stayed with him until probably two o'clock. I parted with him and went over to Brooklyn to see my cousin who is living there, No 123 St. Marks Avenue. I believe I took two glasses of beer during the forenoon. I am sure I did not take any. I drank no whiskey or brandy. I did not go back to the hotel but had my dinner in some restaurant. I had coffee and nothing else at dinner. It was before I went to Brooklyn. I had dinner. I stayed in Brooklyn about two hours. The old gentleman was not with me. I had nothing to drink.

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over in Brooklyn; she is strictly against drink and I did not want it. To the best of my opinion I left somewhere around four o'clock. Where did you go? I went around the street in New York. You came back to New York? Yes. Did you go back to the hotel? No. You say after four o'clock you came from Brooklyn to New York and you walked around the streets? I went to see another friend of mine, a New York lady friend I met on the train. I went to the number of her house but did not find her in; she did not live in the city; she came down to the Centennial. I came to the Centennial. I don't remember the name and number of the house and street. I guess I put it in a book. I got the address from her going down. While looking around the city I did not drink anything. I did not take any supper. I did not eat anything more at all that day. I took a drink with the defendant at night. I did not drink anything after two o'clock in the afternoon till I met the defendant. I was walking around all the evening looking at the city. All that time I had my purse and money in my pocket, in my right hand's pants pocket. I was around Park Row. A gentleman



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who stopped in the hotel where I was staying took me there. I don't know him. I never saw him only in the hotel. He invited me to go to this house. I did not ask for any liquor. I bought two bottles of beer for the lady I was with, but I did not drink any of it. Then I went into the house. I met a lady. I did not know who she was; there were three ladies there I guess. I went up stairs into a room with her. I could not tell you what time it was. It was two or three hours after that I met the defendant. I had connection with the other woman. I stayed in the room with her about ten minutes. I paid her a dollar. I took out my purse and put it right back into my pocket. She came down with me and I went outside. I don't know what time I got in the street. I met the defendant probably two or two hours and a half after. The man who was with me had left and gone home. I kept walking around. I did not go into any bar room to drink. I met another young lady before I met the defendant; she asked me on Park Row if I would not go with her and I did. I went with her into the same house where I got robbed. I went into the same room that I was in with the defendant. There

were no other women in the room. I had connection with her on the bed and gave her a dollar. I took out my purse to pay her and put it back again. I came down and she came out with me. After I left her I met the defendant and we went in and had a glass of beer. I only drank half of it. I met her in Park Row and went with her as I stated before. I gave her a dollar bill out of my purse and put it in my pantaloons. I did not see her doing anything after I accused her of taking the pocket book.

David A. Montgomery sworn. I am an officer of the Sixth precinct and arrested the defendant on the 28th of April about 11 o'clock at night corner of City Hall Place and Pearl St. The defendant and the complainant were going down City Hall Place and three or four people were following. Miller came up to me and said, "Officer, I want you to lock this woman up, she robbed me." I asked him how much and he said, "eighty dollars." I took her and brought her to the station house. She said it was not so, that he was with another woman before he met her, and it was the other woman who robbed him. He went to the station house with me and the defendant was searched there. Nothing was found on her.

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except a dollar bill and some other small change. She was walking pretty fast and Miller was right behind her.

Mary Ward, sworn and examined in her own behalf testified. I am 23 years old and recollect the Sunday night I met the complainant on Park Row. I did not rob him of any money. Then I met him he was coming out of the house with another woman. he went up half a block and he came back and asked me if I would go up stairs? I said, yes. He went into the basement and he called for whiskey and we had a drink of whiskey. He then went into a room. he wanted me to strip off my clothes. he said, "Here is a dollar," he did not pull out a pocket book. I saw nothing but a dollar bill. Then he got out of bed he put on his clothes and said, "I had some money in my pocket, where is it? I said, "I don't know. I have got a dollar, and that is all I have got." He was hallooing, he took a revolver out, and the chamber maid came up and stayed till he got through searching. I said, I can stay here, for I have nothing but a dollar. The man came up and said, "I will get an officer and have you arrested," he sent his wife up. The man stood there with the revolver. I had



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nothing but \$1.75. He went out on the sheet  
and when the officer was on the corner  
he told him to arrest me. I was taken  
to the station house and searched and  
only \$1.75 was found on me.

The jury rendered a verdict  
of guilty of petty larceny with a recom-  
mendation to mercy.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
Mary Ward

filed May  
1884.



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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

*Mary Ward*

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

this indictment, accuse

*Mary Ward*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE,

committed as follows:

The said

*Mary Ward*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-eight*  
day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-*nine*, 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 *fifty*

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 *fifty*  
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand  
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *fifty*

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the  
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *fifty*

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 *William Miller* on the  
person of the said *William Miller* then and there being found,  
*from the person of the said William Miller*  
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:**

Werling, Henry

**DATE:**

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Officer Collins

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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

*Henry Werling*

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

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

The said

*Henry Werling*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, 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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

*Henry Werling*

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:**

**Winch, Louis**

**DATE:**

**05/23/89**



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WITNESSES:

*Officer Martin*

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

day of May 1889

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*  
*Louis Winch*

*clerk*  
"Sent to the Court of Special  
Sessions for trial, by request  
of the Defendant."

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 21 and  
page 1890, Sec. 6.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Edward W. Mearns*  
Foreman.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Louis Winch*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Louis Winch*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

*Louis Winch*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*tenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, 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

*Hugh Martin*

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

*Louis Winch*

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

*Louis Winch*

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.