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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Paul, Christian F.

**DATE:**

07/18/88



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Counsel,  
Filed 18 day of July  
1888

Pleads, Chayfield, Jr.

THE PEOPLE,



vs. CHRISTIAN F. DAWL

[Section 528, and 531, Penal Code].

(False Pretenses).

7<sup>th</sup> Inst., 1888  
and is deposited.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

MAILED 12 M 1888  
JAN 21 1888

A TRUE BILL.

John R. Fellows  
Foreman.  
Jan 22, 1888.

Witnesses:

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 114 Wall-  
occupation Contractordeposes and says, that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1888, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful Money of the  
 United States issue of the amount  
 and value of One hundred & Sixty-  
 Six \$100. Dollars -

the property of deponent. Thomas Walsh.  
 Captain this

Sworn to before me, this  
 1888  
 day

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 Christian or Paul (nowhere)  
 from the Jack Tuck or a Tuck the  
 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1888. The said Tuck  
 agreed to sell to deponent about 43 bags  
 of it and more. just as he is. The said  
 Tuck or Paul at the time representing  
 the deponent. that he was the sole owner  
 of said property. It was the 26<sup>th</sup> day  
 of May 1888. The said Tuck delivered  
 the said property at the  
 3rd of Bush 94<sup>th</sup> Street New York City  
 and deponent paid the sum  
 of money by check to the said  
 Tuck. Deponent thus gives full informed  
 M. Waller W. Taylor. that the said

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Dave owns the sole owner. I own  
property and think the said Taylor  
held a charge mortgagor on said  
property - until the said Dave.  
I am now disposed of said  
property in violation of Section 511 of  
Chancery Court of the State of New-York  
Supreme. There are changes that the  
said Dave may lawfully represent.  
to determine that he is the sole owner.  
I own property with the intent to  
rent and demand payments from  
out of said sum of money and pray's  
that he may be held to answer the same  
  
Signed to witness  
This 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1888. Augustin Walsh,  
W. A. Blake  
Police Justice.

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

I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the underwriting hereunto annexed.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime herein mentioned has been  
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

Offence—LARCENY.				
1	2	3	4	
Date.		Magistrate.		
		Officer.		
		Clerk.		
		Witnesses,		
		No.	Street,	
			No.	Street,
				\$ to answer
				Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

aged 35 years, occupation Houseman of No.

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

*Sworn to before me, this*  
*day of June 1888*

W W Taylor

H. A. Wade

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Christian Paul* 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?

*Christian Paul -*

Question. How old are you?

*40 Years -*

Question. Where were you born?

*Germany -*

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

*657 East 17th Street 1 Year -*

Question. What is your business or profession?

*Fruit Dealer -*

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

*I am not guilty of the  
charge*

Taken before me this  
day of May 1888

*John H. Mull*  
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.

*Christian J. Paul*  
guilty hereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
~~Seventy~~ 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 24 1888

*W. F. Geddes* Police Justice.

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

Dated June 25 1888 *upon* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Bills  
ordered 11711 964  
Police Court-- District

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Augustine Talaro.  
114 Wall St.

William J. Paul

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OCT 16 1888  
PLATE 24

Offense

Dated

1888

John D. Hall Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Taylor & Taylor  
No. 732 Westchester Avenue Street

No. Hartman & Son Street

M. H. Ferguson

No. Street

\$ 700.00 to answer

Up 9. 30 AM 123 2

1000 · Bail

William Clinton 1000 · Bond  
John C. Tracy 1000 · Bond  
John C. Tracy 1000 · Bond

BAILED

No. 1, by Matri Heinheimer  
Residence 172 Ave B. Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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GEORGE H. MARKS,  
MANAGER.

P. O. BOX 3261.

—UNITED STATES BRANCH—  
LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION,  
NO. 69 WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, March 16th, 1889

Dear Mr. Lindsay:-

I am very sorry that the case in which Mr Walsh, is interested seems to hang fire so long. As you will recollect the Indictment was found somewhere in July 1888 and the matter has been called for an apparent trial some eight or nine times.

The complainant Mr. Walsh has appeared with four witnesses from Mt. Vernon in answer to the various subpoenas, but without success in having the case brought to trial. His last appearance was on March 6th in answer to the last subpoena. Surely one of your fellow workers can put this through in quick order.

Yours very truly,

B. Johnson

John D. Lindsay Esq  
Attala District Attorney

Mr. McCabe -

Col. Fellows has given positive instructions that this case should be tried without further delay. Will you see that these instructions are carried out?

John D. Lindsay

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Put this Case on adjourned date  
Take no expenses for Adjt.

114 Wall St., New York City,

Feb. 23d, 1889.  
*J. H. Johnson*

MY Dear Mr. Robertson:

I am the complainant, as you are aware, in the case of the People against Christian Paul. The District Attorney's office has done, as I thought it would, when speaking to you recently about the matter, that a further delay would be made.

The District Attorney complied with your request to direct the case being put on the calendar the following day, but the result seemed to show that there was no intention to try it, after obliging for the eighth time the attendance of four (4) business men from Mount Vernon.

The fact, that the defendant's counsel was absent from Court the last time the case was called by District Attorney Davis, corroborates the statement, made to me, that the counsel is a local politician in the 23d ward and that he openly boasts that the case will go over no matter how often it goes upon the calendar until he is ready to try it. The facts, I say, corroborate his boast. The indictment against Paul was found last June.

Very truly yours,

*Augustin Melshoff*  
*J. A. Walsh*

6x3 *Heck*

*Conrad*

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Mortgage on Goods and Chattels.— } 493.  
Security Clause.

John Polhemus, Printer and M'fg Stationer, 102 Nassau St., N. Y.

Know all Men by these Presents,  
THAT I, Christian Paul of the City, County and  
State of New York party

of the first part, for securing the payment of the indebtedness hereinafter mentioned, and in consideration of  
the sum of one dollar to me duly paid by Walter W. Taylor of the

City, County and State of New York, party

of the second part, at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is  
hereby acknowledged, have bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell, unto  
the said part y of the second part, All his right title and interest in  
and to all standing wood, logs and sawed timber &c

and all other goods and chattels mentioned in the schedule hereunto annexed, and now in the  
premises situate corner of Old Boston Road turn-pike and Cussards  
Lane in the Town of Westchester, on street and adjacent property

To have and to hold, all and singular the goods and chattels above bargained and sold,  
or intended so to be, unto the said part y of the second part, his executors, administrators  
and assigns forever. And I, Christian Paul — the  
said part y of the first part, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, all  
and singular of the said goods and chattels above bargained and sold unto the said part y of the  
second part, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, against myself —

the said part y of the first part, and against all and  
every person or persons whomsoever, shall and will warrant and forever defend. Upon Condition  
that if I, Christian Paul — the said part y of the  
first part, shall and do well and truly pay unto the said part y of the second part, his executors,  
administrators or assigns, The full sum of Five Hundred Dollars as follows

\$200.00 in two weeks from the date hereof  
\$200.00 in Forty days from the date hereof and  
\$100.00 in Sixty days from the date hereof (for which  
several amounts I have this day given my three several  
promissory notes, payable to the order of said Walter  
W. Taylor at the Twelfth Ward Bank and to secure  
the payment of which said several notes, this  
Mortgage is given)

then these presents shall be void. And I, Christian Paul —  
the said part y of the first part, for myself, my executors, administrators  
and assigns, do covenant and agree, to and with the said part y of the second part,  
his executors, administrators and assigns, that in case default shall be made in the  
payment of the said sum above mentioned, or should said part y of the second part at any time  
deem himself unsafe or at any risk, then it shall and may be lawful for, and  
the said part y of the first part, do hereby authorize and empower the said part y of  
the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, with the aid and assistance  
of any person or persons, to enter Said premises dwelling house, store and other premises,  
and such other place or places as the said goods or chattels are or may be placed, and take  
and carry away the said goods or chattels, and to sell and dispose of the same for the best price they can  
obtain, and out of the money arising therefrom, to retain and pay the said sum above mentioned, and all  
charges touching the same, rendering the overplus (if any) unto myself.

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or to my executors, administrators or assigns. And until default be made in the payment of the said sum of money I am to remain and continue in the quiet and peaceable possession of the said goods and chattels, and the full and free enjoyment of the same. If from any cause said property shall fail to satisfy said debt, interest, costs and charges, the said part of of the first part hereby covenant S and agree S to pay the deficiency.

In witness whereof, I the said part of of the first part have hereunto set my hand and seal the Thirtieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty eight.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of

William F. Browne

Christian Paul (D)

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO IN THE FOREGOING MORTGAGE.

All right, title, and interest of the party of the first part in and to all standing wood now on the premises situate corner of Old Boston road turn-pike and Cussards Lane, in the Town of Westchester as well as all Logs lying on the street or streets adjacent to said property, together with all piling now at Eastchester Dock, together with all logs and sawed timber now at Jacob Mentry's Mill not including however the fifteen logs already sold by me to Mr Benjamin and now at said mill.

Dated N. Y. City April 30<sup>th</sup> 1888

In presence of

William F. Browne

Christian Paul (D)

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No. ....

Christian Paul

To

Walter W. Taylor

Dated April 30<sup>th</sup> 1888

Filed

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# Mortgage.

*On Goods and Chattels.*

*This Mortgage, or a true copy thereof, must be filed*

*If in the City of New York, in the Office of the Register.  
If in any other City or County Town, in the Clerk's Office therein.  
If in any other town in this State, in the Town Clerk's Office.  
Invalid if not renewed within 30 days next preceding expiration of  
each and every term of one year after filing thereof.*

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Christian Paul

To

Walter W. Gaynor

Dated April 30<sup>th</sup> 1888

Filed

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Mortgagor.

On Goods and Chattels.

This Mortgage, or a true copy thereof, must be filed  
If in the City of New York, in the Office of the Register.  
If in any other City or County Town, in the Clerk's Office therein.  
If in any other town in this State, in the Town Clerk's Office.  
Invalid if not renewed within 30 days next preceding expiration  
each and every term of one year after filing thereof.

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

Office of the Register of Deeds, &c. } ss.  
City and County of New York.

Filer

I have compared the annexed copy with an Instrument  
in this office, on the 30 = day of Apl 1888

A. M. at 1 o'clock 55 min M. S. 20

and certify the same to be a correct transcript therefrom, and of the

whole of said Instrument.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and  
affixed my official seal, this 22 day of June 1888

John P. Stern

Register.

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Christian Paul

To

Walter W. Taylor

Dated April 30<sup>th</sup> 1888

Filed

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Mortgage.

On Goods and Chattels.

This Mortgage, or a true copy thereof, must be filed  
If in the City of New York, in the Office of the Register.  
If in any other City or County Town, in the Clerk's Office therein.  
If in any other town in this State, in the Town Clerk's Office.  
Invalid if not renewed within 30 days next preceding expiration of  
each and every term of one year after filing thereof.

State of New York  
City and County of New York) ss.

On the Thirtieth day of April in the year one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty eight before me personally came the within named  
Christian Paul

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

(L)

William F. Browne (22)  
Notary Public  
N.Y. Co.

the Mortgagee within named, do  
certify and state that there remains due and unpaid on the mortgage, of which the foregoing is a true copy,

and this copy and statement are filed to continue the notice required by the Statute made and provided  
for the renewal of chattel mortgages.

Dated this ..... day of ..... A. D. 18.....

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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

Christian F. Paul

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
Christian F. Paul,

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

The said Christian F. Paul,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 26th  
day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-eight, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent to  
deprive and defraud Thomas Walsh and Augustin  
Walsh, partners ther and there carrying  
on business in and by the firm name  
and style of T. and A. Walsh,

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

Thomas Walsh and Augustin Walsh,

That the said Christian F. Paul was  
then the sole owner of forty three thousand  
feet of board wood which he then and  
there sold and delivered to the said Thomas  
Walsh and Augustin Walsh, that the  
said logs were then wholly unnumbered  
and there was then no bill or damage  
indictment against or upon the same, and  
no legal title or interest existed against the

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sale and delivery of the same to the said  
Thomas Walsh and Augustin Walsh in  
common interest.

And the said Thomas Walsh and Augustin  
Walsh —

then and <sup>there</sup> believing the said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations so made  
as aforesaid by the said Edm<sup>n</sup> F. Paul —

and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of the false and fraudulent pretenses and  
representations so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said  
Edm<sup>n</sup> F. Paul, the sum of one hundred  
and seventy five dollars and thirty six  
cents in money and in money of the United  
States, and of the value of one hundred  
and seventy two dollars and thirty  
six cents.)

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said Thomas  
Walsh and Augustin Walsh —

And the said Edm<sup>n</sup> F. Paul —  
did then and there feloniously receive and obtain the said proper moneys, goods, chattels, and  
personal property, from the possession of the said Thomas Walsh  
and Augustin Walsh —  
by color and by aid of the false and fraudulent pretenses and representations aforesaid, with  
intent to deprive and defraud the said Thomas Walsh and  
Augustin Walsh —  
of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said Edm<sup>n</sup> F. Paul  
was not then the sole owner of the said  
varying sum of money and did not  
do so as aforesaid. Then and there

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sold and delivered to the said Thomas Walsh and Augustin Walsh, and the said dogs were not then wholly un-  
encumbered, and there was then a due  
and charge against and upon the same, to  
wts.: a certain chattel mortgage executed  
by the said Christian T. Paul in and by the  
name of Christian Paul, on the thirtieth  
day of April in the year above said wherein  
and whereby the said Christian T. Paul  
did grant, assign and sell unto one Walter W.  
Tangler all his right title and interest to a  
mix (among other things) the said forty three  
dogs, to secure the payment of certain  
promissory notes theretofore given by him;  
which said mortgage was at the time of the  
making of said false and fraudulent pretenses  
and representations, a lien and encumbrance upon  
and against said dogs, and constituted a legal  
obstacle against such sale and delivery.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made  
as aforesaid by the said Christian T. Paul —  
to the said Thomas Walsh and Augustin Walsh was and were,

then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as the the said  
Christian T. Paul  
at the time of making the same then and there well knew

And so the Grand Jury Aforesaid, do say that the said

Christian T. Paul —  
in the manner and form aforesaid, by the means aforesaid, the said proper moneys, goods,  
chattels and personal property of the said Thomas Walsh  
and Augustin Walsh —  
then and there feloniously did STEAL, against the form of the Statute in such case made and  
provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

**Pope, Giovanni**

**DATE:**

**07/10/88**



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*Witnesses:*

Counsel,  
Filed 10 day of July 188  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

v.s.

Giovanni Perri

H. J. D. M.  
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Assault in the First Degree, Etc.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True BILL.

John H. Moore  
Foreman.

July 11/89.

Glendale County 2009  
by M. D. M. vs. S. B.

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CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

POLICE COURT, 1<sup>st</sup> — DISTRICT.

of No. The 6th Precinct Police Street, aged 33 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the 24 day of June 188  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Defendant Arrested  
John Papsa (now here) for feloniously  
assaulting and beating one Gillespie  
Karto of no 65 Mulberry Street by cutting  
and stabbing said Karto in the back of the  
body under the left shoulder with a dagger  
the defendant held in his hand inflicting  
injuries from which the said Karto is now  
confined to the Chamber Street Hospital and  
is unable to appear in court said Karto  
identified the defendant Papsa in the presence  
of defendant as the person that did inflict said

Sworn before me this  
of July 188  
John C. Clark

Police Justice.

Police Court, / / District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Crystal  
vs.  
John Clark

AFFIDAVIT

Dated June 26, 1888  
John Clark Magistrate.

Constable Officer.

Witnesses affirm  
John Allen et al

Dennis Sullivan  
131 Mulberry St

Disposition,

injuries wherefore defendant prays that said defendant may be held to await the result of said injuries.

Sworn to before me this  
25 day of June 1888 Thos J Crystal  
Deputy Sheriff  
Signed and sworn to by  
John Clark

~~Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of June 1888~~  
June 26, 1888  
26 - 950 W.M.

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Police Court 15<sup>th</sup> District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. 17 Lispenard Street,

on Sunday the 23rd day of June

in the year 1881 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Giovanni Pepe (now gone)

who did wilfully and maliciously

cut and stab deponent with

the blade of a dagger he deponent  
held in his hand in the back

part of the body under the left

Shoulder blade inflicting a serious

wound and said assault was

committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

20<sup>th</sup> day

of

1881

Vincenzo Longo

POLICE JUSTICE.

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District Police Court.

Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

Giovanni Pepe 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.

Giovanni Pepe

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Italy

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

Answer.

115 Mulberry Street 2 years

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 not guilty. The complainant and I were playing cards he lost a few games & became angry - he followed me into the street slapped my face & pulled out a razor & cut me, when I stabbed him in the arm.

Giovanni Pepe  
Pease

Taken before me this  
day of April 1881

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 28 188.....see & C mo Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court---

152-995  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Vincenzo Longo  
17 Superior St  
Giovanni Cope

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Dated June 28 1888

Two hours Magistrate.

Two Crystal Officer.

Sabato Lupo Precinct.

Witnesses: No. 65 Mulberry Street.

Dennis Sullivan

No. 131 Mulberry Street.

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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

Giovanni Pepe

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

The said

Giovanni Pepe —  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
twenty-third day of June — in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Vincenzo Longo —  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,  
and him the said Vincenzo Longo —  
with a certain dagger —

which the said Giovanni Pepe —  
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 Vincenzo Longo —  
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  
Giovanni Pepe —  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Giovanni Pepe —  
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 Vincenzo Longo —  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make another assault, and him the said Vincenzo Longo —  
with a certain dagger —

which the said Giovanni Pepe —  
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.

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THIRD 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

Giovanni Pepe

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 Vincenzo Longo in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and him the said Vincenzo Longo —

with a certain dagger —

which he the said Giovanni Pepe —  
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the back  
of him the said Vincenzo Longo —

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 wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

Vincenzo Longo — 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:**  
2995

**DESCRIPTION:**  
Philpello, Vincenzo

**DATE:**  
07/16/88



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B. M. Johnson  
People Court  
Counsel,  
Witnesses:  
Filed 16 day of July 1888  
Pleads, Chmberly 111

(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Vincento Phillips

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

July 16

A True Bill.

Geo. P. Morris  
Deputy  
Foreman.

John H. S. P. D.  
H. M. S. P. D.

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Police Court.....District.....

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 18 Avenue and 180<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 25 years,  
occupation Labourer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 4<sup>th</sup> July 188<sup>th</sup> at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Vincento  
Philpello now present That said  
Vincento did wilfully and maliciously  
Cut and stab deponent upon his  
forehead with hand by means of  
a certain knife and sharp dangerous  
weapon which he Vincento then  
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 4<sup>th</sup> day  
of July 188<sup>th</sup>.

James X Lane  
Mark

Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

Vincenzo Philpells

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. Vincenzo Philpells

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 35 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Italy

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

Answer. 10 Avenue & 188 Street

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 may think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge  
Vincenzo Philpells  
mark

Taken before me this 10th day of July 188

John D. Miller  
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.....

*Rueenrys Philpotts*  
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 *July 10* 188<sup>8</sup> *Rueenrys Philpotts* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court-- 5 1056 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Lane  
10th ave & 180 st  
Princenza Philpotts

John Morris  
Offence / Light & Valley

BAILED,

No. 1, by ..... Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by ..... Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by ..... Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by ..... Residence ..... Street.

Dated July 10<sup>a</sup> 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses .....

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

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ATTORNEY

Chas. C. M.

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The People vs Vincenzo Filippello [S]tart of general sessions Part I  
Before Recorder Smyth. Thursday  
Sept. 6<sup>th</sup> 1888. Indictment for assault in the  
first degree.

James Lane, sworn and examined,  
testified. What is your business? A laboring  
man. Do you remember the 9th day of July  
of this year? Yes sir. Did you see the defendant  
this man at the bar here on that day?  
Yes sir. Whereabouts? Right by my house in  
180th street East of Tenth Avenue. In this  
city 180th street, east of Tenth Avenue.  
Yes sir. Did you have any trouble with him?  
Yes sir. Tell the jury how that trouble  
began. There was a shirt of mine drying  
outside and this man ~~came~~ along and  
took the shirt up and got it under his  
arm. I was a little distance away from  
the house and I seen him. I ran towards  
him and told him to put the shirt down  
and he refused to do so. As I went to  
take the shirt away from him, he pulled  
some kind of a weapon out of his pocket  
I could not positively swear whether it  
was a razor or a knife and cut me right  
here. He cut you between the eyes and  
the forehead? Yes sir, right here. I had to go and  
get three stitches into it. Then what did  
you do? Then at the time he did that

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he turned on his heel. I suppose he thought the officer was pretty near because there is generally an officer on the street all the time, and he ran through the woods; it was quite dark, I could not see him; my head was cut and bleeding, I could not see where he went to. Did you strike him? No, I would but I had no time to. Did you ask him to give the shirt up? He refused doing so, he walked away. I made a grab for the shirt and he cracked it down and he pulled some kind of a weapon out of his pocket, which I cannot say whether it was a razor or a knife. Were you taken to the Hospital? I went to the Hospital and got my head sewed. What hospital? Manhattan; three stitches were put in it. Cross Examined. For whom did you work? For Mr. Peterson. Who is he? Contractor of No 25 Shaft. On the Agreed not? Yes sir. Do you work for the same man now? Yes sir. How long have you worked for this party? I guess about a year and nine months. Whereabouts was this shirt lying? It was right back of the house, not far from the house, about ten feet from the house in which you live? From the house in which I live; it was drying. Was it on the ground or on a line? No, it

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was on the grass. Where was the defendant going, what direction? When I first seen him he was facing up to where he boarded. Did he have anything in his hand at the time that you saw him? Nothing but the shirt seen. Where did he take this weapon, whatever it was, that you claim he had from? He took it out of his pocket - his breeches pocket. Did you see it? I did, I could not positively say whether it was a razor or a knife because it was dark. What time was this? It was half past seven or a quarter to eight. I could not exactly say what time it was. Was this man arrested on the same day? The next morning about half past six o'clock.

Michael McCloskey, sworn and examined, testified. You are an officer of the Municipal Police of this city? Yes sir. Did you arrest the defendant at the bar on the charge on which he is now being tried? Yes sir. On the 9<sup>th</sup> of July of this year? By the Court. When did you arrest him Officer? On the morning of the tenth. Was it six o'clock in the morning or about that time? About half past six o'clock, but I had him in custody at half past nine on the evening of the 9<sup>th</sup>. How do you mean you had him in custody and did not arrest him? He broke away

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from me. You arrested him then? I arrested him at half past nine o'clock and he broke away and at 6.30 on the following morning I caught him again. Did you tell him what you arrested him for? Yes sir. Did he make any statement to you? He wanted me to let him go, and he would give me five dollars to let him go on the evening of the 9<sup>th</sup> you refused it. Yes sir. Then what did you do? He broke away from me through the woods. Did you catch him again that night? No sir, the following morning. Did you search him? He did not have anything. You searched him before he broke away from you? Yes sir. You found nothing on him? He had only just a little shirt and a pair of pants. Did you see the complainant at the time? I did, sir. What was his condition? He had a large cut in the forehead. You told him to go to the hospital and get it fixed, sewed up. Did you? Yes. I seen him about 8 o'clock that evening. How soon after was the defendant arrested? About an hour and a half or two hours probably; he broke away through the woods. The people rested, and instead of going into the defense, a jury was withdrawn and the defendant pleaded guilty to assault in the second degree. He was sent to the State prison for four years.

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Testimony in the  
care of  
Vincenzo Philpello  
filed July  
1888.

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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

Vincenzo Philpello

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

The said

Vincenzo Philpello

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
ninth day of July in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one James Lane  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,  
and him the said James Lane  
with a certain Knife

which the said Vincenzo Philpello  
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 James Lane  
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  
Vincenzo Philpello  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Vincenzo Philpello

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

James Lane  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make another assault, and him the said

James Lane  
with a certain Knife

which the said Vincenzo Philpello

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.

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THIRD COUNT—

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

— *Vincenzo Philpello* —  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*Vincenzo Philpello* —

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

*James Lane* — in the peace of the said People then  
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and  
the said *James Lane* —

with a certain *Knife* —

which he the said *Vincenzo Philpello* —  
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *fore-*  
*head* — of him the said *James Lane* —

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

*James Lane* —  
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of  
the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Pulsky, Abraham

**DATE:**

07/02/88



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Police Court—

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District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County { ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 125 Warren

occupation Expressman

deposes and says, that on the 25 day of June

1884 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 package containing one dozen  
women dresses of the value of Thirty

Dollars.

of

Sworn to before me, this

25 day

1884

Police Justice.

the property of On the care and custody of Deponent  
as expressman

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 Abraham Guleky (now here)  
from the fact that deponent is informed by  
Officer Henry Lang of the 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct Police  
that he saw the said deponent take steel  
and carry away the aforesaid package from a  
wagon in front of no 122 Fulton Street said officer  
found said package in the deponent's possession  
deponent subsequently seen said package and  
identified the same as the property taken  
Stolen and carried away as aforesaid

John S. Seaman

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

aged 29 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct Police Sgt., being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881

Henry Lang.

John Deaman  
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

Abraham Plesky

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Abraham Plesky

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 44 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Poland

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

Answer. 173 Monroe St 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Painter

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

his  
abraham Plesky  
mark

Taken before me this 25

day of June 188

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

(By ~~guilty thereof~~, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
the City 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 25 188

M. J. Conner Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188

Police Justice.

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10 ✓, at 963  
Police Court--- District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Deaman  
126 Waverly St  
Abraham Plesky

Offense of Bank Robbery

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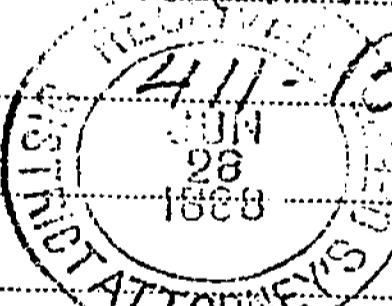
Dated June 25 1888

John Brown Magistrate.

Henry Lang Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses Call the Office

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No. 2 411 Broadway Street.

No. 3 1000 to answer 608 Street.

\$ 1000 to answer 608 Street.

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Abraham Endsay*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *Abraham Endsay* —

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

The said *Abraham Endsay*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 25th  
day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eighty hundred and  
eighty-nineteen, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

Knowing dresses of the value of  
Two dollars and fifty cents  
each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John S. Seaman*, —

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 D. Elloum,  
District Attorney*