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Hagan, James

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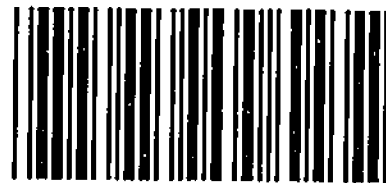
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Counsel,  
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Pleads  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
James Dragan  
and  
Martin Wimer  
Grand Larceny in the  
Second Degree  
(55 528, 531 and 550)  
INDICTMENT.  
22 Jan 2/14  
2. Dragan, 22 Jan 2/14

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.  
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POOR QUALITY  
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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

James Hagan  
and  
Martin Winn

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

James Hagan and Martin Winn  
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE Second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said James Hagan and Martin Winn

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

Two promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each; three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each; four promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each; five promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each; two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each; three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each; four promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each; one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars, and one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Sam Wath Lee; and one pair of trousers of the value of five dollars, and one coat of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one Jung S June

on the person of the said

from the person of the said

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 McKEON, District Attorney.



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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said James Dragan and Martin Winn

\_\_\_\_\_ of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS,  
committed as follows:

The said James Dragan and Martin Winn

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the Sixteenth day of September in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms one coat of the value  
of ten dollars, and one pair  
of trousers of the value of  
five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Jung Shue

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

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said James  
Dragan and Martin Winn

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

POOR QUALITY  
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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Police Court District.

James H. Hapson

449. 7th Ave

1. *[Signature]*

2. *[Signature]*

3. *[Signature]*

4. *[Signature]*

Offence *[Signature]*

Residence *[Signature]* Street.

No. 1, by *[Signature]*

Residence *[Signature]* Street.

No. 2, by *[Signature]*

Residence *[Signature]* Street.

No. 3, by *[Signature]*

Residence *[Signature]* Street.

No. 4, by *[Signature]*

Residence *[Signature]* Street.

Dated *[Signature]* 1883

*[Signature]* Magistrate.

*[Signature]* Officer.

*[Signature]* Precinct.

Witnesses *[Signature]*

No. *[Signature]* Street.

*[Signature]* Street.

No. *[Signature]* Street.

*[Signature]* Street.

No. *[Signature]* Street.

*[Signature]* Street.

*[Signature]* 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 *[Signature]*

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

Dated *[Signature]* 1883 *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated *[Signature]* 1883 *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated *[Signature]* 1883 *[Signature]* Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

Martin Winn 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.

Martin Winn.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland.

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

Answer.

497.7<sup>th</sup> Avenue. 2 Years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Marble Polisher.

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. I was standing on the corner. When the clothing was taken by Thomas Murray and Edmund Crumpled. The clothing was given to me by Crumpled.

Martin Winn

Taken before me this

day of September 1883

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

       District Police Court.

James. Hagan 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.

James Hagan.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

32 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City.

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

Answer.

433 West 34 Street One Year.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Thumber.

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.  
The Clothing was given to me by a person  
Named Thomas Murray.

James Hagan

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 24 Remond Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Sam Wah. Lee

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

Sworn to before me, this 18th  
day of September 1883

John Carey

Hugh Garner  
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. 449 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, Agul. 30 Laundry  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of September 1888  
at the Above Premises in the night time City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent with intent to deprive the true owner thereof  
the following property, viz :

Good and lawful money of the United States consisting of notes or bills and silver and nickel coins of various denominations and values together of the value of forty-five dollars. The property of deponent.

And One Suit of Clothing consisting of Coat and Pants of the value of fifteen dollars. The property of deponent. And in deponent's care and charge. All being of the value of sixty dollars.

the property of

and that this deponent

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

James Hagan and Martin Winn  
(both now present) and two other persons.  
Not yet arrested from the fact that deponent  
is informed by Officer Carey that he  
arrested the said Hagan and Winn  
and found the said Clothing in the possession  
of the said Hagan, which deponent identifies  
as a portion of the property which have  
been taken stolen and carried away  
from deponent's premises. Deponent is

Sworn before me this  
day of

Police Justice

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Further informed by the said Casey that  
the said Winn admitted and confessed  
in his presence that he had the said  
clothing in his possession for a short  
time, and that he the said Casey saw  
the said Hagan & Winn in company with  
two other persons come from the direction  
of defendant's premises, defendant therefore  
prays that the said defendants may  
be dealt with as the law directs -

Sprung before me.

This 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 1883

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Hugh Garner Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

POSITION

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DESCRIPTION:

Hale, George G.

DATE:

09/19/83



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In memory of  
Counsel,  
Filed 19 day of Sept 1883  
Pleads July 30.

THE PEOPLE

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George G.  
Diale

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

Wm. H. Watson  
Sep 25/13 Foreman.  
Hend. Smith  
Eman. Ry.

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and  
Receiving Stolen Goods.  
\$5700.00 531

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George G. Hale

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

George G. Hale

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

The said George G. Hale

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 16th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms one trunk of the value of ten dollars, one watch of the value of fifty dollars, one pair of earrings of the value of twenty dollars, one finger ring of the value of forty dollars, and divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one hundred dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Annia Wheeler 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 McLean  
District Attorney.

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For Ex. 220 A 14.

No 209/14 730  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Annie Wheeler.

1 George G. Hale

BAILED,  
No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated 17 September 1883

Wm. J. Power Magistrate.

James Rogers Officer.

CE Precinct.

Witnesses

James

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ to answer

James

Committed

Offence Grand Larceny

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 George G. Hale

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 17 Sept 1883 W. J. Power Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, }

12 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

George G. Hale

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Dayton Ohio

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

Answer.

Chicago Ills about 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Agent

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.

Not guilty

George G. Hale

Taken before me this

day of

September

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City Court

Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation Silas Rogers  
Detective Sergeant of No. 300 Mulberry  
Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Munie Wheeler  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 17  
day of Sept 1883

S. G. Rogers

City, 60004

Police Justice.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Form 112.

Police Court—First District.

Aunie Wheeler. 24 years Janitress  
of No. 106 Church Street Street New Haven, Connecticut Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1883  
and on the 16<sup>th</sup> of said month in the a.m. time

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent, with intent to cheat and defraud

the true owner of the use and benefit thereof

the following property, viz: one Trunk containing a quantity of  
Apparel. one Gold watch. one pair of Gold earrings  
one Gold Ring set with Pearls. in all of the  
value of about one hundred and seventy  
five dollars

of the value of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 George G. Hale

(now here) from the fact that defendant  
induced deponent to come to New York  
representing that he would make deponent his  
Agent for a certain make of needles  
deponent believing defendant came  
to New York, and defendant check deponent's  
Trunk for New York retaining the check  
for said trunk, and when deponent and  
defendant reach New York it was about  
the hour of 12 o'clock on the night of the  
14<sup>th</sup> Inst when they went to the University Place  
hotel and occupied a room together

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1883.

Police Justice

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and on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst deponent asked defendant for her trunk he replied never mind we will be leaving in the morning meaning the morning of the 16<sup>th</sup>. and on the morning of the 16<sup>th</sup> after deponent and defendant were out of bed and dressed deponent left said defendant in the room when she went out for a few minutes and when she returned said defendant was gone and the several pieces of jewelry above described was missing. Subsequently deponent was informed by Officer Silas Rogers that he found the aforesaid property in said defendants possession in a room at premises No 17 Clinton Place

Sworn to before me this 3<sup>d</sup> day of September 1883  
by Anna Wheeler

Police Justice

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Hall, Lottie

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Oxbond  
(II)

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of

Pleads

1883

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Lottie

Drax

Keeping a Bawdy House.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. W. W. W.

Oct 4/83 Foreman.

Pleads Guilty

Judge's Suspended.

W. H. W.

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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*

*Lottie Hall*

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

*Lottie Hall*

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

The said *Lottie Hall*

late of the *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three* and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said *Lottie Hall*

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

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said

*Lottie Hall*

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

The said *Lottie Hall*

late of the *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *sixth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three* and on divers other days and times between the said

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

THIRD COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Sottie Hall

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

The said Sottie Hall

late of the 17th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the ninth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in her said house and place of public resort, for her own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in her said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully, did permit, and yet continues to permit, by which the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**JOHN McKEON,**

*District Attorney.*

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District Police Court.

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SESSIONS.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An order having been made on the 4th day of Sept 1883 by  
J Henry Ford a Police Justice of the City of New York, That  
Lottie Hall be held to answer upon a charge of  
Keeping and maintaining  
a disorderly house

upon which she has been duly admitted to bail, in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

We, Lottie Hall Defendant of No. 101  
East 13th Street; Occupation Housekeeper, and  
Frank Munch of No. 143 West 30th Street;  
Occupation Soda water manufacturer Surety, hereby undertake  
that the above named Lottie Hall shall appear and answer the charge above-  
mentioned, in whatever Court it may be prosecuted: and shall at all times render ~~he~~ self amenable to the orders  
and process of the Court; and if convicted, shall appear for judgment, and render ~~he~~ self in execution thereof,  
or if he fail to perform either of these conditions that ~~he~~ we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum  
of Five Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

9th day of Sep 1883

Lottie Hall  
Mark  
Frank Munch

J Henry Ford

POLICE JUSTICE.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*J. Murphy*  
Police Justice.

Sworn to before me this  
day of  
1881

*Frank Munch*  
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and lease  
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Ten* Hundred Dollars,  
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and  
liabilities, and that his property consists of *the stock and fixtures*  
*of the Soda water factory, four horses*  
*and three wagons and in all of*  
*the value of four thousand dollars*

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
vs.  
Undertaking to Answer.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

Filed day of 188

*Frank Munch*

No 262 473  
Police Court 3 District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Herman Raymond  
vs. 17 Grand  
Lott's Hall  
1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence Keeping a Disorderly House  
Magistrate of 1883  
Dated September 27  
Ford  
Magistrate.  
Raymond  
Officer.  
14  
Precinct.  
Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
Baileys  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 500 to answer W. S.  
Bond

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 Lattie Hall

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

Dated September 1883 John W. Ford Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 9th 1885 Edmund J. Kelly Police Justice.

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Lattie Hall

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Petersburgh Va

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

Answer.

101 East 13 Street since 1 May

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Keep furnished Rooms

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 never was in a Court before, I dont know what to say and I am not guilty of the charge I want all further Examination in this Court and demand a trial by Jury in the Court of General Session

Taken before me, this

7

day of

September 1883

Lattie Hall  
Mary

J. Henry Ford

Police Justice

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

3<sup>rd</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

Thomas Raymond  
of the 14<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, in said City, being duly sworn says,  
that at the premises known as Number 101 East 13<sup>th</sup> Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the 6 day of September 1883, and on divers  
other days and times between that day and the day of making this complaint

Lattie Hall (now here)  
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of Prostitution  
and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure  
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come  
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said  
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil  
name and fame there to be and remain drinking, drinking, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving  
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and  
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Lattie Hall  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said

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

Sworn to before me, this 7 day }  
of September 1883 }

John Henry M. H. Police Justice.

Thomas Raymond



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BOX:

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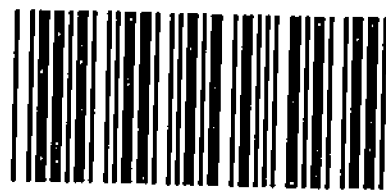
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DESCRIPTION:

Hamilton, Lucy

DATE:

09/21/83



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POOR QUALITY  
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J. D. McKeon  
Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Lucy Hamilton

Keeping a Bawdy House.

(§ 322 & 333)

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. B. Bortner

Foreman.

Part 1

Wm. B. Bortner

Recd. from Wm. B. Bortner 10/19/87

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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*

*Suey Hamilton*

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

*Suey Hamilton*

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

The said *Suey Hamilton*

late of the *21<sup>st</sup>* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on  
the ~~eleventh~~ day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-~~three~~ and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards,  
to the day of the taking this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common  
house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers  
evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times afore-  
said, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain;  
and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and  
procurement of the said *Suey Hamilton*

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

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse  
the said *Suey Hamilton*

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

The said *Suey Hamilton*

late of the *21<sup>st</sup>* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
afterwards, to wit: on the ~~eleventh~~ day of *June* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~ and on divers other days and times between the said

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

THIRD COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said ~~Suey Hamilton~~

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

The said ~~Suey Hamilton~~

late of the ~~21st~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the ~~eleventh~~ day of ~~June~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in ~~her~~ said house and place of public resort, for ~~her~~ own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in ~~her~~ said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully, did permit, and yet continues to permit, by which the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**JOHN McKEON,**

*District Attorney.*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Wm. Alexander  
Residence 417 West 42<sup>d</sup> St.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

91247 518  
Police Court—25 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry St. John  
29 J.P.  
Lucy Hamilton  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence Keeping Disorderly House

Dated June 13<sup>th</sup> 1883

Wm. Alexander Magistrate.  
St. John Officer.

Wm. Alexander Precinct.  
417 West 42<sup>d</sup> St.  
Lucy Hamilton Street.

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Lucy Hamilton Street.

Wm. Alexander Precinct.  
417 West 42<sup>d</sup> St.  
Lucy Hamilton Street.

Wm. Alexander Precinct.  
417 West 42<sup>d</sup> St.  
Lucy Hamilton 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

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

Dated June 13<sup>th</sup> 1883 Wm. Alexander Police Justice.

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

Dated June 15<sup>th</sup> 1883 Wm. Alexander 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

Wm. Townsend resides at No. 5,  
East 24th Street and says there is  
no such person living there as Catherine Delaney.

PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.  
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court-  
Room door, that your attendance may be known.

SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.

*This woman* **SUBPOENA**  
*charge of the* FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE  
*house during summer* Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,  
*inquire of*

*Catherine* *Delaney*

of No. *5 East 27* Street,

*27th near 8th Ave*

*Inquire at*  
*Mrs. Townsend*  
*No 5th*

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *4* day of *Oct* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Lucy Hamilton*  
in a case of Felony whereof *he* stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Oct* in the year of our Lord 188

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

*Q. m.*  
District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Henry A. Hill*  
of the *29th District Police*. Street, in said City, being duly sworn says,  
that at the premises known as Number *7 East 27th* Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the *11th* day of *June* 188*3*, and on divers  
other days and times between that day and the day of making this complaint

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

Deponent therefore prays, that the said *Lucy Hamilton*  
~~and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said~~

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

Sworn to before me, this *13th* day }  
of *June* 188*3*. }  
*Hugh James* Police Justice.

*Henry A. Hill*

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City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*Lacey Hamilton*

Police Court 2 District.

On Complaint of

*Nancy H. Hill*

For

*Keeping Disorderly House*

*Demand*

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~waive~~ <sup>*waive*</sup> a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and ~~my right to make a statement in relation to it, and demand~~ <sup>*waive*</sup> a trial at the COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated

*June 14* 188 *3*

*Lacey Hamilton*

*Hugh J. Garman* Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Lucy Hamilton

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Thirty Eight.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland.

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

Answer. 7 East 27<sup>th</sup> Street 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Dress Maker.

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.  
I do not keep the House.

Lucy Hamilton

Taken before me this

day of

March

1883

August J. Lawrence

Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hanley, James

DATE:

09/06/83



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Scanlan, James

DATE:

09/06/83



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

McNevins, John

DATE:

09/06/83



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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No 32  
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vets-

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of Sept 1883

Pleads

Not guilty

18. THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Scanlon

James Scanlon

and 30 A. A.

John McKeon

John McKeon

John McKeon

John McKeon

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

Not guilty 1 Day 3

Per one of 10 14

A True Bill.

Mrs. Blootery

Foreman.

Scanlon is in the

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

Scanlon

Per one of 10 14

Per one of 10 14

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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

James Stanley  
James Scanlon and  
John McNeill

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
James Stanley, James Scanlon and  
John McNeill  
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said James Stanley, James Scanlon  
and John McNeill  
late of the Eighteenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York aforesaid, on the ninth day of August in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty with force and arms,  
about the hour of twelve o'clock in the night time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of James Stanley

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of force~~

the said  
James Stanley, James Scanlon and  
John McNeill  
then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and  
personal property of the said James Stanley

in the said dwelling house 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.

with promissory notes for the payment of money

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~~Court of General Sessions of the Peace~~

~~IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK~~

~~THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,~~  
Second Count:

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

James Stanley, James Scanlan  
and John McReinis

of the CRIME OF Grand Larceny in the first  
degree

committed as follows:

The said James Stanley, James  
Scanlan, and John McReinis

late of the 13th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the ninth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-three at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the night  
time of said day, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one  
thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid, unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid, unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each, one overcoat of the value of twenty five dollars, three coats of the value of ten dollars each, two vests of the value of five dollars each, two pairs of trousers of the value of five dollars each pair, and one pistol of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one James Stanley, in the dwelling house of the said James Stanley, where situate, then and there being found, 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 McKEON, District Attorney



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 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Attorney General

426 6th 11th.

1 James Scarsdale  
(L. Connors)

Offence

Fel. Assault

Dated

Aug 24 1883

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

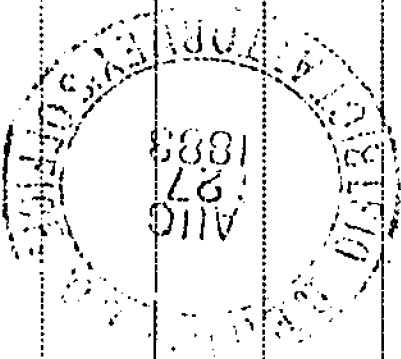
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

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

\$ 1000 to answer

Ans



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 James Scarsdale

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 1000 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Aug 24 1883 Hugh Gorman 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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

James Scanlon

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

My place

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Moulder

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
James Scanlon  
James Scanlon

Taken before me this

day of

July

1889

W. H. G. Gorman Police Justice.

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Police Court— 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

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

William Jones aged 25 years  
a Painter  
of No. 426 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on Mary the 24 day of August  
in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and ~~BEATEN~~ by

James Scanlon (nowhere)  
who had stolen a pair of shoes from  
in front of the Store No 247 East 10 Street  
the property of Edwin Lovelady, Deponent  
perme said Scanlon and seized  
hold of his Arm, when he struck  
at deponent, with a large knife  
he held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day  
of August 1883  
Hugh Garmon POLICE JUSTICE.

William Jones

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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No 17

Next

Counsel,

Filed 5 day of

1883

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James

Scanlan

[2 cases]

h. l.

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JOHN McKEON,

Sept 7/93, District Attorney

Pleads guilty.

A True Bill.

For Attorney

Foreman.  
Per: One year.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
James  
Scanlan  
[2 cases]  
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Receiving Stolen Goods,  
Larceny,  
and  
degree,

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0359

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Scanlan

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

James Scanlan

of the CRIME OF Petit LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said James Scanlan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*twenty fourth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
*one pair of shoes of the value*  
*of one dollar*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Edwin Loney*

*unlawfully* 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 McKeon*

*District Attorney*



No 18

Day of Trial,  
Counsel, *H. A. S.*  
Filed, *5* day of *Sept* 1883  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*James*

*Scott Jan*

*[2 charges]*

Assault in the First Degree

JOHN MCKEON,

*Pr. Sept 7/83 District Attorney.*

*(M. Head for wife, Indict.)*

A TRUE BILL.

*Me* *W. W. W. W.*

Foreman.

0360

0361

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*James Scanlan*

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *James Scanlan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty fourth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *William Jones* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *William Jones* with a certain *knife* which the said *James Scanlan*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *in* the said *William Jones* 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

*James Scanlan*

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *James Scanlan*, 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 *William Jones* then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *in* the said *William Jones* with a certain *knife* which the said

*James Scanlan*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

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

~~JOHN McKEON, District Attorney~~

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~~Court of General Sessions of the Peace~~

~~Third Court of the City and County of New York~~

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

James Scanlan

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second  
Degree  
committed as follows:

The said James Scanlan

~~of the Crime of Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:~~

~~The said~~

late of the City and County of New York, on the twenty fourth day of  
August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and eighty ~~three~~ at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously  
made an assault in and upon one William Jones

~~then and there being a~~ ~~of the Municipal Police of the City~~  
~~New York, and as such~~ being then and there engaged in the lawful  
apprehension of himself, the said James  
Scanlan for a larceny  
and the said James Scanlan him, the said

William Jones

then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise ill-treat, with intent  
then and there to prevent and resist the lawful apprehension  
of himself, the said James as aforesaid,  
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 McKEON,

District Attorney.

0363

No. 173 District 67

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
James Scaulan  
247 & 10 W.  
1 James Scaulan  
(2 cases)  
2  
3  
4  
Offence Petit Larceny

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

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

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

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

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Dated August 24 1883  
Magistrate  
Precinct 17  
Officer  
to answer  
302  
Cm

1887  
1888  
JULY 24 1888  
JULY 24 1888

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 James Scaulan

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

Dated August 24 1883 James Scaulan 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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0364

Sec. 198-209.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3rd District Police Court.

James Scaulon 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.

James Scaulon

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

No place

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

None

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

James Scaulon

Taken before me this 21  
day of August 1885

Joseph H. Jackson Police Justice.

0365

3<sup>rd</sup> District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

of No. 247 East 10 Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 24 day of August 1883

at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent and from in front of said premises

the following property, viz :

One pair of Shoes of the value  
of one dollar

the property of deponent

and that this deponent

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

from the fact that deponent was  
informed that said deponent had  
stolen a pair of shoes from in  
front of deponent's store that  
deponent pursued said Scanlon  
to 11<sup>th</sup> Street, and while running he  
threw said shoes away

Edwin Lovday

Sworn before me this

24 day of August

1883

Police Justice,

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0366

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

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

90182 6/1

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Stanley*  
308 E 16th St

*James Stanley*

*James Stanley*

*John P. Morris*

Offence

*Burglary*

Dated

*August 26*

1883

Magistrate.

*Thomas J. P. Morris* Officer.

18 Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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

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

900142 to answer

*John P. Morris*

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 *James Stanley*

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

*Aug 26*

1883

*John P. Morris*

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.

0367

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Scaulan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

16th Street, 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Polisher

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 lost the clothing but no money

Taken before me this

26

day of

August 1888

August 26  
Police Justice.

James Scaulan



0368

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3rd

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

James Hanly

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

570 East 16 Street, 5 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Hair picker

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. Scoulon and Mr. Merwin took the clothing, I took the Revolver and pawned it. Scoulon & Mr. Merwin pawned the clothing, and I got two \$100 dollars from the money got for the clothing. I did not get any of the money of the \$334 dollars.

Taken before me this

day of

August

1883

at

New York

City

of

New York

County

of

New York

City

of

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New York

I James Hanly

Police Justice.

0369

Police Court—3 District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }of No. 508 East 16<sup>th</sup> James Hanley Street, aged 61 years,occupation House agent being duly sworn.deposes and says, that the premises No. 508 East 16<sup>th</sup> Street,in the City and County aforesaid; the said being a Dwelling Housetwo Rooms on the second floor~~and which~~ was occupied by deponent as a Dwellingand in which there was at the time ~~no~~ human being, ~~by name~~were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the  
lock of the door with a keyon the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1883 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Over coat of the value of twenty five dollars  
One suit of Clothing of the value of thirty dollars  
One flannel suit of Eighteen dollars  
One coat of the value of ten dollars  
One Revolving Pistol of the value of five dollars  
and gold and lawful money of the issue  
of the United States consisting of Treasury Notes  
of various denomination and value and in  
all of the value of three hundred thirty four dollars  
said property being in all of the value of  
four hundred and thirteen dollars  
the property of deponent

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

James Hanley (nowhere) and James Scanlon  
(nowhere) and John McNevin not arrested

for the reasons following, to wit:

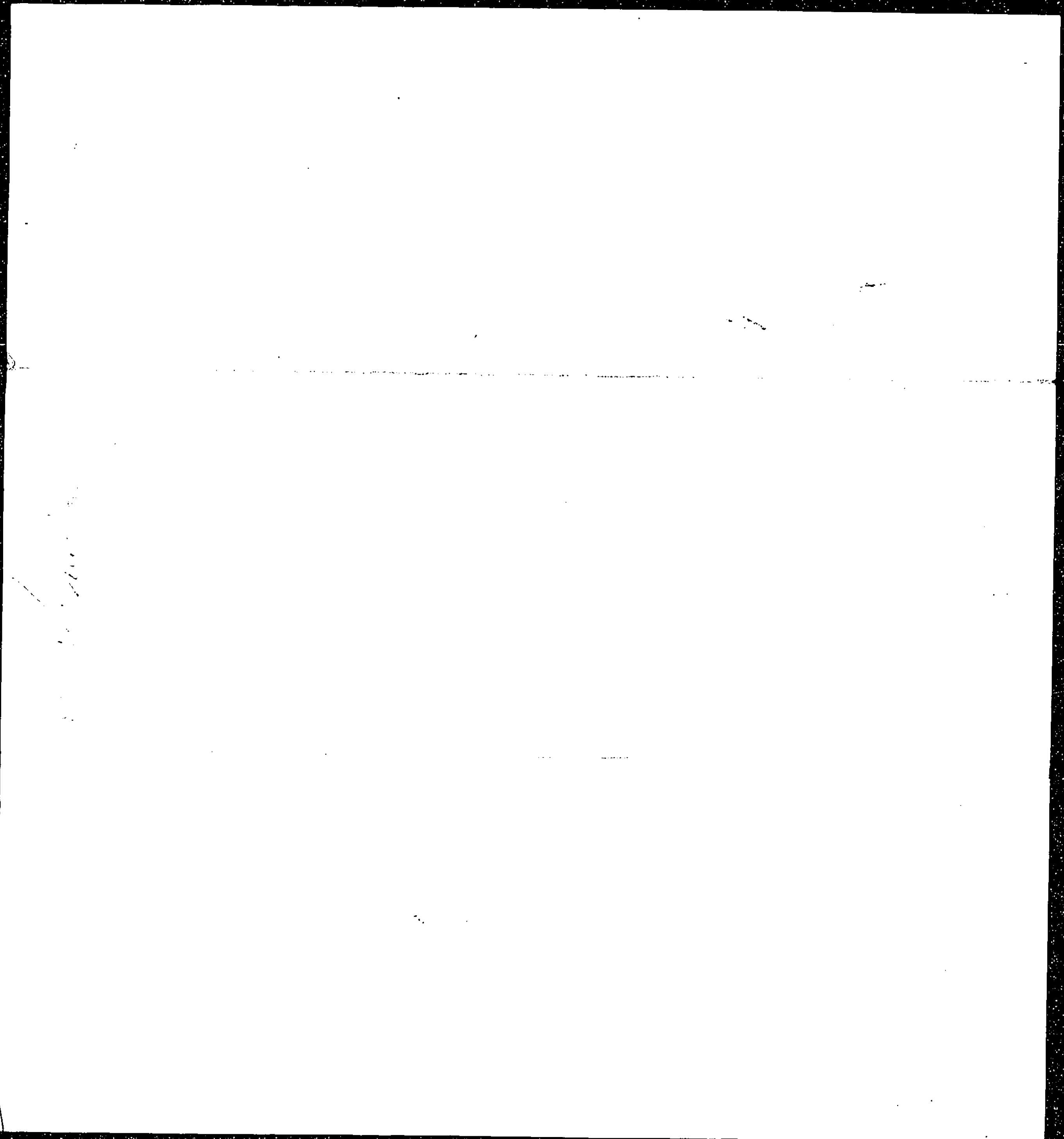
The said Hanley and  
and said Scanlon Confessed to  
deponent in the presence of witnesses  
and in open Court that they did in  
company of said, McNevin enter  
deponent's premises as aforesaid and  
stole the above described Clothing  
and Revolver

James Hanley

Approved by deponent  
 26 day of August 1883  
 Hugh Gardner New York

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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0371

FORM No. 1.

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

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY,

BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

July 7 1884.  
This Certifies that Jama Sealant  
age 24 years convicted of Petit Larceny  
on the 7th day of September 1883 at a term of the  
Court of General Sessions of the Peace held  
in the said City and County, and sentenced to imprisonment for One year, — month,  
and fined \$ —, or — days further imprisonment, has this day been discharged by  
commutation for good behavior, pursuant to Chapter 25, Laws of 1875, having thereby earned a  
deduction from his term of sentence of — year, Two month, — days. The said  
fine having been satisfied by —

John M. Fay  
Warden.



0372

[Chap. 173, Laws of 1877, Sec. 5. \* \* \*. The said Board of Managers shall also have power to establish rules and regulations, under which prisoners within the Reformatory may be allowed to go upon parole outside the Reformatory buildings and inclosure, but to remain while on parole in the legal custody and under the control of the Board of Managers and subject at any time to be taken back within the inclosure of said Reformatory, and full power to enforce such rules and regulations, and to retake and to reimprison any convict so upon parole, is hereby conferred upon said Board, whose written order certified by its Secretary shall be a sufficient warrant for all officers named in it, to authorize such officers to return to actual custody any conditionally released or paroled prisoner; and it is hereby made the duty of all officers to execute said order the same as ordinary criminal process.]

## MANAGERS' ORDER

FOR

## ARREST OF PAROLED PRISONER.

N. Y. S. Reformatory, Elmira, September 4 1883

To *W. E. Mackay* an officer of the New York State Reformatory, duly delegated and authorized to convey prisoners to said Reformatory, and to any Sheriff, Constable or Police Officer:

It appearing to the undersigned, the Board of Managers of the New York State Reformatory, at Elmira, that *Jas. Cronin & James Deardon* an inmate of said Reformatory, conditionally paroled, and in the legal custody of said Managers outside the Reformatory inclosure, has violated the conditions of his Parole. It is hereby ordered that the said *Jas. Cronin & James Deardon* be retaken and returned forthwith to our actual custody within the Reformatory inclosure. And we hereby require you to so retake and return him. And for so doing, this shall be your sufficient warrant.

Given under our hands this *4<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *September* 1883

*John J. McKee*  
*J. J. Mackay*  
*H. E. Mackay* } Managers.

A true copy from the record of orders made in regard to paroled prisoners.

*H. E. Mackay*

SECRETARY.

0373

NEW YORK STATE REFORMATORY.

Elmira, January 11 1884

Warden Fox

D. I. Penitentiary

NY City

Enclosed please find  
Warrant for James Cronin who is known to you  
as James Scaulon. Mr Cutter informs me that  
Scaulons time will expire July 7. 1884 if he  
secures his Commutation. will you kindly advise  
us of any change affecting the above date of release  
and at what time in the day he will be  
released

Very Truly

J. R. Brockway <sup>Supr.</sup>  
by J. O.

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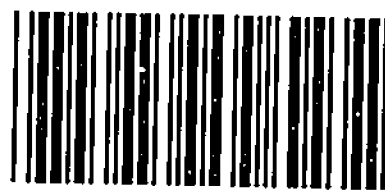
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Harper, Alfred

DATE:

09/07/83



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No 56

Day of Trial  
Counsel, *W. B. [Signature]*  
Filed, *7* day of *Sept* 188*3*  
Pleads *Not guilty.*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *P*  
*Alfred*  
*Chapman*  
*54 Thompson St*

Assault in the First Degree.  
[58217 + 218]

JOHN MCKEON,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*W. B. Bradley*

Foreman.

*Sept 14/83.*

*Wm. A. [Signature]*

*in [Signature]*

*S. P. 3 years*

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0376

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Alfred Drayer*

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Alfred Drayer*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty fifth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Richard F. Sigon* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *him* the said *Richard F. Sigon* with a certain *knife* which the said *Alfred Drayer*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *him* the said *Richard F. Sigon* 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

*Alfred Drayer*

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *Alfred Drayer, 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 *Richard F. Sigon* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *him* the said *Richard F. Sigon* with a certain *knife* which the said

*Alfred Drayer*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0377

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

No 56 2 68  
Police Court District  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
vs. Alfred Harper  
207 Thompson St  
Alfred Harper  
1  
2  
3  
4  
Dated Aug 29 188  
Magistrate  
Wm. V. Reynolds Officer  
131 Precinct  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 500 to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
Guar

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 Alfred Harper

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

Dated Aug 29 188 [Signature] 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.

0378

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

Alfred Harper 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.

Alfred Harper

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

33 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ohio

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

Answer.

154 Thompson Street About a year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Wrestler

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 cut him in self defense he drew a  
knife on me

Alfred X Harper  
Wrestler

Taken before me this

day

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Police Justice.

0379

Police Court—

District

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No.

207 Thompson

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of August

in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Alfred  
Warpent now here, who feloniously  
assaulted deponent by stabbing  
deponent on the face with a  
large bladed pen knife then  
and there held in his defendants  
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

day

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of

POLICE JUSTICE.



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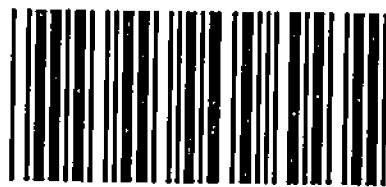
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DESCRIPTION:

Harris, George

DATE:

09/06/83



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No 34

Counsel,  
Filed *Sept 6* day of *1888*  
Pleads *Not Guilty.*

THE PEOPLE  
*U.S. District Court*  
*Pittsburgh Pa.*  
*vs.*  
*George Davis*  
*Second Degree*  
*Grand Larceny*  
*Indictment No. 551*

JOHN McKEON,  
*Sept 10 1888* District Attorney  
*Pleads guilty Pen: Three yrs*  
**A TRUE BILL.**  
*Wm. J. McKeon*  
Foreman.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0381

0382

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George Davis

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

George Davis

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

The said George Davis

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, ~~on the~~ <sup>22nd</sup> day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms fifty four yards of satin of the value of one dollar and twenty five cents each yard

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one William S. Skinner then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McKeon  
District Attorney.

0303

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

No 34 ✓ 668  
Police Court District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Edgar R. Burton  
vs. George Harris  
Grand Larceny  
1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated 22 Aug 1883  
by J. J. Thompson Magistrate.  
John Bennett Officer.  
14 Precinct.  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
§ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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 22 Aug 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ 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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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Harris

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

Question. What is your name ?

Answer.

George Harris

Question. How old are you ?

Answer.

43 years

Question. Where were you born ?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

Pittsburgh 2 years

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 not guilty

George X Harris  
Mark

Taken before me this 22  
day of August 1922

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182 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Edgar R. Sexton, 15 years Enrolled  
Clerk

of No. 508 Broadway Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 22 day of August 1883

in the day time at the City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

of deponent with intent to cheat and defraud the true owner of the

use and benefit thereof  
the following property, viz :

One piece of Blue Satin (53 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> yards)

of the value of Sixty seven dollars and  
fifty cents

Sworn before me this

the property of William Skinner and William C  
Skinner Copartners and in Care and  
Charge 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 George Harris (now here)

from the fact that deponent saw said  
Harris take steal and carry away the  
aforesaid property

Edgar R. Sexton

Justice,  
1883

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Harrison, Frank

DATE:

09/07/83



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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IN SENATE, FEBRUARY 22, 1883.  
REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE,  
IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE,  
JANUARY 10, 1883.  
ALBANY: J. B. LEECH, 1883.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE,

No 82

*J. B. Lee*  
Filed  
7 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads *McGill* to

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*F*

*Frank*

*Wm Harrison*

ROBBERY - Second  
*Doyle*  
*1882-1883*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

*Dep 24th*

*Twice convicted*

A True Bill.

*5 to 5 years*

*Wm Harrison*

Foreman.

*and 1/2 years 1882/83*

*and 1/2 years 1882/83*  
*per copy*



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Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

Frank Harrison

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

Frank Harrison

Deputy of the crime of Robbery in the Second  
committed as follows:

The said Frank Harrison

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the ~~twenty seventh~~ day of August in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms, in and upon one William Cook  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and  
gave promissory notes for the  
payment of money of the kind  
commonly called United States  
Treasury notes, the same being  
then and there due and un-  
satisfied for the payment of  
and of the value of one dollar  
each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said William Cook

from the person of said William Cook and against  
the will and by violence to the person of the said William Cook  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, 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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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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 No. 827, 680 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
William Kent  
273 East 10  
1st Avenue  
Robbery

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Aug 27 188 \_\_\_\_\_

Magistrate.  
Wm. H. Reynolds  
115 Precinct.

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

\$ 1000 to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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 Aug 28 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Frank Harrison

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

178 Blucher Street three days

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Confectioner

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 don't know anything about the charge

Frank Harrison

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Police Court

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District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

William Park

of No 273 East 10th Street,

being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the 27th day of August 1888, at the 15th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

Four bank notes or bills of the value of One dollar each, good and lawful money of the United States being together

of the value of Four 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 force and violence as aforesaid by

Frank Harrison (now Lee) from the fact; that said Harrison on or about the hour of 1 o'clock in the morning aforesaid, forced the deponent into the hallway of the premises 178 Beech Street, and catching hold of deponent by the throat with his left hand, demanded of deponent the money he had in his possession, and threatening him if he made any outcry he would kill Ed Chase

day of

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Sworn before me, this

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him; then said Harrison placing  
his <sup>right</sup> hand in the waist pocket  
of the pants, there was an hour  
then therefrom said property  
Deponent fully identifies the  
said Harrison as the person  
who took said property from  
him.

sworn to before  
 me this 28th day of August 1883 } J. M. Cook

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—ROBBERY.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witnesses:

Testimony in the case  
of  
Frank K. Harrison

filed Sept.

1883.

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The People } Court of General Sessions. Part I  
Frank<sup>vs</sup> Harrison } Before Judge Cowing, Sept. 24. 1883.  
Indictment for robbery in the second degree.

William Cook sworn. On the 22<sup>nd</sup> of Aug.  
ust I had four bank notes valued at one  
dollar each which belonged to me. I carried  
them in the watch pocket of my pantaloons.  
I met the prisoner on the night of that day  
between twelve and one o'clock. I went into  
a liquor store with a friend of mine, 178  
Bleeker St. between Macdougall and Sul-  
livan Sts. My friend and I had a drink;  
he went out. I was waiting for my change  
and the prisoner asked me to chuck  
dice. I said I did not want to. I got to the  
hall door; he shut the hall door in front  
of my face and put his left hand to  
my throat and said, "you see I know  
I am going to get your money." He said  
if I would make any outcry that he would  
kill me. He took the money out of my  
pocket. The prisoner was in the liquor  
saloon and he followed me out into the  
hall. I had not noticed him before, had  
not spoken to him, and had never seen  
him before. There was a light in the hall.  
I am sure that the prisoner is the man  
Cross Examined: I did not throw dice with

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the prisoner, nor with anybody else there that evening. I never got my money back. After he took the money, I went and got an officer and he went in with me to this place and took this prisoner from under the table of a saloon. I went into another saloon that night and drank one glass of beer. I was there about five minutes. This was between 12 and one o'clock Sunday night. I had him put in charge of officer Sullivan that night. When we got the prisoner out of the saloon on the sidewalk, Sullivan let the prisoner go because I would not make a charge against him that night. I swear positively that when I went out in the hallway the prisoner was the only one who followed me. Daniel Drennan is the name of my friend who was drinking with me; he is in the Court room. I have known him three years. I went to that saloon with him. I positively swear that I was sober on that occasion. Drennan did not undertake to take me home that night. I did not have a lady with me. I was not taken to the Rochester house that evening. I slept in the Rochester that night.



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I did not see Brennan after I got to the Rochester house that night. I slept in a bed alone there that night. I am a barber. I left off work at 3 1/2 that Sunday. I work at 273 South St. between First Ave. and Ave. A. I drank about five glasses of beer altogether that day and nothing but beer. Somebody while I was standing at the bar of that saloon asked me to throw dice, but I did not throw dice. There were about a dozen persons followed the officer, the prisoner and myself out of the saloon, that followed upon the arrest being made. The reason why I did not make a charge was because I was afraid if I would go home they would tackle me. This was Sunday night, but on Monday night I made the charge. The prisoner introduced himself to me. Brennan and I went into the saloon to have a drink, and as the prisoner was standing there I asked him to have a drink. I know Brennan slightly. None of the men who came out of the saloon said anything to me. I did not leave that saloon and go back. I was only there once.

William Warren sworn. I am a police officer and arrested the prisoner upstairs

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in his room on the Monday following about 9 o'clock at night and took him to the station house. Officer Sullivan was with me. The prisoner was lying on the bed.

John J. Sullivan sworn. I arrested the prisoner. I was called by the complainant. I was standing on the corner of Macdougall and Bleeker St. at the time. I found the prisoner in a liquor saloon 195 Bleeker St. between twelve and one in the morning. on the 27<sup>th</sup> of August. I found the prisoner in the back room of the saloon sitting at a table and when he saw me coming in he jumped under the table. I pulled him out from under the table, and the complainant said, that is the man. Where I left the place with the prisoner eight or ten men followed us out; they were right behind me; the complainant would not make any complaint when I got the prisoner outside. I released him. The next night I accompanied Officer Warren who made the arrest on the complaint of Mr. Cook. The station house was seven or eight blocks from where I arrested him. The complainant did not give any reason why he did not make a charge. He had been drinking but I would not call him drunk.

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Daniel Brennan sworn. I live at 121 Main St, Brooklyn. and am cashier in a restaurant, No 3 West St. I know the complainant three years and I was in his company that evening; he was intoxicated that night; he drank with me in two liquor stores that evening. I have never spoken to the defendant but one hour that evening. I have never been arrested in my life. I went into the saloon with the complainant and met the defendant there; he was invited with several more parties to take a drink. I stayed in that saloon about 15 to 20 minutes I should judge we had about six drinks. As near as I can recollect I only drank beer every time. I left the saloon with the complainant and a lady I went out of the hall door with him; he had <sup>not</sup> been robbed while there. I had him in sight till I brought him right up as far as the corner of Greene and Bleeker St. to bring him home to go to bed. My lady friend, the complainant and myself had another drink there. Later in the evening I saw him down again in 78 Bleeker St. - the same saloon he entered first; he was quite under the influence of liquor. I stopped that night in the Rochester house. I saw him after I got back to the Rochester house; he was lying



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on the carpet alongside the bed. He told me he was robbed in the saloon by the prisoner. He said he brought money with him to give to a young lady he was stopping with in that hotel; there was a lady there with him. Cross Examined. When Mr. Cook and I went into the saloon the prisoner was at the bar drinking with some friends; it was between twelve and one o'clock. Cook, the lady and myself left the saloon together, and went up Bleeker st. and went into a liquor store on the corner of Greene and Bleeker sts.; we had a glass of beer. I did not lose sight of Cook for an instant; we stopped in that saloon about five minutes. I advised him to go home. The lady and I went down Bleeker st. thinking that he went home; this liquor saloon was two or three blocks from the other saloon. Cook was able to walk, but he was so intoxicated that he did not have his senses; he staggered, but he was able to walk and take care of himself; he talked rather thickly and sillily. I went back to the first saloon with the lady and she went home. I stayed outside the door it might be three to five minutes and then I went to another saloon, Mr. Stevens. I think on the corner of Manhattan and Bleeker sts. I stayed there about



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five minutes and then I went back to the first saloon where I saw the complainant and the prisoner. I left it might be after one o'clock; the lady came back there after me and I left there with her. Officer Sullivan was in there when I came back. I saw the officer running in there. I wanted to see what the trouble was. I did not see the complainant go after the officer at all; the prisoner was standing at the lower end of the bar towards the box; the officer walked up to him and arrested him and brought him out on the sidewalk. I did not see the prisoner jump under the table; the officer was in ahead of me and they went to shut the door on account of it being Sunday evening. I drank six to eight glasses of lager. I did not see the complainant drink anything but lager; he might have called for ginger ale sometimes. There was dice chucked for drinks there, but whether the complainant chucked any or not I cannot positively say, but he drank with a party that gambled with dice for drinks. I urged him to go home because he was intoxicated. I did not hear anybody make any threats toward the complainant either before or after the defendant was arrested. There was no reason for

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him to be afraid. I was present when the defendant was let go on the street; the complainant did not seem to want to make any complaint against the defendant and the officer dispersed the crowd. he shoved the complainant away and told him to go about his business if he did not want to make any complaint against the prisoner.

Michael Murphy is the name of the barkeeper. I saw him this morning; he resides at I think 14 Gay St.; he was sick in bed.

John J. Sullivan recalled by Mr. Requier.

The prisoner was sitting at the table in the saloon with two men when I came in; he got under the table. I had some trouble pulling him out, he was very reluctant and did not want to come out. I dragged him from under the table and knocked him up against the ice box. The complainant had been drinking, but I would not pronounce the man drunk. I did not see him stagger. He told me the prisoner clutched him by the throat and said, "you son of a b—h give me my money." I had not the least difficulty in understanding him.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of robbery in the second degree. He was sent to the State prison for five years.