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**DESCRIPTION:**

Tait, William

**DATE:**

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charge of, and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, the same being within one quarter of a mile from a certain polling-place there, where the said election was then being held, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did not close and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure and suffer and permit to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney.

6: # 111. 784

Verdict,  
Filed 16 days of May 1890  
Pleads, Myself 26

~~Violation of Game Law  
(Selling on Blacking Day)  
(III N.S. 784) + 1981 and  
for 1989, 85)~~

The People vs.  
William Tait  
H 23 6. 10

John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney  
SUPREME COURT PART I,  
December, 22 1899  
A True Bill  
INDICTMENT DISMISSED,

Chas. S. Baird  
Foreman

Witnesses  
Richard M. G. W. ...  
Leonard E. ...

Filed by  
Louis Levy  
308 E. 57th

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0936

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

The People of the State of New York

— against —

William Tait

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse William Tait of the crime of Selling Intoxicating Liquors and Wines as a Beverage on Election Day, committed as follows:

The said William Tait — late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 25 day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand, eight hundred and eighty four, the same being a day on which a general election was held throughout the State of New York and in ~~the said City and County~~ of the City and County aforesaid, and within one-quarter of a mile from a certain polling-place there, where the said election was then being held, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to Richard J. [unclear], Richard J. [unclear], and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Second Count.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid by this indictment further accuse the said William Tait of the crime of Keeping Open on Election Day, a place licensed for the Sale of Strong and Spirituous Liquors, Wines, Ale and Beer, committed as follows:

The said William Tait — late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being a day on which a general election was held throughout the State of New York, and in the said City and County, being then and there in

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Tamke, Frederick

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X # 104. *Law*

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

16 *May* 1890

19 *June* THE PEOPLE

*vs.*

*vs.*

*I*

*Frederick Tamba*

*Indictment in the Third degree.*

[Section 408, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*Richard D. Roberts*

*Sub 2 May 20/90*  
*Plead Guilty*

Foreman.

*Amari* *R. D. Roberts*

*May 20/90*

*26*

Witnesses;

*A. P. Sloan*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0939

Police Court 1st District.

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

of No. 115 St John Place, Brooklyn Street, aged 39 years,  
occupation Grocer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 44 West Broadway Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a warehouse the  
store floor and three lofts of  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Grocery business  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name deponent,  
and John Rebers  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening a  
door leading to an elevator shaft,  
and which said door had been  
securely fastened

on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1890 in the night time, and the  
attempted to be  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of cigars  
and teas of the value of  
Fifty dollars

the property of Bennett, Sloan & Co, of which firm deponent is a partner  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid attempted to be property taken, stolen, and carried away by

her) Frederick Gamble (now

for the reasons following, to wit: while deponent and  
John Rebers were in the premises  
No. 44 West Broadway, which premises  
were securely fastened and closed  
said deponent saw defendant  
coming down an elevator shaft  
in said premises, the door leading  
to which defendant had opened.  
Deponent and said John

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Robbers seized hold of defendant and held him, until an officer could be summoned. Deponent has been informed by James Dunne of the 5<sup>th</sup> precinct, that defendant admitted to said officer, that he did burglariously enter the said premises with the intent to steal said property. Wherefore deponent charges defendant with burglariously entering his premises and attempting to take, steal and carry away said property from his and his partners possession.

Sworn to before me } Alfred Sloan  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1890 }  
John J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Degree.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0941

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation John Rebbus Clerk of No. 1064 Fulton Street Bklyn Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Alfred P. Sloan and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1890

John A. Libber

John Sherman  
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 34 years, occupation James Dunn Officer of No. 5<sup>th</sup> Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Alfred P. Sloan and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1890

James Dunn

John Sherman  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0942

Sec. 198-200.

1 - District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. - What is your name?

Answer. *Frederick James*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City.*

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

Answer. *83 Thomas Street - 14 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *driver*

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

Answer. *I am guilty.*

*F. James*

Taken before me this *27* day of *April* 18*92*  
*Wm. J. ...*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0943

Police Court... 102 638 District.

THE PEOPLE, N.C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred P. Starnes

1. Frederick James

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offence Burglary

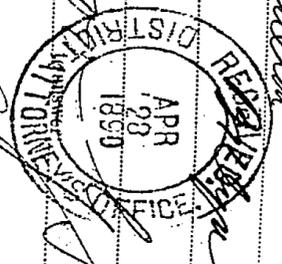
Dated April 27 1890

Magistrate  
Harvey S. Brown  
52a Precinct

Witnesses  
James Brown  
52a Precinct

No. 1064 by William  
Street

No. 157 by William  
Street



William  
Burg

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

Defendant

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

Dated April 27 1890 Joseph Starnes Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

09444

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Frederick Tamke*

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

*Frederick Tamke*

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

The said

*Frederick Tamke*

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

*Alfred P. Sloan*

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

*Alfred P. Sloan*

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3692

**DESCRIPTION:**

Thomas, Edwin

**DATE:**

05/29/90



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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# 300.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

29 day of May 1880

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

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edwin Thomas

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

May 29/80  
Pleads Assault by 2nd

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Roberts

Foreman.

Wm. J. ...

Wm. J. ...

Witnesses:

Jamie O'Connor

Witness lines

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0947

Police Court— 3 District.

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

of No. 139 Cherry Street, aged 24 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 8 day of May 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Carrie Thomas (now here) who pointed aimed and discharged the contents of one barrel of a revolver at the body of deponent, one of the balls of said revolver striking deponent in the left breast,

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 19 day }  
of May 1889 } Jennie Connor

John Patterson Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0948

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*J*  
District Police Court.

*Edwin Thomas* 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. *Edwin Thomas*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *59 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Maryland.*

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

Answer. *40 South St. 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Tattooing artist*

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*  
*Edwin Thomas*

Taken before me this

day of

1887

*John P. ...*  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0949

GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Department of Public Charities and Correction,  
Gouverneur Slip and East River.

NEW YORK,

May 9 1890

This is to certify that Jennie O'Connor a patient  
in this institution is unable to leave the  
hospital.

J. D. Merrigan  
House Surgeon

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0950

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

Thomas J. Campbell of No. 12<sup>th</sup> Precinct Street, aged 24 years, occupation Policeman being duly sworn deposes and says that on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

Edwin Morris (now here) did feloniously shoot and wound one Jennie O'Connor as Defendant is informed and believes, and as said O'Connor is now in Hospital because of said assault, Defendant prays that said Defendant be held to await the result of said assault  
Thos. J. Campbell

Sworn to before me, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 1889  
Charles W. Hunter Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0951

Police Court *4* 196 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*E. J. Thomas*

AFFIDAVIT.

*Thomas*

*Committed to await  
inquiries C.M. P.C.  
Ex. May 19 - 9.30 A.M.*

Date *May 9th* 189*0*

*T. J. ...* Magistrate.

*Camplee* Officer.

Witness, *Elizabeth Libby*  
*35 ... Street*

Disposition, .....

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0952

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



Police Court of District 3  
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
 James Thompson  
 1138 11th St  
 James Thompson  
 Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated May 19 1880  
 Johnson Magistrate  
 Campbell Officer

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer



\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Defendant*

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

Dated May 19 1880. *John Peterson* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0953

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Edwin Thomas

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

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

The said Edwin Thomas

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the eighth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty-ninety~~ eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Jennie O'Connor in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against her the said Jennie O'Connor a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Edwin Thomas in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent her the said Jennie O'Connor thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Edwin Thomas of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Edwin Thomas

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 Jennie O'Connor in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against her the said Jennie O'Connor a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Edwin Thomas in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Thomas, George

**DATE:**

05/26/90



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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# 269  
McChapp

Counsel,  
Filed *26th* day of *May* 1890  
Pleads, *City of*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
George Thomas

PEIT LARCENY.  
[Sections 529, 532 Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Transferred to the Court of Special  
Sessions for trial and final disposition.

Part 2. *May 25th*.....1890.

A True Bill.

*Charles B. Rowland*

Foreman.

Witnesses;

*Layo Lobbello*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0956

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 Thomas*

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

*George Thomas*

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY committed as follows:

The said

*George Thomas*

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

*two shoe-strings of the value of three  
cents each and the sum of ninety-five  
cents in money, lawful money of the  
United States and of the value of  
ninety-five cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Leduco Le Bello*

then and there being found, then and there 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 Q. Fellows,  
District Attorney*

0957

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3692

**DESCRIPTION:**

Thompson, John

**DATE:**

05/13/90



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0958

# 56. Steadler

Counsel,  
Filed  
Pleads,  
1890

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
John Thompson  
Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Fiddick

Foreman.

Part II June 10<sup>th</sup> 1890  
Pleads Assault by J.P.

Per one yr.

Witnesses;

Cassie Rigan

The prisoner  
offers a plea of  
assault 3<sup>rd</sup> degree  
which plea I  
am willing to  
accept after  
reading the within  
withdrawal  
June 10<sup>th</sup> 1890  
H. P. B.  
C.D.R.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0959

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERSUS

John Thompson.

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. I believe that the ends of justice will be subserved by the acceptance of the plea of assault in the third degree. The injury was not a severe one, a slight cut on my arm and its <sup>almost</sup> healed. I do not believe that the affair would have happened had not the defendant been drunk. The assault occurred at a ball, in a free fight amongst men. I got hurt while attempting to defend my brother. I had ~~no~~ no quarrel with the prisoner.

Dated June 10/90

Signed in presence of

Wm. Starking

Cassie Regan

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0960

Police Court— 1st District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Cassie Regan  
of No. 125 Washington Street,

Schoolgirl being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on Saturday the 3rd day of May  
in the year 1890 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

she was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John Thompson (now here)  
who cut deponent on the right arm, wounding said arm, with a knife defendant, then held in his hand.

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day  
of May 1890.

Cassie Regan

[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0961

Sec. 198-200.

1- District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Thompson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *1 Carlisle Street - one month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labourer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

*John Thompson*

Taken before me this *24* day of *May* 189*0*  
*Wm. H. ...*

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0952

BAILLED,

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

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

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

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

Police Court... 1 - District 689

THE PEOPLE, etc.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Carroll P. Ryan*  
125 Washington St  
*John Thompson*

1  
2  
3  
4

Offence *Fel. Assault*

Dated *May 3rd* 1890  
*M. C. Mulvaney* Magistrate.

*James McHenry* Officer.  
Precinct *2nd*

Witnesses *M. A. Ryan*  
No. *100 East 23rd* Street.



No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer *Y. S.*

*John Thompson*

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

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

Dated *May 3rd* 1890 *A. M. Mulvaney* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0963

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*John Thompson*

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

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

The said

*John Thompson*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*third* day of *May* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Cassie Regan*  
in the Peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and ~~her~~ *her* the said *Cassie Regan*  
with a certain *knife*

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

*5*  
with intent *her*, the said *Cassie Regan*  
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York  
and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*John Thompson*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*John Thompson*  
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 *Cassie Regan* in the peace of  
the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make  
another assault, and ~~her~~ *her* the said  
with a certain *knife*

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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THIRD COUNT—

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

*John Thompson*  
of the CRIME of ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*John Thompson*

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

*Cassie Regan* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully, make another assault, and

her the said *Cassie Regan*

with a certain *knife*

which *he*, the said *John Thompson*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *arm* of *her* the said *Cassie Regan*

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Cassie Regan*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3692

**DESCRIPTION:**

Thornton, Annie

**DATE:**

05/08/90



3692

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0966

# 2609C  
for Pending May 20  
Counsel,  
Filed *J. A. [Signature]* 1889  
Pleas, *Magically - 20 -*

Sections 528, 532, 550 Penal Code

PETIT LARCENY,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*  
Annie Thornton

*indig. case.*  
May 26 1893 JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.  
May 28 at 4/6 a.m. 1893

A True Bill.

*Chas. B. Edwards*

Foreman,  
Complaint sent to the Court  
of Special Sessions,

May 28, 1893  
*mag*

Witnesses:

*M. S. Silberman*

*D. M. Stewart*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0967

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Annie Thornton*

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

*Annie Thornton*

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY committed as follows :

The said

*Annie Thornton*

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

*three pieces of flusk of the value  
of sixty-two cents each piece, and  
one piece of ribbon of the value  
of one dollar and ninety cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Samuel Adams*

then and there being found, then and there 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.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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SECOND COUNT---

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

*Annie Thornton*

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

The said *Annie Thornton*

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,

*three pieces of plush of the  
value of ~~one dollar~~ and sixty-  
two cents each piece, and  
one piece of ribbon of the  
value of one dollar and ninety cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Samuel Adams*

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

*Samuel Adams*

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

*Annie Thornton*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

396

**FOLDER:**

3692

**DESCRIPTION:**

Tischen, James A.

**DATE:**

05/26/90



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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0970

# 259.

Counsel,  
Filed *26* *May* 1890  
Pleads,

Grand Larceny *Second* degree.  
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*A*  
*James A. Trochen*

*W. G. Brown*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*Wm B. Swank*  
*May 26 1890* Foreman.  
*Wm B. Swank* 2 deg  
*2 yrs 6 mos 10.*  
*W. G.*

Witnesses;  
*Wm B. Swank*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

09771

Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } 55.

of No. 42 White Street, aged 49 years,  
occupation Merchant being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 10 day of May 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

Seven yards of cloth of  
the value of thirty dollars  
Boots

the property of Hicks Brother of which  
deponent is a partner and in  
deponent's care and custody

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 Lischen now living

from the fact that deponent was informed by Detective Sergeant James H. Vallentyne of the Central office that he caught the defendant in the act of feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away the said property from the said premises.

George E. Hicks

Sworn to before me, this 12 day of May 1889  
John W. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James J. Walling  
Detective Sergeant of No.

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation Central office Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Henry E. Hester

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

Sworn to before me this 12  
day of May, 1888

James J. Walling  
A. J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0973

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*James Tescher* 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 Tescher*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*37 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*162 Eden St. 4 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Porter*

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.

*Am. G. ...  
James A. Tescher*

Taken before me this

day of

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court... District.

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THE PEOPLE, etc.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John G. Walker*  
42 West 44th St  
New York City

Offence

Dated

*May 12 1899*

Magistrate

*Wally Stewart*  
Officer

Witnesses

No.

Street

No.

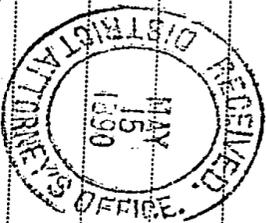
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No.

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No.

Street



\$ 500

to answer

*Wally Stewart*

Street

No.

Street

*Wally Stewart*

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

*Richard*

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

Dated *May 12 1899* *Wally Stewart* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0975

VI.

STATE OF NEW YORK.  
Executive Chamber,  
ALBANY.

June 23, 1890.

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of James A. ~~Mischer~~ *Tischer* who was convicted of Grand Larceny in the county of New York and sentenced May 26, 1890 to imprisonment in the Sing Sing Prison for the term of two years, six months.

I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts of the case, together with your opinion of the merits of the application.

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

Very respectfully yours,

*J. S. Williams.*  
Private Secretary.

Hon. John R. Fellows,  
New York City.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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Ans. June 27/90

Jas. A. Leachon

Fitzgerald

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0977

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 A. Tischen*

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

*James A. Tischen*

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

The said

*James A. Tischen*<sup>3</sup>

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

*seven yards of cloth of the value  
of four dollars each yard*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*George E. Hicks*

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

*John R. Tallant,  
District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3692

**DESCRIPTION:**

Todd, John

**DATE:**

05/23/90



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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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A 241.

Counsel

Filed

Pleads

1890

*W. H. [Signature]*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
(SELLING TO MINOR).  
[Section 290, Penal Code, sub. 3.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*John Todd*  
*May 28/90*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*Chas. B. Roberts*

Foreman.

Witnesses:

*Chas. W. Gurnea*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0980

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*John Todd*

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

accuse

*John Todd*

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows:

The said

*John Todd*

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

*twelfth*

day of

*May*

in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and ninety

\_\_\_\_\_

, at the City and County aforesaid,

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wine, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did, sell, and cause and procure and permit to be sold to one

*Otto Brunkner*

who was then and

there a child actually and apparently under the age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of

*thirteen*

years, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and

against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3692

**DESCRIPTION:**

Truhan, Michael

**DATE:**

05/29/90



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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# 313.

Counsel, *Harris & Langor!*  
Filed *29* day of *May* 188*90*  
Plends, *Not guilty.*

ATTEMPTING SUICIDE.  
(Section 174, Penal Code).

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

*I*

*Michael Terhan*

*36  
The People  
vs. Michael Terhan*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Chas. B. Storch*  
Foreman.

*June 4 90  
George Gully  
Sentence suspended  
R.B.M.*

Witnesses:

*Officer Bohm*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0983

Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Michael Truhan* 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. *Michael Truhan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *36 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Hungary*

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

Answer. *114 Pitt Street 1 year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Carpenter*

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 I did not know what I was doing I think I must have been deranged.  
Michael Truhan*

Taken before me this

*2*

*Charles K. Stankin*  
1887

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0984

Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Michael Truhan 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. Michael Truhan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 36 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Hungary

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

Answer. 114 Pitt Street 1 year.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Carpenter

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 I did not know what I was doing I think I must have been deranged.  
Michael Truhan

Taken before me this 21

day of March 1889  
Charles K. Stanton

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0985

Police Court... 3 1/2 District

THE PEOPLE, etc.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Brown

1 Michael Graham

2  
3  
4

Offence Attempted Suicide

Dated May 21 1890

Magistrate John Smith

Officer Brown

13 Precinct

Witness Ernest Kaufman

No. 237 Decand Street

No. 137 Street

No. 137 Street

No. 137 Street

No. 137 Street

Signature

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

Defendant

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

Dated May 21 1890 Charles W. Hunter Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0986

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Louis Bonin

of No. 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, aged 28 years,

occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 1880

at the City of New York, in the County of New York he arrested

Michael Truhan who did unlawfully inflict upon himself a wound dangerous to human life with intent to commit suicide in violation of sec. 174 of the Penal Code for the following reasons to wit: on the aforesaid date defendant was brought to the Station home suffering from a wound in the left breast inflicted by himself while on the roof of premise No 92 Willet Street. Deponent believes from information and belief that

Subscribed before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1880

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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defendant had intended to take his life.  
and therefore prays that he be held to  
answer as the law may direct

Loire Bohay  
Charles Hainton

Sworn to before me this  
21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1890  
Police Justice

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated.....188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0988

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*against*  
*Michael Rudman*

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

*Michael Rudman*

of the CRIME OF ATTEMPTING SUICIDE, committed as follows:

The said *Michael Rudman,*

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

*seventeenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *ninety*, at the City and County aforesaid,

with intent to take *his* own life, did feloniously *cut and slash*

*himself, in and upon his left breast*

*with a certain knife,*

the same being an act dangerous to human life, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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