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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3084

**DESCRIPTION:**

Landrine, Elias

**DATE:**

10/30/88



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Witnesses:

*Offutt*  
*Eva A. Munn*  
*Lacy Ann Taylor*

Counsel,

Filed, 30 day of Dec 1888

Pleads

*Chiquely (31)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Elias Sandrine*

Fraudulent Registration  
(Chap. 410, Laws of 1882, Sec. 1908.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Dec 3. 1888.*

*James H. C. Linn*

*James H. C. Linn*

A True Bill.

*Chas. S. Wood*

*James H. C. Linn*  
Foreman.



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

POLICE COURT

21  
DISTRICT.

of No

says that on the

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

being duly sworn, deposes and

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*Edward F. Brett*  
19<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police  
27<sup>th</sup>  
October  
Elias Landrum  
(now here) did personally appear  
before the Inspectors of Election of the  
10<sup>th</sup> Election District of the 11<sup>th</sup> Assembly  
District of the said City and County at a meeting  
of the said Inspectors of Election then being  
duly held for the purpose of the general  
registration of the qualified voters of said  
City and County resident in said Election  
District at a duly designated polling place  
of said Election District, and did then  
and there at said general registration of  
voters feloniously register in said Election  
District, as a qualified voter, when he the  
said defendant did not have a lawful  
right to register therein, in violation of  
Section 1903, Chapter 410, Laws of 1882.  
Deponent further says that the said  
defendant went to the polling place of  
the 10<sup>th</sup> Election District of the 11<sup>th</sup> Assembly  
District which is no 313 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue and  
giving his place of residence as no  
141 West 27<sup>th</sup> St, registered his name as  
a duly qualified voter. Deponent went to the  
premises no 141 West 27<sup>th</sup> St, and there learned  
that the said defendant had not lived in  
said premises since the middle of September  
last. Wherefore deponent prays the said  
defendant may be held and dealt with  
according to law. *Edward F. Brett*

*Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1882*

*John W. Brown*  
Precinct Justice

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0265

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK ss.

*Elias B. Landrone*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Elias B. Landrone*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*33 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*407 W. 29th St. 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Kabminier*

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*

*Elias Landrone*

Taken before me this

day of

*Oct*

*1911*

*John J. [Signature]*  
District Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0266

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

505  
2 1689  
Police Court... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Brett  
Oliver Van Brand

offense Illegal  
Registration

Dated Oct 27 188

German  
Magistrate.

John A. Stuyvesant  
Officer.

Witnesses: Eric Humm  
Precinct.

No. 1410 27th St, New York  
Street.

Lucy Green Day  
Street.

No. 441 1st St  
Street.

No. 141 1st St  
Street.

No. 333 1st St  
Street.

No. 1000 1st St  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant

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 Oct 27 188 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Rian Sandrine*

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

*Rian Sandrine*

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *27th* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight* the same being a day duly appointed by law as a day for the general registration of the qualified voters of the said City and County, the said *Rian Sandrine*, late of the City and County aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *Second* Election District of the *Seventh* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held for the purpose of the general registration of the qualified voters of the said City and County, resident in the said Election District, at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did then and there, at the said general registration of voters, feloniously

and fraudulently register in the said Election District not having a lawful right to register therein, in this, to wit: that he was not then, nor would he on the day of Election next following the said day of registration (to wit: on Tuesday the sixth day of November in the year aforesaid, the same being the day duly appointed by law for the holding of a general election throughout the said State and in said City and County) be, entitled to vote therein, for the reason that he had not then been, nor would he on the said day of Election have been, a resident of the said Election District for the last thirty days next preceding the said election;

against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

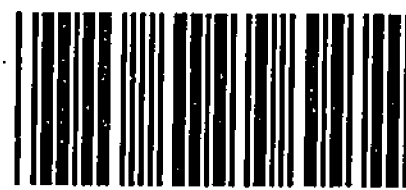
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lazarus, Marks

**DATE:**

10/10/88



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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287  
Court of Oyer and Terminer

Counsel,  
Filed, 10 day of Oct 1888  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Keeping Open on Sunday)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1089, Sec. 5.]

Marko Laganas

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

District Attorney.

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final dis-  
position.  
At the Fall.  
Dated Dec 21 1888

Foreman.  
F. Dec 21 1888

Witnesses:

Off Court  
10<sup>th</sup> Pre.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0270

Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT— 3 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. the 10th James Bowen  
Princeton Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 14 day  
of November 1886, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
Mark Lazarus (now here)  
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 147 West  
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be  
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of  
the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 14 day  
of November 1886

J. M. Ford Police Justice.

James Bowen

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0271

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

3 District Police Court.

*Marks Lazarus* 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 *Marks Lazarus*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russian Poland*

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

Answer *N<sup>o</sup> 47 M<sup>st</sup>er St New York*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Saloon keeper*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and I demand a trial by jury*

✓ *Marks Lazarus*

Taken before me this

day of *Dec*

188 *8*

*J. J. J.*  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0272

BAILED  
No. 1, by Salomon Klein  
Residence 82 Essex Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court 3 District 17/15

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

James Conner  
Attorney General

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Offence Violation  
Excise Law

Date

Nov 14 1886

Magistrate.

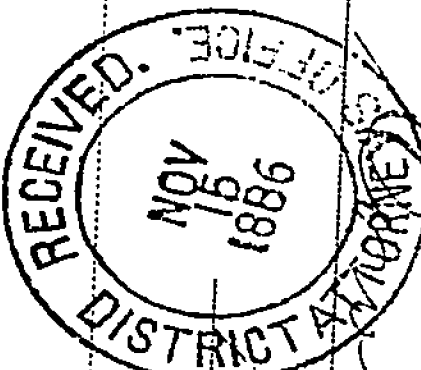
Officer.

Prisoner.

Witnesses

No.

Street.



No.

Street.

No.

Street.

1886  
James Conner  
bailed

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

Dated Nov 14 1886 John H. Thompson Police Justice.

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

Dated November 14 1886 John H. Thompson 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

0273

Court of Oyer and Terminer

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Marko Lazarus*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *Marko Lazarus*  
of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG  
AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hayes, Patrick

**DATE:**

10/08/88



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

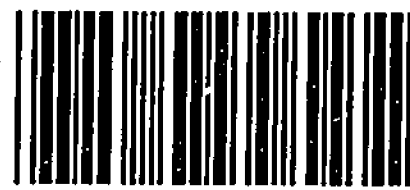
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lee, Bridget

**DATE:**

10/08/88



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0276

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

day of

188

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Robbery, *first* degree.  
[Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code].

*Bridget Lee*

*Patrick Hayes*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

*Oct 17 1884*

A True Bill.

*Wm. J. Connelley* Foreman.

*Oct 18 1884*  
*Part III - October 19/88*  
*Both tried & acquitted*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0277

Police Court— / District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Miss M. L. L. L.*  
of No. *14* *W. 14th* Street, Aged *36* Years  
Occupation *Housekeeper* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
*3d* day of *October* 188*8*, at the *6th* Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the ~~possession~~ of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

*Good and lawful money of the*  
*United States consisting of Silver*  
*and small coins of the denomination*  
*and values of*

of the value of *Three* DOLLARS,

the property of *Complainant*

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

*Bridget Lee and Patricia Hayes (now*  
*deceased) who were acting in concert*  
*with each other, for the purpose of*  
*robbery to wit That about 10 o'clock*  
*of the 3d day of October 1888 on the night of the 3d day of*  
*October 1888 said deponent was alone open the*  
*door of said premises and that said*  
*Bridget Lee forcibly took from said*  
*deponent a trunk which had been*  
*said Hayes broke open a trunk in*  
*said room and took said property therefrom*  
*and left said premises deponent fully identified*  
*said deponent and charges them with acting*  
*in concert with each other in the*  
*robbery aforesaid*

day of *October* 188*8*

Sworn to before me, this

*4th*

*James J. Sullivan* Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0278

Sec. 103-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

*Patrick Hayes* 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

*Patrick Hayes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York.*

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

Answer.

*50 Mulberry St. 4 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Reader.*

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  
Patrick Hayes  
exam.*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 188*8*

*Am. Justice*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0279

Sec. 198-200.

pt District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

Bridger Lee 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 ~~is~~; that the statement is designed to  
enable h ~~is~~ if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h ~~is~~  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h ~~is~~ waiver cannot be used  
against h ~~is~~ on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer

Bridger Lee

Question. How old are you?

Answer

23 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

19 Bell St. 2 months.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Keep house

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.  
Bridger Lee  
mark

Taken before me this

day of Sept 1888

Amelia  
Police Justice.



0280

**Residence.**

145

1567  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

17<sup>th</sup> March  
London  
Admiral Stanger

~~Offended~~

Dated 10/1/189

Magistrate.

.....  
*Chen*  
 .....  
 Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses: 11/2/20

No. 1 Street 1

No. 1000 Street.

SECRET

No. 11 Street.

to answer 0-10.

*[Signature]*

Coma

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

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

Dated Nov 17 1888 J. H. Walters 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

0281

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Bridget Lee and  
Patricia Manges*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *Bridget Lee and Patricia Manges*

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the

degree, committed as follows:

The said *Bridget Lee and Patricia Manges, both* —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twentieth*  
— day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-eight, in the *morning* time of the said day, at the City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *John Duda*, —  
in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*divers coins of a number, said*  
*and denomination to the Grand*  
*Jury aforesaid unknown of*  
*the value of five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *John Duda*. —  
*in the presence* from the person of the said *John Duda*, — against the will,  
and by violence to the person of the said *John Duda*, —  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *(the said*  
*Bridget Lee and Patricia Manges, and*  
*each of them, being then and there*  
*aided by an accomplice actually*  
*present to wit: each by the other)*

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 W. Keenan*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

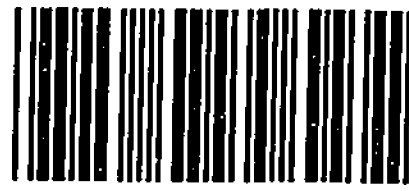
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lein, Charles H.

**DATE:**

10/05/88



3084



0203

Bill forfeited & entered.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0284

Excise Violation-Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 5 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of the 27<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police David Cagney ~~Street,~~

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 10 day  
of June 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at premises No. 225 East 80th Street,  
Charles H. Rein (now here)

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day } David C. Cagney  
of June 1888 }  
P. G. [Signature] Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0285

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

5 District Police Court.

*Charles M. Leiri* 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. *Charles M. Leiri*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *36 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *225 East 80th Street New York City*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Saloon Keeper*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. If held,  
I demand a trial by jury.*

*Charles M. Leiri*

Taken before me this

day of

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0285

BAILED  
No. 1, by Charles Myers  
Residence 225 8th St.  
Street  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

48 889  
Police Court 5 District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Harold Karguey  
Edward St. James  
Dated June 11 188 8  
Offence Excessive Violation  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
Precinct \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 100 to answer  
Charles Myers  
RECEIVED  
JUN 14 1888  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

Dated June 11 188 8 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated June 11 188 8 [Signature] 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

0287

District Attorney's Office.

*Part Two*  
PEOPLE

vs.

*Chas H. Lavin*

*Mar 28/88*

*All issued*  
*Mar 27/88*

*Meyers*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0288

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Charles H. Rein*

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

*Charles H. Rein*

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

The said

*Charles H. Rein*

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

*David E. Gagny*

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

*Charles H. Rein*

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

The said

*Charles H. Rein*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3084

**DESCRIPTION:**

Lessinger, Martin

**DATE:**

10/10/88



3084

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0290

Court of Oyer and Terminer

Counsel,

Filed, 10 day of

1888

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW

(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1889, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

District Attorney.

True Bill.

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

Dec 7/88.  
Foreman.

Dec 30, 1888.

Witnesses:

JAMES MULLEAGAN  
11 1/2 Percent

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0291

Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 3 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. the 114th Precinct Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 7 day  
of November 1888 (in the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
Martin Lessinger (now here)  
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises, No. 149 Ridge  
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be  
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of  
the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 7 day }  
of Nov 1888 }

James Mulligan  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0292

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Martin Lessinger* 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 Lessinger*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*60 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*1149 Ridge St 4 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Saloon Keeper*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and  
I demand a trial by jury*

*Martin Lessinger*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*John J. [illegible]*

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0293

BAILED  
No. 1, by Frankel Mustard  
Residence Shohill  
Street  
No. 2, by  
Residence  
Street  
No. 3, by  
Residence  
Street  
No. 4, by  
Residence  
Street

EXCISE  
Police Court  
District

THE PEOPLE & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

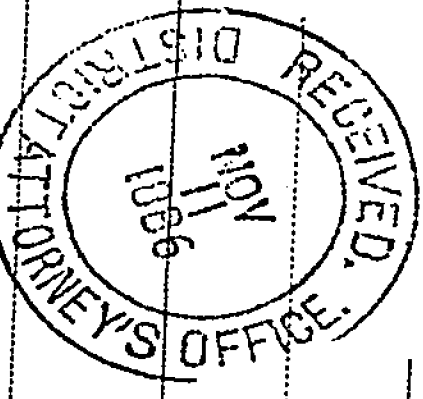
vs.

William Lessing

Offence Violation  
Car Law

Dated Jan 8 188

Magistrate  
Officer



Witnesses  
No. 102  
Street

No. 102  
Street

No. 102  
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

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

Dated Jan 188 John Henry Ford Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 188 John Henry Ford Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 188 John Henry Ford Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0294

Court of Oyer and Terminer

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Martin Kessinger*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *Martin Kessinger*  
of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG  
AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

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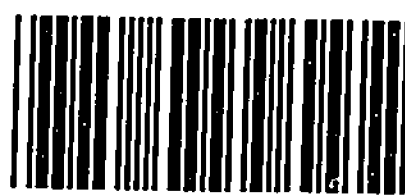
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lester, Walter

**DATE:**

10/05/88



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Counsel,  
Filed 5<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1888  
Pleads, *Chryzally*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Walter Lester*  
[Sections 343, 344 and 385, Penal Code]  
GAMING HOUSE, &c.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

*Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1888*  
*Walter Lester*  
*Paul Discharged*

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

*Wm. L. Miller*

Witnesses;

I have examined all  
the witnesses in this case.  
From their testimony  
I am of the opinion  
that a conviction can  
not be obtained & do  
therefore recommend  
that the defendant be  
discharged on his own  
recognizance.

*Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1888* *William Forester*

*Deputy District Attorney*

I approve of the above  
recommendation.

*Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1888* *Wm. M. Davis*  
*Asst. District Atty.*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0297

Police Court-- 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

James G. Cooper  
of 300 Mulberry Street

upon his oath complains that ~~John Doe, Real name unknown~~  
~~deponent, but whom deponent can identify~~  
at premises No. 320 West 59<sup>th</sup> Street, in the City  
and County of New York, unlawfully keeps and maintains a Gambling House, and knowingly  
permits divers, idle, disorderly and evil disposed persons to resort there, to gamble and play at  
cards and games of chance for money, in violation of the law, and to the common nuisance of the  
People of the State of New York.

Deponent further says that in said premises on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
August 1888 said ~~John Doe~~  
~~did unlawfully and feloniously deal the game called Faro, and did then and there within the space~~  
~~called draw Poker to be played therein for~~  
~~of twenty four hours win from deponent~~  
~~money, and deponent saw said game in progress,~~  
~~at said game, and that within said premises are exhibited, kept and used by~~

~~Said John Doe~~  
~~Poker~~  
faro and other gambling tables, checks, cards, devices and apparatus, for the purpose of gambling,  
the discovery of which would tend to establish the truth of the charge herein made.

Sworn to before me, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1888 } James G. Cooper

W. Patterson  
POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0298

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

ss.

*James G. Cooper Jr*

of No.

*303 Mulberry*

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that

*Walter Lester*

(now present) is the person of the name of

*John Doe*

mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the

*15th*

day of

*August*

188*8*, hereunto annexed.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

*15th*  
*August* 188*8*

*James G. Cooper Jr*

*J. M. Peterson*

POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Walter Lester

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Walter Lester

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

428 W. 53rd St. 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Cluk.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty and  
demand a trial by jury

Walter Lester

Taken before me this

day of Aug

1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0300

Police Court-- 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

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

To the Officers of Police, and Patrolmen, of the Police Department of said City, and to each of them:

Whereas, complaint on oath has been made before me one of the Police Justices in the City of New York, by James G. Cooper of No. 300 Mulberry Street, that the premises known as No. 320 West 59<sup>th</sup> St in said City, are kept and maintained by John Doe whose real name is unknown & dependent, but whom dependent can identify as a Gambling House and a place of resort for idle and disorderly persons, to gamble and play at cards and games of chance for money in violation of the law, and to the common nuisance of the People of the State of New York, and that in said premises on or about the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1888 said John Doe did feloniously win unlawfully conduct a game of cards for money called and receive from complainant draw pocket dollars in money at means of dealing and playing the game called Faro, and that upon and within said premises may be found Woker and other gambling tables, checks, cards, devices and apparatus used solely for the purpose of gambling, and the discovery of which might tend to establish the truth of said complaint.

These are therefore, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said Officers and Patrolmen, and each of you, to enter the said premises and therein make diligent search for such gambling tools, devices and apparatus, and if such be found to bring the same forthwith before me, or some other Police Justice for said City together with the said John Doe and all other idle and disorderly persons who may be found and arrested upon and within said premises, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and seal this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1888 at the City of New York.

James G. Cooper

POLICE JUSTICE.





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ORIGINAL

0301

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest

Native of

Age

Color

Police Court D District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

WARRANT--GAMBLING.

James G. Carpus  
vs.

Dated, Aug. 15 1888

Matthias Magistrate.

Carpus C. G. Officer.

Defendant

taken and brought before

as within commanded

Disposition

This warrant  
may be served  
at night time

Matthias  
Carpus vs.

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ORIGINAL

0302

BAILED,  
No. 1, by John J. Northman  
Residence 314 W 47 St.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court--- 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

100 1298

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James S. Cooper

Walter Latta

Offence Keeping a Gambling House

Dated August 15 1888

Northman Magistrate.

Cooper Officer.

C. C. Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ to answer

506 Street \_\_\_\_\_

Grand Jury

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

defendant

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

Dated Aug 18 1888 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

defendant

Dated Aug 18 1888 J. M. Patterson 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

0303

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*against*

*Walter Sester*

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

(Sec. 343, of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed Penal Code.) as follows:

The said *Walter Sester*,

late of the *22nd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *14th* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and on divers other days and times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for gambling, 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. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

*Walter Sester* —

of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND APPARATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said *Walter Sester*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

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a certain room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling-table, and establishment, and divers cards, chips, devices and apparatus, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow to be used for gambling purposes, 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. (Sec. 385, Penal Code.)

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

*Walter Sexton*

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

The said *Walter Sexton*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house there situate, for *his* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *his* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called *draw poker* in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *Walter Sexton*

there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.



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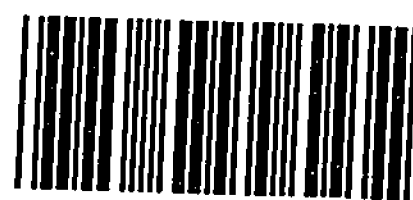
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lewis, John

**DATE:**

10/17/88



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*J. J. Mose a*

Witnesses:

*Matthie Lee*

*Elmer Gifford*

*Dr. McCybele St. Louis Dispensary*  
*St. Vincent's Hospital*

Counsel,

Filed

17 day of

1888

Pleas,

*Chapman*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Lewis*

*see list of witnesses*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

*Nov-25/1888*

*Perkins*

A True Bill

*he appeared*

*to the*

*Friday*

*1889*

*Will a Murph Foreman.*

*Part III December 6, 1888,*

*tried and convicted of*

*Murder in the first degree of*

*which he stands indicted.*

MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE,  
(Section 183, Penal Code.)

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ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Matthew Lee

William Gifford

Dr. McCabe St. Mary's Hospital

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J. F. Moore a

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Oct. 1888

Pleads, *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Lewis

the list of witnesses

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Nov-25-1888

Philadelphia

to be received by 1. 1889

A True Bill

to be received by 1. 1889

David L. Moore Foreman.

Part III December 6, 1888,

tried and convicted of

Murder in the first degree of

which he stands indicted.

MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE,  
(Section 183, Penal Code.)

# STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

## AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of Coroners' Office

No. 67 Park Row Street in the 4th Ward of the City of

New York, in the County of New York, this 11 day of August

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 88 before

Mr. R. Hugent Coroner,

of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of Alice Jackson (colored) lying dead at

Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of  
Six good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said

Alice Jackson came to her death, do upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said Alice Jackson came to her death by

Hemorrhage from penetrating Pistol shot wounds of Thorax and Abdomen inflicted with a pistol in the hands of John Lewis on the stoop of 84 West 3rd. Street on July, 17/88 about 9 am.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

### JURORS.

George Loebe  
George Schnitzer  
Henry Brandt  
Christian Sautter  
F. Hill  
George X Enrich  
Mark

116 Chrystie St  
15 Chrystie St.  
77 Chrystie St.  
48 Chrystie St.  
140 Chrystie  
83 Chrystie St

Mr. R. Hugent  
CORONER, L. S.



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ORIGINAL

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Officer John F. Foley 15th Precinct  
being sworn says: On July 17/88 about  
9.05 am I was on duty at Cor 3rd &  
Sullivan St when a truck driver  
informed me that a woman had been  
shot in front of 84 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. on the  
stoop. I was told that the prisoner  
had run down Thompson St toward  
Bleecker. I ran down through Sullivan  
St. and up Bleecker St and arrested  
him at Cor. Thompson & Bleecker St.  
and took him to the Station where  
the woman was lying in front  
of 84 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. I asked the deceased  
if this was the man who shot her  
and she pointed at the prisoner &  
said "Yes". I then took him to the  
Station House, and then to Jefferson  
Market Court where Judge Ford sent  
him to the Coroner's Office. The  
prisoner Jack Lewis is the person  
whom the deceased <sup>identified</sup> as the <sup>man</sup> ~~person~~  
who shot her. I found a pistol  
<sup>was found</sup> in the left hand pocket of the  
prisoner <sup>given to me</sup> when I arrested him. There  
were 3 chambers discharged. One  
empty & one loaded.

Taken before me

this

17

day of

July

1888

CORONER.

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*Alice Jackson  
alias Lewis*

Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Mr. Kahn's  
Glass turner Julius Chenu being ~~sworn~~ <sup>affirmed</sup> says: I  
in Spring reside at 225 Sullivan St. I am a  
& Crosby Glass Polisher, I knew the deceased  
W. J. Conner by sight, I know the prisoner, I  
never saw him before the shooting.  
On July 17/88 about 8:45 <sup>am</sup> I left my  
house & took a walk to Mr. Kelly's  
saloon Cor. of 3<sup>rd</sup> St & Thompson St.  
I came out shortly after and  
I saw the prisoner at the head  
of the stoop of 84 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. and  
heard the report of a revolver  
I saw ~~the~~ the body of the woman  
(deceased) rolling down the stoop  
& the prisoner walking deliberately  
alongside of her as she rolled  
down the stoop, with a smoking  
revolver in his hand. Then the  
prisoner walked by me towards  
Thompson St., I followed him  
through Thompson At Bleeker.  
There was a Bleeker St Car  
just coming over the Crossing  
and the prisoner crossed in front  
of it, I cut short of the back  
of the car & stopped the prisoner  
on the corner, I grasped him by  
the right hand & drew the revolver

Taken before me

this

day of

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CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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out of his left side pocket and handed it to the Officer who had just arrived. We then took the prisoner to the spot where the deceased lay and she identified him by pointing at him and nodding her head when the Officer asked her if he was the person who shot her. I did not see the shooting. I heard the report. I did not take notice if there was any other person there but the prisoner & the deceased at time of shooting. The prisoner did not attempt to run away. He walked away very deliberately & coolly.

Julius. E. Lane

Taken before me

this

11

day of

August 1888

Mr. R. M. Ruggent

CORONER.



Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Mattie Lee being sworn says: I reside at 87 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. where I have a floor, I am a widow, I knew the deceased Alice Jackson about two months. She was a Cook at No 84 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. opposite my residence. I had got up about 8:30 am and had the "World" reading it in bed when I heard a cry of "Murder" I jumped up & ran to the window & looked out & saw the prisoner and the deceased Alice Jackson on the stoop together, Alice had hold of prisoners' two hands - kind of holding them down, He wrenched his hand free and fired a shot, Alice still hollowed "Murder" and the prisoner fired another shot which took effect in her abdomen. She let go his hands & threw her hands up & rolled down the stoop. She fell on the flagging of the sidewalk. The prisoner came down the stoop & walked past her towards Sullivan St. In the meantime

Taken before me

this

day of

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CORONER.

Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

When he was gone she raised herself up on her hands & knees and fell again. Then a white girl said "I'll lift her head up". The prisoner returned and said "If anybody goes near her I'll shoot them" - Then the prisoner threw the revolver beside the deceased saying "That settles it". I screamed "Murder" as did the neighbors & I saw the prisoner walk away & then I fainted. On the Tuesday before the murder I saw the deceased and prisoner. She was at the top of the stoop of 84 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St and the prisoner was on the sidewalk with an Officer. I heard deceased ask the Officer to take the prisoner in as she was afraid he would murder her. She said "Officer you must do it". The officer took the prisoner away to the corner & then I saw the prisoner afterwards the same day.

witness Lee

Taken before me

this 11 day of August 1888

*John R. Nugent* CORONER.

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TESTIMONY.

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Mary Gilford being sworn says: I reside at 87 10.3<sup>d</sup> St. I knew the deceased only by sight. In the morning about 8:45 am I heard the cry of 'murder' & a pistol shot first, I ran to the window & I saw the prisoner & the deceased standing on the stoop. He had a revolver in his hand & the deceased was trying to wrench it out of his hand. I saw him fire two shots at the deceased on the stoop & then she rolled down off the stoop. She raised herself up a little. I saw the prisoner walk down the street towards Sullivan St. & then he returned & walked right past the deceased, towards Thompson St. The next time I saw him he was a prisoner. I fully identify the prisoner present as the person who shot the deceased.

Mary Gilford

Taken before me

this 11 day of August 1888

John R. Nugent

CORONER.

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TESTIMONY.

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Elizabeth Houston being sworn says: I reside at 216 Thompson St. I knew the deceased Alice Jackson for 10 or 11 years. She came to my house on July 14/88 & took a room from me. She remained till Tuesday morning, when she went out & said she would return again, that was the last I saw of her. I heard she was shot shortly after leaving my house. She was employed as Cook at 84 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

Elizabeth Houston

Taken before me

this 11 day of August 1888

Jon R. Nugent

CORONER.



TESTIMONY.

William O. Meagher M. D., being duly sworn, says:

I have made an examination of the body of

Alia Jackson (Colored) now lying dead at  
St. Vincent's Hospital and from such Examination  
and history of the case, as per testimony, I am of opinion the cause of  
death is

Hæmorrhage from a shot penetrating  
wounds of the thorax wounding lung, &  
of abdomen, and great blood

William O. Meagher M. D.

Autopsy: The body was that of a healthy colored  
woman of middle height, about thirty five years old,  
weighing about two hundred pounds with corresponding  
fatty deposit. There were several contusions on the back  
head forehead of face; three pistol bullet wounds  
— one in the palm of right hand, fracturing the metacarpal  
bone, and lodging in the third metacarpal bone. One in the right  
upper region of chest, the bullet fracturing 3d rib, bounding  
my right lung in two places, and lodging in the  
left side; one in the right hypochondrium,  
the bullet plunging through the back, in two places,  
wounding the mesentery, in several places, including  
blood vessels &c, and lodging finally in the uterus in  
the cavity of which it was found. The bullet  
wounding the chest & right lung produced profuse  
 hæmorrhage which was the immediate cause of death.  
The bullets were large — probably 44's in weight & caliber.

William O. Meagher M.D.

Sworn to before me,

this 25th day of July 1888

J. R. Rieger

CORONER.

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MEMORANDA

AGE			PLACE OF NATIVITY	WHERE FOUND	Date When Reported
34	Years	Months	Days	ns Washington D.C.	St Vincent Hospital July 17/88

Res. 216 Thompson  
Bridges for 57M  
3  
Oxidizing occurred at  
St Vincent D.C.

J. R. N.

Aug. 11 at 10.30am

Sp. 220

3rd. Quar.

1888

AN INQUISTION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

Hugh M. Brown  
Colonel

whereby it is found that he came  
to death by

Exposure to the  
elements of the  
atmosphere

Inquest taken on the

day

1888 before

JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroner.

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Lewis being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz. :

Question—What is your name?

Answer—

John Lewis

Question—How old are you?

Answer—

29 years.

Question—Where were you born?

Answer—

Washington City D.C.

Question—Where do you live?

Answer—

Sing Sing

Question—What is your occupation?

Answer—

Miner

Question—Have you anything to say, and if so, what, relative to the charge here preferred against you?

I am not guilty.

John Lewis  
mark.

Taken before me, this 11 day of Augt. 1888

J. R. Ruggent CORONER.



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# MEMORANDUM.

AGE.			PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE, When Reported.
24 Years.	Months.	Days.	Washington D.C.	St. Vincent's Hosp	July 17, 1888.

Who is the  
Off. of the  
10-Box

and Bureau  
and subcommittee  
of the  
James H. Hays  
32 or 34 Cornell St.

PO 3253-2205-1888  
Jrd. Luan.

## HOMICIDE.

### AN INQUISTION

On the view of the body of  
Alice Jackson  
(deceased)  
whereby it is found that he came to  
her death by the hands of

John Lewis

Charged taken on the 11th day  
of August 1888  
before

John R. McQuade, Coroner.

Committed  
Bailed  
Discharged

Date of death June 17/88.



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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

*John Davis*

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

accuse

*John Davis*

of the CRIME OF Murder in the First Degree, committed as follows:

The said

*John Davis,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~seventeenth~~ day of ~~July~~ *July*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Adie Jackson*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, wilfully, feloniously, and of ~~his~~ malice aforethought, did make an assault, and the said *John Davis*, a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which said pistol the said *John Davis* — in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held, to, at, against, and upon the said *Adie Jackson* — then and there feloniously, wilfully, and of ~~his~~ malice aforethought, did shoot off and discharge, and the said *John Davis,* — with the leaden bullet aforesaid, out of the pistol aforesaid, then and there by force of the gunpowder aforesaid, shot off, sent forth and discharged, as aforesaid, ~~then~~ the said *Adie Jackson* in and upon the ~~chest~~ of ~~her~~ the said *Adie Jackson*, then and there feloniously, wilfully, and of ~~his~~ malice aforethought, did strike, penetrate and wound, giving to ~~her~~ the said *Adie Jackson*, then and there, with the leaden bullet aforesaid, so as aforesaid discharged, sent forth and shot out of the pistol aforesaid, by the

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said *John Davis* in and upon the *chest* of  
the said *Allice Jackson*, one mortal wound of the breadth of  
one inch, and of the depth of six inches, of which said mortal wound *she* the  
said *Allice Jackson*, at the City and County aforesaid,  
~~from the said~~ ~~day of~~ ~~in the~~  
~~year aforesaid, until the~~ ~~day of~~ ~~in the same year~~  
~~aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, on which said~~  
~~day of~~ ~~in the year aforesaid, the said~~  
~~at the City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die~~  
*then and there died.*

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say: That the said

*John Davis, her,* \_\_\_\_\_

the said *Allice Jackson* in the manner and form, and by  
the means aforesaid, wilfully, feloniously, and of *his* malice aforethought, did kill  
and murder, 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 Davis* \_\_\_\_\_

of the same CRIME OF Murder in the First Degree, committed as follows:

The said *John Davis,* \_\_\_\_\_

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *seventeenth*  
day of *July* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the  
said *Allice Jackson*, in the peace of the said People then and there  
being, wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect  
the death of the said *Allice Jackson*, did make an assault, and the said

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*John Davis* a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which said pistol the said *John Davis* in *his* right hand then and there had and held to, at, against, and upon the said *Alice Jackson* then and there feloniously, wilfully, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect the death of the said *Alice Jackson*, did shoot off and discharge. and the said *John Davis*, with the leaden bullet aforesaid, out of the pistol aforesaid, then and there by force of the gunpowder aforesaid, shot off, sent forth, and discharged, as aforesaid, *her* the said *Alice Jackson*, in and upon the *chest* of *her* the said *Alice Jackson*, then and there feloniously, wilfully, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect the death of the said *Alice Jackson*, did strike, penetrate, and wound, giving to *her* the said *Alice Jackson* then and there, with the leaden bullet aforesaid, so as aforesaid discharged, sent forth, and shot out of the pistol aforesaid, by the said *John Davis*, in and upon the *chest* of the said *Alice Jackson*, one mortal wound of the breadth of one inch, and of the depth of six inches, of which said mortal wound *she* the said *Alice Jackson* ~~at the City and County aforesaid,~~ from the said ~~day of~~ ~~in the~~ year aforesaid, until the ~~day of~~ ~~in the same year~~ aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, on which said day of ~~in the year aforesaid, the said~~ ~~at the City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.~~ *her* and *there* died.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say: That the said *John Davis, her,* the said *Alice Jackson*, in the manner and form, and by the means aforesaid, wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect the death of the said *Alice Jackson*, did kill, and murder, against the form of the Statute in such made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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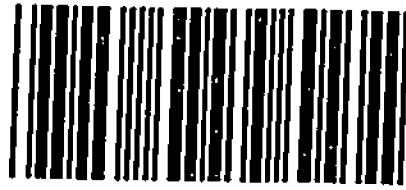
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Link, David H.

**DATE:**

10/25/88



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Counsel, Racer

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David H. Link

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Part 3. December 6 88.

Plea of not guilty withdrawn & leave to file a demurrer

A True Bill.

June 21/99.

Paul G. charged

David H. Link Foreman.

Oct 20, 1899

Witnesses,

Wm. H. Kipp

Henry Weber

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PI June 21 1899

Witnesses,

*May H. Riff*

*Henry H. Riff*

Counsel,

*Racey*

Filed *25* day of *Oct* 188*8*

Reads, *Indigently*

THE PEOPLE

*Indigently July 6/89*

vs.

*David H. Link*

[Section Penal Code.]

[Section]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*Dist. Ct. Clerk*

*District Attorney*

*Part 3. December 6/88*

*Place of work guilty indictment*

*Please to file administratively*

*Dec. 10*

True Bill.

*June 21/99*

*Indigently charged*

*at Court at Court*

*at Court at Court*

*Oct 20 1899*

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Oct 16 1888

I Certify that the annexed is a copy of an indictment  
now on File in the Clerk's Office, and that the same  
has been compared by me with the original, and is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of  
said original.

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of Court.



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

David H. Link

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

Indictment accuse

David H. Link

of the crime of

Assault in the first degree,

committed as follows:

The said

David H. Link

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

seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the City and County aforesaid,

with force and arms in and upon <sup>one</sup> Daniel  
T. Connor then and there being, wilfully  
and feloniously did make an assault,  
and to, at and against him the said Daniel  
T. Connor, certain stones which he the  
said David H. Link in his right hand  
then and there had and held, then and  
there wilfully and feloniously did cast  
and throw, and the said David H. Link  
with the said stones so cast and thrown  
as aforesaid, and also with his hands, feet,  
and knees, him the said Daniel T. Connor

Exhibit B  
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in and upon the head, neck, breast, belly, back and sides of him, the said Daniel T. Connor, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, bruise and wound, the same being such means and force as were likely to produce the death of the said Daniel T. Connor, with intent, then the said Daniel T. Connor thereby then and there wilfully and feloniously to kill; against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the <sup>peace</sup> form of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney.

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

Police Court, 1 District.

of No. 300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1888

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

David H. Lins did feloniously  
commit Wilful and corrupt  
Perjury, &c. on said date the  
said Lins being an Applicant  
for the position of Patrolman on  
the Police Force of the City of New  
York. did appear before this deponent  
and did then and there swear to the  
following Affidavit

City and County of New York, ss.

David H. Lins being duly sworn, <sup>with</sup> deposes  
and says: I wrote the answers and  
signed the above statement with  
my own hand and the same is true  
to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
I now depose me.

This 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1888

Signed David H. Lins

Chief Clerk

That the affidavit of the said Lins  
is hereto attached marked Exhibit "C"  
in answer to questions in said statement  
sworn to by the said Lins. The following  
is false and untrue <sup>the words "no" for</sup> answer to  
the question Have you been complained  
of indicted for or convicted of any  
criminal offense, That the said  
Lins well knew at the time that  
he had been indicted in the City

of New York, on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887.  
 Jm. O'Sullivan in the Irish Appeal,  
 as set forth in the Copy hereto attached  
 marked & indexed "B." It has the answer  
 in the statements signed, and sworn  
 to by the said said Mr. Material  
 matter in regard to obtaining  
 appointments in the Police force of  
 the City of New York. Therefore  
 charges that the said said said  
 feloniously, corruptly and  
 corruptly, with the intent  
 to obtain the appointments as patrolman  
 in the Police force of the City of New York,  
 and forsooth that he may be arrested  
 and much with as the law directs  
 I now do give me  
 This 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1888 } Wm J. Kelly  
 Police Justice

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT.

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,



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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

*David H Link*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*David H Link*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*123 Shaw Ave - 23 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Truckman*

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*

*David H Link*

Taken before me this  
day of *Oct* 189*8*

*W. J. [Signature]*

Police Justice.



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Sec. 151.

Police Court ☒ District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County  
of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices for the City of New York, by William H. Rippe  
of No. 3rd Mulberry Street, that on the 12 day of January  
1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

David H. Hunt Civil Commis  
Crime and Corruption

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him  
forthwith before me, at the 1st DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 22 day of October 1888

M. H. Wells POLICE JUSTICE.

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-General.

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

Magistrate

Officer.

The Defendant \_\_\_\_\_

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

Officer.

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the  
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

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

Police Justice.

The within named

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Samuel St. Smith  
Residence 57 1/2 Avenue 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

William St. Smith  
Samuel St. Smith

Offence

Dated Oct 23 1888

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No. 1, Samuel St. Smith Street

No. 2, Samuel St. Smith Street

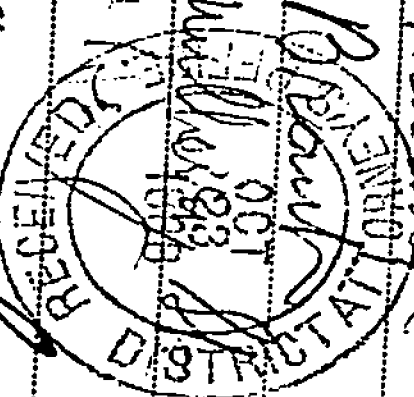
No. 3, Samuel St. Smith Street

No. 4, Samuel St. Smith Street

No. 5, Samuel St. Smith Street

No. 6, Samuel St. Smith Street

No. 7, Samuel St. Smith 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

Samuel St. Smith

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

Dated Oct 23 1888 Wm. St. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated Oct 23 1888 Wm. St. Smith Police Justice.

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

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



No. 34.

Police Department of the City of New York.

New York, Jan 11 1888  
Statement of David H. Link an applicant  
for appointment as Patrolman of the Police Force of the City of  
New York.

N. B.—This statement must be filled out and signed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and must be done by the applicant in his own handwriting, without any aid, assistance or suggestion from any other person.

Where were you born?	New York City
In what year, month and date?	1865 April 14
Where do you live? (Street and Number)	123 St. 10 Ave
Have you resided in New York State for one year last past?	yes
If not born in the United States, have you been naturalized?	yes
When? Where? (Give name of Court)	
Are you married or single or widower?	Single
What family have you?	
Have you been complained of, indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense?	No.
And if so, when and where?	
What is your regular occupation?	Truckman
What was your last occupation?	Truckman
Have you ever been a Policeman?	No.
If so, where and when?	
Have you paid or promised to pay, or given any money or other consideration, to any person directly or indirectly, for any aid or influence towards procuring your appointment?	No.
* Have you ever been in the Army or Navy of the United States?	No.
If so, when? In what capacity?	

\* If the applicant has been in the military or naval service of the United States, he should furnish the name and address of one or more of his surviving officers if practicable. In any case he shall give satisfactory evidence of honorable discharge.

Witness: J. J. Brand David H. Link Applicant.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

David H. Link being duly sworn, doth depose  
and say: I wrote the answers and signed the above statement with my own hand,  
and the same is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to before me this 12 day of Jan 1888

David H. Link  
Exhiber "A"



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PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

OF  
David H. Lusk

Jan 12 1888

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THE PEOPLE

against

DAVID H. RINK.

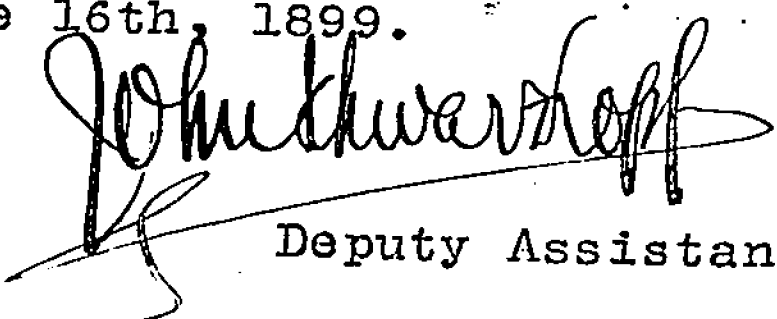
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This indictment is eleven years old, and it is alleged herein that in 1887, the defendant, in an application to the police board misstated certain facts and swore to the truth of the same before John McClave, then one of the Commissioners of Police in and for the City of New York.

It will be impossible at this late date to obtain the facts herein, and moreover, any moral effect of such conviction would be impaired and nullified by the great lapse of time herein.

I do not think a further prosecution either necessary or desirable, and I therefore recommend the discharge of the defendant upon his own recognizance.

New York, June 16th, 1899.



Deputy Assistant District Attorney.

I concur in the above recommendation.



Assistant District Attorney.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE  
of the City and County of New York.

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The People of the State of New York :  
against :  
David H. Link. :  
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The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse David H. Link of the crime of perjury, committed as follows: Heretofore, to wit, on the ~~thirteenth~~ <sup>fourteenth</sup> day of ~~February~~ <sup>March</sup> in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~ <sup>eight</sup>, at the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid the said David H. Link, late of the City and County aforesaid personally appeared before *John* ~~McClave~~, esquire, then being one of the Commissioners of Police and a member of the Board of Police of the said City of New York, as an applicant for appointment to membership, to wit, as a patrolman, of the police force of the said City of New York, (the said Board of Police having full power and authority to appoint duly qualified applicants to such membership) and then and there presenting to the said *John McClave* esquire, such commissioner as aforesaid, satisfactory evidence of qualifications, capacity and fitness to exercise the powers and perform the duties of such patrolman, was by said *John McClave* esquire, such Commissioner as aforesaid, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the said Board of Police then law-

fully in force and operation permitted to appear before the committee of surgeons of the said Board of Police for examination as to his health, physical condition and ability to perform the services required of a patrolman of the said Police force; and the said David H. Link, thereafter and on the *fourth* day of *January* ~~in the year~~ <sup>*aforesaid*</sup> ~~of the year~~ <sup>*one thousand and eighty eight*</sup> in accordance with such permission as aforesaid, did appear before the said Committee of Surgeons for examination as to the matters aforesaid and was then and there by the said Committee of Surgeons duly and thoroughly examined in respect thereto and the said Committee of Surgeons did then and there subject the said David H. Link to a thorough examination in the behalf aforesaid as a result of which said examination the said Committee of Surgeons, pursuant to the said rules and regulations and in conformity thereto did find, report and certify in writing to the said Board of Police that the said David H. Link was sound in limb and body, was able-bodied and of a robust constitution, had good eye-sight and good hearing and was in the opinion of the said Committee of Surgeons physically qualified to sustain the labors and exposures and perform the duties of a patrolman.

And the said David H. Link, having been by the said finding, report and certificate, favorably reported by the said Committee of Surgeons, it became and was required by the said rules and regulations of the said Board of Police that a preliminary examination on oath



of the said David H. Link should be held by the Chief Clerk of the said Board of Police in respect to his eligibility and qualifications to be a patrolman (except as to his physical condition) within the provisions of law in such case made and the said rules and regulations of the said Board of Police, and afterwards to wit, on the <sup>eleventh</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the said David H. Link at the City and County aforesaid did personally appear before William H. Kipp, esquire, then being the Chief Clerk of the said Board of Police, in his office and did then and there and in the said office fill out and sign, in conformity with the said rules and regulations of the said Board of Police a certain statement in writing then and there containing certain statements and allegations, in the form of questions and answers thereto, of and concerning the eligibility and qualifications of him the said David H. Link for appointment as such patrolman of the said Police force, and amongst others a certain question as follows, to wit: "Have you been complained of, ~~or~~ indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense?" and next following the said question the answer following to wit, "No," meaning by the said question and answer above set forth that he the said David H. Link had not been complained of, indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense which said statement he the said David H. Link then and there produced and delivered to the said William H. Kipp, esquire, such Chief Clerk as

of the said David H. Link should be held by the Chief Clerk of the said Board of Police in respect to his eligibility and qualifications to be a patrolman (except as to his physical condition) within the provisions of law in such case made and the said rules and regulations of the said Board of Police, and afterwards to wit, on the <sup>eleventh</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the said David H. Link at the City and County aforesaid did personally appear before William H. Kipp, esquire, then being the Chief Clerk of the said Board of Police, in his office and did then and there and in the said office fill out and sign, in conformity with the said rules and regulations of the said Board of Police a certain statement in writing then and there containing certain statements and allegations, in the form of questions and answers thereto, of and concerning the eligibility and qualifications of him the said David H. Link for appointment as such patrolman of the said Police force, and amongst others a certain question as follows, to wit: "Have you been complained of, ~~or~~ indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense?" and next following the said question the answer following to wit, "No," meaning by the said question and answer above set forth that he the said David H. Link had not been complained of, indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense which said statement he the said David H. Link then and there produced and delivered to the said William H. Kipp, esquire, such Chief Clerk as

aforesaid, together with a certain affidavit in writing duly signed and subscribed by him the said David H. Link in his own proper handwriting and then and there containing certain matters concerning the truth of the statements and allegations so contained in his said statement in writing, it being then and there necessary and material that the said William H. Kipp, esquire, as such Chief Clerk as aforesaid should know and become informed and that the said statement in writing should set forth and show the truth concerning the qualifications and eligibility of such appointment as aforesaid, and amongst other things in respect thereto whether the said David H. Link had been at any time complained of, indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense, in order that the said Board of Police might and could determine whether the said David H. Link was a properly qualified applicant for such appointment.

And the said David H. Link was then and there in due form of law sworn and did take his corporal oath by and before the said William H. Kipp, esquire, such Chief Clerk as aforesaid, touching and concerning the truth of the matters so contained in his said affidavit in writing and his qualifications and eligibility for appointment as such patrolman in the said Police force he the said William H. Kipp, esquire, as such Chief Clerk having then and there full and competent power and authority to administer the said oath to the said David H. Link in that behalf.

And the said David H. Link being so sworn as



aforesaid then and there to wit, on the said <sup>known</sup> ~~eleventh~~ day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight at the City and County aforesaid before the said William H. Kipp, esquire, ~~xxx~~ such Chief Clerk as aforesaid, wickedly minding, contriving and contending to deceive the said William H. Kipp, esquire, as such Chief Clerk as aforesaid and the said Board of Police and to be approved and accepted as a qualified, ~~xxx~~ eligible and proper applicant and candidate for such appointment by concealing the truth, in and by his said affidavit in writing and of and concerning his said qualifications and eligibility as aforesaid, feloniously, knowingly, wickedly and corruptly did falsely swear, depose and say amongst other things in substance and to the effect following, that is to say, that he the said David H. Link wrote the answers and signed the above statement with his own hand (meaning thereby that he wrote the answers so contained in his said statement and writing and signed to the said statement with his own hand) and that the same (meaning the said statement and the whole and every part thereof and the answer hereinabove set forth to the said question hereinabove set forth) was true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Whereas in truth and in fact the said statement and the whole and every part thereof and particularly the said answer to the said question hereinabove set forth was not true to the best of his ~~knowledge~~ the said David H. Link's knowledge and belief, in this,



that he the said David H. Link had been complained of and indicted for a criminal offense, to wit, of and for the crime of assault in the first degree, and an indictment had been at the Court of General Sessions of the Peace held in and for the City and County of New York on the twenty-eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, duly ~~found, and~~ <sup>by the Grand Jury of the said City and County</sup> filed and presented, accusing him the said David H. Link of the said crime of assault in the first degree, for that he on the seventh day of June in the year last aforesaid at the City and County aforesaid with force and arms in and upon one Daniel T. Conner then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, and to, at and against him the said Daniel T. Conner, certain stones which he the said David H. Link in his right hand ~~having held~~ then and there ~~held~~, willfully and feloniously did cast and throw, and for that he the said David H. Link, with said stones so cast and thrown as aforesaid and also with his hands, feet and knees he the said Daniel T. Conner in and upon the head, neck, breast, belly, back and sides of him the said Daniel T. Conner then and there willfully and feloniously did strike, beat bruise and wound, the same being such means and force as were likely to produce the death of the said Daniel T. Conner with intent him the said Daniel T. Conner thereby then and there willfully and feloniously to kill; as he the said David H. Link then and there well knew.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say that the

said David H. Link in manner and form aforesaid feloniously, wickedly, knowingly, willfully and corruptly did commit willful and corrupt perjury: against the form of the statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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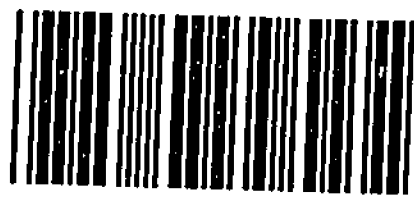
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lorenz, Catharine

**DATE:**

10/17/88



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Witnesses

*John R. Fellows*

Counsel,

Filed

17 day of

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.  
[Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code]

*Catharine Sorensen*

I have examined the facts of this case & I do not think that they would warrant a jury in finding that the house complained of is a house of ill fame.

I therefore recommend the dismissal of this indictment.

The officer tells me that the house has had a good reputation for four years last past.

Oct. 23/99 J. M. Davis

*Asst.*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Oct. 23. at St. J. M. D.

A True Bill.

*James J. Murphy* Foreman.  
Oct 23/99

*Indictment dismissed*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

3 District Police Court.

John M. Kinney  
of No. 111 ~~Premises~~ ~~Police~~ Street, in said City, being duly sworn says  
that at the premises known as Number 182 Allen Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the 11 day of October 1888, and on divers  
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Mr. Catharine  
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of  
Detraction 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 Mrs. Catharine  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said  
Mrs. Catharine  
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 12  
day of Oct 1888

John M. Kinney

John M. Kinney  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Court— 34 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John McKenny  
vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated Oct 12 1888

Foran Justice.

McQuay Officer.

11 Precinct.

WITNESSES:

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and  
I demand a trial by  
jury  
Gottfried Lawrence*

day of

Taken before me this

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Police Justice

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0352

Sec. 151.

Police Court 3 District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by John M. Kennedy of No. 112 Street, that on the 11 day of October 1888, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Mrs. Lawrence did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 112 Street, in said City, a House of Assignment and 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 there unlawfully and wilfully did 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.

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said

Mrs. Lawrence and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Mrs. Lawrence and forthwith bring them before me, at the 3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 12 day of Oct 1888

John M. Kennedy POLICE JUSTICE.



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Police Court—3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John M. Hursey  
vs.  
Catharine Lawrence  
186 Allen St

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated October 12 1882

Lord Magistrate.

M. Hursey Officer.

11 Precinct.

The Defendant

Catharine Lawrence

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

M. Hursey Officer.

Dated October 13 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or  
at night.

Gr. Henry Police Justice.

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

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the  
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

The within named

Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL

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BAILED.  
No. 1, by E. J. Kelly  
Residence 147 1/2 Jackson Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

2560  
1620  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs.

John J. Kelly  
Defendant

Dated Oct 13 188

John J. Kelly Magistrate.

Michael Kelly Officer.

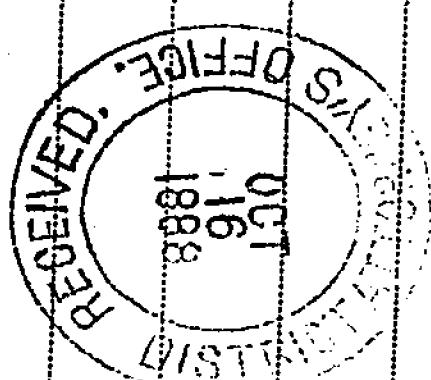
11 Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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

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



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

\$ 500 to answer.

John J. Kelly

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

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

Dated Oct 13 188 John J. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated Oct 13 188 John 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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ORIGINAL

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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

*Catharine Lorenz*

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

*Catharine Lorenz*

(Sec. 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Catharine Lorenz*

late of the *10th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eleventh* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *Eight*, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and 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

*Catharine Lorenz*

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences on the days and times aforesaid, 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

*Catharine Lorenz*

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Catharine Lorenz*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *eleventh* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred



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and eighty-*eight*, 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, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and 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 wilfully 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, then 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 wilfully 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 nuisance 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

(Section 822  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Catharine Lovenz*  
*Catharine Lovenz*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *eleventh* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, 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 the 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 reason whereof 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 R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.



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**DESCRIPTION:**

Loughran, James

**DATE:**

10/16/88



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Witness

*J. J. Mahan*  
*App. Mahan*

Counsel,

Filed

16 day of Oct 1888

Pleads,

*Chobiquity*

THE PEOPLE

Grand Larceny in the Second Degree.

(MONEY.)

(Sec. 528 and 531, Penal Code.)

*vs. James Longman*  
*at Mahan*  
*93 notes*

*James Longman*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Small* For emon.

*Oct 22 By court -*  
*Paid Oct 22 - 1888*  
*Pleads - Petition for*  
*Remission of*

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Police Court—H District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 352 East 50<sup>th</sup> St Street, aged 43 years,  
occupation Night Watchman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9 day of October 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz :

Good and lawful money of  
the United States Consisting of  
a twenty dollar bill a ten dollar bill  
and a five dollar bill all together of  
the value and amount of Thirty-  
five dollars (\$35.00)

the property of

Deponent

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

(now here) from the fact that at  
about 9 o'clock PM of the above date  
deponent placed said property  
which was contained in a pocket  
book upon a table in a room  
in the basement of the Arg. Athletic  
Club building Sw. Cor 50<sup>th</sup> Street  
and 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue while he was changing  
his clothing, that at the time said  
property was placed upon the table and  
the time it was missed no person was  
ever had been in said room except  
the deponent who came into said  
room immediately after said property

Sworn to before me, this

day

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Police Justice.

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was placed upon said table and about  
five minutes thereafter when defendant  
looked for said property it was gone  
and defendant had left said room.

Defendant is informed by  
Officer James H. Riley of the 22<sup>d</sup>  
Precinct that when he arrested  
said defendant the next morning  
he found upon his person a twenty  
dollar bill.

Wherefore defendant  
prays that said defendant be held  
to answer and be dealt with as  
the law directs.

Subscribed before me  
this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1888 ✓. Benedict K. Kell  
J. J. White  
Police Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation James H. Riley Police Officer of No.

42 Princeton Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles H. Kelly

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Oct 10 James H. Riley  
A. J. White  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James Longbrun

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Boston Mass

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

Answer. No 93 Madison St. Newark

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Writer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
and I demand an Examination

James Longbrun

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Police Court---  
District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James M. Smith*  
352 East 35th St  
*James M. Smith*  
*Larceny*  
(felony)

Offence

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

Magistrate.

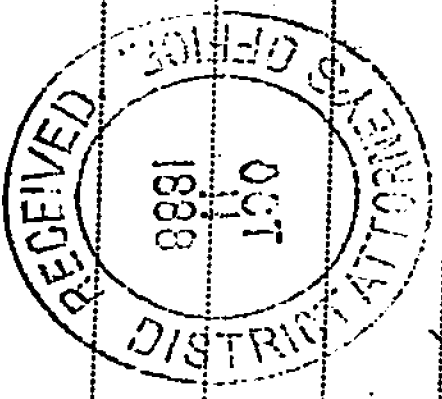
*White*  
Office

Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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



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

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer

*3000*  
*White*  
*by person*

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 *White* Police Justice.

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

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

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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 Loughran*

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

*James Loughran*  
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*James Loughran*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *ninth*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *night* time of  
the same day, *one* promissory note 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 — ;  
*one* promissory note 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 — ; *one* promissory note 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 — ;  
~~promissory note 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 — ;~~ ~~promissory note 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 — ;~~  
*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 twenty 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 ten 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 five dollars — ; *one* United States Silver Certificate of the



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denomination and value of twenty dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ; *one* United States Silver  
Certificate of the denomination and value of ten dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ; *one* United  
States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of five dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ;  
~~United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of two dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ;~~  
~~United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of one dollar \_\_\_\_\_ ;~~  
*one* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of  
twenty dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ; *one* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination  
and value of ten dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ; *one* United States Gold Certificate of the  
denomination and value of five dollars \_\_\_\_\_ ; ~~and divers coins, of a number, kind and~~  
~~denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of \_\_\_\_\_~~

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of one *Benedict Klebl*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3084

**DESCRIPTION:**

Luberger, George

**DATE:**

10/26/88



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423  
Household

Counsel,  
Filed, 26 day of Oct. 1888  
Pleads, Chicago

Witnesses:  
Off Doherty

THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
George Linberger  
13  
VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1889, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS.  
District Attorney.  
Nov. 9, 1888, Wm. D.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

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ORIGINAL

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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 Rubinger*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *George Rubinger*  
of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG  
AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lutz, Frederick

**DATE:**

10/03/88



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Court of Oyer and Terminer

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Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads,

*Harbaway*  
*3* day of *Oct* 1888  
*Whitely Dec 13*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

**VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW**

(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
(III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1083, Sec. 21 and  
page 1089, Sec. 31)

*Frederick Lutz*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Transferred to the Court of Special  
Sessions for trial and final dis-  
position.

Date *Dec 3* 1888

Due Bill.

*John R. Fellows*

Foreman.

*Dec 17* 1888

Witnesses:

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

**Court of Oyer and Terminer**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Frederick Lutz*

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

*Frederick Lutz*

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

The said

*Frederick Lutz*

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

*Richard Berkley*

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

*Frederick Lutz*

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

The said

*Frederick Lutz*

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3084

**DESCRIPTION:**

Lynch, Thomas

**DATE:**

10/19/88



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Witnesses:

*Mad. A. ...*

Counsel,

Filed

19 day of Oct 1888

Pleads,

*Chiquity*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Thomas Lynch*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Foreman.*

*at 2:00 p.m.*

*Reads Jury Box*

*S. P. H. 400.*

Burglary in the 2nd degree.  
[Section 497, Art. 5189, Sec. 510.]

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ORIGINAL

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Police Court— / District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 17 Roosevelt Street, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborer

being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that the premises No 17 Roosevelt Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story double tenement  
brick house, the apartment on the third floor near in  
said house  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling  
and in which there was at the time ~~a~~ human beings by name Mariontonia, deponent's  
wife, deponent's two children and deponent  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly raising the  
window and entering said apartment

on the Seventh day of October 1888 in the night time, and the  
attempted to be  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: Good and lawful  
money of the United States of the value  
of Five hundred dollars and wearing apparel  
and jewelry of the value of about One  
hundred dollars all of the value of Six  
hundred 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  
Thomas Lynch (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That on the night of the 6<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1888 deponent locked and  
fastened the door leading into said apart-  
ment and closed the window in said  
room and the said property was therein.  
That deponent and Mariontonia, deponent's  
wife and deponent's two children retired  
in said apartment to sleep. That at the  
hour of 3 o'clock on the morning of the

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7<sup>th</sup> October, 1888 deponent was awakened  
by a noise in said apartment and  
saw the window raised and open  
and found the defendant therein  
Sworn to before me  
this 7<sup>th</sup> October, 1888 } Michele <sup>by</sup> Acerno  
mark

J. M. Pluterson  
Solicitor

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

Burglary

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Thomas Lynch*

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. *456 Pearl Street. 3 years*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Printer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Thomas Lynch*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 188*8*

*J. H. Peterson*

Police Justice.



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

303 1586  
Police Court... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michelle Acevino  
17 Roosevelt St  
Thomas J. J. J.

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

Offence Burglary

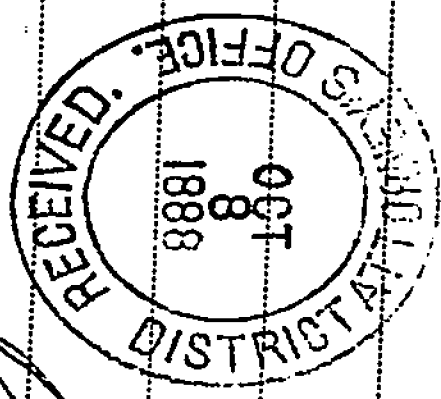
Dated Oct 7 1888

Callahan Magistrate.

Gregory Officer.

Callahan Precinct.

Witnesses Callahan  
Matthews Acevino Street.



No. 1500 to answer Callahan 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 \_\_\_\_\_

defendant  
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 Oct 7 1888 A. M. Patton 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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ORIGINAL

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Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE,  
vs.

Thomas Lynch.

Mr. Davis.

Kindly dispose  
of the above case  
to-day as the  
Witnesses have been  
down a number of  
times & oblige

Yours Respy

Jay

~~Grand Jury Room.~~

Carl Oice

PEOPLE,  
vs.

Thos Lynch.

Burglar.

Witnesses served  
personal by  
Jay

Oct. 24/88

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**Residence . .**

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michelle DeCicco  
17 Boonville St  
Shrewsbury, MA

Offence Burglary

Dated 20th 1897

Wallerston Magistrate

..... Officer

Precinct.

Will the office  
of Matronous Deciduous Street.

RECEIVED  
No. ....  
Street.

1500 to answer.

Comet

*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 Seventeen 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. Oct 7 1888 of J. M. Patton 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 him to be discharged

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

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ORIGINAL

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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

*Thomas Sugden*

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

*Thomas Sugden*

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

The said *Thomas Sugden*,

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *October*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *eight*, with force and arms, about the  
hour of *three* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Nicholas Adams*,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there  
some human being, to wit: *the said Nicholas Adams*,

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods  
chattels and personal property of the said *Nicholas Adams*,

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,



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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Thomas Sugden*  
*attempting to perjure*  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the *first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Sugden*,

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

*The sum of five hundred dollars in*  
*money, lawful money of the United*  
*States and of the value of five*  
*hundred dollars, divers articles of*  
*jewelry of a number and description*  
*to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,*  
*of the value of fifty dollars, and*  
*divers articles of clothing and wearing*  
*apparel, of a number and description*  
*to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*  
*of the value of fifty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michelle Acerno*,—

in the dwelling house of the said *Michelle Acerno*,—

there situate, then and there being found, from the dwelling house aforesaid, then and there  
*attempt to*  
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. Hallows,*  
*District Attorney*