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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Daly, Nicholas

DATE:

04/16/89



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Witnesses:

Wm E Pemberton
J H E Pfeiffer

Counsel,

Filed

16 day of April 1889

Pleads,

Chas. J. Pfeiffer

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Nicholas Raly

Robbery, degree.
[Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Ordered to N. D. Court of Oyer
and Terminer for trial. April 17, 1889

A TRUE BILL.

April 23, 1889.
District Court

Pleads A. 2nd degree
Pendente and 6 months
N. D. C. J. H. A.

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Meyer Rosenbluth.
 of No. *340 East 165th* Street, Aged *48* Years
 Occupation *Physician* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
10th day of *April* 188*9* at the *19th* Ward of the City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-
 ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

A satchel containing a quantity
of surgical instruments valued
Six Dollars, a silver watch
and brass chain attached valued at
Twelve dollars, the whole being

of the value of *Eighteen* DOLLARS,
 the property of *deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was
^{attempted}
 feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Nicholas Daley (now here) for the
 reasons following, to wit: on the
 hour of eight o'clock P. M. on said
 date, as deponent was standing
 on the corner of *65th Street and 1st*
Avenue having the said satchel
 in his hand and the said watch
 in the left pocket of the coat then
 worn by him as a portion of his
 daily clothing, he was seized hold
 of by the defendant, who attempted
 to take said satchel, he threw deponent
 to the ground causing his shoulder

day of

Sworn to before me this

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prison to be broken and whilst he was
prostrate the defendant did hold
defendant with one hand whilst he
attempted to take the said watch
and chain with the other.

Sworn to before me
this 11th day of April 1889

By M. Rosenbluth

A. J. White

Police Justice

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order him to be discharged.

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of

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

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1	23.
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Dated	1889
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witnesses,	
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
\$	to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Nicholas Daley 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.

Nicholas Daley

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland.

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

Answer.

1193-1st Avenue. 2 months.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Gateman

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.

Nicholas Daley

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*9*.

John J. Smith
Police Justice.

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

Alfred Carr

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

Dated *April 11* 188 *9*

A. J. White

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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Mr D Emment

348 E 65

A J Von Bohm

1195 - 1st Ave

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Meyer Rosenbluth
340 East 66th

Nicholas Daly

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Dated April 11 1889

White Magistrate.

Pfeifer Officer.

25 Precinct.

Witnesses Mr D Emment

No. 348 E 65th Street.

A J Von Bohm

No. 1195 - 1st Ave Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 2000 to answer

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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

Nicholas Daly

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse ~~Nicholas Daly~~ of the crime of attempting to commit the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Nicholas Daly.

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~fourth~~ day of ~~April~~, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- ~~nine~~, in the time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one ~~Meyer Rosenthal~~, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and one ~~valuable~~ of the value of ~~seven~~ dollars, ~~and~~ ~~various~~ surgical instruments, ~~of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown.~~ of the value of six dollars, one watch of the value of eleven dollars, and one chain of the value of one dollar,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said ~~Meyer Rosenthal~~ against the will, from the person of the said ~~Meyer Rosenthal~~, and by violence to the person of the said ~~Meyer Rosenthal~~, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, and the said Nicholas Daly, in order to and whilst so attempting to accomplish the said robbery, did then and there feloniously inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said ~~Meyer Rosenthal~~, 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. Hallam,
District Attorney

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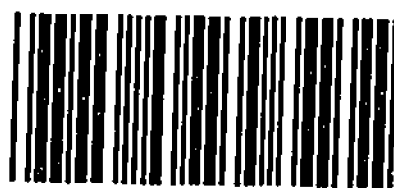
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DESCRIPTION:

Danderlein, Charles

DATE:

04/12/89



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Jos Lathemans
W Cummings

Filed 12 day of April 1889
Pleads, Chazmely 11-

Handwritten: 1000
of beads

Charles Vanderlin

72 Apr 23/84 JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

P 2 Apr 23/89
 paid 0.21.
 Recd: Six ms.
 A True Bill,
 District Attor
 JOHN R. FELLOW

R. M. Anderson
Foreman.

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FORM 89½

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

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Morris Goodman
 of No. *39 Sullivan* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
 and says, that on the *20th* day of *December* 18 *80*
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
 away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit:

Gold & silver
money of the United
States consisting of
gold coin & bills or
Bank Notes amounting
in value to the sum of
sixty five dollars and
other property all
being

of the value of *One Hundred & Thirty* Dollars,

the property of

deponent

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

Charles Dandelin
& Isaac Prager (nowhere)
from the fact that deponent
placed some bank bills
in a Bureau drawer and
at the same time saw the
gold coin in the drawer -
Deponent went out and
left said persons in the
premises. The other person
being there. Deponent was
absent one hour & when
deponent returned, he
found the young man
(Dandelin and Prager)

Subscribed before me this
18th
day of
December
1880
Police Justice

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still there but they shortly
after went over, about
two hours after ~~deposition~~
deposition discovered that
the drawer had been forced
open & the money stolen
as appeared & further
examination showed that
other property consisting of
an overcoat 2 Gold Rings
and a gold Chain had
been taken during deponent's
said absence & while said
Rambelino & Prager were
so in charge of the said
premises

Morris ^{his} Goodman
^{Witness}

Given to be sworn
this 21 day of
December 1930

William J. ^{Police} Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Charles Danielson being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

Charles Danielson

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

20 years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York City

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

103 Eldridge St

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Shoe. Stock fitter

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

ANSWER.—

I am not guilty

Charles Danielson

Taken before me, this

21st day of November 1880

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Isaac Prager being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

Isaac Prager

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

20 years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York City

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

39 Sullivan St

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Legis Man

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

ANSWER.—

I am not guilty

Isaac Prager

Taken before me, this

24

day of

Dec

1880

Police Justice.

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Form 894.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alldavit—Larceny.

Thomas J. Sullivan
39 Sullivan St.

Charles Sandelin

Isaac Pranger

DATED *Dec 21* 1890

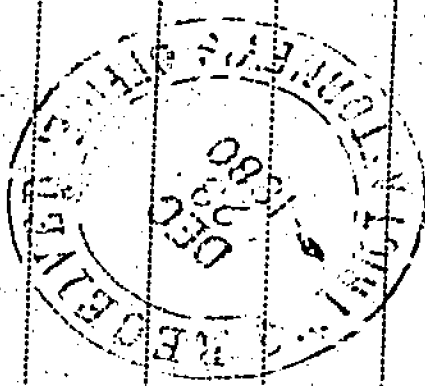
W. Sandell

MAGISTRATE.

Beard & Co OFFICER.
New York 1890 of the 17th Dec.

WITNESSES:

W. D.



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No. STREET.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Charles Danderman

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

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

The said *Charles Danderman*.

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

fifty one pairs of shoes of the
value of four dollars each
pair,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John J. Danderman,*

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

John J. Danderman,
Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Danenhower, Louis

DATE:

04/15/89



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Good Krantz
Wm. C. Carter
Arthur Hissman

Filed 15th day of April 1889
Pleads, Smith-16 13

Pleads *April-16* *18*

~~THE~~ PEOPLE

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Louis A. Danenborg.

Grand Larceny Second degree [Sections 528, 53/50, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
186 District Attorney.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

Friend & expected,

A True Bill.

C. M. Hardy
Foreman.

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County
of New York, ss.

of No.

George S. Krantz
Beekman Street, aged 28 years,

occupation

Advertising agent

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

27th

day of

November

1888

at the City of New

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

of deponent, in the

day

time, the following property viz:

Gold hunting case watch with
gold watch chain attached together
of the value of one hundred and
fifty dollars

(18/50.00)

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

Louis A. Damerhoffer
(now here) from the fact that at about
the hour of 5.30 o'clock P.M. said
date deponent was in the bowling
alley at no 118 East 14th St. Bowling
and at that time said property was
in deponent's vest which was lying in
a box. And after deponent had
finished bowling, deponent discovered
that said watch and chain were
missing.

Deponent is informed by Detective Thomas
McCarthy that he in company
with Detective George S. Lewis arrested
the said deponent on suspicion of

Subscribed before me this

day of

Police Justice

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having stolen said property. and when
he was searched. said watch and
chain was found in his the defendants
possession

Deprient further says that he has since
seen said property and fully identifies
it as his and charges the said defendant
with felonious taking stealing and
carrying it away

Served before me
this 9th day of April 1889

J. H. Smith

Peace Justice

Geo. S. Krantz

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas J. McCarthy
aged _____ years, occupation *Detective* of No. _____
300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *George J. Krutz*

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

9 April } *Thomas J. McCarthy*

J. J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Louis A. Daenhausen 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. *Louis A. Daenhausen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York state*

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

Answer. *306 Dr. 138th St 7 Mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Carpet Salesman.*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say in my
defense.*

Louis A. Daenhausen

Taken before me this
day of April 19

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Police Justice.

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

Louis A. Danenhams

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 10 Hundred Dollars,.....and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated April 8 188 9 *J. H. Smith* Police Justice.

Bail returned \$750
J. H. Smith
P.J.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George S. Krantz
31 Beckman St
Louis A. Danaher

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Office
J. S. Krantz
J. S. Krantz

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

April 2
Kelbreth

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Magistrate.

Lewis & M. Carthy

Officer.

C. O.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Officer M. Carthy

No.

Center Office

Street.

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Street.

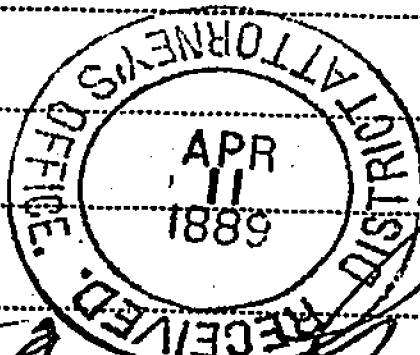
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to answer

for 2nd time
C. O. 4/1



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Louis A. Danenhower

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

Louis A. Danenhower —

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

The said

Louis A. Danenhower

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-seventh* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eighty hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of
one hundred dollars, and
one chain of the value of
fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

George S. Krantz

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Louis A. Danenhower
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said

Louis A. Danenhower

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

*one watch of the value
of one hundred dollars, and
one chain of the value of
fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

George O. Krantz

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

George O. Krantz

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

Louis A. Danenhower

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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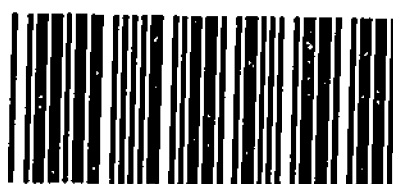
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Dank, Gotthilf

DATE:

04/15/89



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BN July 10/90
Off. all ways

Counsel,
Filed 15th day of April 1889
Pleads, Chicago, Ill.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Gottlieb Dank
Burglary in the first degree,
and Petit Larceny
[Section 49, 50, 52, 53 and 53 1/2.]
July 28th 1890

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Pr. Apr 25/87
Died 5th to his
family 1st found to be
was
A TRUE BILL
Sept. 8th 1890
" 16th 1890
" 16th 1890
Committed to Foreman.

Hardam & Co. State
Hospital for Lunatics
202nd 1st 1890

Witnesses:

Theresa Green
H. J. Green

On the examination of this
case & documents that
a plea of guilty coming
be accepted
S. J. Green
C. J. Green

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Police Court—

District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. Western Boulevard Cor 185th Street, aged 32 years,
 occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn
 a room in

deposes and says, that the premises Na aforesaid State 10th Ward
 in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Dwelling where

Deponent resides with her family
 and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Henry Greenwood
And Herbert Greenwood

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly opening a
door leading from a hallway into
said room with intent to commit
a larceny therein

on the 8th day of April 1889 in the day time, and the
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A Gold Neck Chain, And a purse
Containing One dollar And thirty five cents
(\$1.35) Collectively of the value of
"four dollars And thirty five cents"

the property of Deponent the chain in her custody, & charge
 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

Jollieb Dank (now present)
 for the reasons following, to wit: That about six o'clock A.M.
on said day deponent arose and going
into the kitchen there saw the defendants
rummaging and examining the drawers of a
bureau. That the chain and purse was
kept in a box which was lying on a mantel
shelf in the kitchen. That after deponent had
escaped from the room in which the defendants had locked
her in she called an officer (Banks & McMein) who took the

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Defendant into custody That deponent
saw the defendant make an attack on
the officer with that certain knife
or dagger here shown which the
defendant had in his possession (and
also the pistol here shown) at the time
he forcibly entered deponent's apartment
as hereinbefore described.

Theresa Greenwood
Appears before me this
8th day of April 1889
H. J. [Signature] Police Justice

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 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 1889
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1889
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,	Offence—BURGLARY.
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
Dated 1889	Magistrate.
	Officer.
	Clerk.
Witnesses,	
No. Street,	
No. Street,	
No. Street,	
\$ to answer General Sessions.	

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Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Gottlieb Dank*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *26 State Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waiter*

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*

Gottlieb Dank.

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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

Fortlieb Dawk
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 *April 8* 188 *9* *Henry B. Brown* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court---

534 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Florence Greenwood
West Road No. 130
Gottlieb Danks

Office

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Charles Johnson

No.

Henry Greenwood

No.

to answer



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DR. MATTHEW D. FIELD,
115 EAST 40TH ST.

New York, Aug 5th 1885
Hon. A. B. Parker
Asst. Dist. Attorney
Dear Sir:

At your request I
saw & examined Gottlieb Danks
now at the City Prison. He is
now in excellent physical
condition & his mental condition
is greatly improved. He is now
simple & childish but proba-
bly able to support himself &
could stand trial. I remember
him very well & feel sure that
he was irresponsible at the
time of the commission of the of-
fense. I do not believe that he
had any criminal intention
at that time.

The fact that he was detained
at the Reformatory for over fifteen
months shows that they had no
doubt of his insanity when he
was sent there.

I shall be absent from the
City from Aug 18th to the 31st inclu-
sive. I can testify any day before
or after that. Respectfully Submitted
Matthew D. Field M.D.

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Witnesses against
Gottlieb Dant

Charles Jonston
Mrs " " Jonston
Miss Paul ~~Jonston~~
Mrs Barry

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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

Horatio Danta

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

Horatio Danta
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE *first* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Horatio Danta*,

late of the *5th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *April*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *seven* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Flora Greenwood*,

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

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

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to
steal, take and carry away; *the said Horatio Danta*
being then and there armed with
dangerous weapons. To wit: with a
certain dagger and dangerous knife,
and also with a certain pistol then and
there charged and loaded with gunpowder and lead;
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

Hardie Santa
of the CRIME OF Rob LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said Hardie Santa,

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 day time of the said day, with force and arms,

one chain of the value of three
dollars, one purse of the value of
fifty cents, and the sum of one
dollar and thirty five cents in money
lawful money of the United States
and of the value of one dollar and
thirty five cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Florence Greenwood,

in the dwelling house of the said Florence Greenwood.

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

John R. Hallam,
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dautel, John

DATE:

04/25/89



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Witnesses:

King & King
Clara Weaver

Adm to 10th
Consent
Adm D. J. J.

Counsel,

Filed, 25 day of April 1889
Pleads, Not guilty n.b.

THE PEOPLE,

ILLEGAL PRACTICE OF PHYSIC.
Chapter 647, Laws of 1887, § 6.

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John G. Rantel
(2 cases)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Part III May 10/89-
Pleads guilty
A True Bill Fine \$100.

A. M. Weir
Foreman.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE

-against-

J. G. DANTEL.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:-

HENRY LORING, being duly sworn, says that he is the agent of the Medical Society of the County of New York; that the above named defendant has a wide reputation in the northern part of this City as a person competent to prescribe for the sick by examining the urine alone, from which fact he has received a coarse nickname, viz:

2 That many persons have admitted to deponent that said Dantel has practiced upon them and within their knowledge; among them, Mrs. Louisa Holzwarth of 634 West 156th Street, one Koch on Robbins Avenue, near 149th Street, and one Carl H. Grendel of 639 East 154th Street.

3 Deponent further says that said Dantel on January 25th, 1889 at his drug shop 657 Lexington Avenue, took some of deponent's urine for examination and on the next day prescribed medicine and regimen for the treatment of a trouble of the bladder from which deponent suffers charging one dollar, at the same time admitting that he had a wide practice and mentioning the name of one Mrs. Godfrey, of 1564 Ninth Avenue as a patient.

That on February 4th, 1889 deponent left with Dantel's clerk a bottle of ordinary plain ^{oolong} tea for examination by Dantel.

That on February 5th Dantel in person told deponent that he had examined the water left on the preceding day, that he could not cure him in a hurry, but that it would take time; upon this occasion also Dantel gave deponent medicine and advice charging one dollar.

4 That on February 7th, 1889, Mrs. Clara Weber at deponent's request carried to said Dantel a bottle of tea; Dantel pretended to examine it and said the patient had kidney disease and gave medicine for it charging one dollar.

5 Deponent also says that he is informed by Mrs. Carl H. Grendel that in October, 1888, she took some of her husband's urine to said Dantel who told her after an examination or pretended examination thereof that her husband suffered with his kidneys, had "slime on his stomach" and had been a hard drinker, whereas in fact, her husband is not and has not been a drinking man; said Dantel also being consulted by said Mrs. Grendel on her own account said that her illness was due to the change of life.

Deponent says that upon the complaints of said Maria Grendel and himself, said Dantel was arrested, and held in \$500. bail for the Grand Jury on February 9th, 1889, that on February 20th, the case was called before

the Grand Jury and the indictment dismissed, although one Henry F. Koester, the successor in business of said Dantel was indicted on the same day for precisely similar acts of practice followed, however, by death.

6 Deponent says that the same attorney Robert H. Racy, Esq., appeared in the Police Court for both Dantel and Koester and in the General Sessions Part III, on March 13th, 1889 for Koester when he advised said Koester to plead guilty, the offence being clearly made out; and deponent says that he believes the success of said Dantel for a number of years in his said practice has been the cause why said Koester has believed the law could be violated with safety.

Sworn to before me this :
14th day of March, 1889. :

Henry Loring
Robert H. Racy
Notary Public
W. H. Racy

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At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, held in and for
the City and County of New York, at the City Hall, in
the said City of New York, on the

and

1889.

Present,

THE HONORABLE

Randolph M. Moline,

Justice.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John W. Dinkel

The District Attorney having heretofore, to wit: on the *twentieth* day of
February 1889, submitted to the Grand Jury of this County, empanelled in
this Court for the *February* term, and then in session, a certain charge against
the above-named defendant for *indulged practice of*
impairing

and the said Grand Jury having, after a consideration of the evidence produced before it in support
of the said charges dismissed the same, twelve grand jurors of the said Grand Jury not concurring in
finding an indictment against the said defendant for the charges so submitted, and the depositions and
statements setting forth the said charges having been duly returned to this Court, with an indorsement
signed by *Ramond Rinkstein* Esquire, Foreman of the said Grand
Jury, to the effect that the said charges ^{were} ~~was~~ so dismissed.

Now, on reading and filing the affidavit of *Henry Dinkel*

whereby it appears to the satisfaction of the Court that

that the charge is well founded both in law and on the evidence, that justice requires that an indictment
be found, and that there is reason to believe that if the said charges ^{are} ~~is~~ again submitted to the Grand
Jury evidence can and will be adduced, sufficient to warrant the finding of an indictment; and that
an indictment will be found against the said defendant for the said charges notwithstanding such
dismissal, and on motion of the District Attorney, it is

Ordered, that the said charges ^{are} ~~be~~; and the same ^{are} ~~is~~ hereby directed to be again submitted
to the Grand Jury of this County.

Enter
*B. M.
J. G. P.*

New York General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John R. Fellows

Defendant and
Order directing the re-submission
of charge to the Grand Jury.

(§ 270 Code of Crim. Pro.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Entered day of 188 .

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Hearten Henry
(Exeise)

Dear Colvick,

Beover would
like to know
whether you will
try the above case
today or not.

He will retain
an atty. to defend.
If you intend
appearing it
will you kindly
inform him to that
effect & send papers
over.

Wm Foxeter

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TORN PAGE

Court of General Sess

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Seng

To

M.

No.

Patrick B. Caslin
House

Street.

The indictment against the defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for trial at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on Wednesday the 8 day of instant, at even o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at the time, your bond will be forfeited.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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W. H. Burrington

R. C. Shannon

Officers of
Burrington & Shannon,
Counsellors at Law,
63 Wall Street

People
v
Dautel

New York April 9 - 1889

Col. John R. Fellows
District Attorney

Dear Sir: I enclose an affidavit of Henry
Loring stating facts upon which I have the
honor to ask that this case be remitted to
the Grand Jury. In the March term one
Rooster was convicted of practicing physic
unlawfully upon his plea of guilty. His
counsel, Mr. Racz, admitted that Dautel who
was held by the Police magistrate on a similar
charge was a greater offender than Rooster
who had been his clerk, bought out his shop
& followed his method of practice. Upon
their statements I interfered somewhat in
Rooster's behalf, and the Recorder imposed a
fine of \$50 - characterizing Dautel as
a "scoundrel" in his upmanship to Rooster.

The only difference in the fact before the Grand Jury in the case of these two men was that Kovater's patient died. Both men survived patients by postulated examinations of urine that they evidently never analyzed.

I trust that upon the affidavit & the foregoing facts you will see fit to put this case again before the Grand Jury. The affidavit shows that Daniel was held for the Grand Jury on Feb. 9th & that his case was called before it on Feb. 20th 1889.

Very truly Yours

W. H. Livingston
Counsel Pres. Soc. C. R. P.

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~~First District Police Court.~~

The People,
On the Complaint of the Medical
Society of the County of New York,
against

J. G. Dautel

Violation of
Medical Act,
Chapter 647 of
Laws of 1887.

THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK, a duly incorporated Medical Society of the State and County of New York, entitled to representation in the Medical Society of the State of New York, complain by their counsel *W. A. Purrington* of No. 63 Wall Street, New York City that one *J. G. Dautel* residing at No. 657 Lexington Avenue Street, in said County is practicing medicine in violation of the provisions of chapter 647 of the Laws of 1887: In support of their complaint they submit the following affidavits.

W. A. Purrington

Counsel Med. Soc. Co. New York.

City and County of New York, ss.

Henry Loring being duly sworn deposes and says that on or about the 26th day of January 1889, and between the 20th and the 30th days of January 1889, *J. G. Dautel* practiced medicine in said County upon deponent, and prescribed for, examined physically, and treated medically this deponent at No. 657 Lexington Avenue Street in said City and County, and the said *J. G. Dautel* received from this deponent as compensation for medical services rendered to deponent by said *J. G. Dautel*, acting as physician, at the times and places aforesaid, the sum of *One* dollar. Deponent further says

Sworn to before me this :
8 day of February 1889,:

[Signature]
Police Justice.

Henry Loring

City and County of New York, ss.

Henry Loring Being duly sworn deposes and says that he has carefully examined the Register of Physicians kept according to law in the office of the Clerk of this County; that he has been unable to find the name of *J. G. Dautel*

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registered therein, and verily believes that the said
J. G. Dautel is not entitled to practice medi-
cine in said County under the provisions of the law.
And deponent further says,

Sworn to before me this :
day of February 1889.

A. H. White
Police Justice.

Henry Loring

Third District Police Court

People

J. G. Dautel

Complainant
Henry Loring

FILED AT 1889
CLERK OF DISTRICT
COURT
AT ST. LOUIS, MO.

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District Police Court.

The People,
On the Complaint of the Medical
Society of the County of New York,
against

J. G. Dautel

Violation of
Medical Act,
Chapter 647 of
Laws of 1887.

THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK, a duly incorporated Medical Society of the State and County of New York, entitled to representation in the Medical Society of the State of New York, complain by their counsel *W. A. Purington* of No. 63 Wall Street, New York City that *one J. G. Dautel* residing at No. 657 Lexington Avenue Street, in said County is practicing medicine in violation of the provisions of chapter 647 of the Laws of 1887: In support of their complaint they submit the following affidavits.

W. A. Purington

Counsel Med. Soc. Co. New York.

City and County of New York, ss.

Maria Grandel being duly sworn deposes and says that on or about the 8th day of *October* 1888, and between the 5th and the 20th days of *October* 1888, *J. G. Dautel* ^{*one Charles Grandel*} practiced medicine in said County upon ^{*said Charles Grandel*} deponent, and prescribed for, examined physically, and treated medically, ^{*said Charles Grandel*} this deponent at No. 1646, 2nd Avenue Street in said City and County, and the said *J. G. Dautel* received from this deponent as compensation for medical services rendered to ^{*said Charles Grandel*} deponent by said *J. G. Dautel*, acting as physician, at the times and places aforesaid, the sum of - *One* - dollar. Deponent further says

Sworn to before me this :
8 day of *February* 1889, :

A. J. White
Police Justice.

City and County of New York, ss.

Henry Loving
Being duly sworn deposes and says that he has carefully examined the Register of Physicians kept according to law in the office of the Clerk of this County; that he has been unable to find the name of *J. G. Dautel*

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registered therein, and verily believes that the said
J. G. Dantel is not entitled to practice medi-
cine in said County under the provisions of the law.
And deponent further says,

Sworn to before me this :
8 day of February 1889:

A. White *Henry Loring*
Police Justice.

Final District Police Court

People

- vs -

J. G. Dantel

Complainant -
Medical Council

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

John G. Santel 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.

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 may think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer.

I am not guilty and demand an examination

J. George Santel

Taken before me this

day of

Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court..... District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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 *Henry Loring*

of No. *63 Wall* Street, that on the *20* day of *January*

188*9* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *J. G. Dautel*

practised medicine without authority -
in violation of Chapter 657 Laws of 1883

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See Act

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 *First* 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 *8th* day of *February* 188*9*
[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT 1- DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Ewing
vs.

John G. Dantel

Warrant-General.

Dated

Decy 8- 188 9

White Magistrate.

Fitzpatrick 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.

Saturday Am.

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

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Police Justice.

The within named

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

Defendants
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 *Feb 9* 188 *9*. *A J White* Police Justice.

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

Defendants
Dated *Feb. 9 -* 188 *9* *A J White* 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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BAILED.

No. 1, by Henry F. Koester
Residence 1646 - 2nd Ave Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court---

232 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Loring

vs.

John G. Dautel
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Offence Illegal
Proc. Med.

Dated Feb 19 1889

Wm. H. Gendel Magistrate.

John G. Dautel Officer.

John G. Dautel Precinct.

Witnesses John G. Dautel

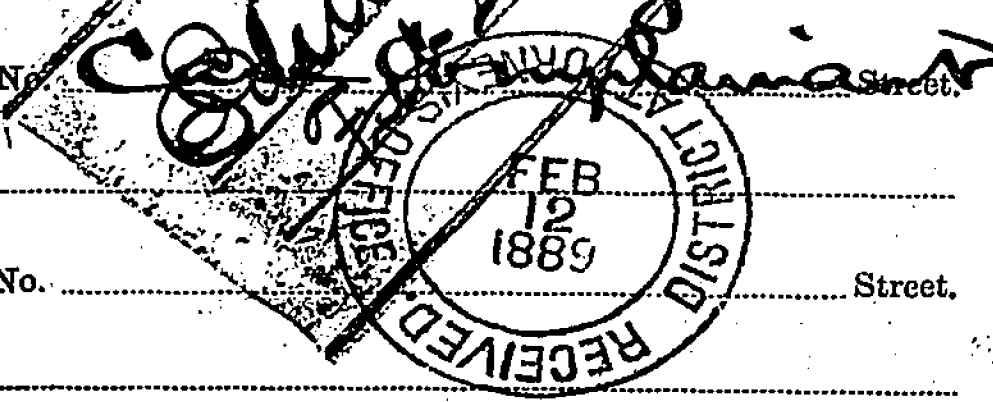
No. John G. Dautel Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 5714 to answer Wm. H. Gendel

Bailed



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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 D. Daulton

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

indictment, accuse *John D. Daulton*

of the crime of practising physic _____ without the

license and registration provided for by law, committed as follows:

The said *John D. Daulton*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, not being, and not
having been on the first day of October, 1887, lawfully authorized to practise physic _____

_____ in this State, and registered in accordance with the laws then in force, did
thereafter, to wit: on the *26th* day of *January* 188*9*, at the City
and County aforesaid, unlawfully practise physic _____ without the license and

registration provided for in a certain Act of the Legislature of this State, passed on the
twenty-third day of June, 1887, entitled "An Act to regulate the licensing and registration of
physicians and surgeons, and to codify the medical laws of the State of New York," and
which said Act was at the time of the commission of the offense and misdemeanor herein
alleged, in full force and operation throughout this State; and the said *John D.*

Daulton, without such license and registration as aforesaid, then and there, to wit:

on the said *26th* day of *January* 188*9*, at the City and County
aforesaid, did unlawfully examine, treat and prescribe for _____

one *Henry Doring* as a physician _____; 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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Witnesses:

Mary Spring
Mrs. Grenshaw

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads,

day of

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THE PEOPLE,

vs.

ILLEGAL PRACTICE OF PHYSIC.
Chapter 647, Laws of 1887, § 6.

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John G. Dunkel
(2 cases)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

Sentenced on another indictment
May 19/89.

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 D. Banta

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

indictment, accuse

of the crime of practising physic _____ without the

license and registration provided for by law, committed as follows:

The said *John D. Banta*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, not being, and not
having been on the first day of October, 1887, lawfully authorized to practise physic _____

in this State, and registered in accordance with the laws then in force, did

thereafter, to wit: on the _____ day of _____ 1888, at the City

and County aforesaid, unlawfully practise physic _____ without the license and

registration provided for in a certain Act of the Legislature of this State, passed on the

twenty-third day of June, 1887, entitled "An Act to regulate the licensing and registration of

physicians and surgeons, and to codify the medical laws of the State of New York," and

which said Act was at the time of the commission of the offense and misdemeanor herein

alleged, in full force and operation throughout this State; and the said *John D. Banta*

_____ without such license and registration as aforesaid, then and there, to wit:

on the said _____ day of _____ 1888, at the City and County

aforesaid, did unlawfully _____, treat and prescribe for _____

one *Robert H. Banta*, as a physician _____; 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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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 R. Dunkel

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *John R. Dunkel*
of the crime of practising physic _____ without the
license and registration provided for by law, committed as follows:

The said *John R. Dunkel*,
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, not being, and not
having been on the first day of October, 1887, lawfully authorized to practise physic —
_____ in this State, and registered in accordance with the laws then in force, did
thereafter, to wit: on the *eight* day of *October* 188*8*, at the City
and County aforesaid, unlawfully practise physic _____ without the license and
registration provided for in a certain Act of the Legislature of this State, passed on the
twenty-third day of June, 1887, entitled "An Act to regulate the licensing and registration of
physicians and surgeons, and to codify the medical laws of the State of New York," and
which said Act was at the time of the commission of the offense and misdemeanor herein
alleged, in full force and operation throughout this State; and the said *John R.*
Dunkel without such license and registration as aforesaid, then and there, to wit:
on the said *eight* day of *October* 188*8*, at the City and County
aforesaid, did unlawfully examine, treat and prescribe for _____
one *Charles Wendel*, as a physician _____; against the form
of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Deane, John

DATE:

04/09/89



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Eaton, Joseph

DATE:

04/09/89



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FOLDER:

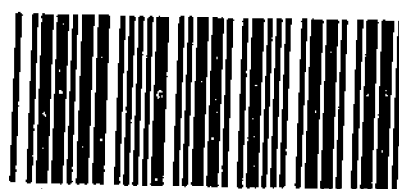
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DESCRIPTION:

Thompson, William

DATE:

04/09/89



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Witnesses:

Anthony Fowlesher

24 3 David B. Quinn

100K

John G. McManis

Counsel, 16 3 Andrews for 2 + 3

Filed day of April 1889

Pleads 10

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John B. Deane

Joseph E. Eaton

William Thompson

GAMING HOUSE, &c.
[Section 348, 42 and 386, Penal Code]

May 1900 P. 3 for attorney day 12 07 3 by

JOHN R. FELLOWS

May 7 1900 W. C. District Attorney

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John B. Dean a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging John B. Dean Defendant with
the offence of Grand Larceny

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned.

We, John B. Dean Defendant of No. 1341
West Avenue Street; by occupation a Real Estate
and Lucy D. Shefflin of No. 408 Lexington Avenue
Street, by occupation a Housewife Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named John B. Dean Defendant

shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the 1 District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Twenty Dollars
Twenty Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 7

day of March

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John B. Dean POLICE JUSTICE.

John B. Dean
Lucy D. Shefflin

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John W. Munnell
1889
Police Justice

Sworn to before me, this

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *five* Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of *House & Lot No 708*

Leighton Avenue of the Value of
Three Thousand Dollars
Lucy D. Schieffelin

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me
at St. Louis, Mo. March 1889
J. H. [Signature]
Notary Public

Police Court-- District--

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Date

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Magistrate

Officer

Witness,

Disposition,

AVIADAVIT

Defendant further says that the said Chaffell has informed defendant that one of the defendants had offered to defendant to return his nine hundred dollars, if defendant would not prosecute the charges and complaint against them. Defendant had several conversations with said Chaffell and said Chaffell informed defendant that he did not want to prosecute the parties in its Criminal Court if he could get his money back that he had lost, and defendant believes that if the said Chaffell should receive his money from the defendant he will not appear as a witness against them.

Auction for goods.

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John J. Gorman a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Joseph Eaton Defendant with
the offence of Gambling

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Joseph Eaton Defendant of No. 132
West 33 Street; by occupation a Speculator
and James Ripp of No. 309 Broome
Street, by occupation a Salvagekeeper Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Joseph Eaton Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 1 District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of seven hundred
and fifty Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 9

day of March 1889.

John J. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John J. [Signature]
1881
Justice

Sworn to before me, this 9

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *free*
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *fifteen* Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of *House & Lot 37*

1448 Avenue A. of the value
of Twenty Thousand dollars
over all incumbrances

For Piff

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination

vs.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

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City, County and State of New York, ss.

Antony Lauro being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that John B. Dean, Joseph Woods and William Thompson,
here present, are the ones known as J. B. Dean, J. Eaton and John Dr. respectively
in annexed complaint.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

5th day to March 1889

Antony Lauro

Henry M. M. M.
Police Justice.

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CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.
AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Anthony Bourne

of 150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than 21 years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, that John B. Dean, J. W. Eaton alias Brooks and John Doe

whose real names are unknown, but who can be identified by George H. Chappell

did, at the City of New York County of New York and State of New York, on or about the 15th day of January 1889, ~~and between that date and the 14th day of March 1889, inclusive,~~ unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and did engage as a dealer or game-keeper in a gambling or banking game, where money or property was dependent upon the result—~~and did sell, or offer to sell what is commonly called a "lottery policy," and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did indorse and use a book or other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies, writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery,~~ against the form of the statute of the State of New York in such case made and provided.

Deponent further says, he has just ^{cause} ~~come~~ to believe, is informed and verily does believe ~~from personal observation and~~ from statements made by George H. Chappell

to deponent that the said John B. Dean, J. W. Eaton alias Brooks and John Doe aforesaid, now have in ~~their~~ possession, at in and upon certain premises occupied by them and situate and known as Number 132 West 33rd Street in the City of New York and within the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

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public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables, establishment and paraphernalia layouts, chips, deal boxes, cards, lottery tickets, lottery policies, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the Provisions of Chapter IX of the Penal Code of the State of New York, wherefore deponent prays that warrants may be issued for the arrest of the persons named aforesaid, and to search for, seize and take possession of all of said unlawful matter, and that all be dealt with according to law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

4th day of March 1889.

Antony Santoro

Wm. M. Smith Police Justice.

CITY OF _____ AND COUNTY OF _____ ss.

being further sworn deposes and says that on the _____ day of _____ 188____,
deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said
_____ aforesaid, and
had dealings and conversation with _____ as follows:

Deponent

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
_____ day of _____ 188____.

Police Justice.

THE PEOPLE	
ON COMPLAINT OF	
<i>Anthony Louis Toet</i>	
AGAINST	
<i>John B. Dean</i>	
<i>W. W. Eaton alias Brooks</i>	
<i>John Don</i>	

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES:

a. Campbell.
George H. Chappell.
1457. 3rd ave.

Violation Sec. 344, P. C.
Gambling and Policy.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

John B. Dean 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 *in*; that the statement is designed to
enable h *in* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *in*
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h *in* waiver cannot be used
against h *in* 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 an acquittal.
John B. Dean.*

Taken before me this

day of March 1888

John B. Dean
District Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

1st District Police Court.

William Thompson 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. *William Thompson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *42 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ohio*

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

Answer. *132 West 38th Street. 1 day.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Theatrical Manager.*

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

William Thompson

I do hereby waive all further ex-
amination. *William Thompson*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss:
OF NEW YORK,

Joseph Eaton 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.

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 an examination
Joseph Eaton*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9*

Alfred J. Brown
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court First 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 Antonio Conitach

of No. 150 Nassau Street, that on about the 15th day of January 1889, and on the 4th day of March 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the crime of unlawfully using

a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes
where money was dependent upon its result, has
been committed, and accusing John B. Dean
J. W. Eaton alias Brooks and John Dr., whose names
are unknown, but all of whom
have been can be identified by George H. Chappell, thereof,

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendants 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 Defendants and bring them forthwith before me, at the First 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 4th day of March 1889 -

M. W. Wilde POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT First DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Quinton Foxcroft
vs.

John B. Dean
J. W. Eaton alias Brooks
John Dr.

Warrant-General.

Dated March 4 188 9

Wilde Magistrate.

Fitzpatrick Officer.

The Defendants John B. Dean Joseph Wood William Thompson
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

John Fitzpatrick Officer.

Dated March 4 188 9

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

John B. Dean

30 yrs

W

US.

Real Estate

m

yes

1431 - Park Ave

Joseph Wood

46 yrs

W

US

Speculator

m

yes

29 - E 13th St

William Thompson

43 yrs

W

US

Manager

S

yes

132 W 33rd St

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

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City and County of New York, ss:

In the name of the People of the State of New York:

To any Peace Officer in the City and County of New York:

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me, by Anthony Comstock
of 150 Nassau Street, New York
City, that there is probable cause for believing that John B. Deau, J. W. Eaton alias
Brooks, and John Dor whose real names are
unknown but all of whom can be identified
by George H. Chappell.
has in their possession, at, in and upon certain premises occupied by them and situated and known number
132 West 33rd street in said City of New York certain and divers
device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings,
papers and documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, books and
other documents for the purpose of enabling others to sell lottery policies and other writings, papers and documents, black-
boards and gaming tables, with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense.

YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED, at any time of the day
time to make immediate search on the person of the said John B. Deau, J. W. Eaton
alias Brooks and John Dor
and in the building situate and known as number 132 West 33rd street aforesaid,
for the following property, to wit: all Faro layouts, all Roulette Wheels and layouts, all
Rouge et Noir, or Red and Black layouts, all gaming tables, all chips, all packs
of cards, all dice, all deal boxes, all lottery policies, all
lottery tickets, all circulars, all writings, all papers, all
documents in the nature of bets and wagers, or insurance upon the drawings, or drawn numbers of a lottery, all books
all documents for the purpose of enabling others to gamble or sell lottery policies, all black-
boards, all slips or drawn numbers of a lottery, all money to gamble with, and all device,
establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes.

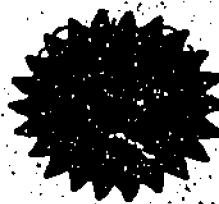
And if you find the same, or any part thereof, to bring it forthwith before me at the Fourth District
Police Court at the Tombs in Centre street in the City of New York.

Dated at the City of New York, the

4th day of March 1889.

W. H. Phelps

POLICE JUSTICE.



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Inventory of property taken by John Fity Patrick the Peace Officer by whom this warrant was executed :

one Faro layouts, Roulette Wheels, Roulette layouts, Rouge et Noir lay-
outs, one gaming tables, 1100 chips, 12 packs of cards, — dice, two deal
boxes, one deal trays for holding chips, one cue boxes, two deal boards
Res, 1 Card Case, 1 Case for gambler's outfit, 1 green cloth
ivory balls, lottery policies, lottery tickets, markers, or tally cards, 1 Card
for covering table, 1 chair, — circulars, — writings,
papers, black boards, slips, or drawn numbers in policy, money,
manifold books, slates

City of New York and County of New York ss:

I John Fity Patrick the Officer by whom this warrant was executed,

do swear that the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this 5th
day of March 1889

John Fity Patrick

John Fity Patrick Police Justice.

Police Court--- Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony J. Moore

vs.
John H. Dean

J. W. Eaton alias Brooks

John J. Dean

Dated March 4th 1889

Patrick Justice.

John Fity Patrick Officer.

Search Warrant.

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

Referred to John B. Dean + Joseph Eaton
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Seven Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *March 27th* 1889 *John Korman* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *Joseph Eaton and John B. Dean* to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *March 27* 1889 *John Korman* 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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\$450 bail for Es
9 A.M. March 9th
adg to March 89
2 P.M. 22nd
37th St Court
adg March 27
2 P.M.

BAILED.

No. 1, by Lucy D. Schiefflin
Residence Centennial Hotel Street.

No. 2, by Jacobi Riff
Residence 308 Myrmec Street.

No. 3, by James Barclay
Residence 18 Macdonald Street.

No. 4, by Thomas Canary
Residence 312 - 8th Ave. Street.

\$3500 on both
complaints

Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Comstock
vs.
Joseph B. Nean
Joseph Eaton
William Thompson

Dated March 5th 1889

Gorman Magistrate.

St. Patrick Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses
No. 1 Summit & Criminal
7th St. 9.5. April 8/89 Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.



Not Bailed
Ch. 3 - Bailed

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

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The People,

--VS--

John B. Deane, Joseph Eaton and
William Thompson.
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City and County of New York, ss:-

Philip Mulligan, being duly
sworn, deposes and says that he resides at *1261 Broadway*
, in said City of New York, and is
engaged in the business of *Hotel*
at No. *1259 & 1261 Broadway*, in said
City. That he has been well acquainted with the above
named defendant William Thompson for the period of *100*
years. That the reputation of the said defendant Thomp-
son for honesty and integrity is good and that his
general character is good; that deponent has never heard
that said defendant was ever charged with any offense ex-
cept the offenses arising out of the transactions that
afforded the basis for defendant's indictment in this case
and that he is known among his associates as a reputable
and honest man.

Sworn to before me, this
12th day of May, 1890.

Matthew Lewis
Notary Public
City of New York

Philip Mulligan

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

The People,

--vs--

John B. Deane, Joseph Eaton and
William Thompson.

City and County of New York, ss:-

William C. Rogers, being duly
sworn, deposes and says that he resides at *200 West 123 St.*

, in said City of New York, and is
engaged in the business of *Retired Merchant*
at No. *200 West 123 St.*, in said
City. That he has been well acquainted with the above
named defendant William Thompson for the period of *ten years*
years. That the reputation of the said defendant Thomp-
son for honesty and integrity is good and that his
general character is good; that deponent has never heard
that said defendant was ever charged with any offense ex-
cept the offenses arising out of the transactions that
afforded the basis for defendant's indictment in this case
and that he is known among his associates as a reputable
and honest man.

Sworn to before me, this

12th day of May, 1890.

William C. Rogers.
John F. [unclear]
Notary Public

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

The People,

--vs--

John E. Deane, Joseph Eaton and
William Thompson.

City and County of New York, ss:-

Frederic E. Land

, being duly

sworn, deposes and says that he resides at

James M. Deane

, in said City of New York, and is

engaged in the business of *Restaurant*

at No. *225 Broadway*

, in said

City. That he has been well acquainted with the above

named defendant William Thompson for the period of *ten*

years. That the reputation of the said defendant Thomp-

son for honesty and integrity is good and that his

general character is good; that deponent has never heard

that said defendant was ever charged with any offense ex-

cept the offenses arising out of the transactions that

afforded the basis for defendant's indictment in this case

and that he is known among his associates as a reputable

and honest man.

Sworn to before me, this

12 day of May, 1890.

Wm. G. Deane

Joseph Eaton

Wm. G. Deane

Frederic E. Land

General Sessions.

The People

vs.

Joseph Eaton &

William Thompson

Affidavits of
good character
for Thompson.

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Court of General Sessions

The People vs

vs.

John B. Dean & ors.

2 cases Grand Larceny, keeping something from

City & County of New York ss.

John D. Byrne being duly sworn says. I am attorney & counsel for George H. Chappell the complainant in above cases. Said Chappell has removed from the City

of State of New York & now resides in the State of New Jersey.

I am of the opinion that he will not return to this state.

~~He has informed me that he will not return to this state.~~

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To be referred for
examination to
a report to some
assistant District
Attorney in
the jurisdiction of
the Court
- Advisory

Court of General Sessions. Part III.

The People

vs
Joseph B. Eaton
William Thompson

The defendant

Eaton, is an old offender. Has been convicted before. He is known as a Gold-Brick swindler and is exposed in Inspector Byrne's book.

He lived at the premises 132 W. 33rd St. and had in his front room what is commonly called and known as a "Skin-Taro-bank".

The Bank opens, whenever a victim has been found for Eaton and his Associates to flick or rob. Eaton's name was at the door as the occupant of this flat. J. B. Dean, a Western Thief and Bruck-man, had an office in Wall street. He advertised for a loan of \$1,000.

Rev H. Chappell, an ex-clergyman responded and Dean steared him up to this man Eaton's room^{1st} where he was robbed of \$900 cash. Eaton dealt the game. Dean

was game-keeper, and according to Chappell's statement ^{which is unproven} Thompson was Cashier to the game. Against Chappell's word is the flat statement of Thompson that he was not there, and he claims to have several witnesses to prove his statement true.

This robbery was in January 1889.

March 4th 1889, All three defendants were found together in this room. This indictment is for gambling. Thompson entered the premises after Dean & Eaton and their victim Chappel and another supposed victim had entered.

The game was laid out and being operated with Eaton as Dealer, and Dean as Gamekeeper.

It was at first supposed that Thompson was a Broadway Bricks-steerer known as Col. Morgan. But as Col. Morgan was last week sentenced in Court by Judge Martine to two years and six months ^{suspension}, we discovered our mistake. In view of all the facts upon

the offer of Counsel to plead guilty and request that Eaton be dealt with as principal, and

Thompson be fined, I made reply, that if this was agreeable to Mr Parker that I should offer no objection to such course being adopted, but would leave it entirely with his Honor the Recorder to dispose of the case as he saw fit, offering no objection to a fine being imposed upon Thompson, but that I thought Eaton deserved all the law would allow him to receive. All of which is most

Respectfully Submitted.

Anthony Buntock

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Paul Seneca

Pepee

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Caton

Thompson

Mr Condit

Steele

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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 B. Deane,
Joseph Koton and
William Thompson*

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

John B. Deane, Joseph Koton and William Thompson

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

The said *John, Joseph and William, all*

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

John B. Deane, Joseph Koton and William Thompson

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

The said *John, Joseph and William, all*

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, having the care, custody and supervision of, and authority over the use of a certain room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling-table, and establishment, and divers cards, chips, dice, implements and paraphernalia and sundry devices and apparatus,

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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 the same 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. 344, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said *John D. Deane, Joseph F. Folan and William Thompson* of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS DEALER IN A *gambling* GAME, where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said *John, Joseph and William, all*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, ^{was} ~~was~~ ^{are} ~~is~~ a common gambler, and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said *John, Joseph and*

William at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as dealer in a certain *gambling* game commonly known as *Faro* where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said *gambling* game is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, 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.

FOURTH COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said *John D. Deane, Joseph F. Folan and William Thompson* of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS GAME-KEEPER IN A *gambling* GAME, where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said *John, Joseph and William, all*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, ^{was} ~~was~~ ^{are} ~~is~~ a common gambler, and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said *John, Joseph and*

William at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as game-keeper in a certain *gambling* game commonly known as *Faro* where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said *gambling* game is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, 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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FIFTH COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

John D. Deane, Joseph D. Deane and William Thompson
of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS PLAYER, IN A *gambling* GAME,
where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:
The said *John D. Deane, Joseph D. Deane and William Thompson, all*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the
year aforesaid, and on divers other days, *was* and yet *is* a common gambler, and on the
day and in the year aforesaid, the said *John D. Deane, Joseph D. Deane and William Thompson*

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there
situate, feloniously did engage as player in a certain *gambling* game
commonly known as *Spars*
where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description
of which said *gambling* game is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be
given, 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.

SIXTH COUNT. (Sec. 385, Penal Code.)

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

John D. Deane, Joseph D. Deane and William Thompson
of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:
The said *John D. Deane, Joseph D. Deane and William Thompson, all*

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 *their* lucre and
gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *their* 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 *Spars*
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 *John D. Deane, Joseph D. Deane and William Thompson*

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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DESCRIPTION:

Dean, John

DATE:

04/23/89



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DESCRIPTION:

Eaton, Joseph

DATE:

04/23/89



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Thompson, William

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Wm. H. Rappaport

Filed 23 day of April 1889
vs. Chitquah v. H.

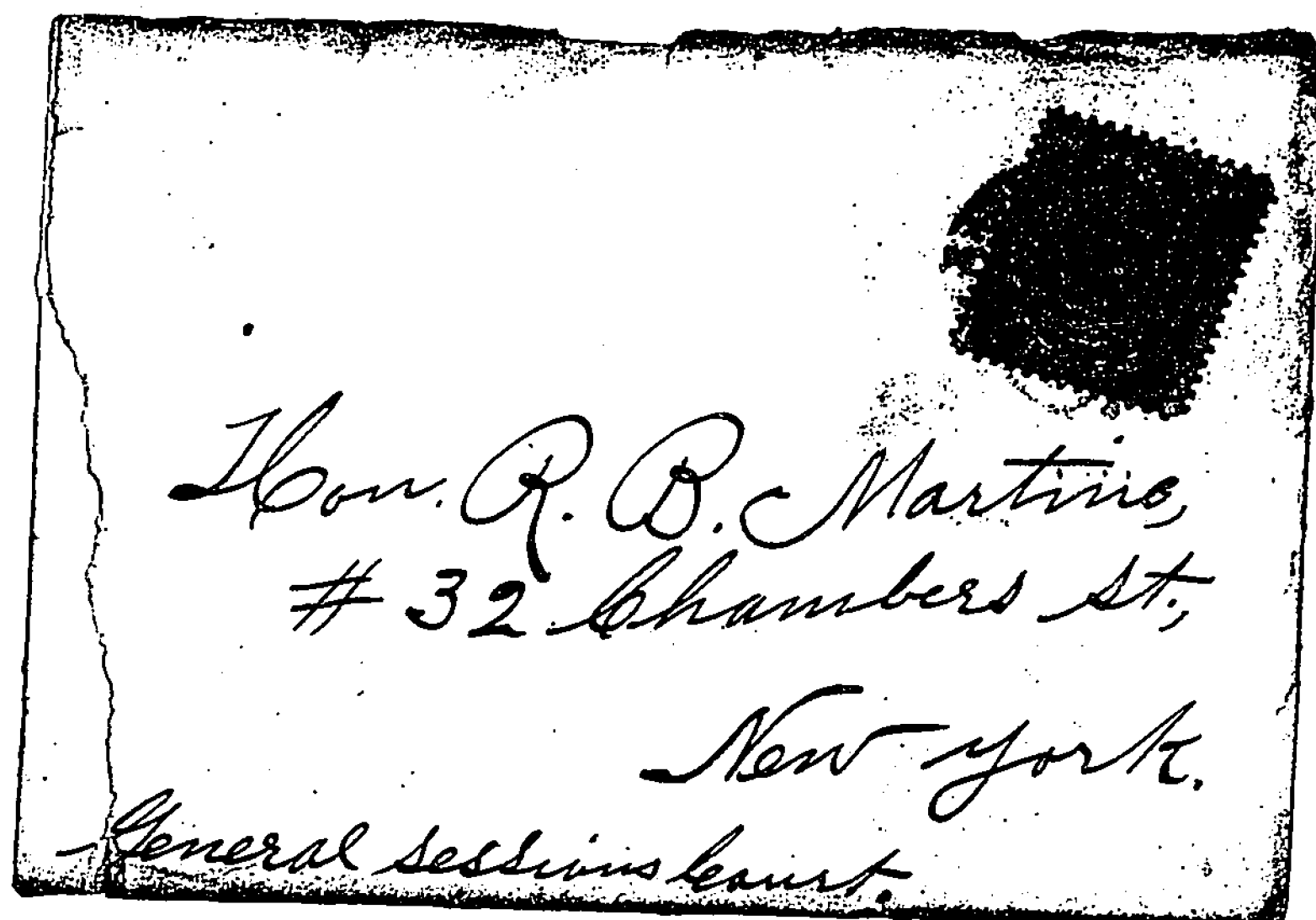
THE PEOPLE
vs. John B. Dean
Joseph Easton
William Thompson

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

July 20
TRUE BILL

Wm. H. Rappaport
June 24/89
J. B. Dean
June 24/89

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Hon. R. B. Martin,
32 Chambers St.,

New York.

General Sessions Court.

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City and County of New York

Thomas H Smith being duly sworn
deposes and says. At the request of the Complainant
Messrs George H Chappes I called with him on
John B Dean at the latter's office No Wall Street
on March 2nd 1889 pretending that I was a friend
of the latter and had some money to invest in a
business. He then told me a story similar to
that which is described by said Chappes in his
Annexed Affidavit to have told to him and informed
me that I could meet Proffo and
get further information by meeting that party
with him which I did as

sworn to before me. Thomas H Smith
This 2nd day of March 1889
John H. [unclear]
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

John B. Dean 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. *John B. Dean*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Alabama.*

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

Answer. *1341 - Penn Avenue. 1 month.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Real Estate*

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 an examination
John B. Dean.*

Taken before me this

day of March 188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

District Police Court.

Joseph Eaton 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.

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 an examination
Joseph Eaton*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1889

John J. ...
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.10th District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Thompson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *42 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ohio.*

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

Answer. *132 West 33rd St. 1 day.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Theatrical Manager*

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*

William Thompson
I do hereby waive all further examination in this case.

William Thompson

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9**John J. McManus* Police Justice.

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

Police Court in the City of New York
District.

The People of New York
vs

John B Dean, JW
Eaton alias J Brooks
and
together with certain
other persons whose
names are unknown.

Information

City and County of New York ss

Glen H Chappee being duly
sworn deposes and says -

I That he, together with his wife and family, reside
at No 1457 Third Avenue City of New York.

II That on the 20th day of January 1889 at this City
and County John B Dean doing business at No
60 Wall Street and living at No Park
Avenue, J W Eaton alias J Brooks residing at
No West Street (together with

certain other persons whose names are to be deposed
unknown) did unlawfully combine confederate
and conspire together to fraudulently induce deponents
by means of false and fraudulent pretenses to deposite
one thousand dollars of deponent money, then the

deponent's possession upon a certain gambling game or device in the nature of a lottery and thereby to feloniously obtain possession of said money and take, steal convert and carry the same away.

That in pursuance of said conspiracy the defendants caused to be inserted and published in a daily newspaper of this City an advertisement in the following words and figures, to-wit -

"Wanted, A Gentleman with \$1000 Cash. Can insure big returns in a few days. Important. 255 Uptown World".

That deponent being in search of a business and not suspecting anything wrong replied by mail to this advertisement to the indicated address and on January 22 received the annexed letter marked Exhibit A (which he makes part of this affidavit) from the defendant Dean. That on the _____ day of January 1889 he had a personal interview with Dean who stated that in order to give deponent full details of the proposed business it was necessary to meet Brooks, (alias Eaton) — one other of the defendants and appointer to meet deponent and introduce him to Brooks (or Eaton) at the S' Cloud Hotel, meanwhile assuring deponent that it was a great opportunity to realize quick and large profits by the investment of \$1000. Deponent went to the Hotel in question at the time appointed and found Dean there but not Brooks and Dean then proposed to take deponent to the latter's residence

at Number 132 West 33rd Street
 which he did. The said Dean and Brooks (other
 -Miss Callen Eaton) then in pursuance of the African
 Conspiracy falsely and deceitfully and with intent
 to fraudulently obtain possession of and steal \$1000
 of deponent's lawful money, told him that one
 Col Morgan one of said defendants herein
 had an honest and meritorious claim for the sum
 of \$10,000 against one Colonel Morgan, whom as
 they alleged, was whitt. able to pay the debt not
 inclining to do so and would put the said
 Eaton to incalculable trouble and expense if
 the latter attempted to collect it by legal process
 ing, and they further stated and alleged (each
 corroborating the others statements) that the
 said Morgan was a rich man who had
 acquired wealth by backing horse races
 and always ready to risk his money on
 games of chance. Dean further falsely
 and deceitfully stated, in the hearing and
 with the acquiescence of the said Brooks alias
 Eaton that he had \$1000 which he was desirous
 of investing to aid Brooks in win-
 ning back the \$10,000 due to him by said Morgan,
 but that that would not be sufficient and that
 he wanted deponent to add \$1000 more to the
 amount and that in return the said ~~Eaton~~
 and Brooks would agree to consider it a
 joint enterprise and upon obtaining from Morgan

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the \$10,000 which he alleged that the latter justly
owed him they were divided the whole fund share
and share alike. Dependant objected that he was
entirely ignorant of gambling and opposed to
indulging in games of chance and did not want
to make money in this way. Then the dependant
and Deem replied that the plan was entirely
honest, that it would be a meritorious act to
aid a poor man who had been cheated out
of \$10,000 to recover it, that having an
arrangement by which success was assured
there could be no risk and that the game
proposed was not one of those generally known
as gambling games and further that they
the dependants would teach him how to play it
before entering upon real business. Dependant
who having been reared in early life upon a
New England farm and spent the greater
part of his subsequent life in perfecting and
patenting inventions knew little of the dan-
gers and deceits of life in a great city
weakly yielded to dependants persuasions
and was then shown what he subsequently
learned was a complete "lay out" or set of
implements for the playing of games of
faro, including card boxes, cards, counters
or checks and a machine for what dependants
called keeping the tally. That dependant was

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then by means of the false and deceitful state-
ments and devices of the aforesaid John B
Dean and J W Eatoro
all of whom were present aiding and abetting
the said John B Dean therein, induced and
persuaded to part with the possessing nine
hundred dollars lawful money of the United States
of which he was, then and there the true owner and
in possession, and the said John B Dean, J W
Eatoro otherwise called J Brooks and the person
claiming to be Col Morgan ^{Carlin} then and there in pursuance of
the aforesaid combination and conspiracy between
them did feloniously take these and carry the
said nine hundred dollars away and convert
the same to their and each of their own use.

Sworn to before me J. H. Chappell
This 4th day of March

1889
John J. German
Police Justice

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A
*JOHN * B. * DEAN * & * CO.,*

BANKERS AND BROKERS IN

Miscellaneous Securities and Real Estate,

NO. 60 WALL STREET,

put on post
New York, Jan 22

1887.

Mr. Chaffee,

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly call
at my office Wednesday at 12 o'clock sharp.
as I could explain more fully, in
reference to my "ad." "255 uptown world"
I am at my office always from 12 to
one o'clock, but out during the day.
ask to see me personally as I am the
only one that can explain the nature of
the ad.

Write me if you can't come.
Yours truly,
J.B. Dean

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SYMS, PRES.

HAZEN KIMBALL, VICE-PRES.

W. B. GOODSPEED, CASHIER.

B
First National Bank of Hoboken

Hoboken, N. J., *Feb* 28th 1889

Mrs. Bertha Chappell
Madam: -

In answer
to your enquiry we will
state that we paid you
on Jan. 5th /89 One Thousand
& thirty dollars on check
of Henry A. Gade, Trust etc
dated Jan. 4th & drawn to
your order.

Yours respectfully
W. B. Goodspeed, Cash^r
W. B.
paying teller.

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

Defendant

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

Dated *April 20* 188*9* *John Hoffman* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

Joseph Eaton

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *April 20* 188*9* *John Hoffman* 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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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

750 bail for Ex
9 AM Mankg
city to March 22
2 PM
57th Court
ady March 27th
2 P.M.

BAILED
No. 1, by 18 2 PM
Residence Street

No. 2, by Jacob Repp
Residence 318 Brown Street

No. 3, by James Barclay
Residence 18 Macdougall Street

and Thomas Leary
No. 3, by 312 - 8th Ave Street

\$3.500 for bail
enough
Poor

46 11/27 + 47
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Police Court---

346 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Chappell
Go Anthony Chastock
John P. Kear
D. W. Eaton
Mrs. Thompson

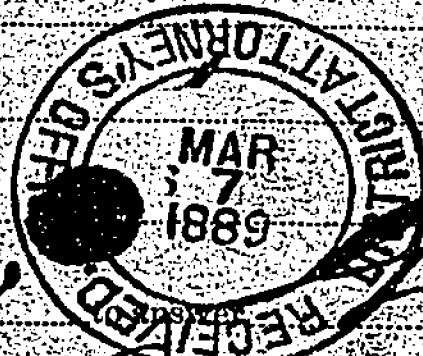
March 5th 1889
Gorman Magistrate

City Precinct
Officer

Witnesses: Bertha Chappell
No. Go Anthony Chastock
160 Franklin Street

No. Street

No. Street
W. 1. C. C. C. C.
W. 2. Bail
No. 3 Bailed



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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John B. Gorman a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging John B. Gorman Defendant with
the offence of Garbling

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned

We John B. Gorman Defendant of No. 1341
West 134th Street Street; by occupation a Real Estate
and Lucy D. Schaffner of No. 208 Lexington Avenue
Street, by occupation a Housewife Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named John B. Gorman Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 1 District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of fifty
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 4
day of March 1889

John B. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

John B. Gorman

Lucy D. Schaffner

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Rec'd by
Police Justice

Summon to before me, this

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and holder within the said County and State, and is worth five Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of House slot # 708

Lexington Avenue at the Value
of fifteen Thousand dollars
Lucy D. Schieffelin

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Taken the.....day of.....

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Thief

Underlying to appear during the Examination.

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Sec. 192.

1 District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John J. Gorman a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Joseph H. Eaton Defendant with
the offence of Larceny

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Joseph H. Eaton Defendant of No. 134
West 33 Street; by occupation a Speculator
and Joseph H. Eaton of No. 308 Brown
Street, by occupation a Salvagee Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Joseph H. Eaton Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 1 District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Twenty
Hundred Dollars,

Taken and acknowledged before me this 9
day of March 1889

John J. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

Joseph H. Eaton
Joseph H. Eaton

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn to before me, this
day of *March*
188*9*
Thos. M. Munn
Police Justice.

James R. Papp
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *fifteen* Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of *House & Lot No 1448*
Avenue A. of the value of twenty
thousand dollars over all
incumbrances.

for Papp

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

vs.

taken the day of 188*9*

Justice.

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THE
New York Society for the Suppression of Vice.

150 NASSAU STREET,

Room 9.

(Dictated)

New York, June 7 1889 *188*

Hon. J. R. Fellows

District Attorney, N. Y. City.

Dear Sir:-

This morning the case of The People vs J. B. Dean et Al was set for trial on the 18th.

I entirely forgot the fact that I had been notified to appear before the Grand Jury in the United States Court at Trenton, N. J. upon that day.

The District Attorney advises me that the Grand Jury will sit but one day, and that it will be necessary for me to be there upon that very day.

Again, this is the only Grand Jury in that Court until Fall; so that I shall be obliged to be in that Court on the 18th.

Would you therefore fix it for the 20th; as it sometimes happens we cannot get through the first day, and therefore I want to have it on the day when I can ^{be} sure of being present.

Again, I would respectfully ask that you will send the Subpoena's for George H. Chappell, and his wife to this office, at least three days before the day of trial; as they have left the State, ^{he} having been offered money, as he informs me, not to appear, but has promised ^{me} to appear whenever the case shall be set for trial.

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THE
New York Society for the Suppression of Vice.

150 NASSAU STREET,

Room 9.

New York, 188

(2)

I am satisfied that attempts have been made to keep this man outside of the jurisdiction of this State, and prevent him from appearing as a witness.

He informed me that he had been offered \$200.- by Eaton one of the defendants not to appear in Court.

Believe me,

Very truly yours,

Anthony Brantock
Secretary.

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PART OF
THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE BROWN STONE BUILDING, AND FRONTING THE CITY HALL.

If this Subpoena be disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court-Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA—(DUCES TECUM)

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of

General Sessions of the Peace

The People of the State of New York,

To *John F. Harriott*

of No. *Properly Class, 11th Street*

GREETING:

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

Joseph Eaton & William Thompson
in a case of felony (whereof he stands indicted, and that you bring with you and produce, at the time and place aforesaid, a certain *one faro layout, two deal boards, one deal tray for holding chips, two deal boxes, one card press, one card case, one bag chips, eight hundred and fifty chips, twelve packs of cards, one cue box, one horseshoe chair, one case for holding outfit.*

now in your custody, and all other deeds, evidences and writings, which you have in your custody or power, concerning the premises. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

WITNESS, HON.

Medhurst Smyth

Presiding Judge of

our said Court, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *May* in the year of our Lord 1890.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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PART I.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To E. H. Chappell

of No. 1437 43 Ave Street,

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, on the _____ day of _____, 1889, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

J. B. Dean et al
Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of _____
in the year of our Lord, 1889.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York. Moved to

To Bertha Chappell Long Island

of No. 1437 - 3 Ave Street,

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, on the _____ day of _____, 1889, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

J. B. Dean et al
Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of June,
in the year of our Lord, 1889.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

J. B. Deane et al

City and County of New York, ss:

George B. McCoy being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 365 East 62nd Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 6th day of June 1889, and on two other occasions I called at 1457 3rd Ave.

the alleged residence of G. H. Chappell and Bertha Chappell, witnesses the complainant herein, to serve with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

tenants of said premises that said J. B. Deane, G. H. Chappell and Bertha Chappell had left said premises about one month ago, and had gone to Long Island to reside, and would not return to said house.

Sworn to before me, this

7th day of June 1889

Notary Public for Co

George B. McCoy
Subpoena Server.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

vs.

J.B. Dean
et al

Offence:

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Geo. B. Mobay
Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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Tombs Prison,

May 27/89.

Hon. R. B. Martine,

Judge General Sessions
Part 2.

Dear sir: - Please allow
me a speedy trial, as I
am charged with a crime
of which I am innocent.
I am indicted with
Jos. Eaton and Wm. Thompson
keeping Gambling Room.
I am unable to give bail.

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and am confined in jail
52 days and the other parties
are trying to hold back
the case as long as they can.

I am anxious for trial
and have been for the last
40 days. Please look

into my case at your
earliest convenience, and
oblige yours truly,

John R. Dean.

P.S. My young wife is quite
sick at present, and I
am so anxious about her,
so please help me.

Yours,
J.R.D.

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Room No. 9.

150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, 188.....

1 Floor layout. 2 Deal boards - 1 Deal Tray -
for holding chips, 2 Deal boxes, 1 Card Rack
1 Card Case, 1 bag chips (about 250) 850 chips -
12 pks. cards, 1 Cue box, 1 Lookout Chair,
1 Case for holding outfit -

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALNew York City.
June 11/84.

Col. John R. Fellows.

On account of
the inhumanity of some to some,
I find it absolutely necessary
to again intercede for my poor,
unfortunate husband, Mr. Davis.
He has now been in the "Lungs"
71 (seventy-one) days, awaiting for
treat, and now, I am told, it
won't come up before the 18th inst.
Oh! how can I live through
all this misery, all this
poverty? Mr. Davis' health is
at a very low ebb (he never was
very strong), and this confinement
in that Inferno, and the
re-action of his mind, has reduced
him to a skeleton, nearly all

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he won't live much longer, anyway,
 And I pray God, that God will
 make some one happy for the
 little while we are on this
 planet, instead of misery. I am
 heartily sick of human nature,
 in general, that I have seen
 exhibited in my trouble; the
 utter selfishness of spirit that
 prevails for suffering people.
 I would prefer to believe that
 human nature is super to us first,
 but they are slow to recognize
the means of doing so. We have
 Connaught Valley misery here in
 our city daily, And so few hands
 willing to alleviate it. Oh! you
 have the power, give my husband
 his liberty, And he can't help under
 my influence, And, as mother's
 sincere love, to be a useful
 man. He is bright, he is earnest,

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active, ambitious, ^{that he} ^{has} sincerely⁽²⁾
repented of any wrong doing.

"He who by repentance is not satisfied,
Is not of heaven nor earth, for those are blessed,
By penitence the Eternal's wrath appeased."

That man, (Trustick has
^{his own,}
a crest as narrow as a bigoted
animal can be. There is not
one honest, broad, sympathetic
idea in his whole being. I have
met him about a dozen times, each
time with conversation, ^{and} he has a
strong personality, or positive nature
in some minds that any physically
strong man has, - ~~and~~ a cut has
with a nerve - ^{and} is placed in
a position to do out justice(?) but
as much out of his sphere as a
New with a Longfellow. Because
I have seen fit ^{and} absolutely proper,
to interest myself in Wm. D. and my
husband, he has grossly insulted

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me, once before a friend of Mr. Davis
 who accompanied me to the court
 room. He went home to my mother,
 (from whom I wanted to keep this
~~secret~~), and acquainted her with
 his view of the facts, that I was
 living with this man, Sam, whose
 wife had come on from the West.
 Of course my mother was prostrated, and
 is yet, not that she believed Cranstons
 assertions, but on account of all
 the unexpected trouble there was to
 be born. My mother witnessed my
 marriage to Mr. Sam, and about the
 same time, Mr. Sam is not
 married to her, and of any other
 action, I will only say "He that
 is without sin amongst you, let
 him cast the first stone." Mr.
 Cranstons wants to be antagonistic
 in this case, and for the sake of
 tragedy, of which he possesses
 any amount. He is going

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around with his little catched⁽³⁾
 of letters, foolish letters, written L-
 plus - a low manner, ^{and trying to}
 such proof to influence the minds
 of people against Mr. Dean, who
 is complaining against Mr. Dean,
 why that octopus? depriving him
 of his natural right - liberty.
 That octopus has frightened every
 would be hail for against him.

Is it humanity, is there the
 least justice that such a man
 should be given the power, that
 his improved assertions should
 be effective in keeping him in
 jail? Is that development of
 social justice? My per-
 sistent is only willing to
 do right, if allowed to, now.

Ah! if you had seen Mr.
 Dean, as I had seen him
 yesterday morning; not able

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to rise from his cell cot, on
account of the re-action Friday
(when he hoped to be free), you
could not restrain your tears,
but then you would see the
injustice of man to man.

I cannot write more, as I
am sick unto death myself.

Oh! the misery of this world.

Turn me, by interesting
yourself in my husband's behalf,
and you will never regret
it. Never, never, regret it.

I am not anxious,
with hope,

Yours truly, yours,

Mrs. J. B. Davis.

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District Attorney's Office,
City & County of
New York.

Thomas H. Smith

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New York City,
June 27/89.
107 E. 31 st.

Judge Randolph Martin,
My dear sir:-

Enclosed please
find one of the many letters sent
me by my dear husband, that
I may help you possibly to be
more lenient to him.

Mr. Deane is more a
subject for a hospital than
a prison. I is very anxious that you
send him to Elmira Reformatory School,
where he will have a chance to be
made a better man, if he is not good
already. He has inquired minutely

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about Elvira R. School, I have his prayer-
ful desire that you send him there
I will deal vigorously. I want to see him
grant his desire for me, for my mother,
who loves him as her own son, but I
assure you, you will never regret it.

To-day, I learned many
facts in reference to "Minister" Chappell,
one fact about counterfeiting money, that
with many others, would have convicted
Mrs. Dean entirely if presented to the
jury.

If you have scruples about re-
ceiving mail in reference to law, at your
residence, I trust you will pardon me,
but as there was so much at stake,
and such limited time, I hope
you will think kindly of my possibly
hasty action, Very sincerely, yours,
Mrs. J. B. Dean.

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Mrs John B. Dean
June 27, 1884
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Sec. 151.

Police Court 1 District.

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

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 George N. Chappell
of No. 1457 3rd Avenue Street, that on the 20 day of January
1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

Good and lawful money
of the United States
of the value of one thousand (\$1000) Dollars,
the property of complainant
w. as taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and
believe, by John R. Ryan and J. W. Calverlin

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 every of you to apprehend the bodies of the said Defendant
and forthwith bring them before me, at the 1 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 4th day of March 1889.

John R. Ryan POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Chappell
vs.

John B. Dean

J. W. Eaton

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated

March 4 1889

Gorman

Magistrate

Fitzpatrick Officer.

The Defendants John B. Dean Joseph Wood
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

John Fitzpatrick Officer.

Dated

March 5 1889

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

Dated

John B. Dean

30 yrs

W

US

Real Estate

M

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1431 - Park Ave

Joseph Wood

46 yrs

W

US

Speculator

M

188

29 St & Broadway

Wm Thompson

43 yrs

W

US

Manager

S

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132 W 33 St

WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the

The within named

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Court of General Sessions,
JUDGE'S CHAMBERS.
32 CHAMBERS STREET.

New York, 188

Dear Judge Martineau:

My troubling
you will soon know. I enclosed
a letter meant for Mr. Dean in an
envelope for you, by mistake.
The letter intended for you, you
will find in your desk.

For God's sake send Mr. Dean
to Elmira R. School, and the
result will make me happy.
So that justifiable kindness
for me, and you will never
regret it. I am heartbroken.
Wm. B. Dean.

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Mrs John B. Dean
June 28, 1884
People vs Dean

John B. Dean

Joseph Catron

Wm Thompson

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VI.

STATE OF NEW YORK.
Executive Chamber,
ALBANY.

August 18, 1890.

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of John B. Dean----- who was convicted of grand larceny 1st degree in the county of New York----- and sentenced June 28, 1889, to imprisonment in the Sing Sing Prison----- for the term of five years, six months,----- I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts of the case, together with your opinion of the merits of the application.

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

Very respectfully yours,

J. S. Williams.

Private Secretary.

Hon. John R. Fellows,

District Attorney,

New York City.

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Court of General Sessions

The People vs.

vs.

John B. Deane

City and County of New York ss.

William Wray being duly sworn says
I reside at Closter, Bergen County N.J. and am engaged in
business at The Nassau Bank in the city of New York
as superintendent of the safe deposit vaults. I have
known John B. Deane in business circles in the city of New
York for about one year and two months last past and have
had business transactions with him during that time. In
all my dealings with him he has always acted in
an honest upright, straightforward manner.

Sworn to before me this

28th day of June 1889.

Henry C. Frankenberg Jr.

Notary Public

Kings County

Certif. filed in N.Y. Co.

W. Wray.

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Court of General Sessions

The People vs.

John B. Dean.

City & County of New York ss.

William D. Youlin being duly sworn says
I reside at Ketherwood N.J. & am engaged in
business at No 96 Broadway N.Y. City as a real estate
broker & am a member of the firm of Youlin & Daverport.

I know the defendant John B. Dean & have had busi-
ness transactions with him. In all my dealings
with him I found him to be truthful, exact and
honest in every way. I never knew or heard of

his being engaged in any but strictly honest li-
gitimate business enterprises until the present charge

against him which is the only one I am aware of.
Sworn to before me this

28th day of June 1889.

Geo. F. Brown

Comptroller of Deeds

City & Co. N.Y.

W. Youlin

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS-Part III.

The People of the State of New York, : Before Hon. Ran-
 against :
 : Dolph B . Martine,
 :
 JOHN B. DEAN, impleaded with Joseph: and a Jury .
 Eaton and William Thompson . :

Indictment filed April 9th 1889.

Indicted for Grand Larceny in the 1st degree .

N e w Y o ' r k , J u n e 21st 1889.

APPEARANCES: For the People, Assistant District
Attorney Fitzgerald .

For the defendant Mr. Joseph F. Moss.

GEORGE H. CHAPPELL, a witness for the People, sworn,
testified:

I live at present at Oridel New Jersey . I have been living there since last April. In January of this year I lived at No. 1457 Third Avenue in this city . I am a minister of the Gospel and came to New York from Minnesota about a year ago this month . I first met the defendant Deane in 33rd St. near Broadway in answer to an advertisement . At that time he told me he was from Minneapolis and was better known there as the "lightning calculator". He told me he came to New York with the intention of engaging in some legitimate banking business . He said that he wanted a partner for such a business with some capital . That was some-

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time in September of October . I did not see anything of Mr. Dean then until January . On the 21st of January I saw an advertisement in the New York World which read as follows: "WANTED gentleman with one thousand dollars cash; can insure big returns in a few days . Important, 255 Uptown World Office". I addressed a note to that address and in reply I received the following letter from the defendant:

Mr. Chappell,

Dear Sir: Will you kindly call at my office Wednesday at twelve o'clock sharp , and I can explain more fully in reference to my ad. 255 Uptown World. I am at my office ~~and~~ always from 12 to 1 but out during the day . Ask to see me personally as I am the only one that can explain the matter of the ad . Write me if you cannot come . Yours truly,

John B. Denan. "

I called at Dean's office No. 60 Wall Street in this city . Mr. Dean told me that he had recently had an interview with a man who claimed to know him in Minneapolis who wanted him to enter into some business speculation with him; that the man appeared to him to be strictly honest and he believed his plan was really a legitimate one; as yet he did not fully comprehend the business, but it was something which related to cards . I told him that if it related to cards; it was a matter that I was not familiar with at all and I did not care to enter into any scheme that had anything to do with cards: He told me that he did not either but that his

friend had assured him that it was by some manipulation of the cards that was perfectly safe; that it was not regular games. I told him that if it was gambling that I did not want anything at all to do with it . . . He said that he did not fully understand it himself, but that if I would see him at the St. Cloud hotel that evening he would have this man there and it would be explained to us both fully . . . He told me there was an excellent chance to make \$10,000 or more and at the same time no one at all would be injured . . . He told me that his friend was a sort of a victim in the hands of some person . . . I left him . . . I went to the St. Cloud Hotel and there met him again on the evening of that same day . . . Mr. Dean said that his friend had written him asking him to bring me to his house . . . We went together to No. 132 W. 33rd St. When we got there we met the co-defendant Eaton. I was introduced to him by the name of Brooks . . . Mr. Dean on the way told me he would introduce me to this Mr. Brooks by the name of Melville and he did so introduce me . . . Mr. Brooks said that perhaps Mr. Dean had explained the matter to me, but he would make a personal explanation of it ; he said he had been employed by a man named Colonel Morgan during the season in his book-making business and he was promised a percentage of the receipts, but that in the final settling up of the account Morgan refused to pay him his share which amounted to at least ten thousand dollars ; that Col. Morgan actually owed him this ten thousand dollars and there was not any legitimate way

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by which he could receive that money without serious offence to the Colonel and as he wished to continue good friends with him he did not wish to take any harsh measures. Mel Brooks said that his desire was to get two partners to help him recover this money from Col. Morgan; if I would consent to go into it there was not a shadow of doubt but what he would be able to recover the money. If he did recover it he would divide it between himself and the two partners. He then said he would explain how it could be done. He at once spread a cloth on the table, a green cloth with pictures on it which represented cards; he then had a small tin box in which there were cards; he said that he put the cards in the box and then slipped them off and as he slipped them off they corresponded ^{with} the pictures on the cloth; when they were all out of the box he said there would still be three remaining; then he would say to us "There is one chance, gentlemen": and that then we were to call and that the bottom card was luck; then he had some ivory chips and another box with chips on wires which could be moved up and down. We then started in to play. He said we would play for fun and see how it would turn out. He handed me what he said represented five hundred dollars worth of chips; he moved the cards from the box and called out several times and instructed me to lay down chips on the pictures on the green cloth and I did so. After this operation had been going on some time he said; "Now we will count up and see if this

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was a regular game how we would stand"; he counted and said "I must say that if this was a real game you would be remarkably lucky, you would have won thirty seven hundred dollars". Dean was there during all of this transaction . I dont remember that he said anything particularly . I said to Dean "I do not understand whether I am winning or losing"; Dean said he would keep track of that . I was instructed to call opposite to Dean in the game that we were arranging to pay the following day . . I asked Brooks who this Col. Morgan was and they said he was a very rich man ; that Col. Morgan or his representative would be down the following day and would bring twenty thousand dollars with him and if that was exhausted he would send a messenger for twenty thousand more . It was agreed that after the game on the following day Brooks would adjust matters with us in the evening . . Brooks said he would see Col. Morgan at breakfast time in the morning and would tell him that he had some friends who desired to play on this board with him . We agreed to meet there the next day at twelve o'clock . Brooks told us each to bring a thousand dollars; Dean said he would bring that amount and I said I would be there with money . The next day at twelve o'clock I went to the same house with \$900. in cash in my pocket . In the meantime I had seen Dean and he assured me that he thought Brooks was an honest man and thought the scheme would come out all right . I met Dean the following day at about twelve o'clock at the corner of 32nd Street and Broadway.

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He went to the house before me . . . When I got in the place I saw the co-defendant Thompson sitting there : I was not introduced to him . He represented this Col. Morgan . As soon as I got in I sat down at the table and removed my coat quietly . I did not say a word to anybody . It was arranged between us the night before that I should not say a word to any of them but sit right down and play . Dean made a remark very soon after I came in that he was two hundred dollars ahead . The first thing I did was to hand Mr. Brooks five hundred dollars and in return he gave me what represented that amount in ivory chips . We then began to play . Brooks handed the money over to Thompson who was said to be Col. Morgan's cashier . It was arranged the night before that I should hand the money over in this way . The game commenced and the only thing that Brooks said during it was now and then "It is remarkable"? Dean was winning . After a time my five hundred dollars was gone and I handed Brooks a hundred dollars . Three time after that I handed him one hundred making nine hundred dollars . It all went . I lost it . Each time that I handed Brooks money he handed it to Thompson . Dean also lost on the final counting up . Dean would turn around and appear to me to be handing money to Brooks as well as I did . I don't know whether he did or not . When my money was all gone Dean suddenly jumped up from the table and said that he had an engagement to meet a man in Wall Street and must go . He went out . I followed him and caught up with him on the street . Then the

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whole scheme flashed upon me . I told Dean that I thought the whole thing was a fraud; he said that I was mistaken that it was not a fraud; that he believed Col. Morgan was perfectly honest ; he told me he had lost over a thousand dollars. . He asked me to see him that night and he would see if there was not some way by which the money could be recovered. . I did meet both Dean and Brooks that night in front of my house . Brooks said "Gentlemen I am very sorry you lost, it is through my advice that you lost and I shall find some way by which the money shall be recovered ". Dean then wanted to know if I could raise a couple of hundred more dollars and it would be easier to recover the lost money . I told him I did not propose to raise another cent . . I told him plainly that I thought it was robbery . I left them . I met Dean the next day and he said the whole matter would be arranged in a day or two. I met Dean and Brooks several times after that and they had excuses each time . They told me that Col. Morgan had gone south and that he had gone to Montreal and would not be back till summer; that they could not do anything about it until he came back . I finally got tired. This is another letter I received from the defendant Dean . Dear Mr. Chappell, Dear Sir; I suppose you received my telegram this evening . Mr. Brooks is making arrangements to close the deal when Col. Morgan returns from the Carnival which he says will be about the 12th or 13th of February . He says he then will be able to close the trade and expects good returns. You can rely on me assisting you in closing

this deal. Call at my office about Friday or Saturday noon. Yours in haste, J. B. Dean".

The colonel never returned. I never got a cent of my money returned to me.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

Q Up to the time you met Mr. Dean had you ever played cards? A. Never.

Q Was this money which you had your own or your wife's property? A. Partly mine and partly my wife's.

Q The arrangement which you made was: Col. Morgan owed to Mr. Brooks 10 thousand dollars, you and Dean were to sit at a table with some cards, that cards were to come out of a box, that you were to lay chips down and that Mr. Brooks was to pay over to you and Dean a part of this money which he was to take from Col. Morgan? A. Yes.

Q By means of some trick or subterfuge, Mr. Brooks was to pay you and Dean some money which was the property of Col. Morgan? A. No sir.

Q You and Mr. Dean entered into a combination by which you were to get money which Morgan owed Brooks?

A Yes sir.

Q Col. Morgan owed Mr. Brooks ten thousand dollars and the only way he could get that money was by sitting you and Dean down at a table and taking some cards out of a box and the money was afterwards to be divided between you three? A. Yes sir.

We were not to get the money in any event; he said the chances were that his plan would succeed.

- Q As a result of the agreement which you made you put in a thousand dollars and Dean put in a thousand dollars ? A. I put in nine hundred .
- Q Did you know you were playing the game of Faro ?
- A I did not . I believed implicitly in Dean .
- Q Did you know you were gambling ? A. The idea of gambling never occurred to me . I did not realise what I was doing .
- Q Did you not know that chips were used for gambling purposes ? A. I did not know anything about chips; I never saw one .
- Q Didn't you know when you went into that house and took off your coat that you were there for the purpose of gambling ? A. It was a species of gambling .
- Q You knew that the money was to be got from Morgan by winning it from him in a gambling transaction ?
- A Yes sir .
- Q You knew that in any event you, Brooks and Dean were to win this money from Morgan in a game of chance ?
- A That is what Brooks said .
- Q You believed that ? A. Yes sir .

Case adjourned until Monday June 24th
1889 at 11 A. M.

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New York , J u n e 24th 1889.

C a s e C o n t i n u e d .

ANTHONY COMSTOCK, a witness for the People, sworn,
testified:

I am special agent for the New York Society for the suppression of Vice . I know the defendant Dean since the 4th of March 1889. I saw him at the corner of 33rd St. and 6th Avenue . It was in the afternoon . I followed him from there to No. 132 W. 33rd St. where I saw him enter accompanied by Eaton. About three minutes after Dean and Eaton had entered the building accompanied by two officers I went in. I rang the bell of the third ^{fl} and the door opened . I went up to the second floor and I asked if this was Eaton's ^{fl}. I went through the kitchen and bedroom and reached the door to the front room. The officers were at the door leading from the hall into the front room . Just as I got to the door the defendants started to run out. There were five men there altogether; there was Deana, Eaton, Thompson, Cahpell and Smith. . The officer produced his warrant and the three defendants were identified to it . I said to Mr. Cahappel "W ho is dealing this game to-day"; he said "Mr. Brooks". I said "Who is keeping the cue box"; and he said Mr. Dean; I said "Who was the cashier "; and he pointed to the co-defendant Thompson. I have here all the gambling ar-

tic es that I found in those rooms . When I picked up the box fullof chips and started to count them, the man Thompson said "There is no need of counting them, there are eight hundred of those chips".

Q You had heard the story from Mr. Chappell ? A. Yes sir .

Q And during all this time you had that story in your mind ?

A Yes sir .

Q What was said by Dean to you or by you to Dean ?

A I discovered a letter among the papers which the officer found upon the person of Dean and I said in the presence of Mr. Dean to Chappell: "When did you first come here"; he said "January 26th"; I saw an advertisement in the World on the 20th, I think, he said, and I wrote a letter to Box 255 World Uptown office and I received a letter from Dean . He told me that he lost nine hundred dollars in the place . All three of the defendants we re present and none of them made any denial . After this conversation I said to Dean "Here is y our original letter--that is the letter which the complainant wrote in response to the advertisement . Dean did not say anything .

The letter reads as follows:

New York , January 21st 1889.

Important, 255 Uptown World, Dear Sir: I write in answer to your ad. in the World. I have the necessary capital. Please state full particulars, and oblige, yours,

G. H. Chappell,

No. 1457 3rd Ave. City .

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I left that house in company with Dean . I went with him to the station house . He said "This is a put up job". He afterwards stated that the reason ehe did it was that he nedded tmoney and that he had adopted this plan of getting some money The defendant afterwards came to my office and wanted me to let up on him; I told him all I had to do with was the gambling case; that I had nothing to do with the larceny . : He said he w as respecta bly cnnected and wanted to get out of this . I met him after that but nhad no conversation with him of any special moment; he was always asking me for mercy and assistance .

No Cross Exa mination .

The deendants counsel asks the Court to take the case from the jury on several grounds .

Motion denied .

The de ence offers no evidnce .

The jury found the defendant GUILTY of Gra ad Lar- ceny in the First degree .

Indictment filed Apl. 9. 1889
COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

The People &c.

against

JOHN B. DEAN, impleaded
with Joseph Eaton and Wm.
Thompson.

Abstract of testimony on
trial New York, June 21st
and 24th 1889.

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J.B. Dear

New York City.
The Tunks, the Tunks!!

June 26/89.

My best beloved, my angel, the
only Sunlight of my life, my pure,
holy, lovely Wife -

Oh! my darling,
I am in such a strange, strange, State of mind
at present, that I cannot write you as I want to,
as I am dying by inches for one embrace,
one holy ecstatic moment of having you in
my arms, but I am denied the place that
I crave, "I have offended the law," Some will
say, "and the laws are only acted out," Well,
God knows, I can hardly blame them; for
I was so sure of an acquittal, I did not go on the
stand and explain the whole thing - but darling
the thought of you, the fear of the publicity
of those foolish letters written to a vile woman,
and entirely irrelevant to the case, deterred
me from doing so. Oh God! how I am
misrepresented by our courtstock about that
Woman, a Woman of the streets, whom all
men had access to; a low, common, degraded
woman, whom I, with other men, had been
degraded enough to touch, and from the
dangerous woman that she is, I had to write her
(seemingly) loving letters, until I could get her
to keep away from me. Oh! how I loathe

that part of my life, when I had not the will power, the manhood, to assert myself, instead of surrendering to the dangerous web of a harlot, as I had done, - then away from her, and the associates I was dragged into the while I knew her - I saw that time a black-mess on my soul. About marrying her, as Comstock is devilish enough to assert without one proof, excepting the letters she has shown him. Before God in Heaven, and the death that soon awaits me, I never entered into a marriage contract with that vile woman. Oh! My dear, I thank God that I was not completely lost by my former actions with her, and she swore by all the powers of Heaven and earth, that if ever I married during her lifetime, she would risk her life to separate me from the one I married. Thank God! you are the angel that was too true to your marriage vows, to listen to such a low vile woman as she proved herself to be. My darling, it seems hard to go away from you under such circumstances as the present, but I have the utmost confidence in you, and your true love for me. I trust the God on high, will guide us to a future day of meeting, and I also trust, that Judge Martin will certainly see that I am not quite so bad as Mr. Comstock and others would have him think. My darling, I know that a new trial, would set me free, but you know that all costs money, and that is something we are in great of at present. I hope to God, that I may receive a light sentence, which I feel sure the Judge will do, as he certainly has some doubts, as to the real facts in the case. Mr. Chappell perjured himself in many respects, concerning the playing &c as he knew just what he was doing, and just what he had to do, in order to make the money. Chappell is a low, mean man at heart, and will stoop to commit any act, to make money, and pose as an honest innocent man. My darling wife,

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I feel so badly on your account you were the
pure angel of goodness and innocence, and I
 was so cruel to marry you, and not tell you
 of my past associations; but you have forgiven
 me, and I will make you this solemn vow:
 I will make an honest man of myself, and
 I will make you feel proud of me yet.
 I am a good man at heart, but my
 early associates brought me into a fast and
 wicked life, but I thank God, and I thank
 you, and I will thank the courts for calling
 the halt in my life at this early date.
 My darling, what a blessing it is to us, that
 we have no children to worry about. God is
 good to you in that respect. You are my
 only spark of hope in this life. I will go
 along to prison like a little man, knowing
 that I have your love to rest my hopes upon,
 for a future life on earth. Darling, please say
 nothing to my brother and sisters, as I hope
 to avoid their knowledge of such a disgrace.
 Dearest, I want you to continue to be brave and
 courageous, and attend to your church duties
 as usual, and pray for me, and pray that
 I may be a reformed and honest man. I will
 do anything in my power for you, and if I could
 only recall the past, I could lay down and die, a
 peaceful death. I am at peace with God, and
 now I will go and pay the penalty of my law.

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Dearest, I will write to the Judge this evening, asking him to please send me to the reformatory school at Elmira, as I am not able to do the work at Sing Sing. My health is feeling quite fast, but I attribute it to the bad air, and poor food in the present quarters.

Well dearest, it all seems to me like a dream. You have just turning my mind into the channel of ~~right~~ business and honesty, and this dreadful calamity to come upon me; ah! it seems that fate is against us. I know your love for me is true and lasting, and with that feeling in my heart, I will not think the few years of imprisonment is a hard lot. I will prepare my mind, while in prison, to be a grand man in some profession, and I will complete my Arithmetic manuscript, and get it published.

I wish you would send me some good Books, and I will study during my spare moments, and be as you would have me be, a smart man, and an honest man too. Please send me the following Books: "July Popular Science Monthly," "Tents Commentaries," "Chace's Blackstone," "Greenleaf on Evidence," and some good deep works on Science and Education. My darling, to-morrow (Thurs) is the trying day of my life. Just think of me walking out of that court room a convict! Convict!! Ah! may God help us all, is my prayer. I do so wish I could go to Elmira, as I could learn to write, and learn so many good and useful things; and it would prepare me for a better life; and not brand me so deeply. I must close, with many sweet kisses. Please keep up your courage, and remember I am your true and loving husband till death. J.W. Dear,

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Jouhs. Prison, N.Y.

June 26/89.

Thos. R. B. Martin,

Judge, Court General Sessions
Dear Sir:-

I come before you to-morrow (Thursday) to hear my fate as to imprisonment. I am somewhat of a victim in this case, as I was not given a fair trial by my Counsel, as he said: "Stand by the Law &c." Now your Honor? I do hope you will be as lenient with me as you can possibly be, as it is a fact that I did not get a cent of the money that Chappell lost, and I was badly used by men who promised to stand by me. Eaton has receipts for \$5000, for money he paid back to him, and he promised to not appear against anybody. Eaton and Thompson acted badly with me, as they promised to use me well, if I would not push my case against them. I lost \$1025.00 and never received a cent in return. I could not go on the Witness Stand (or was advised not to) on account of some past Woman trouble in Minneapolis Min. with a Woman of the lowest character. I understand Mr. Comstock is using some letters against me to try to injure me. This is my first law trouble, and I

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trust it will be my last. I married to a lovely, good woman last Aug. and I was living so happily until this trouble came, and now it almost kills my poor wife. I hope you will carefully consider my case, and allow me all the leniency in your power. I am now near man at heart, and my good wife is capable of making a good man out of me.

I do so wish you could send me to Elmira Reform School, as I feel sure it would make me a better man in the future. I am 29 years old the 24th of Sept. '89 and can convince you that I have been actively engaged in business since my last arrival in New York, which was April 25th 1888. Please allow me your greatest mercy, and I promise you that I will never associate again with such men as I have in the past.

I hope you will treat my wife with all due respect, as she is a grand, and noble little lady. God help you to consider my case, for my wife's account if not my own. I am yours Resp.
J. B. Deam

J. B. Deam
June 26, 1889
The People's Beacon

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District Attorneys Office.

City & County of

New York.

May 6th

1889

3pm

Col. John R. Fellows

Dear Colonel Fellows.

I called to see you in the case of John B. Dean, whose case is set for trial tomorrow - charge gambling. I would say that this young man was known to me as a real estate broker at 60 Wall St. and I thought quite well of him. He has a nice young wife who is standing bravely by him and she desires administration for the estate she has taken. I believe that even if he is guilty, that she will be able to make something out of him in the future. Therefore if you can agree with me that the end of the law is the reformation, I trust you will temper justice with mercy as far as consistent with your duty in this case and help this poor lady in her hour of trouble. What you do will not be forgotten. Yours, with respect

A. M. Davies

89 West End Ave.
New York.

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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 B. Dean, Joseph
Catow and William Thompson

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *John B. Dean, Joseph*
Catow and William Thompson
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE,
committed as follows:

The said *John B. Dean, Joseph Catow and*
William Thompson, all _____
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
Eighty nine, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, divers promissory notes for the payment of money, being
then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury
Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *nine hundred* _____
dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
nine hundred _____
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *nine hundred* _____
dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *nine hundred* _____
dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *ten dollars*.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George H. Chappell*
_____ then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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Witnesses;

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of April 1889

Pleads, No 1 Not Guilty April 20/89

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John B. O'Leary
Joseph C. Eaton and
William Thayer
Grand Larceny, 1st Degree.
[Sections 528, 53, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A. M. Kirby
Foreman.

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 A. Deon, Joseph
Cotton and William Thompson

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse
Cotton and William Thompson
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE FIRST DEGREE,

committed as follows :

The said John A. Deon, Joseph Cotton and
William Thompson, on the twentieth
day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, divers promissory notes for the payment of money, being
then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury
Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of nine hundred

dollars ; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
nine hundred dollars ; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of nine hundred dollars ; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of nine hundred dollars ; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of ten dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one George M. Chappell,
then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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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 B. Dean, Joseph
Eaton and William Thompson

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *John B. Dean, Joseph*
Eaton and William Thompson
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *First* DEGREE,
committed as follows :

The said *John B. Dean, Joseph Eaton and*
William Thompson, all
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*
day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
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unknown, of the value of *ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George H. Chappell,*
then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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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 B. Dean, Joseph
Eaton and William Thompson

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *John B. Dean, Joseph*
Eaton and William Thompson
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *First* DEGREE,
committed as follows :

The said *John B. Dean, Joseph Eaton and*
William Thompson, all

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*
day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, divers promissory notes for the payment of money, being
then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury
Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *nine hundred*

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and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
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Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *nine hundred*

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unknown, of the value of *ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George H. Chappell,*
then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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DESCRIPTION:

Delaney, William

DATE:

04/09/89



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M. J. Taylor
off M. J. Taylor


Filed 9 day of April 1889
Pleads, Magistry 10 6

vs.

William J. Delaney
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432 W 100th
electrics

72 Apr 12. 1886 District Attorney.
J. C. 10 May 12.

A True Bill.



 Foreman.

S.P. from years.

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Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE
(Section 498, 506, 508, 531, 532)

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Police Court—H District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 656 Street Avenue Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Mechanic being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 2nd floor of aforesaid Street, 22 Wardin the City and County aforesaid the said being a four story brown stonetenement buildingand which was occupied by deponent as a dwellingand in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

breaking open
the window leading from the Bathroom
into the kitchen and entering
therein with intent to commit
a felonyon the 25 day of March 1889 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:2 silver watches, 5 watch chains, 2 suits of
gentlemen's cloths, 1 ladies shawl,
1 Over Coat, 1 silk handkerchief
1 ladies waterproof cloak and a
quantity of other articles all together
of the value of One hundred dollars
(\$100.00)the property of deponent and his wife
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 byWilliam J. Delaney alias Ryan
(now dead)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That defendant occupied
the rear hall bedroom on said 2nd floor
that deponent is informed by Annie
McManus of No 656 Street Avenue
that she in company with Catharine
Quigley (deponent's wife) left said
premises at about One o'clock
PM of said date and that she saw
said Catharine Quigley secretly look

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and fasten the doors leading into
said premises and she said Annie
McManus tried said doors to see
if they were securely fastened after
she saw said Catharine lock them
that she also saw said defendant in
said premises about fifteen minutes
before she went out with Mrs Quigley.
that when she returned at about 3 o'clock
PM same day she discovered that said
window had been broken open and
the parlor door was ajar. Defendant is
also informed by Michael Burke
of the 22 Precinct that at about 3 o'clock
PM of April 2, 1889 he found
defendant secreted in the Coal chute
of said numbered premises with a coat
and vest then and there worn upon his body
which defendant has since seen and pro-
bably identified as a portion of the property
taken stolen and carried away from said
premises at the time and manner herein
described.

Police Justice.

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Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness.

No.

Street.

No.

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to answer General Sessions.

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 he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 188

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

Dated 188

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence mentioned, I order that he be discharged.

Dated 188

William Quigley

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation none of No.

656 Third Ave Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Wm Drigly

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of Apr 1887

Amie McHarris
mark

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael Burke
aged 31 years, occupation Police Officer of No 22 Quincy Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Wm Dwyer
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

4 Michael Burke
April 1889

and over

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William J. Delaney 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. *William J. Delaney*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *I Refuse to Answer*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I Refuse to 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 have nothing to say
at present*
Wm. J. Delaney

Taken before me this
day of *April* 188*8*

John B. Smith
Police Justice.

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

Alfred Lamb

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.....188

April 4

cu J. B. Over

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated.....188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....

.....guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated.....188

Police Justice.

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. Drigley
656-9 Ave
Wm. Delaney
alias Ryan

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Offence
Drigley

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated *April 4* 188 *9*

Power Magistrate.

Parke Officer.

22 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1500* to answer *G & D*

Com *1300* *9* *10* *11* *12* *13* *14* *15* *16* *17* *18* *19* *20* *21* *22* *23* *24* *25* *26* *27* *28* *29* *30* *31* *32* *33* *34* *35* *36* *37* *38* *39* *40* *41* *42* *43* *44* *45* *46* *47* *48* *49* *50* *51* *52* *53* *54* *55* *56* *57* *58* *59* *60* *61* *62* *63* *64* *65* *66* *67* *68* *69* *70* *71* *72* *73* *74* *75* *76* *77* *78* *79* *80* *81* *82* *83* *84* *85* *86* *87* *88* *89* *90* *91* *92* *93* *94* *95* *96* *97* *98* *99* *100*

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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

William J. Delaney

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

William J. Delaney

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

The said

William J. Delaney

late of the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the Twenty-fifth day of March in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine -- , with force and arms, in the
day -- time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one

William Inigley

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

William Inigley

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

— William J. Delaney —
of the CRIME OF Grand LARCENY in the second degree committed as follows:

The said

William J. Delaney

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 day —
time of said day, with force and arms,

two watches of the value of
ten dollars each, five chains of the
value of four dollars each, two
coats of the value of seven dollars
each, two vests of the value of
three dollars each, two pair of trousers
of the value of five dollars each
pair, one shawl of the value of
five dollars, one overcoat of the
value of fifteen dollars, one
handkerchief of the value of one
dollar, one waterproof cloak of the
value of two dollars, and divers other
goods, chattels and personal property of
a number and description to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown of the value of two dollars
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

William Lingley

in the dwelling house of the said

William Lingley

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

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THIRD COUNT.

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

William J. Delaney

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

The said

William J. Delaney

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, two watches of the value of ten dollars each, five chains of the value of four dollars each, two coats of the value of seven dollars each, two vests of the value of three dollars each and two pair of trousers of the value of five dollars each pair, one shawl of the value of five dollars, one overcoat of the value of fifteen dollars, one handkerchief of the value of one dollar, one waterproof cloak of the value of two dollars, and divers other goods, chattels and personal property of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of ten dollars, of the goods, chattels and personal property of

William Ingley

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said

William Ingley

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

William J. Delaney

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen), 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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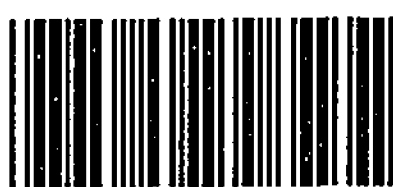
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Derby, Abram

DATE:

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Counsel,
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day of April 1889
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Myself 10. m. 17
THE PEOPLE
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Indemnity
[Stamp 716, 1887 & 4]

Whom Derby

To be returned for
an opinion
J. H. N. D.

JOHN R. FELLOWS

Reason m. of 14. 1889
I have decided to go

A TRUE BILL.
Feb 19, 1889

Foreman

off for Sept 1889
S. J. D.

Witnesses:

Off. Charles Thompson

From the information of the
Master and from all the
Circumstances Concerning
the Indemnity - I am convinced
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Feb 20, 1889
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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

4 District Police Court.

Abraham Derby 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.

Abraham Derby

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

47 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York State

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

Answer.

302 West 32 Street 8 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

in Telephone Business

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

Abraham Derby

Taken before me this

21st

day of

March

1889

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *March 26* 188*9* *John J. Hoffman* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *March 27* 188*9* *John J. Hoffman* 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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BAILED

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court---

463 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Chas W Thompson

vs.

Abraham Derby

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3.

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Dated

March 26

1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

22 Precinct.

Witnesses

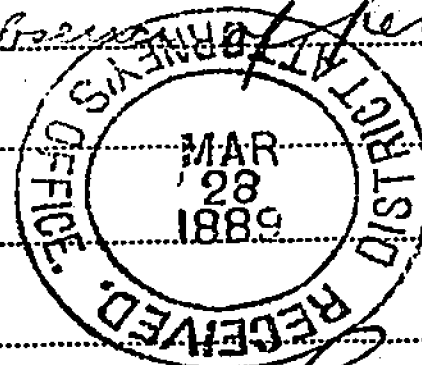
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to answer



Paula Thompson

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8TH FLOOR.
ROOM 25.New York, Feb. 10th 1891

Barton S. Weeks Esq.

My dear Sir:

I respectfully ask that you have this case dismissed. The defendant ^{was} been indicted in April 1887, I believe, under some statute relating to the stringing of electric wires &c. As a matter of fact he was in the employ of the New-York and New England Telephone Co., a Corporation now practically defunct, which was engaged in the business of putting up short distance telephones say between a man's house and his stable, or between his house & his business office - in which no electricity was employed. When arrested he was said to have been engaged in repairing or putting up such a wire. All the circumstances were explained in detail to Dist. Atty. Fellows, and to Asst. Dist. Atty. Goff, and to two other Asst. Dist. Attys. whose names I do not now recall - and all seemed to admit that the case should be dismissed - but somehow it has come up at least half a dozen times, I think, each time either I, or some officer of the Co., has attended - and gone over the matter anew with the Asst. Dist. Atty. and the witnesses were told to go and assurance was given that the case would be dismissed once for all - but it has kept constantly reappearing. The defendant is an honest

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laboring man, ignorant of course of the existence of
any law violating his occupation - and, moreover,
I do not think the act covered the mere act of
merely putting up a wire on a short telephone
system not involving the use of electricity. Under
these circumstances I respectfully ask that
the case be dropped.

Very truly Yrs.

Geo. C. Hobbs.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Charles W. Thompson
of the 22nd Precinct Police Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Police officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 26 day of March 1889
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Abram Derby (now here)
did unlawfully construct a Telephone
Wire across Broadway between 46 &
47 Street without a permit and
in violation of Law.

Chas W Thompson

Sworn to before me, this

of March

1889

26 day

Police Justice.

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District Attorney's Office,

New York, Feb 9th 1891

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs.

Abraham Derby

George C. Kotter Esq.,
120 Broadway

Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

Dear Sir:

Please take notice that the above-named
defendant, for whom you are Counsel, will be placed
on the Calendar of Part 2 Court of General
Sessions, for trial on February 11th 1891

B.S. Weeks

Very respectfully,

DE LANCEY NICOLL
JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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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

Abram Derby

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

Indictment accuse *Abram Derby* of a Misdemeanor

~~of the crime of~~

committed as follows:

The said *Abram Derby*,

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

without having first obtained leave
permission from the Board of Street
Control in and for the City of New York,
a permit, in writing therefor, did
intentionally erect and bring above
ground, a certain electrical wire, against
the form of the Statute in such cases
made and provided, and against the peace
of the People of the State of New York,
and their dignity.

John D. Hallam,

Attorney