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Hawn, George

DATE:

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Croninger, Lorenzo

DATE:

10/08/85



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*George W. Brown
George W. Boardman
and George F. Hunt
in the year 1888.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *George W. Brown, George W. Boardman and George F. Hunt* of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *George W. Brown, George W. Boardman and George F. Hunt*, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *11th* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge, and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in the forging a certain instrument and writing, *to wit: an order for the payment of money for a kind known as bank checks,* which said forged *bank checks,* is as follows, that is to say:

W. Boardman
200 Broadway
Jan 11 1888
George W. Boardman
One hundred and eighty
\$ 180.00

with intent to defraud, 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 *George M. Dawson, George N. Sedgwick and George S. Pennington the younger* of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *George M. Dawson, George N. Sedgwick and George S. Pennington the younger*, each

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, having in *their* possession a certain forged instrument and writing, *to wit: an order for the payment*

of money of the said American Bank - No. 100

which said forged *Bank Order* is as follows, that is to say:

*No. 100
New York, Dec 28 1885
National Business Bank
101 Broadway
Pay to P. A. Howard or Bearer
One hundred & eighty \$
\$180.⁰⁰/₁₀₀
W. Miller*

with force and arms, and with intent to defraud, the said forged *Bank Order* then and there did feloniously utter, dispose of and put off as true, *by* the said *George M. Dawson, George N. Sedgwick and George S. Pennington the younger*, then and there well knowing the same to be forged, 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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George M. ...
John ...
William ...

BAILED,

No. 1, by *George M. ...*

Residence *285 5th Avenue*

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

William ...
John ...
George ...

No. 44
Police Court
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William ...

George M. ...
John ...

George M. ...
John ...

Dated *Sept 28 1883*

John ...
Magistrate
Office Precinct

Witnesses

No. *148* *M. ...*

No. *148* *M. ...*

No. *1000* *back*

Sept 28 1883

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

George M. ...
John ...

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 *Sept 28 1883* *George M. ...* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Lorenzo D. Croninger

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. Lorenzo D. Croninger

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Corrington Kentucky

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

Answer. 7 West 74 Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Clerk

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 knew the character of the cheque and went with Haun for the purpose of having it cashed.

Lorenzo D. Croninger

Taken before me this 23rd day of September 1888
William J. Lawrence
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

George W Beckford 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.

George W Beckford

Question. How old are you?

Answer

20 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Boston

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

Answer.

218 West 35 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 went to the bank for the purpose of having the check cashed. I am not guilty of the charge.
G. W. Beckford

Taken before me this

day of

1888

John J. Lawrence Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

George M. Horn

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.

George M. Horn

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Jersey City

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

Answer.

283-6th Avenue

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 but I was influenced to the act by my acquaintances

Geo M. Horn.

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT 1st

William Miller
of No. 427 Produce Exchange Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 23rd day of September 1885
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, George M. Havon

And Croninger W. Beckford acting in concert and collusion and all now present ^{and with intent to cheat & defraud} did unlawfully and feloniously forge and counterfeit the annexed cheque on the New York National Citizens Bank for One hundred and eighty dollars and forged and counterfeited the name of this deponent to said cheque and did feloniously utter said cheque and presented it at said Bank and demanded payment of the same as deponent is informed by the paying teller of said Bank and deponent believes the same to be true. That said Havon now admits in Oath that he did so make and counterfeit said cheque - That Beckford admits that he knew of the forged cheque being in Havons possession and went with him for the purpose of having it cashed and Croninger confesses that he also knew the false character of the cheque and aided Havon in having it cashed and presented it at the Bank for that purpose. Therefore deponent charges the defendants with the commission of the felony W. Miller

*Sworn to before me this 23rd day of Sept 1885
John W. Hornum
Justice*

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City and County of
New York
Alexander M. Eagleston of
148 West 125 Street being duly
sworn says that he is paying
teller of the New York Citizens
Bank and that the annexed
cheque was by the defendant
Kroninger presented at said Bank
and payment demanded on the
same

Alex. M. Eagleston

Sworn to before me this
30th day of Sept 1888 }
Police Justice }

POLICE COURT— DISTRICT—

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

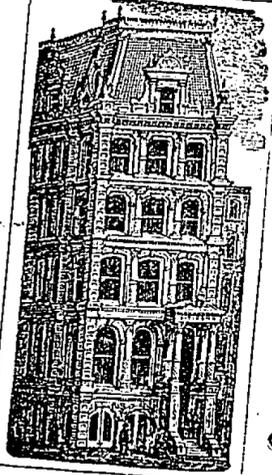
Officer.

Witness,

Disposition

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	No. _____	NEW YORK, <i>Sept 21</i> 18 <i>85</i>
	National Citizens Bank, 401 BROADWAY,	
Pay to <i>A. C. Howard</i> or Bearer or order,		
<i>One hundred & eighty</i> ^x / _x Dollars.		
$\$182 \frac{00}{100}$	<i>A. Miller</i>	
<small>HULIN Print, 411 Broadway, N. Y.</small>		

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

Conrad M. Lawrence

~~Mary Jones~~

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself.

The defendant was in my employ for about a year and a half, previous to the charge I made against him. He was an extra bright, exemplary Young Man and I am satisfied he was led into the commission of the offense charged by other persons, who took advantage of defendant's youth and inexperience. It is the first offense of the defendant from all I can learn, and owing to his previous good character ~~of defendant~~ and the respectability of his family, and also from the fact that I believe a clemency exercised in this case, will benefit society much more than a punishment. I earnestly request permission to withdraw my complaint and ask the clemency of the authorities.

Witness
My hand
M. W. Miller

M. W. Miller

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Heinecken, Frank

DATE:

10/27/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Meany Honan
Officer Huff

W. J. P. 257 B
Counsel, *W. J. P. 257 B*
Filed *27* day of *Oct* 188*0*
Plead *Guilty (not)*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Ernest Diamond
[Section 282, Penal Code]

Randolph S. ...

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Dec. 7, 1880
W. J. P. 257 B
W. J. P. 257 B
Foreman.

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Dec 10 1880
Guilty & Acquitted.

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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

Franka Steinbeck

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

Franka Steinbeck of the crime of Abduction, committed as follows:

The said Franka Steinbeck, late of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the sixteenth day of October, 1885, at the City and County aforesaid, did feloniously invade and entice one Mary Donovan into a certain public inn and hotel there, known as the Bull's Head, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, the said Mary Donovan being then and there an unmarried female under the age of twenty-five years, to wit: of the age of seventeen years, of previous chaste character, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0095

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry H. Frank
239 E. 57th St
Frank Heinicke

Offence *Abduction*

Dated

October 19 188*5*

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ *500* to answer

General Sessions.

for 9/19/23 Oct 20th
1/2 R. B. Brown

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

Frank Heinicke

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 *October 19* 188*5*

Henry H. Frank
Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

Frank Heincken

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *Frank Heincken*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *24 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *Germany*

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

Answer *1068 2 Avenue*

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?

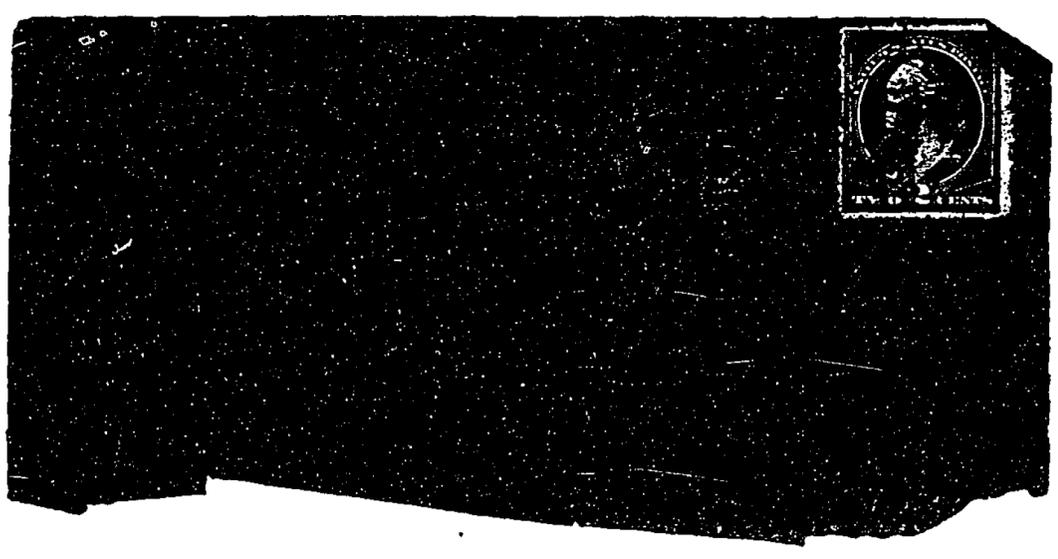
Answer *I am not guilty of the charge*
Frank Heincken

Taken before me this 19 day of October 1888

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court, 7 District.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 231 East 57th Street, aged 17 years,

occupation servant being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 16th day of October 1885, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Frank Heineker (now present) did unlawfully and feloniously invade and entice deponent into a house called "The Bulls Head" in Third Avenue for the purpose of having sexual intercourse with deponent ^{who was of previous chaste character} that on the night of said day after deponent had in company of the defendant visited divers places of amusement and was on her way home, the defendant reminded deponent that it was late and advised, encouraged, and enticed deponent to take a room in said Hotel until the following morning. That the defendant then stated to deponent that he would take a separate room and if he could not procure one he would go home and leave deponent in the Hotel. That after entering the Hotel the defendant showed deponent to her room and when he got deponent inside he followed her and locked the door and put the key in his pocket - that he did thereafter force deponent upon a bed, and did then and there have sexual intercourse with deponent who through fear of exposure and alarming the inmates was prevented from making an outcry preventing the defendant from accomplishing his purpose.

Mary Honan

Sworn to before me this 19th day of October 1885
 J. M. Winkler
 Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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New York, Oct. 28th
1885.

To the Honorable

Mrs. Martine

District Attorney

Honorable Sir!

I have been charged with committing a rape on Mary Hermann who went with me on Friday night, October the sixteenth to the Pullman Hotel and stopped with me over night in one and the same room, we slept together in the same bed and she permitted me to have twice connection with her, in the morning I took her home. She was pulled very much by her Mistress and on account attempted to commit suicide. After she recovered she was told what trouble she got herself into by having taken poison she then blamed me for all her troubles

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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and has given me by staying with her
a bad venereal disease with ^{prophylaxis} suffer very
much and am under the treatment of a doctor.
Whatever medical treatment that might, she willing
ly agreed to, there was no compulsion
whatsoever and she was perfectly sober and
is nearly eighteen years of age a strong and
powerful girl and I am twenty four.
How can I be charged with rape? I state this
to you as it is the true fact and hope
that you will discharge me for I hate to
state public in court. That she has
given me a bad disease (the clap) excuse
this expression.

Hoping and trusting that you
will kindly discharge me, I shall prove
myself most grateful. Most respectfully
Yours,
Frank Weisbach
Cell. 57.

P.S.
I am in court tomorrow
Wednesday to plead to my
indictment. The fireman at traffic
Lyelling in 57th Street 244. Theodore had
connection with the girl before and told
me so in presence of witnesses.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0901

The People
vs
Frank Hinckley

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Was hat das Gnad Gnad
 Ihre wackere Güter
 sind nicht zu verkaufen
 In der Gnad ich fühlte
 glücklich für Ihre Anwesenheit
 mit dem die die mit
 schenken wird sehr
 in der Güterzeit die
 nicht an die zu wollen
 und an die Gnad Wunsch
 In der die Güter
 die gut nicht so die zu
 nach dem, nach dem
 die die die die
 in der die die die
 zu den
 Ihre die Gnad
 nicht zu sein Gnad die

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0904

Paper

Trans. Henders

Dr. Gummough
who attended

Mary Thomas
after taking P...

Mrs. Leach

Employer

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0905

Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. _____

New York, _____ 188

Mary Horan was put under arrest
for attempting to commit suicide on Oct.
17, 85. and sent to Bellevue Hospital was
taken to 57th St. Court, on Oct. 19th when
she informed Judge Murray as to what
caused her taking the Poison. Judge Murray
ordered the arrest of Frank Henke
immediately when advised. He stated to me
that he reported it, as he got afraid when
she told of her taking the Poison and that
he went and consulted a Lawyer who
he said informed him not to go away
as he was all right. He then could
be doing anything for him he has a wife
and 2 children whom he did not live with
(or at least she would not live with him,
for the past 12 months) he told Mary
Horan that he would marry her and
go to Chicago and start in business
there.

R. J. Cuff
P. J. Cuff

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Herman, Lena

DATE:

10/12/85



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Witnesses:

The complainant is desirous of withdrawing the complaint herein. The defendant is now leading a respectable life & has two children. I recommend accepting plea of Petit Larceny.

Mar. 16/87
W.D. Davis
Barrister at Law

No. 72

Counsel,
Filed *[Signature]* day of *[Signature]* 1885
Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
B
Semi-detention

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree
(From the Person.)
Sections 228, 230, Penal Code.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Perk III *Mich 16/87* Foreman.
[Signature]
Petty Larceny
City Prison 5 days.

0908

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Sera Herman

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

Sera Herman
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Sera Herman*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty sixth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *five*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one Promissory Note — for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *one* United States Treasury Note, of the denomination of *five* dollars, and of the value of *five* dollars,

and one Promissory Note — for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *one* Bank Note, of the denomination of *five* dollars, and of the value of *five* dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George W. Smith*, on the person of the said *George W. Smith*, then and there being found, from the person of the said *George W. Smith*, 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.

Randolph Martin
District Attorney

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Sec. 192.

1st District Police Court

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before *Henry Murray* a Police Justice ;
of the City of New York, charging *Lena Sterman* Defendant with
the offence of *Larceny from the Person*

and she 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 hearing thereof having been adjourned,

We *Lena Sterman* Defendant of No. *423*
Fifth Street; by occupation a *Waitress*
and *John J. Solan* of No. *183 Chatham*
Street, by occupation a *Saloonkeeper* Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named *Lena Sterman* Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the *1st* 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 *three*
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this *29* day of *Sept* 188*7*.
Lena Sterman
John J. Solan
Henry Murray POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Sworn to before me, this
day of
John J. ...
District Justice

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 Six 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 Stock, Trade and fixtures in a liquor store No 183 Chatham Street said City worth three thousand dollars free and clear

John J. ...

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

ss.

Taken the

day of

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Justice.

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No. 72-1097
Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George W. Smith
155 Hill St
Brooklyn

1. Lena Herman
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Office Larceny
from the person

Dated Sept 29 188

Magistrate
Sept 29
Precinct 6

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. 307-19 Street _____

to answer
Sept 29 1888
307-19
307-19

BAILED

No. 1, by

1888
Charles H. Brown
Street _____

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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 Lena Herman

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 Sept 29 1888 Henry Murray Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated Sept 29 1888 Henry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

Lena Herman

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. *Lena Herman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *423 Fifth Street 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waitress*

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
Sine
Lena Herman
Sworn*

Taken before me this

day of *Nov* 188*8*

John J. ... Police Justice.

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Police Court— First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

George W Smith
of No. 155 Hull Street Brooklyn Street, aged 27 years,
occupation Stenographer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 26th day of September 1885 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession ^{and}
person of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

Good and Lawful ^{Property} of the United States
Consisting of One five dollar bill

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 Lena Herman (nowhere)
from the fact that at about the hour
of eight o'clock P.M. on said date deponent
met the said defendant in a concert
saloon in the basement of premises no
192 Chatham Street and while in con-
versation with the said defendant about
making change for the payment of one
glass of beer the said defendant snatched
the aforesaid five dollar bill from deponent's
left hand and refused to return the said
bill. Wherefore deponent charges the said
defendant with feloniously taking, stealing
and carrying away the aforesaid five dollar
bill from possession and person of deponent

G. W. Smith

Sworn to before me this 26th day of September 1885
of George W. Smith
Police Justice

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Hines, James

DATE:

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1940

DESCRIPTION:

Tryford, Robert

DATE:

10/09/85



1940

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No. 170-132 ✓

Witnesses:

[Handwritten signature]

Counsel, J. St. Amant
Filed 9 day of Oct 1885
Meady, M. H. Wick 12

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vs. *[Handwritten signature]*
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vs. *[Handwritten signature]*
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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

6th Nov. 9/88

A True Bill:
of Pennsylvania 3 day
of Nov. 9/88

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Foreman

(With) Each S.P.H. nos.

Friend & Chrydisia

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Oliver and Frank ...

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

James Oliver and Frank ...

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

The said *James Oliver and Frank ...*

... each ...

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

... and ...

... and ...

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*

one Theodore ...

in the said *... 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

James Dimes and Robert Langford
of the CRIME OF *Exit* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said *James Dimes and Robert Langford, each*
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 *same* time of the said day, with force and arms,

Two *gangs* *of* *the*

value *of* *one* *thousand* *each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Frederick B. Dimes,*

in the *railway* *car* of the said *New York Central*
and Hudson River Railroad Company;

there *situated*, then and there being found, *in* the *railway* *car* 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.

Frederick B. Dimes
District Attorney

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

Police Court - District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Samuel Smith
Robert Thompson

539 W. 59th St.

3 _____
 4 _____
 Offence _____

Dated *October 1st* 188 _____

W. J. Kelly
 Magistrate.

Witnesses
Samuel Smith
 No. *447* W. *34th* St.

John Loftus
 No. *401* W. *34th* St.

No. _____
 \$ *1000* to answer _____
 Street _____

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

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

Dated *Oct 1st* 188 _____ *Samuel Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James Hines

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. United States

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

Answer. 295 - 3rd av (6 months)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Writer

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

Answer. I am not guilty
I was sleeping in the
car.

James Hines
exam

Taken before me this

day of Sept 1888

Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert Tugford 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 to 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.

Robert Tugford

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Canada.

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

Answer.

313 East 33rd (3 years)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Robert Tugford

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Samuel McNeill

Police Justice.

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Police Court 2 District.

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

of No. 509 New 59 Street, aged 45 years,
occupation Watchman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 3019 of the New York Central Railroad Road
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Freight Car
loaded with grain and corn
and which was occupied by said Company as a Freight Car for the transportation
of merchandise and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

was BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly unraveling
the fastenings and breaking the
seal off of said car, attached to
said car

on the 30th day of September 1885 in the of time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two bags
of corn of the value of two
dollars (2.00)

the property of Wm B. Chase & Co. (in charge of the Central R.R. Co.)
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by
James Hines and Robert Joyford
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: when deponent went to
the said car, on his rounds as
watchman, last night September 30th 1885
6.30 P.M. he discovered the car door
fastenings and seal broken off and
found the said defendants in the
car, and the said two bags of corn
on the platform, having been
placed there preparatory to being

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carried away, wherefore respondent believes that the said defendants did Burglariously enter the said car and take the property herein mentioned and described and prays that they be dealt with as the law

directs
Given under my hand and seal
this 1st day of October 1885 John P. Bennett
Saml. M. Bell, Police Justice

Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary _____ Degree.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses :

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____ Street.

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Testimony in the
case of
James Hines and
Rott. Inford.

filed Oct. 1885.

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The People
vs.
James Hines and
Robert Tryford.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.
Before Judge Cowing.

November 9, 1935.

Indictment for burglary in the third degree.

John P. Annett sworn. I live at 409 West 59th St. and am a watchman on the New York Central R. R. Co., I was on duty at half past six on the evening of the 30th of September, I remember car No. 3019 which was loaded with feed in bags; when I went on my round I found the car closed and sealed; it was about a quarter past six that the door was fastened; when I returned about fifteen or twenty minutes after that I found the car had been broken open and two bags of corn were out on the platform, I went inside the car and found the two prisoners. The car was loaded with bags.

Cross Examined. This car was standing in front of the building on Eleventh Avenue between 3rd and 34th Streets in this city. This was on Wednesday, I went on duty as watchman at seven o'clock in the morning and was relieved at seven o'clock at night. I passed this car twice, I took particular notice that the doors were closed. I had not seen these men before that day until I found them in the car; they were lying on the bags of feed at the back end of the car, they appeared to be asleep, I did not say anything to them at all, I went and closed the door so that they could not get out and went over to the office and reported it to Mr Loftus, he sent for an officer, I went back to the car and remained until the policemen came, the door was opened and he took these two men out, I took particular notice of the men, I do

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not think they were under the influence of liquor.. I was examined on the former trial and gave about the same testimony that I am giving now.

Harry Sisson sworn. I am employed in Theo. P. Chase & Co.'s grain elevator. As soon as the car was loaded I sealed the car up about half past five, I went away, I did not see the car afterwards but I know it was the car that was broken open because I took the number off the books of the company, I did not see anybody open the door of the car and have no personal knowledge that the door was opened after I sealed it.

John Loftus sworn. I live at 401 West 34th Street and am foreman of the New York Central R. R.. The watchman in charge reported the breaking of the car to me I went over for the purpose of getting the two men that was said to be in the car. Officer Robinson was passing by 34th Street and I called him to arrest the parties in the car, he went to get another officer and about fifteen or twenty minutes elapsed before the officer came back. I was about ten feet from the car and these two prisoners were in the act of shoving the car door open when I went over and shoved them in the car and shut the door, I saw them in the act of jumping from the car, I watched the car myself until the officer came and when he came the two men were standing directly in front of the car door, I went to the Station House with them. I noticed the appearance of these men when they were brought out by the officers, they looked as if they had been drinking but were not intoxicated.. There are two doors to the car.

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Robert Robinson sworn. I had a conversation with the prisoners, I asked them what brought them into that car and they said they went in to have a sleep about half past four in the afternoon, I took them from the east door, they looked as if they might have been drinking.

The Case for the Defence.

Robert Tryford sworn. I am thirty-five years old and live at 311 East 3rd Street for the last two years, I am a cook and waiter and work in the restaurant business the last place I worked was in 3rd Avenue in "Buckie's" restaurant and previous to that I worked for "Walter Barker" who kept a restaurant in Coney Island, I worked in "Leggett's" about two months, I lived with the late "Paron Stevens" 244 Fifth Avenue five years as a footman, I was out of employment seven or eight days before I was arrested, I had some funds saved up and have a mother to keep beside myself, I have never been arrested in my life and I have been seventeen years in New York, I went in to this freight car about half past four in the afternoon, I had been in a liquor store in 3th Avenue and was considerably under the influence of liquor, I know "Wines", seven or eight years and he works in the same business, we were both under the influence of liquor. We did not break into the car, the car was half way open, we were in a truck in a vacant lot and some boys were pouncing stones at us and we went in there and fell asleep, we did not touch anything and I did not notice any bags on the platform; we went in there to sleep off the drink, I did not see Mr. Loftus push the door of the car, we went into the east door, I was born in Canada, I never was arrested there.

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James Hines sworn. I live 105 Third Ave.
and as a waiter, I worked all summer in the Central Park
refreshment saloon. I was arrested once in Boston for
being drunk. We went into that car simply to sleep, if
the boys would have let us alone we would have remained
in the truck, the car was partly open when we went in.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of burglary in
the third degree.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1940

DESCRIPTION:

Hoffmann, Henry

DATE:

10/07/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No 31

Counsel, _____
Filed 17 day of Oct 1885
Pleads Not guilty

PETIT LARCENY.
[Sections 528, 532, Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs. Hides.
Amount - \$
Dennis Hoffmann

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Ex cel 13/65

A True Bill.

Plead guilty
Pen. Six mos.
W. H. Anderson

Foreman.

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0931

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Henry Hoffmann

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

Henry Hoffmann

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Henry Hoffmann,*

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

one United States Treasury note of the denomination and value of five dollars, one Bank note of the denomination and value of five dollars, one United States Treasury Note of the denomination and value of two dollars, one United States Treasury note of the denomination and value of one dollar, one nickel coin of the kind known as five-cent pieces, of the value of five cents, and three coins of the kind known as cents, of the value of one cent each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George Kump.*

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

Randolph B. Martinie
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,
 No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

No. 31-3
 Police Court-4
 District.
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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Kung
 339th St. N.Y.
 Henry Hoffman

Offence P. Leweny

Dated Oct 4 1885

John Magistrate
Seals Officer

17 Precinct.

Witnesses Carl Hoopier

No. Catherine Reed Street.

No. 354 2/11 Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1000 to answer G. A.

Ed Case

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 _____

Henry Hoffman

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

Dated Oct 4 1885 John Seals Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK. } ss

Henry Hoffmann 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

Henry Hoffmann

Question How old are you?

Answer

25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

Chaumont Ave - Bowery - 3 weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Waste

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 did not steal any thing. The money claimed by the complainant is mine
Henry Hoffmann.

I taken before me this

day of

October

1888

W. J. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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POLICE COURT 9 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE, vs. <i>Henry H. Huan</i>	}	On Complaint of <i>Lizzie Kunze</i> For <i>P. Geneva</i>
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After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby waive a trial, by Jury, on this

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Lizzie Keatinge Kunze

of No. 339 East 11th Street, New York

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 4 day of October 1888

at the night time City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

Good and lawful money of the United States to the amount and value of six dollars and eight cents \$6.08

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 Henry Hoffman (now here)

for the following reason; Deponent was awakened at 2:30 A.M. and saw the defendant take the said money from a bureau drawer and leave deponent's room by the fire escape. Deponent gave the alarm and the defendant was immediately arrested with the said money in his possession. Deponent's room window was left open and the defendant must have entered by said open window.

Lizzie Kunze

Sworn before me this

4 day of

October

1888

Police Justice,

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1940

DESCRIPTION:

Hogan, Frank

DATE:

10/30/85



1940

Ed. J. J. J.

Witnesses:

L. W. Campbell

Op-320 A1

Case stay con
113-6-1 con

Counsel,

Filed 30 day of Oct 1885

Pleads *Inguilty*

THE PEOPLE

v. W. H. I

vs. I

Grand Jurors

Grand Larceny, First Degree.
(DWELLING HOUSE.)
[Sections 528, 580, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*By Am 1760 - P.L.
W. C. 4-1-1909.*

A True Bill.

R. B. Martine

Foreman.

W. C. 4-1-1909

W. C.

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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

Franka Hoag

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

Franka Hoag

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

The said *Franka Hoag*,

late of the *Sixteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twentyfourth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, in the night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

one coat of the value of eight dollars, and one package of the value of twentyfive dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Cornelius W. Ramphell*,

in the dwelling-house of the said *Cornelius W. Ramphell*,

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,

Randolph B. Smith,
District Attorney

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Frank - Keeping to
promise I write you
this morning. It
seems impossible for
me to have you come
before a week from
next Monday. That
will be the first day
of November - then
we can clash well
the beginning of a
month and a week

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If you cannot wait
until then - I will
know at once - I
will then have to pay
my first for nearly
half a month more
than the time -

Wm. H. H. H.
10 - 10 - 10 - 10

Oct 22nd 1885.

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New York, C. ¹⁸⁷⁵ 1875

It is to certify that
Frank Morgan — has
lived with me as a
waiter at two differ-
ent times, has had
charge of the dining
room & silver and
has been employed in
work all over the house
and I have never
known him to take
anything dishonestly,
but have found him
a good, faithful servant

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and would best hire
again -- Mrs. J. W. Beach

243 West 21st St

Mrs Cowdier

Mrs Heller to
37. East 46th St

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No. 530
Police Court District 117

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William W. Pennington
vs.
134 W. 15th St.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

1. *James Hogan*
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
Offence *Larceny*

Date *Dec 15 1888*

Wm. W. Pennington
Magistrate

Wm. W. Pennington
Officer

Witnesses
John Daniels
John West
Street

No. _____
Street

No. *508*
to answer
Street

Deane

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

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

Dated *Dec 15 1888* *Solomon D. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

Frank Hogan 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.

Frank Hogan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 Years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

325 West 41st (2 Men)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
Frank. Hogan*

Taken before me this

Robert J. ...
Police Magistrate.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Dunlop

aged _____ years, occupation _____ of No. _____

29 Becker

Street, being duly sworn deposes and
Cornelius Campbell

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

Oct

188*3*

John Dunlop

Salomon B. Smith

Police Justice.

0946

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 134 West 135th Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Deputy Marshal being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 7th day of October 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the High time, the following property viz:

One Coat
of the value of eight dollars
and one ladies sack of the
value of twenty five dollars,
of the value of thirty three dollars (33⁰⁰¢)

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 Sam Hogan (now here) in the following manner to wit: the defendant went to deponent's house to collect fifty cents due him by deponent, and while there went into the middle bedroom of deponent's house, on the 5th floor of the aforesaid premises, and took the aforesaid property therefrom, and was seen by deponent's wife, leaving the house with a bundle under his arm, deponent then made his loss known to the 79th Precinct and Officer John Dunlap (now here) arrested the said defendant when the defendant acknowledged his guilt, and gave up the same

of
Sworn to before me this
1883
day
Police Justice.

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Tickets of the said property and the officer secured the said property from the pawnbroker with whom the said property was pledged; therefore deponent prays that the said defendant be dealt with as the Law in such cases directs.

Known to before me } Samuel M. Campbell
this 26 day of October 1885 }
S. M. Campbell
Police Justice

Dated 1885 Police Justice

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice

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

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

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
vs.
1.
2.
3.
4.
Offence—LARCENY.

Dated 1885
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witnesses,
No. Street,
No. Street,
No. Street,
\$ to answer Sessions.

0948

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1940

DESCRIPTION:

Holzwasser, Herman

DATE:

10/23/85



1940

0950

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Abraham Holzwarth

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

Abraham Holzwarth of the crime of letting a portion of a building knowning that the same was intended to be used for unlawful purposes, committed as follows:

The said Abraham Holzwarth, late of the Twentieth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, City of New York, on the first day of May, 1885, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, being the agent of a certain building there situate, known as number 174 1/2 Seventh Avenue, did as such agent, unlawfully let a portion of the said building to one Emma Francis, the said Emma Francis then and there intending to use the same as a house of ill fame and assignation, and as a house of and place for persons to visit for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for lewd, obscene and indecent purposes, as the said Abraham

abolished, then and there well
known; against the form of the
Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the
peace and dignity of the said
People.

Randolph B. Martinie,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1940

DESCRIPTION:

Hughes, Michael

DATE:

10/30/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0953

No. 319 B.

Counsel,
Filed 20 day of Oct 1885
Pleads (W. G. W. C. C.)

Forgery in the Second Degree.
(Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)
(Indorsement, etc.)

THE PEOPLE

J. Columbus
Woodward P.
Woodward

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.
Pleads for the People

A True Bill.

J. H. Madison

Foreman.

John S. Hartman

Witness
John S. Hartman
First offense
Attorney says
to give defendant
the person
from whom
debt got out
of dept. from
in addition to
business sentence

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0954

No 319

Counsel,
Filed 20 day of Oct 1885
Pleads: *Not guilty*

Forgery in the Second Degree.
(Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)
(Indorsement, etc.)

THE PEOPLE

J. Columbus F. Woodland
Richard Andrew

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Per New York District Attorney.
Pleads: *Not guilty*

A True Bill.
R. H. Madison

Foreman.

John D. ...

Witness
John S. Hartman
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Hartman says
to you Dept. ...
of the prison,
from whom
debt. got out
of Dept. ...
in application to
insure sentence

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0955

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against
Michael Hughes

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

Michael Hughes

of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Michael Hughes,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty sixth day of October, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid,
having in his custody a certain instrument and writing, to wit: an order
for the payment of money, of the
said commonly called draft,
which said draft, is as follows, that is to say:

1220
Chautauque County National Bank,
Geneva, N.Y. Oct 23 1889
Pay to the order of J.A. Hall & Son
Fifteen & 20/100 \$15.20 Dollars
To Cashiers & Treasurers of Chautauque National Bank,
No. 45975 Cashier.

upon the back of which was then and there written a
certain endorsement as follows, to wit: Pay to the order
of J.D. Watman to J.A. Hall & Son,
The said Michael Hughes, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge,
and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in the forging on the
back of the said draft,
a certain instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement which said forged
instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement is as follows: that is to say,

J.D. Watman Esq.

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

Michael Hughes

of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Michael Hughes*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, having in *his* possession a certain instrument and writing, *to wit: an order for the payment*

of money of the said Commonwealth of New York.

which said *draft* is as follows, that is to say:

<p>#13²⁰ Charter Bank National Bank, Genesee, N.Y. Oct 23 1906</p> <p>Pay to the order of <i>J. D. Hall & Son</i> Fifteen ²⁰/₁₀₀ ————— Dollars \$15.00</p> <p>To Imposter of <i>Michael Hughes</i> National Bank of <i>Genesee</i> No. 145975 New York</p>

on the back of which said *draft* there was then and there written a certain instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement, which said endorsement is as follows, to wit: Pay to the order of *J. D. Hall & Son* — and

on the back of which said *draft* there was then and there written a certain forged instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement of the said last-mentioned *draft*, which said forged instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement is as follows, that is to say:

J. D. Hall & Son

with force and arms, the said forged *endorsement* then and there feloniously did utter, dispose of and put off as true, with intent to defraud, *he* the said *Michael Hughes*, then and there well knowing the premises, and that the said *endorsement* was forged, 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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1000 Loc 102 - 20th Oct 28.

Police Court District. 100-39974

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Jesse J. Hartman
26 West 49th St
Michael Houghes
Offence Forgery

Dated Oct 27 1883

Magistrate
Joseph J. McLaughlin
Precinct _____

Witnesses
Jacob & Mabel
No. 349 West 38th St
Street _____

Andrew W. McLaughlin
No. 166 1/2 Ave C
Street _____

No. 10000
to answer \$28.
Street _____

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

Michael Houghes

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

Dated Oct 27 1883 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0958

Sec. 198-200.

... 30 ... District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Michael Hughes

Question. How old are you?

Answer

20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Scotland

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

Answer.

53 Columbia Street, 7 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Blacksmith

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
M. E. Hughes

Taken before me this

day of

October 1887

at New York

Police Justice.

0959

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Andrew W. Nicholson

aged *60* years, occupation *Iron Merchant* of No.

166 South

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Jacob S. Wortman

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

Sworn to before me, this

2nd of the

day of *October* 188*8*

A. W. Nicholson

Signature

Police Justice

0960

STATE OF NEW YORK, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss. POLICE COURT - 3^d DISTRICT.

Jacob S. Wortman
of No. 26 Beekman Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says that on or about the 26th day of October 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Michael Hughes (nowhere)

did willfully feloniously and knowingly forge and utter with intent to cheat and defraud the signature of J. S. Wortman Esq as an endorser on the draft hereto attached and forming part of this complaint and with offering and disposing of said draft as good and true.

Deponent further says that said defendant was at the employ of deponent for sometime and that he deponent was informed by Andrew W. Nicholson of No. 166 South Street in the City of New York that the defendant brought to him said draft and obtained the sum of fifteen and ²⁰/₁₀₀ dollars thereon stating at said time that said complainant Wortman had sent him to get the money for said draft and that deponent had endorsed said draft, for that reason he said Nicholson parted with his money.

Deponent charges the said defendant with feloniously forging the signature of J. S. Wortman on said draft and asks that he be held to answer and dealt with according to law.

J. S. Wortman

Sumner to be for 2 me etc.
27th day of October 1885
with name
P. J. Sullivan

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1940

DESCRIPTION:

Hynes, James

DATE:

10/22/85



1940

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0962

1885

Counsel, *Beyley*
Filed *22* day of *Oct*
Pleads *voluntarily* vs.

1885

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Pennl Code).

Ms. St. Lawrence
Summerville

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. A. Omdon

Oct 24/85
Foreman.

W. A. Omdon
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Witnesses:

Sarah Blancy

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0963

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Dwyer

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

James Dwyer

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

The said *James Dwyer*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~seventeenth~~ day of *October* - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Sarah Plancy*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Sarah Plancy*, with a certain *pitch fork*

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

James Dwyer

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said *James Dwyer*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Sarah Plancy*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *her* the said *Sarah Plancy*,

with a certain *pitch fork*

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

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THIRD COUNT--

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

James Hynes
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

James Hynes
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Sarah Plenary*

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *her* the said *Sarah Plenary*

in and upon the *left arm* of *her* the said *Sarah Plenary*, did then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *stab cut*, bruise and wound, and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict upon *her* the said *Sarah Plenary* grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *Sarah Plenary*, 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0965

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

No 104

Police Court

1st District

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank Kennedy
100 Ave. 166 St. No. 1604

James S. Hynes

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2
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Dated Oct 18 1885

Magistrate

Officer

W. J. ...
Precinct

Witnesses

No. 166 St. No. 1604

No. 165 St. No. 1604

to answer

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

James S. Hynes

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

Dated Oct 18 1885 Police Justice

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0966

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Hynes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *40 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *165th Street 46th Ave - 13 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the Charge*

his
James Hynes
Man

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

[Signature]
Police Justice.

0967

Police Court— 5 District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

I Sarah Lancy—
of 10th Avenue between 165th & 166th Streets West side

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Saturday the 17th day of October

in the year 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

I he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James
Hynes, who cut
and stabbed deponent
in the left arm with a
Pitch or spike. The
arm then held in the hands
of the said Hynes. Causing
a painful wound—

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 18th day
of October 1887

Sarah Lancy

Wm. Wade

POLICE JUSTICE.

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