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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Palladino, Angelo

**DATE:**

04/02/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Theo. Dingeldien  
C. H. Gray  
Counsel,  
Filed 2 day of April 1885  
Pleads, *Amquidly*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. B  
Angelo Palladino  
[Sections Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. C. Berry*  
Part of June 1885  
Bail forfeited.  
June 29/86 accepts request  
Off.

Witnesses:  
James B. Reed  
458 W 13th St.  
Richard Scales  
824 1/2 St. 970th Ave.

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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

Amado Coladino

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

of the CRIME OF Persecution, the injury of the property of another, for the purpose and realization of an explosive substance, committed as follows:

The said Amado Coladino,

late of the 5th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 20th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully, feloniously and maliciously fire, discharge and explode, and cause to be fired, discharged and exploded, a great quantity of... of a certain explosive substance commonly called blasting-powder, for the purpose of thereby and therein to destroy and rendering void a certain road, without having first used proper measures to prevent damage being done thereby, for reason whereof divers houses and pieces of goods, were then and there by force of the explosion and discharge of powder shot and thrown with great violence against the dwelling house of one David C. Reed, there

rights, and the same dwelling house  
thereby greatly injured, 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 do  
said, by this indictment, further accuse  
the said Onofre Palladino of the crime  
of depriving the property of another by  
the careless and negligent use of  
gunpowder, committed as follows:  
The said Onofre Palladino, late of the  
Ward, City and County of New York, of the  
ward, to wit: on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, did feloniously,  
carelessly and negligently, give,  
discharge and explode, and cause to  
be fired, discharged and exploded, a  
great quantity, to wit: fifty pounds  
of gunpowder, for the purpose of  
blowing up and thereby destroying and  
rendering asunder a certain rock, with-  
out having first used proper measures  
to prevent the same from doing damage,  
and by reason of which said explosion  
and discharge of the gunpowder aforesaid,  
divers pieces of rock and divers houses

were then and there with great force and violence cast and thrown against a certain dwelling house there situated belonging to one David C. Reed, and the same dwelling house thereby greatly injured: against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Third Count: And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Angelo Calladino of the crime of furnishing the property and other for the sale and negligent use of an explosive substance, committed as follows:

The said Angelo Calladino, 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, feloniously, carelessly and negligently did use and manage a large quantity, to wit: of the powder of a certain explosive substance commonly called blasting powder, for the use and purpose of furnishing and carelessly and negligently furnishing, discharging and exploding the same, and causing the same to be fired, discharged and exploded, for the purpose

rendering account a certain road, in that town of  
 first used proper measures to prevent the  
 same from doing damage. And the said  
 Angelo Palladio, by the said carelessness and  
 neglect, was of the explosive substance of the  
 said, and by reason of the firing, discharge  
 and explosion of the same in manner aforesaid,  
 did then and there feloniously cause and  
 procure divers pieces of rock and divers stones  
 to be with great force and violence hurled,  
 cast and thrown against a certain dwelling  
 house there situate, belonging to one David  
 B. Reed, and did then and there and thereby  
 feloniously injure the same dwelling-house,  
 and occasion the same to be injured, to the  
 great damage of the said David B. Reed,  
 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. Martin,  
 District Attorney

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Police Court 313 District 322

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David W. Wood  
456 W. 83 St.



Offence Section 389  
Penal Code

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Joseph Alachukis  
M. Oliver

62 Mulberry

Street

Street

Street

Street

Street

Dated

March 29, 1885

1885

William H. Mullin, Magistrate

Frank Walker, Officer

26 St, Precinct

Witnesses

No. 1 of 811 W. 110 St

No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

No. 5

No. 6

No. 7

No. 8

No. 9

\$ 500

to answer

David W. Wood

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 - Joseph Alachukis  
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 March 29 1885 Andrew J. Wood Police Justice.

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

Dated March 29 1885 Andrew J. Wood 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Angelo Palladino 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 Angelo Palladino

Question. How old are you?

Answer Thirty Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Italy

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

Answer. 512 West 61<sup>st</sup> St About four months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Contractor

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

Angelo Palladino

Taken before me this 29 day of March 1885  
Charles J. Grant  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

POLICE COURT, 5 DISTRICT.

David A. Reed

of No. 456 West 83 Street, aged 33 years,  
occupation Retired being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 28 day of March, 1885

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

(now here) did while blasting or certain rocks on  
83 St between 9th & 10th Avenues, injure the property  
of defendant in said Street: to wit, a dwelling owned  
by defendant, by the careless and negligent use or  
management of grant powder or other explosive  
substance, in violation of Section 389 Penal Code  
of the State of New York

David A. Reed

Sworn to before me, this 29 day of March, 1885

*William J. Smith*

Police Justice.

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Sec 568.

1 District Police Court.

UNDERTAKING TO ANSWER General SESSIONS.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

An order having been made on the 29 day of March 1888 by  
Andrew J. White a Police Justice of the City of New York. That  
Angelo Palladino be held to answer upon a charge of  
Reckless Blasting, Victim 889, Penal Code.

upon which he has been duly admitted to bail, in the sum of 4 Hundred Dollars.

We, Angelo Palladino Defendant of No. \_\_\_\_\_  
512 M St Street; Occupation Contractor, and  
Joseph Palladino of No. 24 Oliver Street;  
Occupation Contractor Surety, hereby undertake jointly and severally,  
that the above named Angelo Palladino shall appear and answer the charge above-  
mentioned, in whatever Court it may be prosecuted: and shall at all times render himself amenable to the orders  
and process of the Court; and if convicted, shall appear for judgment, and render himself in execution thereof,  
or if he fail to perform either of these conditions that we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum  
of Four Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 29  
day of March 1888  
Andrew J. White POLICE JUSTICE.

Angelo Palladino  
Joseph Palladino

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Sworn to before me, this  
day of March, 1889  
*William S. Smith*  
Police Justice.

Joseph Palladius

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 Twenty 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 and lot no. 62 Mulberry value of Sixteen Thousand dollars, of which Depmarch is in possession of one half interest - which is encumbered for Three Thousand dollars.

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to Answer.

Taken the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Justice.

Filed \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Jos. Palladius

Cour. of General Sessions of the Peace in & for  
the City and County of New York

The People

vs

Angelo Palladini



I hereby certify that  
Theo. Dingeldien counsel at law be appointed  
as attorney for above named defendant in my  
place & stead

Dated this 17th day of June 1906.

Robert A. Racey  
Deputy Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Palmer, Henry

**DATE:**

04/27/85



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No 230

Witnesses:

W. Shalby  
O. Alexander

Counsel  
Filed 27 day of April 1885  
Pleads Magnum et

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Henry Palmer  
Grand Larceny 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
[Sections 528, 581, 550, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
PETER B. GENDY

Dr. 24 May 1885  
Pleads et  
A True Bill.

Raymond  
Lewis  
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

*Denny Palmer*

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

*Denny Palmer*

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

The said *Denny Palmer*,

late of the First Ward 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-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one carpet of the value of fifty five dollars, one piece of furniture of the value of fifty five dollars, and one rug of the value of fifty five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Isaac Alexander,*

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said Ramsey Palmer,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twentieth day of August, 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 parcel of the value of  
Twenty-five dollars, one piece  
of carpeting of the value of  
Twenty-five dollars, and one rug  
of the value of Twenty-five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Oscar Alexander

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

Oscar Alexander

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Ramsey Palmer,

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.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.**

~~PETER B. OLNEY,~~

**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 - First District  
 No. 4117

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. *James Alexander*  
 2. *Henry Palmer*  
 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Offence *Ward Larceny*

Dated *Sept 27* 188*5*

*W. Shalby* Magistrate  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Officer  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct

Witnesses *Call the Officer*  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ *1000* to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.  
*Committed*

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 Palmer*

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 *Sept 27* 188*5* *Samuel B. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Henry Palmer*

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 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. *Henry Palmer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *45 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *Vandyke Hotel 28 Bowery one week*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *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 am not guilty*  
*Henry Palmer*

Taken before me this

day of

*March 21*

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*Samuel W. Russell*  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Edward Shalvey*  
*Police Officer*

aged 46 years, occupation \_\_\_\_\_ of No. \_\_\_\_\_

*4th Precinct*

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Asen Alexander*

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

Sworn to before me, this

*21*

day of *April* 188*7*

*Edward Shalvey*

*Samuel C. Kelly*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court— First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 6 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 39 years,  
occupation Japanese & Turkish Goods being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1885 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:

One Turkish Carpet eight feet six inches by seven feet three inches of the value of Fifty five 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 Henry Palmer (now here)

from the fact that deponent missed the aforesaid Carpet from in front of the above described premises, and deponent was informed by Officer Edward Shalvey of the 4<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police, that he found the aforesaid Carpet in defendant's possession, and deponent has since seen the said Carpet and identified said Carpet, Oscar Alexander

Sworn to before me, this

April 21<sup>st</sup> 1885

day

Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Parker, Andrew

**DATE:**

04/13/85



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Witnesses:

D. Oldenberg  
Off Courtlander

No. 98

Counsel, J. Honey  
Filed 13 day of April 1885  
Pleads, McWhirley 14.

[Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code].  
Robbery, 1st degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F

Andrew Parker

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

22 April 1885

Filed & accepted

A True Bill.

(Hays, Clerk)

Foreman.

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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

Andrew Carder

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

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

The said Andrew Carder,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Otto Oldenburg, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

three silver coins of the United States of the kind known as half-dollars, of the value of fifty cents each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Otto Oldenburg, from the person of the said Otto Oldenburg, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said Otto Oldenburg, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, (the said Andrew Carder being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown)

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

Randolph B. Martine, District Attorney

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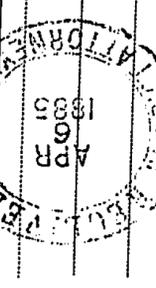
Police Court 1st District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edo Alshuberg  
305 Broadway

1. Andrew Parker  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_



Offence Robbery

Dated 4 April 1885

Daniel O'Reilly, Magistrate.  
Fred J. Crotwell, Officer.

H Precinct.

Witnesses  
No. 1514 Cook St. Street.

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$1000 to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.

Committed

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 Andrew Parker

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 4 April 1885 Daniel C. 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 h to be discharged.

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

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Andrew Parker*

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. *Andrew Parker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Brooklyn*

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

Answer. *Lodging house on Chatham St. about five days*

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*  
*Andrew Parker*

Taken before me this

day of

*April*

1886

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*Samuel W. ...*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Otto Oldenburg  
of No. 305 Broadway Street, Aged 56 Years  
Occupation Porter

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
3 day of April, 1885, at the Fourth Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, <sup>in the night time</sup> 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:

Good and lawful money of the  
United States consisting of three silver  
coins of the denomination and value  
of fifty cents each in all of the  
value of one dollar and fifty cents

~~of the value of~~ ..... DOLLARS,  
the property of deponent

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

Andrew Parker, (now here) <sup>and another person</sup> ~~from the~~ <sup>name unknown</sup>  
fact that while deponent was standing  
on the sidewalk on James Street leaning  
against an ale cask ~~and~~ being intoxicated and  
subsequently deponent was informed by  
Patrick Farrell that said unknown person  
struck deponent knocking deponent down  
and while down said Parker thrust his  
hand into the right hand side pocket  
of the pants ~~of~~ <sup>of</sup> deponent and there were  
by deponent immediately thereafter deponent  
missed said money from said pocket.

Wherefore deponent charges said defendant

Sworn to before me, this  
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Police Justice

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with acting in concert with said unknown person in taking stealing and carrying away from deponents person by force and violence and against his will the aforesaid property

Otto Oldenberg

Summons before me this 4 day of April 1885

Sam'l C. Kelly Police Justice

It appears 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... of the City of New York, until he give such bail. I have admitted the above named... to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed. There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named... guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order him to be discharged.

Police Court, District, THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of Offence—ROBBERY. Dated 1885 Magistrate. Officer. Clerk. Witnesses. No. Street. No. Street. No. Street. \$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 40 years, occupation Patrick Farrell Merchant of No. 154 East 32 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 4 day of April 1880 Patrick Farrell

J. J. O'Reilly  
Police Justice.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Penney, Victor

**DATE:**

04/10/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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No. 77 28.

Counsel,  
Filed 10 day of April 1888  
Pleads.....

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Victor Penney  
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 581, Penna Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
PETER B. O'NEIL,  
District Attorney.

12 Apr 13/88  
Recd. P. R. 16.  
A True Bill.

(H. H. O'Connell)  
Foreman.

Witnesses:

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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

*Victor Pannay*

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

*Victor Pannay*

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

The said *Victor Pannay*

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

*one watch of the value of*

*thirty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Martin,*

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.

*Randolph B. Martin,*

*District Attorney.*

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Police Court No. 34 District 299

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Abraham L. Horowitz  
13 East 10th St  
Victor Deussen



Offence Grand Larceny

Dated March 12 1885

Magistrate  
Henry M. Wood Officer

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

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 500 to answer  
No. 98  
Street  
Deussen

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 Victor Deussen

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 March 12 1885 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

0127

Sec. 198-200.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Victor Penney 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 Victor Penney

Question. How old are you?

Answer 26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer New York City

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

Answer 115 East 105 Street six months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Bartender

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

Answer I am guilty of the charge taking said watch

Victor Penney

Taken before me this

12

day of December 1888

Police Justice

Police Justice

0128

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

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John J. Martin

of No. 13 Catharine Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1884

at the 26<sup>th</sup> Ward in 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 :

One double case gold watch of the value of thirty dollars & 30<sup>cs</sup>

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 Victor Pecney (name here)

from the fact that the deponent admitted and confessed in the presence of deponent and Officer Leary of the 7<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he the deponent did take steal and carry away from the possession of deponent the above mentioned property and possessed said watch. And for the further reason that the deponent went with deponent

Sworn before me this

day of

Police Justice,

1884

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

0129

To the pawnbroker shop of Edward Sparreberg at ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> same place in said city where the defendant identified said watch as his own property.

John Martin  
Sworn to before me  
this 12 day of March 1885  
J. G. Duffy  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

25.

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

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

W

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINALS

0130

City and County of New York,

Herman Gerken of number  
1108 Third Avenue corner 65<sup>th</sup> street in the city  
Greenwich being duly sworn says - that he knew  
Victor Perry - and that he was employed by  
him for some 10 months in the capacity of  
<sup>assistant</sup> superintendent of the Billiard Room that in  
that position said Perry had to handle money  
belonging to deponent. and that he always  
conducted himself in a gentlemanly and proper  
manner. That deponent always found him  
to be a sober industrious <sup>and honest</sup> man, willing to  
work and deponent is willing when said Perry  
gets out of his present difficulty to give him  
employment in his establishment.

Sworn to before me this } Herman Gerken  
15<sup>th</sup> day of April 1885 }

Luciah H. Hanna

Notary Public Kings Co

But filed in NY Co

0131

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Pennie, John

**DATE:**

04/02/85



1761

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Tompkins, William

**DATE:**

04/02/85



1761

Witnesses: Louis Wundschellen  
 717 7<sup>th</sup> Ave -  
 Office of Mr. Millman  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Precinct

In this case appears  
 Mend. No. 2 - Wm. O. Tompkins  
 is a child of respectable  
 parents. His mother is  
 a responsible citizen  
 who supports & takes care  
 to educate him. I guarantee  
 his future good conduct.  
 I am of the opinion that  
 in case he pleads guilty  
 to petty larceny judgment  
 should be suspended  
 & probation given  
 & probation officer

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Counsel, H. H. H.  
 Filed 2 day of April, 1888  
 Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE  
 vs. John J. Penney  
William P. Tompkins  
 vs. William P. Tompkins  
 Grand Larceny, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
 [Sections 528, 581, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE  
PETER B. OLNEY  
 District Attorney  
 Apr 16 1888  
 A True Bill. Dea. G. G.

M. J. Co. Berry  
April 16 1888  
 Foreman.  
Ch. J. Berry  
House of Refuge

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

0133



0135

Police Court District. 301 27 32

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Underhaken  
717 75th Street

John Denny

William O'Flaherty

Offence Grand Larceny

Dated March 29 1885

John W. Mulholland  
Magistrate  
Officer

Residence Street Precinct

Witnesses Call the Officers  
No. Street

S. S. Gilman  
No. 150 East 23rd Street

No. Street

\$ 500 - 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

John Denny and William O'Flaherty's

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 March 29 1885 Henry Murray 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.

0136

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, <sup>SS</sup>

4 District Police Court.

William P. Tompkins 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 P. Tompkins

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

This City

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

Answer.

573 West 48 Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Hall boy

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

Answer.

I am guilty of the charge

W. P. Tompkins

Taken before me this

day of March 1888

John J. Brennan

Police Justice.

0137

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

*John Pennie*

Question How old are you?

Answer

*16 Years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer

*Paris City*

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

Answer

*364 West 58 Street*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*I Ride Race horses*

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

Answer

*I am guilty of the charge*

*John. Jos. Pennie.*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

*Henry Henning*

Police Justice.

0138

Police Court District.

Affidavit-Larceny.

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

Louis Winterhalter  
of No. 717 Seventh Avenue Street, aged 18 years,  
occupation Clerk being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 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 day time, the following property viz :

A horse attached by harness to a wagon containing groceries consisting of Turkey Mutton, beef, bananas, eggs &c. Collectively of the value of two hundred dollars

the property of Arthur Weiric and in the care and custody of deponent as a clerk or employe of said Weiric 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

John Perry and William Tompkins acting in collusion and both now present. That on the day in question while deponent was delivering goods in the Kulland Flats Broadway the horse and wagon which deponent left standing in the street was stolen and driven away by the defendants

as the now acknowledge and admit in court. That a quantity of goods such as a turkey, breast of mutton, bananas, eggs, porter house steaks & chops were stolen from the wagon and afterwards found by Officer John H. Millmore in the house where the defendant Perry resides as deponent is informed by said Officer

Louis Winterhalter

Sworn to before me, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 1883  
J. J. ...  
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINALS

0139



*The New York Society for the  
Prevention of Cruelty to Children.*

NO 100 EAST 23<sup>D</sup> STREET, (CORNER 4<sup>TH</sup> AVE.)

*New York* April 6, 1885

The People  
v.  
John Penny and  
Wm. P. Tompkins.

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney &c.

Dear Sir:

An investigation by the Society of this case shows, that the defendant, <sup>Penny</sup> being now 17 years of age, of 364 West 50th Street, has already served a term in the House of Refuge for stealing a watch, and has also been arrested for stealing watermelons. The boy Tompkins has never been arrested before if his own statement is to be believed, and says he was asked by the boy Penny to get on the wagon with him. But inquiry shows that he was a partner in the former case of two weeks previous, but himself received no part of the proceeds. Mrs. Tompkins resides at 513 West 48th Street. She is a very respectable and intelligent appearing woman and her home is well kept and comfortable. She is a cripple and unable to go down or up stairs. The boy under arrest she says has never been arrested before. He was however with the ~~he drove off the grocer's wagon two weeks before.~~ The mother said the boy worked as hall boy in the Northumberland Flats at Madison Ave. and 56th Street, but at that location no such houses were found. The home of the Pennys is well furnished and respectable looking. The boy has ridden in the Brighton Beach races for several seasons, and in the intervals trains horses about the stables and exercises gentlemen's horses in bad weather.

I have the honor to remain,  
With great respect,

*Miss O'Gerry.*

President &c.

0140

**BOX:**

174

**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Peterson, George

**DATE:**

04/29/85



1761

0141

Witnesses:

L. Flechtman

No 273

Counsel,  
Filed *29* (la) April 1885  
Pleads,

Grand Larceny, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree,  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 581, — Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*  
George Peterson

*vs. Knowledge*  
*vs. Knowledge*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Richard*

*April 30<sup>th</sup> 1885*  
Foreman.

*Handwritten*

S.P. 2 years.

0142

**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 Peterson*

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

*George Peterson*

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

The said *George Peterson*,

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

*one watch of the value of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George St. Beauchamp*, on the person of the said *George St. Beauchamp*, then and there being found, from the person of the said *George St. Beauchamp*, 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. Matine,*  
District Attorney

0143

P. 483  
Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George H. Blomquist  
2-94 58th Street  
Brooklyn  
George Peterson  
1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
Office of the District Attorney  
1985

APR 24 1885

Office of the District Attorney  
George Peterson

Dated April 24 1885

Samuel C. Bell  
Magistrate.  
Precinct 6

Witnesses  
officer

No. Lewis Fechtman  
Street.

No. 229 Canal  
Street,

No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer Sessions.

Paul

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 Peterson

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 24 1885 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Louis Fechtman*

aged 38 years, occupation Merchant of No.

209 Canal

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George H Bloomhart

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of April 1885

*Louis Fechtman*

*Sam'l C. Kelly*  
Police Justice.

0145

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 34 years, occupation Police Officer of No. James Ryan

6<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George A. Bloomhart

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of April 1885 James Ryan

Samuel C. Bennett  
Police Justice.

0146

Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?  
Answer. *George Peterson*

Question. How old are you?  
Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?  
Answer. *Greece*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?  
Answer. *45 Hamilton Street two months*

Question. What is your business or profession?  
Answer. *Selling cigars*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the  
testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your  
exculpation?  
Answer. *I am guilty*  
*George Peterson*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*8*

*Samuel W. Kelly*  
Police Justice.

0147

Police Court 18 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

George H Bloomhart

of No. 234 Church  
occupation Salesman

Street, aged 52 years,  
being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 24 day of April 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 day time, the following property viz :

one Gold watch of the value of sixty  
dollars

the property of deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by George Peterson (now here)

from the fact that while deponent was standing on the corner of Canal and Baxter streets in said city looking at a building which was on fire deponent was informed by a stranger that his watch chain was hanging immediately thereafter deponent missed his watch from the pocket of the vest then and there worn by deponent subsequently deponent was informed by Louis Fechtman that he saw said defendant take said property from deponents person deponent further said that he was informed by Officer James Ryan that after he arrested said defendant he found said watch in his said defendants possession

G H Bloomhart

Sworn to before me, this

April

24

1885

Samuel W. Kelly Police Justice.

0148

1<sup>st</sup> District Police Court,

New York, 24 April 1885

The complainant is a  
traveling agent and is liable  
to be away a week or ten days  
at a time please notify him  
a week a head so as to enable  
him to appear to prosecute.

0149

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Peterson, Henry

**DATE:**

04/14/85



1761

0-150

Witness:

Christopher Parkes  
Off. Lane

No 109

Counsel,  
J. Spener

Filed  
14 day of April 1885

Pleads  
Not Guilty (15)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Henry Peterson  
April 16/85

F

Spied & acquitted

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE  
JOHN MCKEON

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

(Signed) [Signature]

Foreman.

[Signature]

Assault in the Third Degree.  
(Section 219)

0151

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

<p>THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  <i>against</i>  <i>Henny Peterson</i></p>
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The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse

*Henny Peterson*

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

The said *Henny Peterson*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Christopher Carter*, in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and *injure* the said *Christopher Carter*, did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *Christopher Carter*, 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.

~~JOHN MCKEON~~, District Attorney.

2510

Police Court 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Christy P. Parks  
125 East 11th St  
New York Station

APR 6 1885  
OFFICE  
Offence: *Assault*

Dated April 4 1885

Magistrate  
*James Lane*  
Officer

10 Precinct.

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

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

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

*James Lane*

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 Parks*

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 *April 4* 1885: *James Lane* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

0153

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

*Henry Peters*

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. *Henry Peters*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *43 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *49 Forsyth St. 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bookkeeper.*

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 assaulted the complainant because he accused my woman with having stolen his money and demanded a trial by jury*

*Henry Peters*

Taken before me this

*4*

day of *March*

1885

*John J. ...*

Police Justice.

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Form 11.

Police Court—Third District, Halls of Justice.

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

Christopher Parks aged 31  
of No. 125 East 11 Street,

on Friday the 30th day of April

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
in the year 1885, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Henry Peters (nowhere)

who struck upon several blows  
on the head with his clenched fist.

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 the  
above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 4 day of April 1885

Christopher Parks

John Ferris

POLICE JUSTICE.

0155

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1761

**DESCRIPTION:**

Pohle, Gustave

**DATE:**

04/28/85



1761

0156

No 249  
Bvd

Witnesses:

Erjt Feidellberg  
Geog Hansman

Counsel,  
Filed 22 day of April 1885  
Pleeds M. J. Kelly (27)

Grand Larceny, 1st degree  
[Sections 528, 530, — Pennl Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F  
Gustave Sobbe

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.

~~Attorney at Law~~  
GLENDALE

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

(M. J. Kelly)  
22 May 11/85.  
J. W. H. Foreman.  
J. W. H. acquitted.

0157

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against  
*Augustus C. DeLo*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Augustus C. DeLo*

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

The said *Augustus C. DeLo*,

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

*Two hundred and ninety-two articles  
of the value of one dollar each,  
Two hundred and ninety-four articles of the value of fifty cents each,  
Thirty-six other articles of the value of twenty cents each,  
and five hundred and ninety-four  
leathers of the value of sixty cents  
each,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Abraham Cook,*

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.

*Samuel R. Martin,*  
*District Attorney*

0158

Charles Poles G.L. 1st day

Abraham Bost Complacently  
during months of Dec 1892 Lph  
prop for sale. Keeping with Wolf  
and Russell. authorized as one  
to take them from there

Group Hausmann's notes saw  
Lph took part of the property

Charles Herdberg - detective  
Lph admitted taking part of  
the prop

Some are from the ~~fall~~ funds of  
Wolf & Russell

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

0159

JAMES M. BRADY,  
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
EQUITABLE-BUILDING;  
120-BROADWAY,  
BROADWAY, cor. Chambers St.,  
New York City.

New York, May 6 1885

People?  
for  
Euler's Bible

Dear Sir

Please do not  
put the above on the calen-  
dar for tomorrow as it  
will be impossible to  
have any witnesses here  
they have all been in  
attendance three times  
already - if you can  
put it down for Friday  
or Monday you will  
very much oblige

Sincerely yours

Jas. M. Brady

Hon John W. Coman

0190

Police Court *H 26*  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William White*

*15 East 108th Street*

*William White*

*15 East 108th Street*

APR 11 1885  
Office *Grand Jurors*

Dated *April 11* 188*5*

*John W. Worman* Magistrate

*John W. Worman* Officer

*John W. Worman* Precinct

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

*John W. Worman*  
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 *April 11* 188*5* *John W. Worman* 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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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

*Gustave Pohle* 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. *Gustave Pohle*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty-four years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *226 Eldridge St. Four days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Tailor*

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*

*Gustave Pohle*

Taken before me this

day of *April*

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*John J. Brennan*

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 44 years, occupation Detective Sergeant of No.

Central Office Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Abraham Sachs

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

Sworn to before me this 24 day of April 1885 } Robert Heideberg

John Gorman  
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 23 years, occupation Writer of No.

166-1st Ave Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Abraham Sachs

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

Sworn to before me this 24 day of April 1885 } Geo J Hausman

John Gorman  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

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Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Gustave Pohle*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty-four years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *226 Eldridge St. Four days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Sailor*

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*

*Gustave Pohle*

Taken before me this

day of *April*

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*John J. ...*

Police Justice.

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Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 151 East Varotian Street, aged 59 years,  
occupation Manufacturer of Satchels - Leathers being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1885 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:

Twenty-two dozen colored Satchel tips of the value of one hundred & twenty-one dollars.  
Twenty-four dozen colored Satchel tips of the value of one hundred & eight dollars.  
Three dozen Black satchel tips of the value of twenty-seven dollars  
One half dozen colored satchel tips of the value of five dollars & twenty-five cents

All of the value of three hundred & seventy-one dollars and twenty-five cents  
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 Quataro Vobbe (now here) for the reasons that

during the month of December 1884 Deponent stored the above described property with the firm of Woolf and Busch at No 53 Broadway; that Deponent has been informed by one George J. Wapman, a porter in the employment of Woolf and Busch, that prior about the above date he saw the defendant take the above described property out of the boxes in which they were packed, and carry them out of the premises; Deponent further says, that he has been informed by Charles Heidelberg Detective Sergeant of the Court's Office, that the defendant Vobbe has confessed and acknowledge to him that he took the above described property.

Wherefore deponent charges the defendant with having feloniously taken, stolen & carried away the property

Abraham Baetz

Sworn to before me this 11 day of February 1885  
William W. ... Police Justice

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Post, John

**DATE:**

04/13/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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No 88

Serjt. Cozgrove  
Agnes Bryden

I have examined into the  
within care and in view of  
the fact that the prisoner  
was by plea avoided the ne-  
cessity of an examination  
in open court of the young  
girl as to the disgusting  
details of the offence I think  
the ends of justice will be  
satisfied by the sentence of  
fine instead of imprisonment

New York  
May 12. 1885  
President of the  
New York Society for the  
Prevention of Cruelty to  
Children

I enclose above suggestion  
Edward C. Parms  
Chas. J. DeWitt

Counsel,  
Filed 13 day of April 1885

Pleas  
McKully 14

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
John W. Post  
(2 names)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE

~~JOHN W. MARTINE~~

By May 14th District Attorney.

Heads guilty Fined \$100  
A True BILL

(Hoyt, Clerk)

Foreman

McKully 14

Assault in the Third Degree.  
(Section 219)

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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 W. Post*

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

*John W. Post*

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

The said *John W. Post*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~fourteenth~~ day of ~~March~~, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~four~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Agnes Dwyer*, in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and ~~then~~ the said *Agnes Dwyer*, did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *Agnes Dwyer*, 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,

~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

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Six months.

Off Levy

Found upon the Sheriff papers

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In this case, the defendant was stalked several times by Richard Shock and while personally wounded from such stabbing and lying on the sidewalk, he shot Shock in striking little or no injury. Shock was tried for the assault upon Phelan and was acquitted. In this affair Shock appears to have been the aggressor. I am of opinion that Phelan could not and should not be convicted under this indictment and recommend that it be dismissed. Randolph B. Martine June 23. 1885 District Attorney

Filed 15 day of *October* 1885  
No 128 *ms* 642

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

N.A.

Thomas Phelan

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

JOHN MCKEON

District Attorney.

Assault in the First Degree.  
(Firearms.)

A TRUE BILL.

*Wm. J. O'Connell*

Foreman.

*James J. O'Connell*

*Substantive dismissed*

*(See) endorsement*

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
AGAINST

*Thomas E. Nolan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Thomas E. Nolan*

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

The said *Thomas E. Nolan*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 17th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty - five, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of Richard Stark, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and to, at and against him the said Richard Stark, a certain revolver then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Thomas E. Nolan in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent to kill the said Richard Stark 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

*Thomas E. Nolan*

of the Crime of assault in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas E. Nolan*,

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Richard Stark, then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault, and to, at and against him the said Richard Stark a certain revolver then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which he the said Thomas E. Nolan in his right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there shoot off and discharge ;

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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Second District Police Court.

James Bryden  
vs.  
John M. Post

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT.

March 28<sup>th</sup> 1888

BEFORE HON.  
John J. Gorman  
Police Justice.

David C. Altman

Official Stenographer.

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

*Second* District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF  
*Agnes Bryden*  
 vs.  
*John W. Pask*

BEFORE HON.

*John J. Gorman*  
 POLICE JUSTICE,  
*March 28<sup>th</sup> 1885*

APPEARANCES:

For the People,

For the Defence,

*James M. McCallum*  
*March 28<sup>th</sup> 1885*

I N D E X.

WITNESSES.

Direct Ex.

Cross Ex.

Re-Direct.

Re-Cross.

*Agnes Bryden*  
*John W. Pask.*

*David Plattman*

Official Stenographer.

Second District Police Court  
 The People in complaint of  
 Agnes Dryden } Before Hon. J. J. Gorham,  
 John W. Cook } Police Justice  
 Appearances

James D. McClelland for the defendants  
 Agnes Dryden the complainant  
 being duly sworn depose and say:  
 Cross Examined on her affidavit.

Q Now agree what time of day was it that  
 this happened?

A It was about 3 o'clock in the afternoon  
 of where?

A In 44 East 15th Street in his room  
 of what brought you there?

A I went there in answer to his letter that he  
 wrote me to call at 5 o'clock, I went there  
 twice the first day I called there was only  
 a Saturday at 5 o'clock,

Q what did you call there for?

A In answer to an advertisement to obtain  
 assistance this did not happen this day  
 I had a friend with me called there was

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no other talk but business. And he told me  
not to consider myself engaged but to  
call again on Tuesday the 14th of March.  
And on that day you came and then the  
assault was made on you.

And he said  
Q Where were you sitting at the time in a chair  
A I was sitting in a chair And he said I would  
like to see the length of your dress And  
he asked me are the rest of them shorter  
And he said shorter dresses would make the  
girl appear to a better advantage.

And then before I said another word he  
pulled me on his lap. And he was sitting  
like this (showing) And he took my feet  
and threw them over his And he said he  
wanted me to travel. And I told him I could  
not and he said that was what a girl  
paid for him 4 years ago And he said  
he would get along himself with the old  
people if I would give my consent And  
after that he said I better show on the  
machine, he didnt want me to sew  
much on the machine And the other part

on a pair of roller skates on me and he pulled his foot over mine and he put on an ice skate and said there was a strap that went up there (catching hold of mine heel, (showing)) and then my friend came in and that ended it,

Q How much time did that take?  
 A altogether 3/4 of an hour.

Q How long were you in his place before he commenced?

A 15 minutes

Q And then he pulled you out his lap?

A Not right off until he told me about the roller skate. And traveling.

Q You sat on his lap while he was telling you about these travels?

A Yes sir

Q How long a time did that take.

A Not very long

Q And then you got up and tried the sewing machine

A Yes sir

Q And then you tried the roller skate?

A Yes sir

Q And then the roller skate was put on you?

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Ayes si

Q And then the ice skate was put on you?

Ayes si

Q And then you did some copying?

Ayes si

Q And this all occupied  $3/4$  of an hour?

A It may have been a little less; about that

Q Now how long was you sitting on his lap?

A Not more than 10 minutes.

Q And during this time you were listening to the story he told you?

Ayes si

Q And after you got off his lap, you remained in the store?

Ayes si And sat down in a chair And then you remained in the place about half an hour or  $3/4$  of an hour after that?

Ayes si until my friend came in  
Q who is your friend?

A Mr DeBerry he is my cousin & arranged advertisements for me

Q what transpired when Mr DeBerry came in?

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Q Mr Post said I better try to do some writing  
he was all business then he gave some by  
laws of societies and some paper and then  
he went over to a corner in the room  
and then he wrote.

Q How long did you remain in the  
room after Mr DeBarry came in?

A About 15 minutes or a little over

Q What was the conversation about then?

A There was hardly any conversation because  
I was writing.

Q How much time did you consume in  
writing?

A I don't know I don't take particular notice  
after the time it may have been 5 minutes  
or over

Q And then you went away?

A He came out with us and walked as far as  
14th Street

Q And then you bid each other good day?

A Yes sir good bye

Q And did you say good day or good bye?

A I said good bye.

Q What did you say about coming again

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A Sackett bei the time I skinned come the next  
 day I want say I would come  
 Q And what did he say?

A He said as long as I had to come from  
 such a distance 1/4 after to 1/2 past 9.

Q Did Mr Post in any way use any indecent  
 language towards you?

A No sir

Q How he treat you in any other way than your  
 father would have treated you?

A Not like my father exactly

Q Now when Mr Post got that skate on your  
 foot was anything done that was improper  
 about that skate?

A Was with that skate; the ice skate.

Q He lifted your dress and showed you  
 where the strap of this skate would go

Q Is anything at this time occur to  
 you that was improper?

A No sir I kept thinking that no gentleman  
 would do anything like that.

Q Now I want you to state to the court  
 why it was that if you felt that this  
 man had mistreated you by taking

Q you on his lap for putting the skates on  
as you say you did not leave his  
place but remained there for  $\frac{1}{2}$  or  $\frac{3}{4}$   
of an hour?

A His friends are my friends

Q when you went home you talked with  
your mother about this?

A I certainly did

Q After your mother suggested you  
ought to make a complaint against  
this man?

A Yes she said she didn't want to be  
it might be called blackmail

Q How did you come to be here in Court  
A Because I saw that girl had made a  
complaint and I came to help her out  
of it

Q Then the only complaint you got to  
make against this man is for putting  
on the ice skates and putting on his lap  
myself?

Q And after you sat on his lap you thought  
well enough to sit down and write  
after your friend came in

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Answer

Q. Why didnt you say to your friend that the  
man was acting indecently towards you  
A. Because my friend is a young man  
if you didnt make any complaint in his  
presence about what he had done for you  
to your friend or him A. Was it  
I didnt make any complaint until I  
told my mother

Sworn to before me  
This 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 1885

Power Justice

John W. Post the defendant being  
 duly sworn deposes and says

Q where do you reside?

A 414 East 15th Street

Q How old are you?

A 43

Q what is your business?

A Sewing machines

Q Now Mr Post you have heard the statements  
 of this young girl as made with refer-  
 ence of this charge of indecent assault  
 upon her?

A Yes sir

Q State what transpired?

A She called in answer to advertisement I  
 put in the world. to work on a childrens sewing  
 machine

Q After hearing her statement state what you  
 did do?

A I first talked with her she came in  
 with a young man a cousin of hers.

And stated her what I wanted but she wanted  
 to know if there was any chance of  
 getting a situation but I said if you could

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do the work copying and corresponding  
and sending out circulars and this machine  
must be run to show people who come  
to see it I said I don't want you to  
consider yourself engaged until you  
think you can do the work and with  
that understanding you can come  
again in the first place she wrote me  
and I don't want to have people coming  
without getting employment and not  
know anything of them and she said if  
I would send my correct address she  
would call the next day she came  
about and she sat down in a chair and  
tried to run the machine and she could  
not run it as well as the other girl  
who was with her. and that was all  
that transpired and I said I will see  
how well and rapid you can write  
and she said she could write pretty  
rapid and then there were two chairs  
and she voluntarily took one and sat  
down and she saw the skate store and  
she asked me if I ever went to any skating

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Q Did I told her I built one A Yes she  
asked me if I was a skater A No I told her  
I was an ice skater but not a roller  
skater A And she looked at the skate and  
I said put it on A And I looked at her foot  
A The foot was too small for the skate  
Q What about the ice skate

A They were both lying there together A And  
she put that one and I explained to her  
something about the strap that goes around  
the ankle, A And she showed her how it worked  
I told her I had several patents on skates  
Q Did she make any complaint to you  
that she had been visited?

Answer

Q How long was she in your place?

A She came in at 3 o'clock and remained until  
5 o'clock A And we left my place together  
A And I walked with them to 14th Street A And  
they were going uptown A And I was  
going down town A And I left them at the  
Elevated Railroad station

Q Do you make any appointment with her  
on the street what time she should come

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the next day

Q She asked me and said 9 o'clock  
of at any time did you ever wish or intend  
assault any woman or child that you  
know of for any such purpose or intent  
Answer

Q are you an inventor of that machine  
(machine produced)

Answer

sworn to before me  
this 28th day of March 1885

John Justice

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Police Court - 2 District.

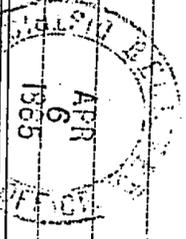
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Admiral Pruden  
719 East 141st St.

John W. Post

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Offence, assault & battery



Dated March 28 1885

Magistrate,  
Clerk,  
Officer,

Witnesses,  
No. 1, by  
No. 2, by  
No. 3, by  
No. 4, by  
Residence  
Street,  
No. 5, by  
Residence  
Street,  
No. 6, by  
Residence  
Street,  
No. 7, by  
Residence  
Street,  
No. 8, by  
Residence  
Street,  
No. 9, by  
Residence  
Street,

to answer  
March 30 3 PM  
District

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 John W. Post

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 March 31 1885 John J. Hermon Police Justice.

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

Dated March 31 1885 John J. Hermon 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.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*John W. Post*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John W. Post*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *43 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York State*

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

Answer. *147 East 15 Street 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Security Guaranties*

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 at the Court of General Sessions*

*John W Post*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*5*

*John W. Post*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Police Court—2<sup>nd</sup> District.

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

of No 419 East 141<sup>st</sup> Street, Agnes Bryden aged 15 years

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on 17 the 17 day of February March  
in the year 1885, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

She was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John W. Post (murderer)  
who seized hold of deponent and violently  
and forcibly pulled deponent upon his  
lap said assault was committed by  
said deponent.

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 the above assault, &c, and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 28  
day of March 1885 } Agnes Bryden

John J. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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No. 62

P. L. Stewart  
J. G. W. Kelly  
Counsel,

Filed 10 day of April 1885

Pleas, *Abrogation* (13)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
John W. Post  
(2 cases)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

*Read quickly*  
A True Bill.  
*May 13/85*

*At motion of Post cases 1885*

Witness:  
*Charles Dargatzis*

See endorsement on the other indictment where the like plea was entered for the same suggestion - Newark N.J. 12/85 President May 1885

*I enclose above suggestion*  
*Edward L. Parno*  
*Wm. D. Dargatzis*

[Sections - 29 - Penal Code]

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 W. Post

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse John W. Post

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Third Degree,

committed as follows:

The said John W. Post,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the nineteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Sadie Danagan, in the presence of the said People then and there being, unlawfully and indecently did make an assault, and did then and there unlawfully and indecently and against the will of the said Sadie Danagan, put and bare the hand of him the said John W. Post, underneath the clothing and upon the person, to wit: the leg of her the said Sadie Danagan, and other wrongs to the said Sadie Danagan then and there did, to the great damage of the said Sadie Danagan, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace

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Police Court 3 District. 306

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Levi Rosenberg  
205 10th Av.

1 John W. Parle

APR 6 1895  
OFFICE

Offence Assault

Dated March 31 188

Magistrate

Officer

Witnesses

No. Street

No. Street  
Elliott Livingston

No. Street  
107 E 23rd

No. Street  
John W. Parle

No. Street  
John W. Parle

BAILED

No. 1, by  
John W. Parle

Residence  
John W. Parle

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

John W. Parle

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 March 31 188 John W. Parle Police Justice.

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

Dated March 31 188 John W. Parle 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.

B District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John W Post

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 43 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York State

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

Answer. 147 East 15 Street O'Neals

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Sewing Machine

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 in the Court of General Sessions  
John W Post

Taken before me this 31 day of March 1888  
John J. Moran  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 21 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 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 Charles Wargen of No. 205, 10th Avenue Street, that on the 19 day of March 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

One Post did indecently assault & bear said Complainant by placing his hand under Complainant's clothing and upon her leg touching her leg

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 21 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 21 day of March 1885

John Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs

Warrant-General.

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

Magistrate.

Officer.

The Defendant \_\_\_\_\_ taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Officer.

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 4 PM

Native of MD

Age, 41 years

Sex, m

Complexion, \_\_\_\_\_

Color, sw

Profession, sewing machine

Married, \_\_\_\_\_

Single, \_\_\_\_\_

Read, yes

Write, yes

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FORM 11.

Police Court— 2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ladie Wagner

vs.

John W. Pash

AFFIDAVIT, A. & B.

Dated March 31 1888

W. M. Munn Justice.

Roegrave Officer.  
1 COP

Witness.....

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Ans. \_\_\_\_\_ Sess.

Bailed by \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Retained to Wm. O'Connell  
for ex March 28. 2 1/2 p.m.  
Ex March. 31. 3 P.M.

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Police Court— 2 District.

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

Sadie Lorgen

aged 14 years  
of No. 205, 10<sup>th</sup> avenue Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Thursday the 19 day of March  
in the year 1885, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

She was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by one John W Post  
who indecently placed his hand under  
deponent's clothing, and on her leg pinching  
her leg, and said assault was committed

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 the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 21  
day of March 1885

Sadie Lorgen

John Gorman Police Justice.