

BOX:

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FOLDER:

4325

DESCRIPTION:

Laemmle, George

DATE:

03/01/92



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Witnesses:

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Counsel,

Filed,

day of

1892

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Gorge Laemmler

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Sent to this Court of Records
Sessions for trial, by request
of counsel for Defendant.

ADULTERATED MILK.

(Chap. 188, Laws of 1885, Section 1, as amended
by Chap. 677, Laws of 1886, Section 1; Section 186,
Sanitary Code, and Section 575 of the N. Y. City
Consolidation Act of 1882.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney

A TRUE BILL.

Ray Barry
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

George Laemmle

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

George Laemmle

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows:

(Chap. 183, Laws
of 1885, § 1, as
amended by
Chap. 577, Laws
of 1886, § 1.)

The said

George Laemmle

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fifth*
day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety—*one*—, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully expose for sale three quarts
of unclean, impure, unhealthy, adulterated and unwholesome milk (the same not being skimmed milk
produced in the said County), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

SECOND COUNT—

(§ 186,
Sanitary Code.)

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

_____ *George Laemmle* _____
of the CRIME OF VIOLATING THE SANITARY CODE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, committed as follows :

The said

_____ *George Laemmle* _____
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully keep, have and offer for sale, three quarts of milk which had been and was then and there watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by the addition of water and other substances to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and by the removal of cream, against and in violation of the Sanitary Code of the Board of Health of the Health Department of the City of New York, duly adopted and declared as such at a meeting of the said Board of Health, held in said City on the second day of June, 1873, as amended in accordance with law, and particularly in violation of a certain ordinance thereof, to wit : the one hundred and eighty-sixth section of said code, which is as follows, that is to say :

“No milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced or changed in any respect by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream, shall be brought into, held, kept, or offered for sale at any place in the City of New York ; nor shall any one keep, have or offer for sale in the said city any such milk.”

Which said section and ordinance above set forth was, by a certain resolution, duly passed and adopted by the said Board of Health and by said Health Department, at a meeting thereof duly held in said city on the twenty-third day of February, 1876, added to and made a part of the said Sanitary Code aforesaid, and adopted and declared to form a portion thereof, pursuant to the authority and power conferred by law upon the said Board, and which said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two successive weeks, in the *City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published in the said city, to wit : in the issues of such newspaper of the twenty-fourth day of February, 1876, and also of the second day of March, 1876, and which said Sanitary Code so amended and altered was then and there, at the time of the committing of the offense hereinabove alleged, in full force and operation , and was by law declared to be binding and in force in said city, and which said section and ordinance above set forth was then and there in full force and virtue, having been in nowise altered, amended or annulled by said Board of Health, 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Langan, Thomas

DATE:

03/31/92



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Witnesses

John O'Neil

Conker Law

Mr. J. C. O'Neil

RM

Counsel,

Filed

1892

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

98 Perry

Thomas Langan

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Alfred F. Folsom

Foreman.

Sub 2 - April 5, 1892

Reads account 2. Reg

H. H. J. P. 1892

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Langan 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.

Thomas Langan.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

49 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland.

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

Answer.

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Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Shoemaker

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 acted in self defence

Thomas Langan

Taken before me this
day of *March* 18*98*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Police Court—

✓ District.

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

of No. 31 Roosevelt Street, aged 54 years,
occupation Baker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 13 day of March 1887 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Thomas Langan
(now pen), who severely cut deponent
with a shoe knife on deponent's
forehead, said knife being then
and there held in the hands of
said Langan

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

21 day

of

March 1887 } John O'Neil
[Signature] mark
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0465

New York. Mar 19-92

To whom it may concern -

This is to certify that
Mr. O'Neil of 31 Roosevelt is unfit
to appear in Court his condition
is to weak.

Yours Respectfully

J. Manning

75 Madison

St

City

New York. Mar 17-92

To whom it may concern.

I have not to certify
that Mr. O'Neil of 31 Roosevelt St.
is still confined to his bed
and is unable to appear
in Court.

Yours Respectfully

Dr. Joseph B. J. Manning

75 Madison St.

City -

0466

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

March 14-92

To whom it may concern-

This is to certify that
Mr O'Neil of 31 Roosevelt is
suffering from an I-njured
side of his forehead and that
his condition will not permit
his appearance in Court.

Respectfully Submitted

Dr Manning

75 Madison St
City.

New York March 15-92

To whom it may concern-

This is to certify that
Mr O'Neil of 31 Roosevelt is
suffering from an I-njured
round of his forehead, and
is in no fit condition to
appear in Court.

Most Respectfully

for Manning M.D.

75 Madison St
City.

as
Mrs Langdon

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

of No. *1st Avenue* Street, aged *30* years,
occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the *13* day of *March* 188*3*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *he arrested*

Thomas Langan on the complaint
John O'Neil for Felonious Assault
for the reason that said O'Neil
informed deponent that said
Langan had cut him with
some sharp instrument on the
forehead. Deponent asks the
attention of said Langan for
the reason that said O'Neil is not
at present able to appear
William A. Langan

Sworn to before me this

of

March

day

John W. Duffy
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Police Court, _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

Assault

Thomas Longan

Dated *May 14* 18*92*

McMahon Magistrate.

Gargan Officer.

Witness, _____

Disposition,

Held to await

the result of inquiries

by *15. 9 am*

17. 9 am

19. 9 am

21. 9 am

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Police Court...

District

THE PEOPLE &c.,

OR THE COMPLAINANT OF

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

\$ 1000 to answer

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Commenced

Date

March 21 1892

Magistrate

Officer

Magistrate

Officer

Offense

Deliberate Assault

1892

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

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

Dated, March 21 1892 Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Thomas Langan

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Thomas Langan
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Langan*
late 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
ninety-*two* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon
the body of one *John O'Neil* in the peace of the said People
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *him* the said
John O'Neil with a certain *knife*

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

with intent *him* the said *John O'Neil*
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 Langan
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Langan*
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said
John O'Neil in the peace of the said
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,
and *him* the said *John O'Neil*
with a certain *knife*

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

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

THIRD COUNT—

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

Thomas Langan —

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

The said —

Thomas Langan —

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said *John O'Neil* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault and *him* the said with a certain *knife*

which *he*

the said

Thomas Langan —

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *face* and *forehead* of *him* the said *John O'Neil*

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

John O'Neil —

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, *District Attorney.*

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Larkins, Frank

DATE:

03/14/92



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, William

DATE:

03/14/92



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Wm E. Hargens

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

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339 *Wicks*

Frank Larkens

21-3-2

and
William Smith

Second Degree

Grand Larceny,
[Sections 528, 529, Penn. Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

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Part 3. March 1892

Police Court— 2nd District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York, }

David E. Hodgens

of No. 220 West 24th Street, aged 22 years,

occupation Gas Fitter being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 25th day of February 1892 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 suit of clothes - consisting of Pants, Coat and vest of the amount and value of Twenty dollars - One Overcoat of the amount and of the value of Eight dollars, One Pocket Knife of the value of fifty cents - A Pocket Book of the value of fifty cents - and One pair of Gloves of the value of one dollar and fifty cents - in all of the amount and value of Thirty dollars and fifty cents (\$ 30⁵⁰/₁₀₀)

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 Frank Larkin and William Smith

(both now here) and while acting in concert with

each other, from the following facts to wit: That

about the hour of seven o'clock A.M. of the

26th day of February 1892 - deponent missed the

aforesaid property, from a Wardrobe in his

room on the first floor of the aforesaid premises,

and which property deponent had placed in

the said wardrobe on the evening of the 24th

day of February 1892 - and that deponent is further

informed by Officer Carey of the 16th Precinct Police

that he found a pocketbook and Penknife hidden

under a mattress in a room occupied by the

Defendant Larkin in the 8th Avenue Hotel No 252

on 252nd 8th Avenue - and which Pocketbook and Pen-

Subscribed to by me and attested by me

Notary Public

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-Knife deponent has seen and recognized as part
of the aforesaid property stolen from him on the
aforesaid date - and that the said defendants
after being advised of their rights, admitted
and confessed in Open Court to deponent in
presence of Officer Carey that they had taken
stolen and carried away the aforesaid property
on the aforesaid date - and had pawned and
pledged the same in a Pawn Office in 3rd
Avenue -

Deponent therefore charges the defendants
while acting in concert in having committed
a Larceny and asks that they may be held
and dealt with as the Law may direct -

Sworn to before me this }
3rd day of March 1892 }

D. Hodgkins

Justice of the Peace

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation _____

John Carey
Police Officer of No. _____

16 Precinct Place Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *David E. Hodgins*

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of *March* 189*9*

John Carey

[Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Frank Larkins 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 Larkins* -

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years* -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New Jersey*

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

Answer. *339 West 39 Street: 1 day*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Conductor*

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*
Frank Larkins

Taken before me this

day of

March

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

(1335)

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William Smith

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *2 years -*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *398. 3-Avenue. 1 Month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Barkeeper -*

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
Wm Smith

Taken before me this

day of

189

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Police Court... District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David S. Hartman

of 120 1/2 West 14th St.

New York City

William Smith

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Witness

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

No. 7, by

Residence

No. 8, by

Residence

Date

March 3 1892

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witness

No. 9, by

Residence

No. 10, by

Residence

No. 11, by

Residence

No. 12, by

Residence

No. 13, 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 dependants

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of one hundred Dollars, each 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 3 1892 Police Justice.

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

Dated March 3 1892 Police Justice.

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

Dated March 3 1892 Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frank Larkins
and
William Smith

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

Frank Larkins and William Smith

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

The said Frank Larkins and William Smith, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 25th
day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-two, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one coat of the value of ten dollars,
one vest of the value of five dollars,
one pair of trousers of the value of
five dollars, one overcoat of the
value of eight dollars, one knife
of the value of fifty cents, one pocket
book of the value of fifty cents, one
pair of gloves of the value of
one dollar and fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

David E. Hodgens

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.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Leviditz, Jennie

DATE:

03/08/92



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Witnesses:

Off - Robert Henry -
Josephine Brockmole

I do not know the defendant should be removed.
It appears that the defendant was married
in Russia when he came pregnant.
Subsequently she came to this country &
went to live at 77 Eldridge St. etc.
On the morning of the 7th of Feb 1892 she
was about to become a mother, she then
for the first time had labor pains - never
having given birth to a child, never
told the pains with which she was then
suffering for those that accompany a
child - she immediately went to a
water-closet in the yard behind her house
where she sat down & while in that
position gave birth to a child.
The young birth to her child is full length
the hole in the seat upon which she sat
then sitting into the receptacle of the privy
and upon an alarm being given to what had
happened the child was rescued.
Both mother & child were subsequently taken
to an Hospital where they lay for a period of
two days when the child from sick was ex-
hibited by reason of its falling on its back
before into the privy. There is not a single
proof of innocence in any of the degrees
- No evidence can be had
I recommend that the defendant be removed
My May 11, 1892
I am in this room
De Lancey Nicoll District Attorney

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas

March 1892

day of

City of New York

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Jennie Savitzky

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Off M. J. J.

Ex-2 - May 11, 1892
Foreman.
On Motion of District
Attorney Indictment
Dismissed.

Police Court, 3 District.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 11 Precinct Street, aged 34 years,

occupation Police officer being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 19 day of February 1892 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, James Levidity (now here)

being the parent of a certain female child, ^{under the age of six years} deserted said child with intent to wholly abandon it in violation of Section 287 Penal Code. Deponent further says: that on said day he was called to premises 77 Eldridge Street, and in the water closet situate in the yard thereof, deponent found a female child in the cesspool of said closet. Deponent is informed by Annie Bresel (now here) that on said day she occupied one of the closets in said yard and heard noises in the adjoining closets and heard groans and then heard a splash in the cesspool and then immediately notified the janitor of the house. Deponent is informed by Josephine Krocovalski (now here) that she is the janitor of said premises that upon receiving information she went to said closet and found the defendant therein and saw blood upon the closet.

Wherefore deponent has just cause to believe and charge that the defendant was delivered of said female child and deserted said child with intent to wholly abandon it.

Sworn to before me 3
this 2nd March, 1892 3

Robert Henry

M. W. Smith
Police Justice

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Annie Bresel
aged 26 years, occupation Domestic of No.

77 Eldridge Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Robert Henry*

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

Sworn to before me, this 2 day of March 1890, } *Annie X Bresel*
mark

J. J. Kitchin
Police Justice.

(3692)

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Josephine Krocovalski
aged 30 years, occupation Janitor of No.

77 Eldridge Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Robert Henry*

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

Sworn to before me, this 2 day of March 1890, } *Josephine Krocovalski*

J. J. Kitchin
Police Justice.

(3692)

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Jimmie Leviditz
mark

Taken before me this
day of *March* 193*8*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

No. 5 A.D. 1 257
Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

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No. 1

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against
Geminio Savinetti

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

indictment, accuse *Geminio Savinetti* —

of the crime of *Murder in the 2nd degree,*

committed as follows:

The said *Geminio Savinetti*, —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
nineteenth day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and ninety-*two*, — at the City and County aforesaid,
in and upon a certain *female child*, then
and there born and lawful daughter
and of the body of *her* said *Geminio*
Savinetti (the said child having no name)

with fulling, & other sundry and other matters
aforesaid did make an assault, and
the said female child, into a certain room
there situate, wherein was a great quantity
of human excrementa and other filth, then
and there with fulling, & other sundry and other
matters aforesaid, did cast and throw;
the reason of which said casting and throwing
of the said female child into the said room,
the said female child being in manner
as aforesaid, the said female child then
and there became and was mangled and
disturbed in her body, of which said
mortal sickness and disturbance the said
female child died upon the said nineteenth day
of February in the year aforesaid, until
the twenty fourth day of February in
the same year aforesaid, at the City and
County aforesaid, did languish, and
languishing did die, on which said
twenty fourth day of February in the year

of persons, at the City and County of said,
the said female child, of the said mortal
poison and infection, so as aforesaid
occurred, did die.

And so the said John, aforesaid do
say, that the said Jennie Davidson, the
said female child, in the manner and
form, and by the means aforesaid,
willfully and feloniously, and with
malice aforethought, did kill and
murder, against the form of the Statute
in that case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People of the
State of Tennessee, and their dignity.

At the County of Davidson,

the said John,

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FOLDER:

4325

DESCRIPTION:

Lewis, Annie

DATE:

03/16/92



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Off - Olan 15P.

Counsel, *W. J. Henry*
Filed, *16* day of *March* 189*2*
Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Annie Lewis
KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, Etc.
(Sections 822 and 885, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Henry
Foreman.

Part 3. March 23/92
Jury & Connected -
25.
3 per books &
minutes.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

(1335)

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

2 District Police Court

Annie Lewis being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that it is h² right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against h²; that the statement is designed to
enable h² if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h²
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h² waiver cannot be used
against h² on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Annie Lewis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *4 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Pennsylvania*

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

Answer. *86 - 12 - 8th St. 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Housekeeper*

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*
if held I demand a trial by
jury

Annie Lewis,

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1892

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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*For a statement of
the accused's history
to be made out*

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

Police Court---

District---

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs. THE COMPLAINT OF

James A. Deane
James A. Deane

No. 1, by _____
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Dated

Mar 6 1892

James A. Deane
Magistrate

Alfred
Officer

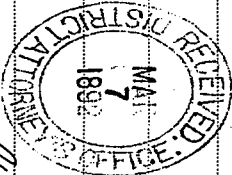
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Witnesses

No. _____
Street _____

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James A. Deane
to answer

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

Defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 *Mar 6 1892* _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Annie Lewis

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

Annie Lewis

(Sec. 323,
Penal Code.)

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

The said

Annie Lewis

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in said house divers ill-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well as in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

Annie Lewis

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offenses on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in manifest destruction and subversion of and against good morals and good manners, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Annie Lewis

(Sec. 385,
Penal Code.)

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

The said

Annie Lewis

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

ninety- *two*, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in *her* said house for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Annie Lewis

(Sec. 322,
Penal Code.)

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

The said

Annie Lewis

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *second* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two* and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in *her* said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are habitually disturbed, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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Luft, David

DATE:

03/08/92



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Witnesses:
Wm. J. Porto
Off - Prison - 141

Counsel,
Filed
day of *March* 189*2*

Pleas, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

David Luff

Burglary in the Third Degree.
Section 498, Code, 1892, 1893 & 1894.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Hay W. Sear

Foreman.

Part 3. March 8/92
Ind. & Account

Police Court—

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District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 176 Broome Street, aged 32 years,

occupation Keep variety store being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 176 Broome Street, 13 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a dwelling house

the first floor of

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly opening a
closed door leading into deponent's
apartment

on the 28th day of February 1898 in the day time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

with intent to commit some
crime therein

the property of

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed with the intent aforesaid and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

David Luft (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: that said door was
closed and unlocked and a
large quantity of personal property
was in said apartment. Deponent was in the
store which is in front of said
apartment and deponent saw the
defendant in his apartment open
a bureau drawer with intent to
steal

Max X Jacobs

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

David Luff 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.

David Luff

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Austria

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

Answer.

122 Forsyth Street two Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Taylor

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
David Luff
mark

Taken before me this

24

day of *February* 189*2*

Charles J. Foster

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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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

Alfred J. Smith
176 Avenue C
Daniel Smith

Offense, Burglary

Dated

February 29 1892

Residence

Magistrate

No. 3, by

Officer

Residence

Magistrate

No. 4, by

Magistrate

Residence

Magistrate

No. 5, by

Magistrate

No. 6, by

Magistrate

No. 7, by

Magistrate



No. 8, by

Magistrate

No. 9, by

Magistrate

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Less 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, February 29 1892 Charles N. Linton Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

David Luft

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

David Luft

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

The said

David Luft,

late of the 13th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty-eighth day of February in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, with force and arms, in the day-time
of the same day at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Max Jacobs

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
crime therein, to wit : with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Max
Jacobs in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and
their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

David Luft of the crime of attempting to commit

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

The said

David Luft

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

*divers articles of clothing and
wearing apparel, of a number
and description to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the
value of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the dwelling house of the said

Max Jacobs
Max Jacobs, —

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

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lynch, William

DATE:

03/08/92



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Witnesses:

Wm H. Capps
George H. Spencer
Offl. Price & P.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of March 1892

THE PEOPLE

vs. P

William Lynch

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm H. Capps

Foreman.

Part 3. March 14 1892.
Pleads Assault 3rd deg

Wm H. Capps

POOR QUALITY
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Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Rose Ruby
of No. 233 South 5 Avenue Street, aged 25 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 24 day of July 1892 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by William
Lynch (nowhere) who stabbed her
in the back, with a knife which
he then and there held in his
hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 25 day }
of July 1892 } Rose Ruby
John H. [Signature] Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Lynch

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

198- South 5th ave

7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Cook

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-

William Lynch

Taken before me this

25

day of

July

1897
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

Rose Ruby
233 South 1st Ave
William Lynch

Offence Felonious
Assault

Dated

July 25 1892

Magistrate.

O'Neill

Officer.

(8)

Precinct.

Witnesses Peter Malpin

No. 520 Broome Street

William H. Cappe

No. 137 Prince Street

George M. Spencer

No. 114 Bowling Green

No. 1177

(to him)

Com



\$1000.00, July 25/92

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 July 25 1892 Thos. G. Barry Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

William Lynch

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

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

The said *William Lynch*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fourth*
day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*two*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon
the body of one *Rosie Ruby* in the peace of the said People
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said
Rosie Ruby with a certain *knife*

which the said

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

with intent *her* the said *Rosie Ruby*
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

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

The said *William Lynch*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said
in the peace of the said
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,
and *her* the said *Rosie Ruby*
with a certain *knife*

which the said

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

Deborah Nicoll
District Attorney.