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Chas. H. Smith

1. *James*
2. *Robert*

Counsel,

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Reads *Allegedly*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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David H. Crowley

William Blunt

MARTIN B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Attest

A True Bill.

E. H. Smith

Forfein

Paul J. Smith
Crowley at \$1000

May 6 1888
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[Sections 276 and 218, 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

David St. Rowley
and William Polink

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse David St. Rowley and William Polink

of the CRIME OF Rape,

committed as follows:

The said David St. Rowley and William Polink, each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty ninth 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, in and upon one Maggie Morris, then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, and then the said Maggie Morris, then and there by force and with violence to her the said Maggie Morris, and against her will, did feloniously and willfully ravish and carnally know, 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 St. Rowley and William Polink of the Crime of Rape committed as follows: The said David St.

Browley, 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, with force and arms, in and
 upon the body of one Maggie Morris, then and
 there being, with fully and feloniously did make
 an assault, and then the said Maggie Morris,
 then and there by force and with violence to
 then the said Maggie Morris, and against then
 with, did feloniously and with fully ravish and
 carnally know. And the said William Clint
 late of the place aforesaid, on the day and
 in the year aforesaid, was then and there with
 fully and feloniously concerned in the commission
 of the felony and rape aforesaid, in manner
 and form aforesaid, and was then and there
 with fully and feloniously present, aiding and
 abetting the said David St. Browley in the
 commission of the said felony and rape in
 manner and form aforesaid, against the form
 of the Statute in such case made and
 provided, and against the peace of the Queen
 of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Third Count.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, say that
 indictment further accuse the said David St.
 Browley and William Clint of the crime
 of assault in the second degree, committed
 as follows: The said David St. Browley and

William C. Hunt, each State 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, with force
and arms, in and upon one Maggie Morris,
then and there being, willfully and feloniously
did make an assault, with intent then the said
Maggie Morris, against her will and by force
and violence, to then and there willfully and
feloniously ravish and carnally know, 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 C. Martinez,
District Attorney.

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Practice Please will
please hear and determine
the within case in my
absence

P. W. DeLoach
Bureau of Investigation
BAILED,
Mr. Sullivan

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

Police Court, 3rd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Margaret Morris

vs.
Dennis H. Morris
William Morris

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Offence Rape.

Dated April 26 1885

Magistrate
Officer

Wm. Morris
No. 238. Albany
Street

John Morris
No. 239. Morris
Street

Mr. D. Morris
No. 240. Morris
Street

Mr. Morris
No. 241. Morris
Street

Mr. Morris
No. 242. Morris
Street

Mr. Morris
No. 243. Morris
Street

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

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 May 1 1885 Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~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 May 2 1885 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 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 Maggie Morris
of No. 44 Monroe Street, that on the 26 day of April
1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

David H. Crowley did unlawfully and
feloniously, Rob and have Carnal
Knowledge of Complainant's Body
by force and violence and against
Complainant's will

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 26 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 26 day of April 1887
P. J. Duffy POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court 26 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Maggie Morris

David H. Crowley
Warrant-General.

Dated April 26 1887

P. J. Duffy Magistrate.

Serg. McCabe Officer.

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

Serg. McCabe Officer.

Dated April 27 1887

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 12:50 P.M. April 26

Native of Ireland

Age, 37

Sex, Male

Complexion, Fair

Color, White

Profession, Police

Married, Yes

Single, No

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

278 Monmouth St

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

POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT.

of No. 44 MonroeMaggie Morris

age 16.

says that on the

26th

day of

April

1885,

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

David H. Crowley

and William Blinck did unlawfully and feloniously and against the will of this deponent, forcibly, Barish, and have Carnal Knowledge of deponent's body from the following reasons to wit: That at or about the hour of 11th o'clock A.M. on the 26th day of April 1885 deponent was in the Standard Hall in premises No. 165 East Broadway, at a Social or dancing party where deponent was introduced to the said Crowley. That the said Crowley invited deponent to take a drink and asked deponent to go down stairs with him deponent refused and the said Crowley seized hold of deponent's arm and pulled deponent after him down stairs the said Blinck following deponent and the said Crowley on reaching the bar room the said Blinck unlocked the door leading to the Bar room and the said Crowley then pulled deponent into said room, the said Blinck then brought some liquors into the room and offered deponent some liquor which deponent refused, the said Blinck then left said room and locked deponent and the said Crowley in the room. The said Crowley then seized hold of deponent's said deponent on a

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Billard Table in said room. and
 said to Dependent. "If you make any
 noise and do not let me do what I
 want. I will fix you" at the same
 time showing Dependent a pistol
 by pulling it half out of his pocket.
 The said Crowley. duthen and
 there Ravish and have Sexual intercourse
 with Dependent. and against the will
 of Dependent. Dependent further says
 that she resisted to the best of her ability
 and was afraid that the said Crowley
 would do her personal violence.
 The said Crowley after Ravishing
 Dependent. went to the door and unlocked
 and the said Blinck. opened the door.
 and Crowley ran out. Dependent
 thereupon charges that the said Blinck.
 and Crowley acted in concert together
 and prays that they may be dealt with
 as the law directs

I now depose me } Maggie Morris
 this 36th day of April 1885 }

[Signature]
 Police Justice

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT.

vs.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

David H. Crowley 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.

David H. Crowley

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

36 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland.

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

Answer.

298 Madison Street 3 Years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Policeman.

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 now guilty of the Charge.

David H. Crowley

Taken before me this

day of

1881

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

3 - District Police Court.

William Blint 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 Blint*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York.*

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

Answer. *1 Essex Street 6 Years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bar tender*

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 was intoxicated*

Wm Blint

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*8*

Wm Blint
Police Justice.

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Sec. 102-300
CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

Sec. 102.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Undertaking to appear during the Examination

An information having been laid before Charles V. Eldred a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Charles H. Howley Defendant with
the offence of

Rape

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

We, Charles H. Howley Defendant of No. 298
Madison Street; by occupation a Policeman
and Bernard Graves of No. 40 Orchard
Street, by occupation a Liquor dealer Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Charles H. Howley Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 3 District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum of Fifty
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 27th
day of April 1888
H. H. Rude POLICE JUSTICE

Charles H. Howley
Bernard Graves

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss,

day of March 1881
Sworn to before me this
[Signature]
Police Justice.

Bernard. Baines
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 257. Delancey Street north
Five Thousand Dollars. Clear
of all incumbrance

Baines

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.;
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during
the Examination.
vs,

Taken the _____ day of _____ 188

Justice,

Police Justice

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Charles Heide a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging David Hawley - Defendant with
the offence of

Rape -

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

We, David Hawley - Defendant of No. 298
Madison Street; by occupation a Policeman
and David Patterson of No. 185 1/2 Thursy St.
Street, by occupation a Wagon driver - Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named David Hawley - Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 3rd District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum of Fifty
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 27th
day of April 1888

M. J. Bush POLICE JUSTICE

David Hawley
David Patterson

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200-102-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

signed, verified and sworn to before me this 1st day of June 1881, at New York City, New York.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss,

Sworn to before me this 1st day of June 1881, at New York City, New York.

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 Eight 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 125 Delancey Street North
Eight Thousand Dollars Clear
& All in Cumbrance

Daniel Patterson

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Underlying to appear during the Examination.

Taken the day of 188

Justice,

Justice

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. *House of Detention**New York, April 27th 1885*

This certifies that Maggie Morrison an inmate of the House of Detention for Witnesses was carefully examined by me this day. As the result of that examination I am of the opinion that she is suffering from violence applied to her genital organs as in case of attempt at rape and that the condition is of recent origin viz within forty eight hours.

B. W. McLeod M.D.
Surgeon of Police

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List of

Witnesses

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Police Department of the City of New York,

David H. Crowley.

Precinct No. _____

New York, _____ 188

Miss Celia Joyce 33 Monroe St.

Frank La. Maire 238 Henry St.

William Ford 238. Henry St. This
man boards with La Maire

~~Supp~~
~~Lucas~~ Healy 252. Clinton St.

James C. Neil. 239. Henry St.

This man was in the Hat Box. and saw Crowley drag the girl
down stairs.

John Burns - 26 Market St.

Nellie Baker - 65 Canal St

Mamie Smith on Ludlow & Canal on
Isaac's Liquor Store

Fannie Howard 69 Oliver St

Witnesses in the Morris Case.

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T H E P E O P L E :

- vs. - :

C R O W L E Y. :

Statements of witnesses for
the People.

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FRANK LEMAIRE.- I was at the ball given in my honor at Standard Hall on the night of the 25' of April, 1885; Standard Hall is on the corner of East Broadway and Rutger Street; I saw Maggie Morris come there about 10 o'clock; I saw Crowley, the defendant, take her by the hand; I think he jirked her a little; this was about 2 o'clock; she was then at the top of the stairs; I was in the hat box; they went down stairs together; the bar room is underneath the hall; I remained in the hat box about 10 minutes; then Celia Joyce called me into the ball room and I went into the ball room; Miss Joyce told me that she missed Maggie and thought something was wrong; I went down stairs and Celia Joyce followed me; the bartender meanwhile had come upstairs, after locking the door; I went down stairs with a dozen more people; I went into the dining room and these people followed me, and from there I went into the kitchen, and after searching all around I asked Blint, the bartender, would he allow me into the bar room; he said there was no one in there, and therefore he would not allow me to go in. Then we went upstairs and Celia Joyce searched the house but they found no one up there; I was in the ball room bar room at this time, and I said "Billie (meaning Blint) if you don't allow us in we will have to break in", calling a dozen of my friends. Just then he grabbed a mallet and pulled a knife out of his pocket and opened in with his teeth, and he said "I will see that you

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FRANK LEMAITRE re-called. After Crowley ran away Maggie ran up through the front way and got right in the hall and fell in Jennie Joyce's arms; Maggie then went upstairs to get her hat and cloak, and she said in the presence of a number of witnesses "I am ruined; take me down to the dock and let me drown myself"; I heard that myself; she didn't go into any particulars as to how Crowley had done it.

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went go in". Just then some of my friends grabbed me and pushed me outside. Roundsman Welsh then came in and he and the bartender went down into the bar room; I was on the stoop with Jake Burnes and I saw Crowley run up the stairs and run down Rutger street. Maggie Morris came out about a minute after; she ran out and fell into the arms of Celia Joyce, in the ball room, and said "For God's sake kill me; let me run down to the dock and jump in; I am ruined". Then she went to the Station House and made a complaint against Blint; she mentioned Crowley's name but didn't make any charge against him. In the Court the next morning she made a complaint against Crowley. That night she was at a friend's house - Jennie Howard I guess is the name. Just after we missed her that night I suspected what had happened. I had seen Crowley before but never knew him to speak to him. Jake Burnes introduced Maggie Morris to Crowley that night. Joe Foley, who works for Amasa Lyon, will corroborate my evidence.

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JACOB P. BURNES, 54 Henry Street.- I work over in 55 Beach street; I was at the ball that night; Maggie Morris was there long before I came there; I got there about a quarter past eleven; I introduced Sergeant Crowley to Maggie Morris about two o'clock; I walked in from the ball room bar room with him and had a drink; I said "Good evening, Sergeant"; he said "Good evening"; he was not in officer's clothes; he said "Who have you up here with you"? I said "No one; but there are two or three lady friends of mine here", and he said "Take me over and introduce me to them", and I said to Miss Maggie Morris "Miss Morris, Sergeant Crowley". The band was not playing at the time, and when they started I saw Sergeant Crowley take her by the hand, and I went and danced with another young lady on account that Celia Joyce was tired and Miss Howard and Miss Baker were tired from dancing the dance before; I saw the two of them in front; I saw all over; between the time I saw him take her by the hand and the time he ran out the door I did not see them together again. I was upstairs trying to get down to free the girl; a friend of mine - I can't tell you his name - told me - he was standing by the hat rack - and he said "Jake, Maggie is down stairs with Sergeant Crowley", and I asked the bartender for the word of a gentleman where Maggie was and he said she had gone out with Crowley; I said she had not as there was her cloak. I said nothing to Crowley about Miss Morris; I did not tell him she was a gay girl. It was not customary to take girls down to that bar; if they had drinks they were served from the bar by a waiter. I can't tell you if she knew where she was going when she went down stairs. ~~I~~ ^{Lemaire} stood by Mr. Lemaire when Sergeant Crowley came out and ran towards Rutger street. I went to the

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Station House that night and brought Maggie Morris. That night she didn't make any charge against Crowley; she told me that night about Crowley; she mentioned a few words about his pointing a revolver at her; there was nothing said about Crowley in the Station House that night except about the revolver; she charged Blint with mixing the drinks and locking the door; she went home with Jennie Howard that night and I followed them to the door. We looked all around that night and could not see any one, until we looked in a bed room in the back part, and I grabbed a man by the shoulder and Lemaire said "Have you got anybody"? and I said yes; he light a match and we found this man was not the man. I went to school with Maggie Morris and she has always been a straight girl to my knowledge.

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CELIA LORETTA JOYCE, 31 Monroe street.- I work in Lovell's bindery, corner of Elm and White streets. I went to the ball with Maggie Morris that night; she was at my house that night about a quarter past eight o'clock; she came there from her house as far as I know. On Saturday afternoon she asked me where I was going that night and I told her I was going to a benefit and she said she would like to go and she would like to come with me if I knew a young man who would take her; I told her it would be all right; we started from my door and went to this benefit and got there about a quarter of nine. I went up to Nellie Baker's, in Canal street, and we waited there until she got dressed and the three of us went down to Standard Hall. Crowley was introduced to Maggie about two o'clock; we were dancing together and Frank Baker stopped us and asked me if I would give him this dance, and I said all right, as long as I had promised him; and then a young man by the name of Joe Foley asked Maggie for a dance and she refused and said she was tired; I was dancing when Mr. Crowley came over to Maggie and Burnes introduced him; that was all I seen until I seen Maggie and Crowley coming to the door together; I don't remember whether he had her hand; then I said to another young lady, Jennie Howard, "Look who Maggie is going with". I knew Crowley by sight before; Jennie didn't feel well and she said "You ought to go and follow them". I seen them at the head of the stairs and I said "Maggie come back", and she made a start to come; I didn't take hold of her; she was about eight feet from me and Crowley had a hold of her hand; so I went in and sent for Frank Lemaire - I could not tell who it was I sent - he was in the hat box and he said he was watching them all the time, and as

soon as Frank Lemaire came out Crowley and Maggie were not there; we went down stairs and Blint took us all through the back part of the place but not into the bar room; Lemaire asked him to but Blint said no; he had a mallet and knife in his hand and said he would let no one in there; he said they were not in there and that if we went upstairs we would find them, and we went through the whole building and went in the hat room and found her hat and shawl in there; we went down stairs again and Blint stood at the head of the stairs with the mallet and knife in his hand; Frank Lemaire said if we waited a while we might hear her screaming, and we waited until the dancing stopped; I was in the hallway but I didn't see Crowley run out; Maggie came running out and said "Oh, for God's sake kill me; I am ruined"; she told before the whole public there what Crowley had done to her; Mr. Lemaire was there, and Nellie Baker and quite a number; they all went down to the Station House and made a charge against Blint; Sunday morning she made a charge against Blint and Monday morning she told all about Crowley and Blint; she thought that because Crowley was not there she could not make a charge against him; the Roundsman asked her if he should arrest Blint and she said yes; Blint had not got out but Crowley had; she told us all that night what Crowley had done in there; she said that Crowley had seduced her. I have known Maggie Morris five years and I have heard very good reports about her; I have known Crowley by sight; I could not say how long; I don't know of Crowley ever having been after other girls.

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CELIA JOYCE re-called.- After Maggie came upstairs, in the presence of a number of people she said "I am ruined; let me go down to the dock and drown myself; she told me that she had tried to do the best she could to get away from him; she didn't tell me all that occurred; she said he seduced her down there and that she was a ruined girl; she was too excited to tell me the whole particulars; we called her aside in the ball room and she told us he ruined her, and she asked us to take her down to the dock and let her drown herself; I went home with her, and Crowley's friends followed us and Crowley's friends said he would like to see us for one moment; I sent word back that we didn't wish to see him; a young man named Healy said that Joe Foley said that Crowley wanted to send up for us; when Maggie came in the ball room there was a whole crowd around her.

JENNIE HOWARD, 69 Oliver street.- I live at home; I was at the ball that night; I went up there with Mr. Foley; I got there about half past nine; Maggie Morris was not there at that time; she came after; I was sitting on a bench and she sat beside me and Crowley came over with Burnes and took her away; he walked her across the room towards the door, and I said "Celia, follow them out", and I didn't know anything about it at the time until Celia came in and sat down and began to cry, and she said Maggie had gone with Crowley and she didn't know where she was; I went into the hat box and Frank Lemaire was there, and I seen her hat, and I said she must be here, and some said she went with Crowley to Coster's restaurant up the street. I went up there and Celia followed me and Joe Foley after her, and the restaurant was closed; we went back and the bar tender was at the head of the stairs and Frank Lemaire wanted to go down and the bar tender took two glasses and was going to hit me with one. When Crowley came out I was inside in the Ball Room; I did not see Maggie come up; I knew she had been down stairs in the bar room; I did not hear any screams that time; I went to the Station House; she told in the Station House what Crowley had done, and she came to my house and slept with me that night; she didn't tell me what had happened that night; she told us all before we went home but not after; Jake Burnes, Joe Foley and the other young men came home with us that night, and Crowley went way down to my door; she left my house in the morning and went home.

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LUKE HEALY, 245 Clinton Street.- I was at the ball that night; I will be 18 the 11' day of next December; I got to the ball about a quarter to nine; I did not see Maggie Morris then; I first seen her at the intermission; I did not see the introduction; I was on the balcony with a lot of friends of mine and we were signing; after supper Maggie came up and was listening to the signing, and then we went down stairs and were dancing quite a while and Celia Joyce came in and told me that Maggie was not there and she seen Crowley taking this young lady down in the basement; I did not see her go out of the room at all; when Miss Joyce told me that I made Frank Lemaire go down stairs; I didn't go down with him; the bar tender told me she went down to Coster's restaurant with the others; I went there and the place was locked up, and I came back again, and Frank Lemaire asked this fellow for the keys, and I seen him pull out a mallet and a knife; he was standing at the head of the stairs; I told Frank to keep quiet, that there was danger ahead. A few minutes after this, I guess it was ten minutes afterwards, I seen Miss Morris come up with Miss Joyce and a couple of lady friends; I stood about four feet away; I heard her say she was ruined; she didn't mention any name at all; I went to the Station house and heard her make the charge against Blint; I didn't hear her say anything about Crowley that night; I walked with her as far as Jennie Howard's house that night.

Truly

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WILLIAM J. FORD, 239 Henry street.- I was floor manager that evening and about the time this thing occurred I was out to supper; when I came back again I started the dancing and I seen an excited crowd outside of the ball room and I came out to see what was up and they told me that Blint would not allow them down stairs and that Crowley was down there with this Maggie Morris; I thought the wisest thing for me to do - I had a lady friend at the ball - to take her home; I came back again and they were at the Station House; I did not go to the Station House; I can say for Maggie Morris that five or six times during the evening I had to stop her from dancing because she was dancing with girls and not with the young men. As far as I know Maggie Morris I know her character to be very clean; I never heard of her having any affairs with other men; she acted very distant towards the men; I understand that Burnes came in with her.

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MAMIE SMITH, 39 Canal street.- I work in Warren street; I was at the ball that evening; I got there about half past nine o'clock and was there before Maggie Morris; I didn't see Crowley introduced to her; I seen but very little of it; I kept dancing all the time; I heard the noise; that's all, and kept on dancing; the noise this Blint made with the mallet; then I didn't see anything more until I met Maggie in the entrance to the ball room after she came upstairs ; I did not go near her; I didn't speak to her at all, and after that I met a young man and he brought me home, and that's all I know about it; I didn't hear her say anything about what occurred; I heard afterwards what had happened.

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NELLIE BAKER, 65 Canal street.- I don't work; I was at the ball that night; Miss Smith, my brother and myself went at the same time, about half past nine; we were there about a quarter of an hour before Maggie came; they put their hats away and came into the dancing room where we were sitting and I said to Maggie "Are you going to stay?" and she said yes, and asked me how long I was going to stay, and I said until about intermission; and they went out and talked to some young fellows in the bar, and the march struck up, and Miss Smith and I sat down in the corner, and we were together until supper time; we didn't go out to supper but the rest did; when they came in we sat there talking to Frank Lemaire and the other fellows when Maggie came in; I didn't see Crowley introduced to her; I never saw him before; I saw her after the thing happened; I seen the crowd going down to look for her; I did not see the knife but I seen him with the mallet hammering on a barrel; I didn't go to the Station House that night.

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*Prep him
for rebuttal*

FRANCIS JAMES BAKER, 65 Canal street.- I was at the ball that night; I left my house about half past eight; I seen Maggie Morris come there with Miss Joyce; I was standing at the end of the piano; Celia Joyce and Miss Morris were dancing, and they danced with a fellow only very seldom; I said I am going to get a dance with Celia, and Crowley came along and stood there a couple of minutes and Jake Burnes introduced him to Miss Morris; I danced with Celia Joyce, and when we came back to the piano I looked out in the bar room and saw them standing at the bar; after the row I went down stairs and heard Crowley knocking at the door; I was standing outside with Miss Joyce and Burnes and saw Crowley come out and go down Rutger street on a brisk walk - you might call it a dog trot; Nobody said anything to him as he came out; there were seven or eight steps and he took two or three at a time and turned on a run towards Rutger street; Maggie, I should say, after one or two minutes came up crying; she came up the stoop and was crying, and she was almost up and she fell into Miss Joyce's arms, and then Jake Burnes made her make a complaint against Blint because Blint locked them in; I went to the Station House and she preferred a complaint against Blint for locking the door, and she mentioned Crowley's name in regard to pulling the pistol out and pointing it at her head; after she came out of the bar room she went into the ball room, and said in the presence of a number of People "I am ruined; for God's sake take me down to the dock and let me kill myself"; her appearance was all mussed up, and her dress was all mussed up; she was all red, flushed; she was crying pretty hard too; every body knew Crowley

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Had been at her; I did not hear anybody make a complaint against Crowley at that time; I suppose it was because she was so excited; from the Station House she walked home with Jennie Howard and Celia Joyce.

MAGGIE MORRIS.- I went to Miss Joyce's house a little after eight, and we went to some other girl's house before going to the ball; I think we got to the ball about nine o'clock or a little after; it must be a little after; we waited for the other girl until she dressed, and took a walk around; we met a young man and he came along with us; Crowley was not introduced to me until about two dances after the intermission; Burnes introduced him; Miss Joyce and I were dancing, and when we stopped this young girl's brother outside ~~took her from me~~ took her from me, and I intended to sit down; this was before intermission; I sat down with my friend, who wanted to know if I was going to stay there until it was over; and Jake Burnes came up with Sergeant Crowley and introduced him to me; I put out my hand to shake hands and he said he knew me but I said he didn't; and he said "Indeed I do", and I did not want to have any argument with him; he said he would like to have the pleasure of dancing with me; then I walked across the floor, and he said we will have something to drink; there was a bar room right next to the ball room but he said he didn't like them to see him drinking there; I did not know whether he was a Sergeant of Police; I didn't know his name that night; after I was introduced to him I forgot all about him; I could not guess his name at all until after it; I did not know it until I heard one of the young men say it after I got outside; it was when he said he didn't want to be seen drinking that I thought he was a police officer; Burnes introduced him as Mr. Crowley, I think; I heard Gelia call me but with the confusion I did not mind what she said; she said "Maggie, come here"; I said for her to come over to me but she wouldn't; I told Sergeant Crowley to tell her I wanted her; he had me by the hand

and gave me one jerk; he had me by the left hand; he gave me one jerk and I kind of went down on the steps, and I turned away and said I wanted to see my friend; then the bar tender opened the door and he pulled me down; Blint came in right afterwards and he went upstairs to get the drinks; he didn't get them in the bar room down stairs; he went upstairs to get them; Sergeant Crowley had me sitting right in front of him; I was looking from the door; every minute I would give a jump to get over to it and he would pull me back; I got mad then over it; I thought first that all he wanted to do was to take the drinks and go up again; and I got angry when I saw he didn't go up; I don't think it took Blint over five or seven minutes to get the drinks; mine was sarsaparilla and his was whiskey, but mine was mixed with whiskey; I tasted it and I know there was more whiskey than sarsaparilla; I had drank nothing but soda all the evening; once I took sarsaparilla; I did not drink any more; the minute I tasted it I laid it down; he drank half of his and put it over to my lips for me to take some of his, and I said no, I didn't want it; the minute Blint left the drinks down stairs the gas was lowered and he went to raise it and Sergeant Crowley said to let it alone, and I said to him to raise it and Sergeant Crowley said let it alone, and he went out and locked the door right after him, and I jumped up to open the door but Sergeant Crowley pulled me back and said that if I didn't do every thing he told me he would fix me for it; I got mad and I said I had a brother upstairs and I would get him fixed for it; I didn't have a brother upstairs but just told him so; he didn't have a kind word; every thing was saucier than the other; I wanted to go up and he wouldn't let me; he would catch hold of me by the hand and pull me back; he had kissed me; before

that he had kissed me once and he wanted me to kiss him and I didn't do it; I kissed him once; I told him I would if he would let me go, but he didn't; soon he put his arms around me; when he had me up on the billiard table he had his pistol out; he lifted me right up bodily; this was about ten minutes after the bar tender had gone away; he got up on the billiard table himself; then I was going to holler, and I told him I would holler; I heard some of my friends then coming down stairs, and he said if I dared to holler he would fix me, and he put his hand in his back pocket and showed the top of the revolver to me; he was then standing up by the side of me, and I was kind of on the side of the billiard table, with my feet over the side; he didn't take out his pistol altogether; he put his hand in his back pocket and said he would fix me; I heard my friends trying to get down stairs and heard them say "Maggie"; I was afraid of the fellow; then he put me down on the billiard table and got up there himself; I made all the resistance I could with my hands; I tried to push him off and told him I would holler; he told me "You know what I will do if you dare to holler"; I was scared and could do nothing; I didn't yell because I was scared, and didn't kick or beat him because he scared me with his pistol; my ankles were over the end of the billiard table; he climbed up on the billiard table and got on top of me and pushed me down; just before he did that he showed me the pistol and said if I hollered he would fix me; up to this time the only advance he had made was to kiss me once and put his arms around me, and said if I didn't do every thing he told me that night he would fix me; I kissed him once on his promise to let me go if I kissed him; when he got on the billiard table I was afraid to do anything; I was sort of paralyzed with

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fear; he held me down by the shoulders; he had his hands on my shoulders, and when he got me down he took his hands off, and then he laid me flat and he got on top of me; he pulled my knees apart and got in between my knees; in the meanwhile I was scared to death; all this thing took about half an hour; he didn't show me his revolver after that; after a little while he gave me a push over on the side and I fell on the floor and I got up and ran over to the door and he ran over after me and pulled me back; this was after he had done something to me; when he got on top of me I did not resist then for I was scared; they were fighting overhead and beer or something came down from the ceiling, and I said "The house is on fire and let me out"; he cursed me and told me to stick over in that corner, and I said I am in the corner; and he tried the door once and it was locked, and I ran to the door and he pulled me down three little steps again and told me to get away from the door, and I stood still; the bar tender came down and opened the door and locked it after him, and he came in and rushed to the front door; I was standing there asking him for God's sake to open the door; he went behind the bar and got some keys, and I went to run out and Sergeant Crowley pushed me back and ran out into the street, and I ran out and fell in Celia Joyce's arms. I went to the Station House that night and made a charge against Blint; I did not know I would have to make a charge against Crowley until I went to the Court in the morning, and I did not know I could make a charge against him because he was not there. I don't hardly remember what I said when I went into the ball room, I was so much excited; I went up to the Station House and a lot followed us; I didn't tell a word to anybody

until they heard of it; when they asked me if I was ruined I said yes, I was. I went home with Jennie Howard that night and Crowley's friends were behind us, and they wanted to see me; this young fellow, this Jake Burnes, I heard he is a cousin of Crowley's but I don't know though - they followed us behind and one of them told Jake Burnes they wanted to see me, but I said no, I would not go, and they came behind and said again "Can I see you, Miss Morris"? And I said No, nobody could see me; and then Jake Burnes said "You ought to go behind and see what they want"; Joe Healy said "No, you don't", and Celia said to me "Now, it is too late to go up to the house; we will go to Jennie Howard's until morning". Celia Joyce and I heard that Sergeant Crowley was behind me and I looked behind to see; there were young men but I could not see who they were; I went up to Jennie Howard's and I slept there, and about half past six I went home and changed my things and took my prayer book and went to church, and as I went down as far as Oliver street I was to meet Jake Burnes to bring me over to Court; I went down there but didn't see him but met two other young men who were up to the sociable; I don't know their names but Celia Joyce does; these two young men asked me if I was going to Court and I said yes, I would go as long as I had promised I would go; I wanted to make a charge against Crowley; it was before Justice Duffy. When I had Blint arrested I was so excited that night that all I could think of was Blint for locking me in there and going away; I was mad with the two of them but I didn't think I would have to make the charge until morning; I felt as if I didn't want to tell about it; nobody urged me to make a charge against Crowley; Crowley hurt me just a little; I was working at Goodwin's cigarette factory; I had been working there

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a couple of days; before that I worked at food boxes at Gaire's; I will be seventeen the 15' of this month; I have worked since I was about fourteen years old; I live with my mother and brother; my father died last November; my brother is going on 19; I am the youngest of nine children, four dead and five living; I have no sister living; my brothers are all working, I guess; some of them are married; I see them once in a while.

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Witnesses:
Frank de more, 1.
Jas. P. Burns, 3.
Celia L. Joyce, 5.
John A. [unclear], 7.
Kate Nealy, 8.
James O'Reilly, 9.
Mary [unclear], 10.
Minnie Smith, 11.
Spence Baker, 12.
Charles J. Baker, 13.
Maggie Moore, 15.

Only Judge.
D. in [unclear] [unclear].
W. J. [unclear].

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* a girl in their company was taken away by somebody
I said that perhaps the girl had gone away herself
they said no that her clothes were still up stairs
she must be in the building

My General Sessions

The People

David H. Crowley

City & County of New York:-

Edward Walsh

being duly sworn deposes and says I am a roundsman attached to the Seventh Precinct of the Police Department of the City of New York. On the morning of April 25th 1885 I was on patrol duty in said precinct in the neighborhood of East Broadway and Jefferson Street about 3 o'clock, my attention was attracted to a noisy commotion further up East Broadway in the neighborhood of the Standard Hall. I walked up to Standard Hall and found quite a crowd of people around the door. I then went inside to where the ball room bar is and found William Blinb standing at the head of the stairs leading

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to the basement, he had a mallet raised up in a threatening manner with one hand and a knife in the other & was surrounded by a crowd. I said to Blink "what is the matter here" somebody replied we want the girl she is down stairs and Sergeant Crowley has her. Blink ~~says~~ said "I will not allow anybody to go down stairs unless they kill me - I then said to him I am going down stairs. Blink replied "Sergeant Crowley has got the girl down stairs" - I then passed Blink went down stairs & searched the dining room which is in the rear of the Bar Room & directly under the Ball Room and found a man asleep in a small space partitioned off. and while searching there heard the cry "there he goes" "there he goes" I then ran out of this place toward

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the stairs leading to the Ball Room & found the Bar Room doors open - this door was closed fast when I first went down - ~~then~~ I started to go in and found the light burning very low there was nobody in the Bar Room and the front door leading out into East Broadway was open - ~~then~~ As I went toward the door I heard the shouting and hollering ~~and went up the stairs~~ ~~overhead~~ overhead, and immediately retraced my steps towards the stairway leading up stairs & went up ~~up~~ to the Ball room - when I got there I found Maggie Moir surrounded by her friends ~~and~~ crying & moaning and filled with terror, & much agitated and in a pretty thoroughly messed up condition - ~~I asked her what~~ I took her from amidst the crowd into the front parlor

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+gave her a seat - I asked her what was the matter - She was crying & sobbing & told me that the Bartender had locked her down stairs with Sergeant Crowley and the latter had ruined her. I asked her if she wanted to make a complaint against the Bartender for locking her in there - she said I don't know what I will do if my Mother hears of this she will kill me, this was said while she was wringing her hands as if in great terror - Her friends during this conversation between her and myself were ~~outside~~ threatening the Bartender Blink so much so that I had to go outside to secure Blink - After quieting Blink & the crowd ~~outside~~ I ~~returned to the Parlor~~ and asked her again if she would make a charge against Blink for locking her in the

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Barroom - she said yes she would. I thereupon arrested Blink brought him to the station House in Madison Street - the complainant made a charge against Blink of locking her ^{and Sergeant Crowley} up in a room attempting to drug her by giving her spirituous liquors ~~turning down the lights in~~ ^{all the direction of} the room, which was entered by the Sergeant on the Blotter as disorderly conduct against Blink who was locked down stairs

~~While~~
On the way to the Station House Blink said to me that he would do anything to try and save Sergeant Crowley - Blink was not drunk though apparently he had been drinking - ~~the next~~ ^{later in the} morning on the way to Court Blink told me that he would marry ~~Mary~~ the complainant Maggie Morris to save Crowley from disgrace as he was a

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married man and requested
me to tell this to Maggie
Morris - I told Maggie this
on the way from Court to House of Detention
and she said Oh No I am
bad enough without that
Afterwards on the trip from
the House of Court

She also said that she
did not blame Blint so
much as she did Crowley
that it was all Crowley's fault.
She also told me that she

While escorting her from
the House of Detention to
Court I told her that Crowley
was to be with her when

we got there - she said Oh
how I dread to meet that
man

Sworn to before me this
8th day of May 1885

Edward Walsh
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

Introduction

May it please the Court & gentlemen
of the jury

~~I am conscious of the fact that~~
I think you will understand
that a case of this importance to
the moral welfare of the city of
New York. I address you with
great solemnity of the deeply
convinced and sure of the defendant's
guilt. it is a solemn responsibility
if by any lack of effort on
my part

~~The crime of rape is a difficult
crime always to prove.~~

Before proceeding to this crime -
let me speak of some general
principles -

The crime of rape is the most
odious of all imaginary
offences against the law - the
~~fundamental principle of a nation~~
~~cannot be compared by force~~

There is not a nation on the
face of the habitable globe -

There is not a race human under
the sun where it is not punished -

How is she corroborated. =

Read what Lord Hale says =

No contradiction of these facts =

= 1. No complaint - ^{the crime -}
= ^{the rape and -} ^{the rape and -} ^{the rape and -}

2 - Not telling her mother =

3 - The conduct in her story ^{let it go in -}

4 - The presence of a hymen = ^{the hymen -}
= ^{the hymen -} ^{the hymen -}

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3^d District Police Court.

Maggie Brown

vs.

David H. Cowley

William Flint

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT.

May 2 1885

BEFORE HON.

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Police Justice.

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

9th District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Maggie Morris

vs.

David H. Crowley

and

William Blunt

BEFORE HON.

Charles Wells

POLICE JUSTICE,

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APPEARANCES:

For the People, Ambrose H. Pardy, Pro. Dist. Atty.

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Examination before Justice Welde.

Third District Police Court

May 1, 1885.

A P P E A R A N C E S.

For the People, Assistant District Attorney Ambrose H. Purdy.

For the defendant-Charles S. Spencer, John A. O'Brien and H.

F. Lawrence (for defendant Crowley.

For the defendant Blint Alfred Steckler.

FRANK LE MAIRE a witness for the people being duly sworn de-
poses and says.

Examined by Mr. Purdy.

Q Where do you live?

A 238 Henry street.

Q How old are you?

A 19 years.

Q Do you know Maggie Morris?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you recollect the 26th day of April 1885?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you recollect the evening of that day?

A Yes, sir.

Q Was there a ball in Standard Hall?

A Yes, sir .

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Q Did you see there the defendant Crowley?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you see Maggie Morris there?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you see the defendant Crowley and Maggie Morris together?

A Yes, sir.

Q Where did you see them together?

A They were down stairs in the liquor saloon I do not know when they went into the liquor saloon. I only seen them at the head of the stairs.

Q Where did they go?

A He took her by the hand and forced her down.

Q You saw him leading her down?

A Yes, sir.

Mr. Spencer: I object to your leading the witness.

By Mr. Purdy:

Q State what you saw that evening relating to the defendant Crowley and Maggie Morris?

A I just see a Mr. Crowley take her by the hand and seemed to jerk her, and then I see Mr. Crowley run out of the front door and run down through Rutgers street.

Q You saw him leading her down-stairs---

Mr. Spencer: I object.

By Mr. Purdy:

Q How long a time elapsed from the time you saw Crowley going down stairs, leading her, up to the time that you saw Crowley running out of the front door?

A I should judge about half an hour.

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Q After Crowley had run out of the front door what then did you see?

A I seen Maggie Morris come up after him and run up into the hall and fall in Celia Joyce arms.

Mr. Spencer: I object.

Answer continue. She said "for God sake kill me; let me go down to the dock and jump into the river".

By Justice Welde:

Q Where was you at the time?

A I was just after coming up from out on the stoop.

Q How far was you from Maggie Morris and Miss Joyce?

A About three feet.

~~By Mr. Spencer:~~

Q Did Maggie Morris say anything to you?

A No, sir.

Q Was there any other conversation between her and Celia Joyce just then that you heard?

A No, sir.

Q How long after Crowley came out of this place did Maggie Morris come out?

A A minute after.

Q She came running out instantly?

A Running--yes, sir.

Q Where was it that he came from?

A He came from the liquor saloon.

Cross Examined by Mr. Spencer:

Q This was a ball given for your benefit was it?

A Yes, sir.

At this point Dr. McLeod a witness for the people entered the room and asked the Justice to excuse him on account of a

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professional engagement.

Mr. Spencer: I desire the Doctor to remain.

Justice Welde: You will have to remain Doctor.

Cross-examination of LeMaire continued.

Q At what time of night did you for the first time see Miss Morris?

A About half past ten.

Q In whose company?

A Celia Joyce.

Q Did they have any male attendant?

A I could not say.

Q At any time, from the time you first saw Miss Morris, up to the last time you saw her that night were you aware that she had any male attendant?

A I was not out on the ball room at all so I could not tell you.

Q Now sir you say that at a certain time you saw Mr. Crowley come in, what time did he come in?

A I could not exactly tell you the time but I know it was after 12 o'clock.

Q Did he come in the ball room?

A I do not know I was in the hat box.

Q You saw him when he came up-stairs did you?

A I told you I didn't see him go into the ball room. I was in the hat box.

Q When did you for the first time see Mr. Crowley?

A The first time I saw him was with Maggie Morris.

Q About what time?

A That was I should judge between 2 o'clock and 3 I could not be certain.

Q And where were you then?

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A In the hat box.

Q The hat box is on the floor of the ball room?

A Yes, sir.

Q Are you sufficiently familiar with the premises to identify this plan of the ball room?

A Yes, sir.

Plan shown to the witness and marked Exhibit A.

By Justice Welde:

Q Are you familiar with plans?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long was ~~in~~ you in this hat room?

A I was ~~in~~ there all night I came out once in a while.

Q Was you in there when you saw Mr. Crowley take Miss Morris down these stairs?

A Yes, sir.

Q You was in the hat room?

A I was in the hat room.

Q You was in there all night? When did you come out of this room?

A I didn't say I was in all night. I came out once in a ~~while~~ while.

Q You couldn't see them go in?

A Yes, sir.

Cross-Examination resumed by Mr. Spencer

Q Now sir you say that when you first saw Mr. Crowley you were in the hat box were you?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now indicate where you was when you first saw him?

A (Witness indicates on the diagram). A. He was there with Miss Morris.

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Q Was there anybody with him?

A He was with Miss Morris.

Q I ask you sir did you not when you first saw Mr. Crowley see him with Miss Morris at the head of these stairs?

A I believe I told you that when I seen Mr. Crowley I did not first see him there.

Q Where was he when you first saw him?

A He was coming in .

Q From what direction?

A From the door.

Q Then did he go into the ball room?

A I do not know. I did not see him go into the ball room.

Q You don't know what became of him?

A I seen him alone when I seen him first.

Q How long after that was it that you saw him the second time

A The second time I saw him was between 2 and 3 o'clock.

Q How long after you saw him the first time before you saw him the second time?

A I could not exactly say.

Q You couldn't tell whether it was a quarter or half an hour

A No, sir; I could not.

Q Can you tell whether it was a quarter of an hour or two hours?

A No, sir .

Q Is your recollection as mysty as to other matters?

A No, sir.

Q Can you tell whether it was a quarter of an hour or three hours?

A I couldn't say.

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Q Can you say whether it was a quarter of an hour or three hours between the time you first saw him and the time you saw him with Miss Morris at the head of the stairs?

A I seen Mr. Crowley at the head of these stairs.

Q With Miss Morris?

A With Miss Morris.

Q Then you didn't see him come out of the ball room and come down these stairs--you saw him and Miss Morris hand in hand?

A b He had hold of her hand.

Q Did she have hold of his hand?

A No, sir.

Q What hand of hers did he have?

A I could not say.

Q Was it the right hand or the left hand?

A (After reflection) The right hand.

Q With his left hand?

A I could not say what hand he had hold of her with. I could not tell you that.

Q Can't tell whether it was the right hand?

A No, sir.

Q At that time that you saw Mr. Crowley and Miss Morris hand in hand how many people were there in this ball room?

A I do not know I did not take notice of it.

Q Was there not a crowd?

A No sir.

Q About how many should you think there were?

A A number of people I believe. That is all I could say. because I was in the hat box.

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Q Was you where you could not see?

A I could see right across there.

Q How big was the little window which you had to look through?

A About two feet diameter.

Q You could see pretty plainly therethrough two feet diameter?

A I did not stand close up to the window.

Q The ball room bar was not closed at that time?

A No, sir.

Q They were selling drinks of some kind?

A Yes, sir.

Q And will you swear that there was people in the ball room bar?

A I could not swear because I did not see them?

Q You know there were some people?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now did you immediately go out after you saw Miss Morris and Mr. Crowley--after you saw them he having hold of her hand at the top of these stairs?

A After Mr. Crowley had hold of her hand when Mr. Crowley took hold of her hand and kind of give her a sudden jerk that way.

Q Did you see them go down stairs?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you call the attention of anybody to them?

A No, sir.

Q Did you hear anybody else there call attention to them then?

A No, sir.

Q Didn't you immediately go away?

A Just as soon as they went I saw Mr. Crowley pull her

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Q How long was it--five minutes?

A Yes, sir.

Q Ten?

A No, sir.

Q Did make any alarm?

A No, sir.

Q When you got there and could not see what did you do?

A I staid in the hat box.

Q How long?

A Ten minutes.

Q And after you had staid in the hat box ten minutes then where did you go?

A Then I went out in the ball room--in the bar room.

Q How long did you stay in the ball room?

A About three minutes.

Q Then where did you go?

A In the hat room.

Q After you got in the hat room how long did you stay there then?

A About one minute.

Q Then where did you go?

A Looking for Maggie Morris.

Q Then where did you go?

A I went down stairs.

Q Down into the street?

A No, sir.

Q Where did you go?

A Into the dinning room underneath the ball room.

The witness indicates on the diagram the location of the dining room.

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Q You went into the dining room how long did you stay in the dining room?

A About two minutes.

Q Then where did you go?

A Up-stairs.

Q Where to?

A To the bar room up-stairs.

Q Into the ball room bar room?

A Yes, sir .

Q How long did you stay there?

A About ten minutes.

Q Then where did you go?

A Out into the street.

Q And when you went into the street did anybody go with you

A Yes, sir .

Q Who went with you ?

A Jake Burns.

Q Anybody else?

A Yes.

Q Who else?

A A dozen more people.

Q And after you got into the street you saw Mr. Crowley come out of this room where the billiard table was?

A While I was standing on the stoop.

Q After you got into the street outside of the building how long after you got out with all these people in front was it that you saw Mr. Crowley?

A About five minutes.

Q And where was he when you first saw him, when you first saw him on the steps?

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A Running up the steps there.

Q How many steps are there there?

A I couldn't tell you I never counted.

Q Not over five, six or seven?

A No, sir.

Q When he came up there did you speak to him?

A He ran away I could not speak to him.

Q What direction did he take ?

A Rutger street.

Qv How far is Rutger street away?

A One door.

Q Which way did he go after he had got one door?

A He turned the corner.

Q Did you cry out to Mr. Crowley or say anything? after he came up the steps?

A After he came up he ran right off.

Q Did you cry out to anybody?

A No, sir.

Q Was ^{at} the station house afterwards when the complaint was ~~made~~ made?

A Yes, sir.

Q And did Miss Morris make a complaint there at the station house?

A Yes, sir.

Q In your presence and hearing?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did she make any complaint on that occasion against Mr. Crowley?

A I do not understand you.

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By Justice Welde:

Q Did she make any complaint against Mr. Crowley at the station house?

A She made a complaint.

Cross examination continued by Mr. Spencer:

Q She made some complaint did she not?

A Yes, sir.

Q There was a sergeant at the desk at the station house was there not?

A Yes, sir.

Q Will you swear that she told him or complained there to the sergeant in command against Mr. Crowley? Will you swear she did?

A No, sir.

MAGGIE MORRIS, the complainant being cross-examined upon her affidavit deposes and says.

Q How old are you?

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A I will be 17 the 15th of this month.

Q What is your occupation?

A Cigarette maker.

Q Where do you reside?

A 44 Monroe street.

By Mr. Spencer:

Q You were at this ball given for the benefit of Mr. LeMair were you not?

A Yes, sir.

Q That was what day?

A Saturday night.

Q Last Saturday night?

A Yes, sir.

Q What time did you go to it?

A I went about nine o'clock.

Q In the evening?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did anybody go with you?

A A young lady friend Celia Joyce.

Q She is here is she not?

A Yes, sir.

Q Anybody else go with you?

A That is all.

Q Have you been to balls before?

A Yes, sir. I was to balls in Tammany Hall.

Q Did you ever go to the Alhambra?

A No, sir.

Q Did you go to Pythagoras Hall.

A No, sir.

Q You went to Tammany Hall?

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A Yes, sir.

Q Yo Walhalla Hall have you been?

A Yes, sir.

Q And you went with this lady there and you saw Mr. Crowley there?

A I didn't see him until half past ~~two~~ Sunday morning.

Q I ask if you saw him?

A Yes.

Q About when?

A About half past two Sunday morning.

Q And was you introduced to him?

A Yes, sir.

Q Who by?

A By a young man.

Q You know his name?

A Mr. Burns, yes, sir.

Q And did he invite you to dance?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you dance?

A No, sir.

Q Did he invite you to take any refreshments?

A Yes, sir.

Q What was it he said?

A He asked me if I could not have something to drink?

Q You told him you would not didn't you?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long was it after you first was introduced to him before you and he went out of the ball room?

A About ten minutes.

Q You left together didn't you ?

A Yes, sir.

Q When you left the ball room Miss Morris about how many people should you think were in it?—I do not expect you to be exact?

A I guess there was about 30 couple.

Q It was not a large ball room, isn't it?

A No, sir.

Q And did he ask you to go out of the ball room?

A I walked out of the ball room with him.

Q Were you standing or sitting down at the time you were introduced to him?

A Standing.

Q Standing up all the while?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did he ask you to go out of the ball room?

A I walked out to the refreshment bar.

Q Of your own accord?

A Yes, sir.

Q Well I understand you went out of the bar room of your own accord and on his invitation?

A Yes, sir I walked out.

Q You walked out of the ball room with Mr. Crowley?

A Yes, sir.

Q With anybody else?

A No, sir.

Q Did you walk out side by side?

A Yes, sir.

Q Talking?

A Yes, sir.

Q Was this Miss Gelia Joyce left in the ball room?

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A She was dancing.

Q Now what was your motive in going out at all to get refreshments?

A To get refreshments.

Q This ball room bar were there any refreshments there?

A In the other room right off a few steps down from the hall.

Q Now when you got out into this room did Mr. Crowley ask you to go down stairs?

A No, sir.

Q Was anything said about your going downstairs?

A No, sir.

Q How many people, if there were any, were there in the ball room bar room about?

A About 10.

Q There are steps that go down stairs from the corner of the ball room bar room are there not?

A Yes, sir.

Q The bar room ~~light~~ was light was it not?

A Dim light.

Q The ball room bar room was light enough for people to see?

A Oh! Yes, sir, this room was light.

Q When you got into the ball room bar room was anything said before either of you went down stairs about going down stairs?

A No, sir.

Q Well then did he have hold of your hand when you went down stairs?

A Yes, sir.

Q Which hand?

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A The right hand.

Q And did you speak to anybody in the ball room bar room
before you went down stairs?

A No, sir.

Q Did you know anybody there in the ball room bar room?

A Yes, sir.

Q And you could have spoken to them there if you wanted to?

A Yes, sir.

Q Nobody prevented you?

A No, sir.

Q Now these stairs going down to the saloon they are very
crooked aint they?

A Yes, sir.

Q Very crooked?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now give Judge Welde an idea of about how wide they are?

A About three feet.

Q Were they wide enough for two people to go down side by
side?

A Yes, sir.

Q You think so?

A Yes, sir.

Q How many crooks are there or turns?

A One.

Q They are pretty ugly stairs to go down?

A Yes, sir.

Q Was there any light there on the stairs?

A No, sir.

Q I do not know whether you took notice why you was going
down these crooked stairs and getting in sight of this base-

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ment there is a little door there isn't there?-a door by the stairs?

A Yes, sir.

Q Isn't it what you call a half door?

A Yes, sir.

Q When you got down into the bar room was anybody in the bar room?

A No, sir.

Q Was there any light?

A A dim light.

Q Do you recollect where that was?

(Witness indicates on the diagram.)

Q Was there any light in the window?

A No, sir.

Q Where was this dim light?

A There was a pale light in the centre of the room.

Q You are quite positive there was no light in the window?

A There was not.

Q Well you didn't notice any?

A No, sir.

Q What kind of a light was this in middle a gas light?

A Yes, sir.

Q You have now got down into that basement how long in all do you think you were in the basement?

A As far as I can recollect it was about a half an hour.

Q You was in the basement a half an hour and when you went out of the basement which way did you go out?

A I went up the steps leading into the hall .

Q Leading into what hall?

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A cStandard Hall.

Q You had to go out into the street to go up-stairs?

A Yes, sir.

Q You were in there about half an hour?

A Yes, sir.

Q You went up the step that leads into the street and went back i nto the hall?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now where was it that you for the first time saw Mr. Blindy the bar tender. From the time Mr. Crowley took hold of your hand and you went down stairs into the bar room where was it you first saw Blindy after you got in the bar room? Did you see him at all?

A Yes, sir.

Q And how long had you and Mr. Crowley, according to the best of your recollection, been in that bar room when Mr. Blindy came in there?

A The first time do you mean?

Q I understand you that you went down and staid there a half an hour and you have just told me Mr. Blint came in there?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long was it after you and Mr. Crowley first went down there, how long had you been in the bar room before Mr. Blindy came in?

A About 25 minutes.

Q Had you known MR. Blint before that?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long had you know him?

A About twomonths before.

Q You and he were friendly?

A Yes, sir.

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By Justice Welde:

Q Was that the first time that you had seen Mr. Blint that night?

A No, sir.

Cross-Examination continued.

By Mr. Spencer:

Q Did Mr. Blint bring some drinks?

A Yes, sir.

Q What drinks do you know?

A I think I am not a judge--whiskey and sarsaparilla.

Q Now were you there standing or sitting down when Mr. Blint brought these drinks?

A Sitting down.

Witness indicates on the diagram where she was sitting.

By Justice Welde:

Q Are you familiar with plans? Do you know anything about this plan?

A No, sir.

Cross Examination continued by Mr. Spencer:

Q Had you ever been in that room before?

A Once before.

Q Only once?

A That's all.

Q Was there any conversation when Mr. Blint came in there with these drinks--was there anything said by Blint or by you or by Crowley?

A No, sir.

Q Nothing whatever?

A No, sir.

Q Did he leave the drinks

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A Yes, sir.

Q You didn't drink any?

A One mouthful.

Q Of the Sarsaparilla?

A Yes, sir.

Q You did drink some? just a little?

A Just a little.

Q Did Mr. Blint come back there again?

A No, sir.

Q How long was it after Mr. Blint went away before you went out of that room into the street and stepped back into the ball room? How long after Mr. Blint came down there that you went out in the street up-stairs?

A About five minutes after.

Q Did you make any complaint to Mr. Blint when Mr. Blint came in?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now Miss Morris after you went up-stairs that night you went to the station house did you not?

A Yes, sir.

Q Where was the station house?

A Madison street; I do not know the number.

Q n How long was it after you went up before you went to the station house?

A About fifteen minutes.

Q Did anybody go with you?

A Yes, sir.

Q Who?

A Well that I could not tell you all there was a number.

Q Did Miss Joyce go with you?

A Yes.

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Q And Mr. Le Maire?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you know who was in charge of the station house?

A No, sir; I could not tell you.

Q There was someone behind the bar?

A Yes, sir.

Q Was Mr. Blint there then?

A Yes, sir.

Q He had been arrested then had he not?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now did you say anything to the person who was in charge there?

A No, sir.

Q What did you go there for?

A I went there; he asked me what was the matter.

Q What did you go there for?

A I went there with a policeman to make my complaint there. I went there and told them that I was locked in a room downstairs.

Q (Repeated) What did you go there for?

A I told them I was locked in a room. I told them he was that man. And that he locked me in. They had arrested him.

By Justice Welde:

Q You told the same story at the station house? as you have told it here?

A Yes, sir.

Mr. Spencer: I object.

Q By Mr. Spencer.

What did you go to the station house for?

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A I went there and made my complaint of Blint. I did not say anything about Sargeant Crowley.

Q What did you go there for?

A I went there to get Mr. Blint arrested for locking me down-stairs.

Q Did you make any complaint then against Mr. Crowley?

A No, sir; I did not say anything about it.

Q When you went to the station house there was an officer behind the bar and spoke to you?

A Yes, sir.

Q What did you say to the officer?

A I told him that Mr. Blint locked me down-stairs and mixed my drinks and turned the gas down when I came down with Mr. Crowley.

Mr. Steckler: I ask that that be stricken out of the record.

Justice Welde: The motion is denied.

Gross Examination by Mr. Spencer continued:

Q You spoke about Blint mixing drinks?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you drink apart of the drinks that was mixed?

A Little.

Q You could tell by the taste?

A Yes, sir.

Q After you had been to the station house and Blint was locked up where did you go then?

A I went to a friends house and slept there until half past six.

Q What's your friends name?

A Jennie Howard.

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Q Where does she live?

A In Clinton street.

Q Half past six you got up where did you go?

A Starting home.

Q Did you go home?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long did you stay home?

A About ten minutes.

Q Where did you go then?

A To Church.

Q Went to church that was Sunday morning.

A 7 o'clock.

Q 7 o'clock mass?

A Yes, sir.

Q Who went to Church with you?

A Celia Joyce.

Q Did you change your clothing at all?

A Yes, sir.

Q Your mother was home?

A Yes, sir.

Q Anybody else in the family?

A My brother.

Q Who went to church with you?

A Celia Joyce.

Q Did she go to your house?

A No, sir, I went over to her door and found her standing there.

Q After you met Celia Joyce you went to church?

A Yes, sir.

Q What church did you go to?

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A I went to St. James church .

Q How long do you think you were at church?

A Until half past seven.

Q And where did you go home?

A No, sir.

Q Where did you go?

A I went down as far as Oliver street as far as the corner of Oliver and Oak street.

Q Did you go in a house?

A No, sir.

Q How long was you there?

A About ten minutes.

Q then where did you go?

A Two young men brought us over here.

Q What were their names?

A I cannot tell you their names.

Q Can't you remember one ?

A No, sir.

Q ~~Where they~~ Where did you meet them?

A At a sociable.

Q Two young men that you have met at a sociable brought you to this court?

A Yes, sir.

Q And where did you meet them?

A At the corner of Oliver and Oak street.

Q What did they say to you?

A They didn't say anything.

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Q They brought you here?

A Yes, sir.

Q Have you seen them here since?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did anybody tell you their names?

A No, sir.

Q What time did you get here with these two young men?

A 8 o'clock.

Q In the morning?

A Yes, sir.

Q And how long did it take you after you got here?

A I could not tell you.

Q And Monday morning you were here again?

A Yes, sir.

Q And that was the first time that you made this complaint that you was assaulted?

A Yes, sir.

Q That you told this story?

A Yes, sir.

Q And didn't Justice Welde say to you when you got through telling that story then that you had not said anything about Crowley's having had connection with you?

A No, sir.

Q When you had got through didn't Mr. Justice Welde say that you had said nothing about this complaint? And then didn't you begin again --didn't the justice tell you that you had said nothing about Mr. Crowley's having had connection with you and called your attention to it?

A Yes, sir.

Mr. Purdy: That is the case for the people.

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Mr. Spencer: I ask that it be entered on the record that the District attorney declines to call as a witness the Sergeant who made the examination of this lady

Mr. Purdy: I do not call the physician and I do not call many other witnesses. This is not a trial by a jury. It is before a committing magistrate.

DAVID H. CROWLEY the defendant being duly sworn and examined on his own behalf deposes and says:

Examined by Mr. Spencer:

Q What is your name?

A David HL Crowley.

Q How old are you?

A 37.

Q Whats your occupation?

A I am a sargeant of police.

Q Where do you reside?

A 298 Madison street.

Q Will you just in your own way tell to his Honor Justice Welde what happened on this occasion between you and this ~~young~~ young lady.

A Well on Saturday night it was my night off duty. I left the desk there --we was working three handed I left duty at

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8 o'clock. I went home. I went down Canal street and the Bowery; from that I went to Brady's and after that I went to Standard Hall.

Q What time did you go there?

A I went there about half past one.

Q Tell us what happened?

A I met officer Meyer standing there when I first entered to the ball room I was introduced to a girl there and I had one dance. I went and had one dance. After the dance Burns came to me and says to me "come down I will introduce to Morris and Joyce." I went down to the end of the ball room where Joyce and Morris were ~~and sat down~~ sitting down at the time and she got up and came from the ball room with me. I asked her if she would have some drink. We came out of the ball room together I said "Let's go down stairs" and we went down stairs. The bartender Blint opened the door and left ~~me~~ ~~me~~. I told him to fetch us a drink and she said that she would have Soda water ~~or~~ sarsaparilla. We staid in there. After Blint had went out she said "He has locked the door" I went after him there towards the door and wrapped on it, for him to come back. She was then probably 12 or 13 feet from the door. I says to Miss Morris ~~that~~ "I can get you out this way by the door that leads out to East Broadway." Then Blint came down and said they are raising the old Harry about her up-stairs. He said they are raising old Harry up-stairs. I went to the door on East Broadway and I went up the stoop. and he went up.

Q Now from the time that you went in that basement to the ~~xx~~ time you went out did you take any improper liberties with Miss Morris?

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29A So help me God I did not.

CROSS EXAMINATION BY MR. PURDY:

Q What hour that night did you leave the station house?

A Six o'clock.

Q You are a married man?

A Yes, sir, and have three children.

Q Where did you go from the station house?

A I went from the station house home to No. 298 Madison ~~stra~~
street.

Q How long were you home?

A It took me an hour to get home.

Q And from home where did you go?

A I went out to the Corner of Madison and Montgomery street.
Right on the corner.

Q What kind of a place?

A It is a grocery store.

Q How long were you there?

A Some time talking with a young man named Williams.

Q From there where did you go?

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A He says lets go take a drink, and we started off and walked
up to Shield's down Madison street up to Shield's.

Q And did you drink in Shield's?

A I drank some whiskey.

Q How many drinks in Shield's?

A I do not think we had over two.

Q Whiskey each time?

A Yes, sir.

Q From Shield's where did you go?

A I went down to the corner of Rutger street.

Q How long were you there?

A It might have been an hour.

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Q Did you drink there?

A Yes.

Q From there where did you go?

A I went to the Summit House corner of Canal street and the Bowery.

Q Is that a hotel?

A Yes, sir.

Q And bar room?

A Yes, sir!

Q Have any drinks there?

A No, sir.

Q From there where did you go to?

A I suppose about half past ten or eleven o'clock I went down to Brady's.

Q What did you do at Brady's?

A Oh I stopped there a while.

Q Is that a liquor store?

A It is a lagerbier saloon.

Q Did you drink there?

A I had a glass of lager, and played pool.

Q From Brady's where did you go?

A I played pool about up to one o'clock or after.

Q From there where did you go?

A I left there and went out to meet a man named Eagan. and talked with him sometime and then went around to the ball room.

Q How long had you been in the ball room before you were introduced to this young girl?

A I went up the steps there and met an old friend there and was talking to officer Meyers.

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Q After you got into the ball room how long was it before you was introduced to this young girl?

A That must have been probably half an hour.

Q And had you been introduced to this girl before that?

A No, sir.

Q You had a dance before that?

A I had.

Q What was the name of the girl?

A I do not know her name.

Q You had been introduced to her?

A I did not introduce myself. I do not know who she was she was one of the parties there at the ball.

Q You were not introduced to her?

A I could not say whether I was introduced to her or not. I do not think it required much of an introduction there.

Q You was introduced to this complainant Maggie Morris?

A Yes, sir.

Q What did you first say to this girl?

A Burns introduced me to her. we started down the ball room I says "lets go and get a drink." We walked out .

Q Did you have her hand?

A No, sir.

Q Was the bar locked?

A The ~~bar~~ bar room of the place was locked .

Q How did you get in?

A The bar tender unatched it.

Q Blint?

A Yes, sir.

Q You and she went in?

A Yes, sir.

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Q Was the gas burning?

A One light was burning.

Q Low down?

A Yes rather low down.

Q Was there a billiard table there?

A There was a billiard table or a pool table.

Q You told Blint to bring in the drinks?

A Yes, sir.

Q And he went out for the drinks?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long was he out for the drinks?

A Just to make them up. When he had gone out she said he has locked the door.

Q She said?

A She said he has locked the door. I went over immediately and tried the door and wrapped at the door myself.

Q She spoke about the door being locked?

A She said that immediately after he went out.

Q And you wrapped?

A I wrapped.

Q And he came?

A He did not come then.

Q How long after that did he come?

A Not for a few minutes. I went up and I says "Come this way to the front door.

Q Come to the front door?

A We was going out he came in.

Q With the drinks?

A With the drinks.

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Q You went out the front door there?

A Yes, sir.

Q She was with you?

A Yes, sir.

Q Where did you go after you went out into the street?

A I walked down Rutger street.

Q Why didn't you go into the ball room again with her?

A I did not care there was no complaint.

Q When this young lady that you had invited out of the ball room and you had gone down into the bar room and the door was locked was you surprised?

A No; I was not.

Q Was there any trouble?

A Not the slightest.

Q Not the slightest?

A Not the slightest.

Q What did you go away?

A I did not want her friend to see that she was there with me.

Q Why was that?

A Because I didn't want them to know that this young ladyb had been in there with the door locked.

Q And that was the only reason?

A That was all sir.

Q How long was you in there?

A I do not think over three minutes.

Q Then you thought that that door being locked three minutes would disgrace the girl; and you didn't want her

friends to know that you had been locked up there with her

A I ~~did not think it best.~~ I thought it best for her to go up alone.

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Q Why? Why did you not returnnt o the ball.

A I didn't care to go back again.

Q Do you mean to say that this door had only been locked kxx
three minutes ?

A Yes, not over that.

Q And because that door was locked for these three minutes
that was the reason you did not want her to be seen there
with you?

A Certainly.

Q Thats all the reason?

A Thats all.

Q Do you know whether any of her friends had come to the
door to try to get in?

A I could not say whether there was anybody came to the
door, or not because I went and ~~was~~apped for Blint to come
back and then went to the front of the building ~~to~~ to
the front door I ~~have~~ ~~known~~ ~~max~~ of course knew we could get
out that way.

Q You never had met this girl before ?

A Not to my knowledge.

Q You say she willingly went down to that bar to take a drink
with you?

A Yes, sir.

Q And did you know anything about her character or reputa-
tion?

A No only what Burns told me.

Objected to.

Q And what did Burns tell you?

Objected to.

~~Mr. Spencer: I move to strike out the last answer.~~

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Question overruled.

Q Where did you go after you ^{left} ~~met~~ this girl?

A I went down toward Jefferson street.

Q Where did you go then?

A I went and stopped there a little while.

Q On the street?

A Yes, sir; on the street.

Q Where did go from there?

A I waited there some time.

Q Who was it you wanted to meet there?

A I wanted to meet Mr. Eagan.

Q Where was Eagan?

A He was up in the ball room.

Q How long did you wait down there?

A About twenty minutes.

Q Why didn't you go up there to meet him?

A I wanted to see him particularly. I thought I would like to see him. I did not know that he was there. I supposed he was.

Q Did you stay on the stoop after the girl went in the ball room?

A I staid on the stoop and then went down towards Rutgers street.

Q How long did you stay on the stoop?

A Just a few minutes.

Q Did you see this young man Le Maire?

A I did not know him.

Q Did you see the Joyce girl there?

A No, sir; she was not there.

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Q Did Maggie go right up?

A Yes, sir .

Q How far did you walk down the street?

A To the next corner .

Q And you was waiting there ²⁰~~20~~ minutes?

A Yes, sir!

Q Alone?

A Yes, sir.

Q And who came then?

A A man named Malachi.

Q And did Eagan come?

A No, sir.

Q Where did you go from this place?

A It was towards Market street a young man was there with him whom I do not know.

Q Then what did you do?

A I went down to the station house.

Q Had you found out the bar-tender had been arrested?

A I asked--yes. I went in and asked Charley Sherwood if the bar-tender was arrested .

Q How long had you know the bartender?

A About three years I think.

Q And you went down to the station house and found the bar keeper had been arrested?

A They said the girl Miss Morris had gone down.

Q And you went down to the station house to find out about it

A Yes, sir.

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Q When Blint came down stairs what was it he said to you when you ~~trapped~~ at the door--did he come in answer to the ~~xxra~~ ~~trap~~?

A No, he did not. ~~He~~ He came back when he had the drinks.

Q And what did he say?

A He said that her friends were looking for her. He said that they were looking for her and ~~was~~ raising a hurrah about her. I said ^{if} open this door. ^{??}

Q Raising a hurrah about what?

A About her being down there locked up.

Q Just about what?

A About being locked up because she was down here.

Mr. Spe ncer: I move that the prisoner be di scharged.

Mr. Purdy: I move that the defendant be committed without bail.

After hearing argument from counsel on both sides Justice Welde decided that the prisoner be committed without bail.

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9th DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF
Maggie Morris
agst.
Dan H. Crowley
William O'Brien

Examination had *May 2* 1885
Before *Charles Weld* Police Justice.

I, *W. L. O'Connell* Stenographer of the 9th District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of *Frank Lemaine* *Maggie Morris* and *Dan H. Crowley* as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated *May 2* 1885.

W. L. O'Connell
Stenographer.

W. L. O'Connell
Stenographer.

Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Crown, John

DATE:

05/21/85



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Witnesses:

Sawyer & Co. appraiser

C. G. Sawyer

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Counsel,

Filed 21

(day of

1888

Pleads,

Wm.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Crown

H.D.

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

E. H. Hall

Foreman.

May 27/88

Wm. H. Hall

Secy. of Mass. C. P.

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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 Brown

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

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

The said *John Brown*,

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

Three promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, for the payment of the value of one dollar each,

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

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Andrew Bodder*, on the person of the said *Andrew Bodder*, then and there being found, from the person of the said *Andrew Bodder*, 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 P. Martinie,
District Attorney

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Complaint \$3.00
to testify. Name of
Attorney

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undersigned
James Brown
James Brown
James Brown

Office
from the Prison

Dated May 16 1885

Magistrate
John S. Keeler
Officer

Witnesses

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 _____

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 May 16 1885 _____ 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.POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

of No. 4 Precinct Police Street, aged 30 years,
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says
 that on the 16 day of May 1886

Andrew Belcher
 (now here) is a material witness
 against John Crown charged with
 larceny from person deponent
 believes that said Belcher will not
 appear to prosecute, ^{as he is a non resident} wherefore deponent
 prays that he may be held as
 such witness

Peter E. Carter

Sworn to before me, this
16 day of May 1886

Samuel W. Kelly Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Brown being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h *is* right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against h *him*; that the statement is designed to
enable h *him* if h see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *him*
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h *is* waiver cannot be used
against h *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 I don't know
anything about this I never saw the
man before in my life*

John Brown

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Court—13 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 614 Greenwich Avenue of 11th Street, aged 43 years,
occupation Farmer being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 16 day of May 1885 at the City of NewYork, 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:

Good and lawful money of the
United States consisting of one note
of the denomination and value of five
dollars and three notes of the denomination
and value of one dollar each in all of the value of eight
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 John Crown (now here)

from the fact that while deponent was
in company with said defendant passing
along the public street said defendant thrust
his hand into the right hand side pocket
the pantaloons then and there worn
by deponent taking therefrom the aforesaid
property and ran away with the same

Clinton B. Maynard

Sworn to before me, this
of May 1885
day 16

David C. Williams
Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cruger, Kortright

DATE:

05/01/85



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Witnesses:

Gas S. Porteous

June 16 - 1886

For persons appearing the

Opinion of Court of Appeal

receiving this Certificate

it is respectfully

submitted that another

trial is needed & that

Paul deposed to

\$1000 - sent by Charles

May 25/86

this Judge should be

discharged - McElroy

and by the Court

to bail in \$1000

June 10/86

Geoffrey

Mr. Long Esq

Counsel,

Filed

May 1886

Pleads

Not Guilty May 4

THE PEOPLE

vs

Portright Ganger

52 Maiden Lane

London E.C. 4

For. by Court O.E.S.

June 7. 1886

RANDOLPH B. MARTINEZ

PETER B. O'NEIL

District Attorney

Ordered to N.Y. Court of Oyer and

Terminer for trial. May 13. 1886

A True Bill.

Forfeited

Foreman

convicted

and d.p.

June 16. 1886

Indictment against

see endorsement of

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Horatio H. Ensign

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

Horatio H. Ensign,

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

The said *Horatio H. Ensign,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *March*, — 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 case gun of the value of
eight hundred dollars, and
twenty two diamonds of the value
of twenty dollars each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James S. Portman,

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 S. Martin,
District Attorney

At a Special Term of the
Supreme Court held at
the Court House in the
City of New York on the
3rd day of June, 1886

Present, Hon. C. D. Smith

Justice

The People of the State
of New York
against
Hortright Cargen

The defendant having appealed
to the Court of Appeals from a judg-
ment of this Court affirming a
judgment of the Court of Oyer and
Determine for the County of New York
by which the defendant was con-
victed of the crime of grand larceny
in the second degree, and the
Court of Appeals having rendered
its decision reversing the said
judgment and conviction, and
granting a new trial of this action
and the remittitur from the Court
of Appeals having been duly
filed with the Clerk of this Court
on motion of Morris A. Tappan
attorney for the defendant, it is
ordered; that the judgment
of the Court of Appeals stand
as the judgment of this Court

and that the judgment and execution as appealed from be and they hereby are reversed and a new trial of this action granted.

Enter

C. Donnell

Attest
James A. Black
Clerk

N. Y. Supreme Court

The People of the State
of New York
vs.

Harbight Singer

Order for judgment
as permitted

James A. DeLoach
Defendant
128 Broadway

N. Y.

Entered and filed this
within is a copy of and
under this day entered
in the office of the clerk
of this court.

James A. DeLoach
Defendant

So
Randolph B. Brant
District Attorney

In. H. Supreme Court

The People of the State }
 of New York }
 against
 Keright Cuger }

The defendant having appealed from the Court of Appeals from a judgment of this Court affirming a judgment of the Court of Oyer and Terminer for the County of New York, by which the defendant was convicted of the crime of grand larceny in the second degree; and the Court of Appeals having rendered its decision reversing the said judgment and conviction and granting a new trial; and the petition from the Court of Appeals having been duly filed with the Clerk of this Court, and an order duly entered ~~and~~ that the judgment of the Court of Appeals stand as the judgment of this Court; on motion of ~~James A. Tyng~~ A. Tyng attorney for the defendant, it is adjudged and decreed that the judgment of the Court of Appeals stand as the judgment of this Court; that the judgment and conviction appealed from

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be and they hereby are in all things reversed, and that at new trial of this action be granted according to law.

New York June 3rd 1886

~~James A. Black~~
Clerk

A Copy
James A. Black
Clerk

L. G. Suprenant Clerk

The People of the State
of New York
against

Washington Angier

Judgment of Reversal

James A. Cyert
Deft. and
128 Broadway
N. Y.

Said out in which the
within is a copy of a
judgment this day
entered in the office
of the clerk of the
court.

June 3rd 1886
James A. Cyert
Deft. and
so
Randolph B. Brainerd
Clerk of Court

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March 10th 1885. Received from
Jas. B. Porteous one diamond
Lace Pin mounted in shape
of leaf, ^{Estimated} ~~and~~ value ~~at~~ about
Eight hundred dollars

W. L. Luzzon
52 Maiden Lane

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234 Madison St
Daniel Hanshaw
115 B 'way
People's C
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POOR QUALITY
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BAILLED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
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Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
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Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court _____ District _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James S. Porteous
158 Bedford St.

Anthony L. Enright

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Offence *Grand Larceny*

Dated *Apr 25* 188*5*

D. A. Reilly Magistrate.

Van Buren Officer.

Adeline Smith Precinct.

\$2000 for & Apr 26. 1885

Witnesses *" May 5-2 AM.*

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ *500* to answer *Annual* 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 *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 *Apr 26* 188*5* *Samuel C. Reilly* 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. 151.

District Police Court.

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

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices in and for the said City, by James S. Porteous

of No. 58 Cedar Street, that on the 10 day of March
1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

One diamond lace Pin mounted in a gold
leaf containing about fifty two diamonds

of the value of Eight hundred Dollars,
the property of Complainant
was at taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and
believe, by Katright Cruger

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith
bring him before me, at the 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 25 day of Apr 1885
Sam'l O'Reilly POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate

Det. Capt. J. J. Connelley

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

James S. Porteous
Complainant

Dated April 25th 1885

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Sam'l O'Reilly
Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, _____

Native of _____

Age, _____

Sex _____

Complexion, _____

Color _____

Profession, _____

Married _____

Single, _____

Read, _____

Write, _____

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

Kortright - Bruen 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. *Kortright Bruen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *53 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *128 E 27th St 2 1/2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Jeweller*

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

Kortright Bruen

Taken before me this

26

day of

April

1887

Samuel C. Kelly
Police Justice.

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Police Court

Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,James S. Porteousof No. 58 CedarStreet, aged 29 years,occupation Broker

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 10th day of March 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 diamond lace pin mounted
in gold in the shape of a leaf
consisting of about fifty two
diamonds of the value of eight
hundred 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 Kortright Kruger;

That on said date deponent went to said defendant's office No 52 Maiden Lane in the City of New York and left said property in said defendant's care and keeping to sell. he said defendant then and there stating that he had customers for such property and could undoubtedly dispose of the same; that on the 28th day of March 1885 deponent called upon said defendant and asked if he had disposed of said property; that said defendant replied "No". That deponent then and there informed defendant that if he said defendant did not sell said property by the 1st day of April 1885 that he said deponent wished him said defendant

S. J. Justice

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to return the same to deponent. That said defend-
ant replied all right, and deponent left. That
on the 1st day of April 1885 deponent called on
defendant and asked him if he had disposed of said
property; said defendant replied that he expected
a party in next day about it, that at divers times
between the 1st day of April 1885, and the 6th day of
April 1885, said deponent called on defendant asking
defendant on each occasion whether he had sold the
pin: but on each occasion defendant stated that he
had not sold the pin, but expected a man in who
would purchase it; finally on April 6th 1885 depon-
ent again called on defendant and was told by defend-
ant for the first time, that the defendant had previously
given the said pin to one "D. Fauschaw" of 115 Broadway
N.Y. City for the purpose of selling the same, that de-
ponent called at 115 Broadway and inquired for
said Fauschaw, and was informed that there was
no such person in the building. That on several
subsequent occasions deponent has demanded
the surrender of said pin, but defendant
has not surrendered the same, that deponent
never authorized said defendant to deliver said
pin to said Fauschaw or any other person for any
such purpose. That the defendant having
in his possession the said pin as bailee or
trustee of deponent did with intent to de-
fraud or deprive said deponent of the said
pin, appropriate the same to his own use
or to the use of some person other than the
deponent who is the true owner thereof, and
thereby committed the crime of grand
larceny in the first degree. Therefore
this deponent ~~trusts that the said defendant~~
may be apprehended and bound to answer
for the charge of grand larceny in the
first degree and be dealt with ac-
cording to law.

Sworn to before me this 26th day
of April 1885.

James T. Parsons
Sam'l O'Reilly
Police Justice.

Police Court,

THE PROSECUTOR,
on the complaint of

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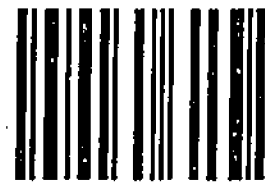
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Cuff, William

DATE:

05/22/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed day of

1885

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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William Ruff

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Filed May 26/85

Filed. April 24/85.

A True Bill.

E. J. [Signature]

Foreman.

Pen one year.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Ruff

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

William Ruff

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

The said William Ruff

late of the City and County of New York, on the third day of May, 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 one

Edward S. Walling

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said William Ruff

with a certain stone which he the said

William Ruff

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a stone likely to produce grievous bodily harm, he, the said Edward S. Walling then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, he bruise 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.

SECOND COUNT:

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

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

The said William Ruddy,

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 one Edward S. Walling

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said William Ruddy,
_____ him the said Edward S. Walling,
with a certain stone _____
which he the said William Ruddy _____

in his _____ right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the
_____ breast of him the said Edward S. Walling,
then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, _____
bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said Edward S. Walling, to the great damage of the said Edward S. Walling, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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Third COUNT.

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

William Ruff

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

The said William Ruff

afterwards, to wit:
late of the City and County of New York, on the third day of
May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty five, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously
made an assault in and upon one Edward S. Walling

then and there being a patrolman of the Municipal Police of the City
New York, and as such patrolman being then and there engaged in the lawful
apprehension of the said William

Ruff for knowing and there deliberately inflicting injury to the amount of more than one thousand dollars, and the said William Ruff him, the said

Edward S. Walling

then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise ill-treat, with intent
then and there to prevent and resist the lawful apprehension
of himself, as aforesaid,
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 ALKTON,

District Attorney.

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Wallack

William C. Hoff

MAY 12 1885

Offence Assault 2nd degree

Dated May 9 1885

in favor of

William C. Hoff

Magistrate

Witnesses

James C. Edwards

James C. Edwards

James C. Edwards

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James C. Edwards

to answer General Sessions

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 May 9 1885

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

Dated 1885

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

Dated 1885

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Police Court—5 District.CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

of No.

Edward S. Walling
5th Precinct Police
Policeman

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Sunday the 3rd day of Mayin the year 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

William Cuff
(now free), who struck deponent in
the breast with a large paving
stone while deponent was in the
discharge of his duty as a police
officer in 104th Street between 3rd and
Bedington Avenues, and that deponent
was subsequently assaulted by
said Cuff in the 23rd Precinct
Police Station House, said Cuff
striking deponent a violent
blow with his clenched fist
on deponent's nose, then by
breaking deponent's nose
while said Cuff was in the
custody of deponent as a
prisoner.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

of

9 day
May 1885Edward S. Walling.W. J. Cuff

POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

William Cuff 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 Cuff

Question. How old are you?

Answer

30 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

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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 do not remember any thing about the assault

William Cuff

Taken before me this

day of

May

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Police Justice

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Barry

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William G. G. G.

Dividend July 1900

transferred to
case and list of
in arrears.

People } Assault in the second degree
 Wm. Puffy } on Officer Edward S. Walling
 of the 12th Precinct.

This is a case of an assault upon the
 officer with intent to prevent his lawful
 apprehension. 5218 Penal Code — It
 is also an assault with a deadly weapon
 upon a peace officer. The assault
 was engaged in a violation of sec. 654 of the
 Penal Code (Carrying a Weapon) in maliciously
 trespassing in and attempting to demolish the
 house 144 East 104 St occupied by Mrs. Wm.
 Vardaw and owned by Mrs. Warren. The complaint
 was aroused by Stephen McFormack. There was
 an uproar and the complainant went down into
 the street to arrest Puffy. Whereupon the defendant
 picked up a large paving stone and threw it at
 him.

The following are material witnesses in
 this case and should be subpoenaed for
 the trial.

Stephen McFormack, 164 East 104 St.
 (aroused complainant and intervened
 in the assault)

David R. Powers, 164 East 104 St.
 (saw the defendant in the act of
 trespassing in the door of the Vardaw
 house)

Frank Walling, 164 East 104 St.
 (over)

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(Mother of Officer Walling and
knows about the assault etc)
Wm. D. Warren, 219 West 40 St
(owner of house 17 East 104 St and
intended to make a complaint sept
fully for injury etc)

Edward O. Kennerly, 335 East 104 St

Wm. Jordan, 147 East 104 St

(occupant of this house and saw
fully engaged in demolishing the house
and witnessed the assault upon the
officer, and was himself assaulted
by Paul etc.

John O. Kennerly, 314 East 82 St

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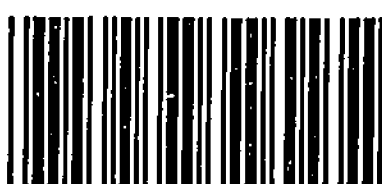
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DESCRIPTION:

Culhane, John

DATE:

05/29/85



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273,

He

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of May 1885

Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I
John Cullane

Burglary in the 2nd Degree.
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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James M. Howard

James M. Howard
Foreman

Augustus

James M. Howard
Refugee.

June 16 1885

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

John Pullman

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

John Pullman
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE ~~Second~~ DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *John Pullman*,

late of the *ninth* 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*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *twelve* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Figoraz St. Weller*,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some
human being, to wit: *one said Figoraz St. Weller*,

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels
and personal property of the said *Figoraz St. Weller*,

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal,
take and carry away

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

John Fullhame
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE First DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said John Fullhame,

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

Four Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of the
denomination of Ten dollars, and of the value of Ten dollars each,

Four Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of the denomination of
Ten dollars and of the value of Ten dollars each,

Three Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of the
denomination of Two dollars, and of the value of Two dollars each,

and Three Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of the denomination of
Two dollars and of the value of Two dollars each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one George W. Waller,

in the dwelling house of the said George W. Waller,

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

Randolph B. Martin,
District Attorney.

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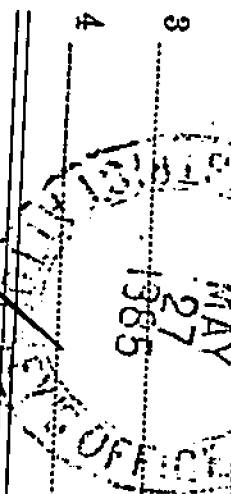
BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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1. *James W. Williams*
2. *John W. Williams*
3. *John W. Williams*
4. *John W. Williams*
Office *Magistrate*



Dated *May 27* 188*5*

James W. Williams Magistrate.

Witnesses
No. *1* *James W. Williams* Present.
No. *2* *John W. Williams* Street.

No. *3* *John W. Williams* Street.

No. *4* *John W. Williams* Street.

No. *5* *John W. Williams* Street.

No. *6* *John W. Williams* Street.

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

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

Dated *May 27* 188*5*. *Solomon D. Williams* 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

2 District Police Court.

John Cullane 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 Cullane*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Fifteen Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *458 West 57th St. About four months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shopper*

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*

J. Cullane

Taken before me this

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at

the

City

of

New

York

Police

Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 29 years, occupation James B. Ayres of No. 1

9th Street Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George H. Keller

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

Sworn to before me, this 27

day of May

1886

James B. Ayres
Edouard Smith
Police Justice.

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Police Court—2 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:George N. Miller
of No. 16 Madison Street, aged 75 years,
occupation Not engaged in business at present being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 16 Madison Street, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four-story brick building the upper portion of which is occupied as a clothing and the back room on the 4th floor and which was occupied by deponent as a bedroom and in which there was at the time a human being, by name George N. Millerwere **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking open the door which leads from the hallway on the 4th floor into said roomon the 22 day of May 1885 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz.:Four \$100 bills each of the denomination & value of One hundred dollars
Three \$20 bills each of the denomination & value of Twenty dollars
Gold and lawful money of the United States
All to the amount and of the value of Forty-five dollarsthe property of Deponentand deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byJohn Sullivan (nowhere)for the reasons following, to wit: That about the hour of 9.30 P.M. on the
above date deponent locked each securely fastened the
above mentioned door and went to bed: That about the
hour of 11 P.M. of the same night deponent awoke and found
that his room had been burglariously entered as above described
and the above described property stolen.
Deponent further says that the defendants shoes were found
in a room adjoining the above described which was burglariously
entered and from which the above described money was taken.

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and that he has been informed by Officer James Hayes
of the 9th District Police that the defendant acknowledged
and confessed to him, that he had entered the above
mentioned house & that the shoes found in the room
adjoining that of defendant were his and that he had
left them there.

Summit before me this

17 day of May 1885

G. H. Miller

Solo District
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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Testimony in the
case of
John Culhane

filed May
1895.

in a second degree.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of murder.

off.

acted on the tongue but do not remember striking my arm

but subsequently during the trial I went there for some time I felt

for two weeks I felt uncomfortable and anxious and I recall

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The People
vs.
John Culhane.

Court of General Sessions, Part 1.
Before Judge Gildersleeve.

June 11, 1835.

Indictment for burglary in the second degree.

George H. Weller sworn. I live 66 Morton Street and lived there on the 22nd of May, about half past nine before I went to bed, I locked the door of my bed room and went to sleep, I was awakened I think about half past eleven or twelve, the sash of one of my windows is a little loose and the rattling of the window woke me up, I laid awake for a short time and thought I heard a noise out in the hall and right at the head of my bed I heard some person give a kind of a muffled cough and I thought there was somebody probably come up and lay down in the hall and got asleep and was making this noise. There was no one on the floor but myself; then I laid still and directly I heard that muffled cough again a couple of times and shortly after that I heard somebody drink I supposed out of pitcher, I set a pitcher at the head of my bed every night; then I got out of bed and did not know that my door was open, I had no lamp burning and I got out and lit my lamp and I discovered my door was open, the door I had locked, I looked around and I saw my pantaloons were gone where my money was, I did not wait to dress myself, I went in my night-clothes out into the hall to see if I could see anybody, I discovered another door open and I went in and I went all through the rooms. These locks had not been locked by me but they had by the lady that owned the place and by the girl that lived with her, I could not see anybody at all, I came upstairs and went into the kitchen that is off from my bed-room and

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found my pantaloons lying on a rocking chair , my watch was taken out of my room which was right at the head of my bed and a dollar and twenty cents in change was scattered over the carpet; the shoes which belonged to the defendant were found under the front window where my pantaloons were' at least I suppose so, I could not identify them but I have a witness here to prove it; the defendant had no right in my room; there was forty-six dollars in bills in my pantaloons, I did not find any of it; I was acquainted with the defendant only a couple of weeks, he came and took a room in the same building but he had left there; he was arrested on the 26th of May and I lost my money on the 22nd, I did not see him in the house after the 22nd, he went away on the 8th.

Cross Examined. I saw the forty-six dollars on Friday afternoon and it was taken on Friday night between ten and twelve o'clock, I was sleeping on the fifth floor, there is a liquor store below and the rest of the building is occupied by tenants. Mrs. Chamberlain is the landlady; there is a young lady in the house about fourteen or fifteen years old, I know a lady by the name of Mrs. Armstrong, she lives 292 West 12th Street, some eight or ten blocks from this place, Mrs. Chamberlain is Mrs. Armstrong's sister, Mrs. Armstrong has an adopted daughter about twenty-two years of age; I know that the prisoner went from this place where I have a room to Mrs. Armstrong's; the prisoner lived in the same house with me for two weeks, I think he went to Mrs. Armstrong's about the 8th of July. Mrs. Chamberlain was called away to nurse and she took this young man and her own little son about seven years old and

a little girl that she has living with her up to Mrs. Armstrong's and they were to stay there until she returned.

I did not see the prisoner in my room, I think it was about three o'clock in the afternoon when I took the money out and looked at it and counted it then, I am not able to work and I saved a little money before I got sick so I am pretty particular about counting my money, I did not take my pocket-book out in the barber's where I went to get shaved, I never told any person that I had this money.

Caroline E. Chamberlain sworn. I live at 66 Morton Street on the 22nd of May, the complainant rented a room from me, his daughter has the first floor and he boards with her, there is three families in the house, his daughter has the first floor, Mrs. Shaw has the next floor and I have the top floor, I was not home on the night of the 22nd of May, I am a nurse and was away from home, I took my children up to my sister's and the little boy Culhane and left them till I came back. When I came home the defendant's shoes were there and wet, he had been lying down he said in my room, the door was bursted open and the clothes were taken away out of my room and also out of Mr. Weller's room. I came home Saturday night and the boy was gone but his shoes were there, I had been gone just two weeks; on the 2nd of May he had no room there and was not entitled to go there, I understand the burglary was Friday night.

Cross Examined. I know his shoes as well as I know the boy, I have had them in my hands time and time again. He told me that he came in my house, pushed in my door and lay down on the lounge and had been drinking; when he heard a noise he got up and ran away and left his shoes there.

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I let the prisoner a room because he appeared to be a respectable looking boy, he said he came from Connecticut, he went up to my sister's with my children and was with her ten days, I told him I would not keep him if he continued to drink.

Sarah E. Armstrong sworn. I live 292 West 12th Street and am the sister of Mrs. Chamberlain. This boy came to my house on the night of the 22nd of May and asked me for the keys of my sister's house, I would not give them to him, he said he had something there which he wanted, I says, you have nothing in my sister's house. He said, if you don't I will go down and break the old shebang up and I will fix old Weller. I says, leave my house this moment, I took him by the shoulder and put him out of my dining room; he came the following Monday at half past two o'clock in the morning and rung the bell violently, I thought it was a sick call and sprang from the bed and put on a wrapper and went to the door and said, who is there. He says, Mrs. Armstrong, open the door; when he called me by name I thought it was some friend and I opened the door. There was three men standing there, I said, Johnnie are you here, knowing the officers were after him. A gentlemen said, he had considerable money with him and we thought we would bring him here, does he live here? I said, he does not. They said, where did you get your money? He said, I had money in the bank before ever I saw them. I said, you robbed Mr Weller and he drew as if he was going to draw a knife. The young men made answer, we knew you stole that money the way you were talking about it. He had

a role of bills in his hand counting it. He went away, I tried to get an officer but it was so late at night that I dare not go out in the street alone; this was the following Monday after the burglary.

Cross Examined. The prisoner stopped with me ten days, I have an adopted daughter about seventeen or eighteen years old, her name is Lizzie Armstrong, there was no friendly feeling existing particularly between the prisoner and her. He represented himself as a boy from the country with a hundred and fifty dollars to learn a trade and when he put the money in the bank he says to me, will you take charge of twenty-five dollars, so I wont spend it? I says, I don't want it, I am very absent minded, I said to Lizzie, will you take this and keep it for this boy till he wants it? I don't know what bank he had that money in, he did not have that money in the bank before he went to this place, I heard Mrs. Chamberlain got Mr Weller to go with him to the bank, I know that Mr Weller did not represent himself to be the uncle of this boy, I did not know that his father lived up in 37th Street.

George H. Weller recalled. I went to the Bleecker Street Bank with the prisoner, I did not tell the officer at the bank that I was his uncle, the prisoner told me he put in a hundred and twenty dollars, I did not see what he put in, I thinmit was the 14th or the 15th of May. He pretended to be a stranger and I found afterwards that he knew more about the city than I did.

James B. Ayres sworn. I am an officer of the 9th precinct and arrested the prisoner on the 24th of May; he told me he ~~visited~~ those premises but did not know how he

got in, that he was under the influence of liquor and lay down on the sofa, that he had been there for two or three hours, woke up and found where he was and left his shoes behind him and went home in his bare feet.

The Case for the defence.

Jennie Twohig sworn I live 420 East 86 Street the prisoner is my brother, he has never been arrested before, he is not yet sixteen, he lived with me eight or ten weeks and always had money of his own.

Jane Culhane sworn. I am the mother of the prisoner, he has worked at plumbing and was in the habit of saving his money. I went down to Weller's house and saw him about this affair. My boy left home to be near his work in the winter time.

Edward McAlpine sworn. I am in the liquor business at 42 Eighth Avenue, I remember the prisoner being in my place on Monday night, he asked me for money, he was not under the influence of liquor, he was arrested the next day.

James F. Burke sworn. I live 192 Varick Street, I have known the prisoner since childhood and his character for honesty is good, I never heard of him being arrested before.

John Culhane sworn. I am fifteen years old and was never arrested before, I know the complainant to speak to him but was never in his room, I was not in his room on the night of the 22nd of May and had nothing to do with breaking open his place or taking his money, I went into Mrs. Chamberlain's room that night for my clothes, I lived with her four weeks. I also had a room with Mrs. Armstrong.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cummings, John

DATE:

05/01/85



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Witnesses:

Off McNealis
Geo Grand

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Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,
1885
May 4
M. G. Kelly

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Cummings

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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Heads May 2
A True Bill. *Ed*
May 4

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

John Cummings

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

John Cummings

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

The said *John Cummings*,

late of the *Fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Twenty-sixth* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, _____ of one

John Stutman

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

John Stutman

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

John Rummage of the County of *Albany*
Attempting to commit
the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said *John Rummage*,

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

Three thousand three hundred

the value of fifty cents each

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

in the *building* of the said *John Rummage*

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

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney

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Gill ordered

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

No. 293
Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Cummings
15 Street 1st St
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Offence

Dated April 27 188

Paterson Magistrate.
Moore Officer.

4 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 1 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 2 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 3 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 4 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 5 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 6 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 7 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 8 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 9 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 10 *John Cummings*
Street _____

No. 11 *John Cummings*
Street _____

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

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

Dated *April 27* 188 *Paterson* 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.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not I used to work in Mr. Dinsmore Printing Office on the top floor of said building and as I was passing I saw the window open and I was partially intoxicated and I went in through the window for the purpose of going up to the printing office to have a sleep and I found the printing office door locked and was in the act of coming out when the officer came and arrested

J. Cummings

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation

John G. Healy
Police Officer of No.
4th Precinct

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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John G. Healy
John M. Patterson
Police Justice.CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation

John Armand
Porter of No.
13 Bankfort

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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John Armand
John M. Patterson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-000

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not I used to work in Mr. Dismore Printing Office on the top floor of said building and as I was passing I saw the window open and I was partially intoxicated and I went in through the window for the purpose of going up to the printing office to have a sleep and I found the printing office door locked and was in the act of coming out when the officer came and arrested

J. Cummings

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Police Court First District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:

of No.

15, FrankfortStreet, aged 42 years,

occupation

Sup't of Importer & Com Merchants being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No

15 Frankfort

Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a

five story brick buildingin the 4th Ward in said cityand which was occupied by deponent as Importers & Commission Merchantswarehouse and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

Breaking
and forcing a large lock on the front door
in the first floor of said premises and breaking
a large light of glass in the said front dooron the 26th day of April 1885 in the day time, and the

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

Three Thousand Sheep Skinsaltogether of the value of Fifteen
Hundred Dollars

the property of

In the care and charge of deponent as Sup't
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byPhilip Cummings
(now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

that deponent was informed
by John Armand of No 15 Frankfort Street
employed in said premises as Porter that he
securely locked and fastened the doors and
windows of the above described premises at about
the hour of five o'clock P.M. on the 25th day of
April 1885 and at about the hour of seven o'clock
and thirty minutes A.M. on the 27 day of April
1885 he the said Armand found the aforesaid

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Premises had been burglarized and deponent is further informed by Officer John M. Nealis that at about the hour of ten o'clock & thirty minutes, A.M. on the 26th day of April 1885 he found the said defendant in the aforesaid premises on the first floor and he M. Nealis arrested the said defendant.

Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant with Burglary in said premises and attempting to take steel and carry away the aforesaid property.

Sworn to before me this

27th day of April 1885

Julius Kuttner.

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
Burglary Degree.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Curtis, Patrick

DATE:

05/13/85



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Daggett, George

DATE:

05/13/85



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Daggett, William

DATE:

05/13/85



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Bail for exp.
~~Wm~~ George Duggan
\$2000.
Cung 6¹⁶/₁₀₀ 1883. H.V.

THE PEOPLE *ways* / 10

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Patricia Curtis
or Leon Aug 10/10

George Daggelt

William Daggelt

Robbery, *W*
(MONEY).
degree. *W*
(Sec. 224 and 225, Penal Code).

District Attorney.

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May 22/35

Dr. accepted & comm'd - Aug 4/13

A True Bill.

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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

*Calvin Curtis,
George Daaght and
William Daaght*

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

Calvin Curtis, George Daaght and William Daaght
of the crime of ROBBERY IN THE *first* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Calvin Curtis, George Daaght*
and William Daaght, each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
fourteenth day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-*five*, in the *midnight* time of the said day, at the Ward, City
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Don Rhinholm*,
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and —
one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and un-
satisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty
dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars — ; *one* promissory note for the
payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States
Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars — ;
three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and
of the value of five dollars *each* ; *seven* promissory notes for the payment
of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury
Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each* ; *ten*
promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the
kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of
one dollar *each* ; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars
— ; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known
as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars — ;
three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each* ; divers coins,
of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of

fifteen dollars, and one pocket

watch of the value of fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Don Rhinholm*,
from the person of the said *Don Rhinholm*, against the will,
and by violence to the person of the said *Don Rhinholm*, —
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *(each of*

them the said Calvin Curtis, George
Daaght and William Daaght being

then and there aided by an accomplice, actually present)

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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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

** George Daggett
and William Daggett*

96 Water

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

May 13th

1885

Hate + Birch 5th

The officer executing this process will make his
return to the Court forthwith.

Aug. 5th 1885

*The first named
defendant was arrested
Aug. 4th and brought
to the Court of General
Sessions by Officers
Hate and Birch after
5th arrest*

*Mr. Two gave
bail in \$2000
Aug. 13th 1885*

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

An indictment having been found on the 13 day of May

1885, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of

New York, charging

George Daggett and
William Daggett

with the crime of

Robbery in first degree

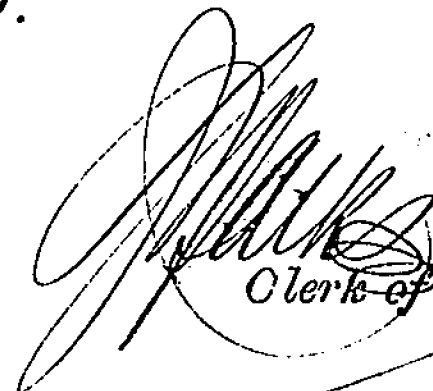
You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named defendants

and bring ^{them} ~~him~~ before that Court to answer the indictment; or

if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver ^{them} ~~him~~ into the custody of the Keeper of the
City Prison of the City of New York,

New York City, the 13 day of May 1885.

By order of the Court,


Clerk of Court.

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Police Court / **District**

Don Christensen
134-12 Thompson St
1. Paulie Curtis *Handy*
2. George Baggett
3. William Baggett
4.
Offence Robbery

Offence Robber

No. 3 by Oliver Barrett
Residence 96 Third Street

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

73 on down for Patrick Burke
by Aldern and Arthur McQuaid.
538 £ / 3 1/4 \$ /

Dated 14 Apr 1885
Daniel O'Reilly Magistrate.
John Burch Officer.
57 Precinct.

5th Precinct.

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 District Court, moved
 and filed \$2000 to answer
 and full in connection
 of old Daggitts footboard
 April 18, 10th 11
 " 21 2 P. M.
 " 23 2 P. M.
 May 25th 2 P. M.
 No. 2nd 3. Declaration of Containment
 No. 1 and separating Street.
 \$ 2000 to answer General Sessions.
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Patrick Curtis

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 20
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 16th 1885 Laurel C. Bick Police Justice.

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

Dated Apr 16th 1885 Sam'l C. Rieff Police Justice.

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

Dated May 5 1885 Sam'l C. Bell Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Daggett

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

96 Watt Street

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**William Daggett*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Daggett*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *90 Watt Street ten years*

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 I was in a*
Saloon in no 524 Vestry Street from
Six o'clock P.M. until eleven o'clock P.M.
& thirty minutes playing Cards
Geo. Daggett

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty I was at Home
in bed at the time of the Robbery
Pat. Curtis*

Taken before me this

day of

*March*188*8*

Samuel J. Kelly
Police Justice.

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Police Court 18th District.CITY AND COUNTY } ss
OF NEW YORK,

Don Chisholm
 of No. 134 1/2 Thompson Street, Aged 22 Years
 Occupation Travelling agent being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
14 day of April 1885, at the 5th Ward of the City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of de-
 ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

one ~~pocket~~ book containing lawful
 money of the United States to the
 amount and value of fifteen
 dollars in all of the value of
 fifteen dollars and fifty cents.

of the value of 15 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

Patrick Curtiss, George Daggett and
William Daggett (all now here) from
 the fact that while deponent was passing
 along the public thoroughfare in said city
 at or about the hour of ten o'clock P.M.
 on said day said defendants came up
 to deponent when said Patrick Curtiss
 and said William Daggett seized hold of
 deponent and held his arms and said
 Curtiss placed his hand over deponent's
 mouth while said George Daggett thrust
 his hand into the inside pocket of the
 vest then and there worn by deponent

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1887.

Police Justice.

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taking therefrom the aforesaid property
wherefore deponent charges said defendants
with acting in concert with each other in
taking stealing and carrying away from
deponent's person by force and violence
without his consent and against his will
the aforesaid property as aforesaid

Sworn to before me this } Dow Chisholm
14 day of April 1885

Sam'l C. Kelly Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1885 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 he to be discharged.
Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

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Supreme Court, New York.

IN re THE IMPRISONMENT OF

*William Daggett
+ George Daggett*

Writ of Certiorari.

I HEREBY ALLOW THE WITHIN WRIT.

Dated this *24* day of *April* 18 *88*

Gov. Lawrence

Justice of the Supreme Court,
holding Special Term thereof.

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for Relator.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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The People of the State of New York,

TO *Daniel O'Reilly* Esquire, one of the Police
Justices of the City of New York, and to JOHN SPARKS, Esquire, Clerk of our Court of General
Sessions of the Peace, holden in and for the City and County of New York, and to

GREETING:

We Command you, That you certify fully and at large to

CERTIORARI
TO CERTIFY CAUSE OF
DETENTION.

our Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a *Court of Sessions*
Term thereof, to be holden at the New County Court
House, in Chambers Street, in the said City of New York, on the ~~27th~~ *30th*
day of *April* 1885, at *10* o'clock in the forenoon, the
day and cause of the imprisonment of

William Daggett George Daggett
by you detained; as is said, by whatsoever name the said

William Daggett George Daggett

shall be called or charged; and have you then this writ.

Witness, Honorable NOAH DAVIS, presiding Justice of our Supreme Court of the First
Judicial Department, at the City Hall, in said City of New York, the ~~27th~~ *30th* day of *April*
1885.

BY THE COURT.

WILLIAM F. HOWE
and
ABRAHAM H. HUMMEL.

Attorneys for Relator.

Patrick Keenan
Clerk.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0599

Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

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

An information having been laid before Daniel O'Reilly a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging George Daggett Defendant with
the offence of Robbery

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

We, George Daggett Defendant of No. 96 Watt

Street; by occupation a Tailor
and Oliver Daggett of No. 96 Watt

Street, by occupation a Tailor Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named George Daggett Defendant

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

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 14 th Geo. Daggett.

day of April 188 5 Oliver Daggett

Daniel O'Reilly POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0600

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Oliver Daggett

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *free*
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Forty* 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 *1/2 interest in the house*

and lot of land situated No 96
Watt Street said interest being
of the value of \$9,000 and above
all means and Oliver Daggett

Sworn to before me, this
day of *April* 188*5*
Samuel McCall Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

George Daggett

vs.

Taken the *14* day of *April* 188*5*

Justice.

OR

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0501

Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Daniel O. Reilly a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging William Daggett Defendant with
the offence of Robbery

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

We, William Daggett Defendant of No. 438
Greenwich Street; by occupation a Tailor
and Mary Jane Daggett of No. 96 Watt
Street, by occupation a Housekeeper Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named William Daggett Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 1st District Police Court in the City of New York

during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Twenty
Hundred Dollars. and I charge my copurators William Daggett in payment
of this obligation

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 14
day of April 1885

D. 1100 Reilly POLICE JUSTICE.

Mary Jane Daggett

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0602

Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Daniel O Reilly a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging William Daggett Defendant with
the offence of Robbery

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

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Greenwich Street; by occupation a Tailor
and Mary Jane Daggett of No. 96 Watt
Street, by occupation a Housekeeper Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named William Daggett Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 1st District Police Court in the City of New York

during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Twenty
Hundred Dollars. and I charge my personal estate in payment
of this obligation William Daggett

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 14
day of April 1885

Daniel O Reilly POLICE JUSTICE.

Mary Jane Daggett
mark

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0603

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Sworn to before me, this
day of April 1885
James M. McCall Police Justice.

Mary Jane Daggett

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and free holder within the said County and State, and is worth Forty 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 1/2 interest in the house and lot of land situated no 96 Matt Street. said interest being of the value of \$9,000 or more and above all incumbrance

his
Mary Jane X Daggett
mark

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

William Daggett

Taken the 14 day of April 1885

Justice.

0604

City & County
 of New York } ss
 Charles Burch & Charles H Tate
 of the 5th Precinct Police being duly
 sworn says that they have endeavored
 from time to time to serve Don Christy
 the within named complainant that
 said Complainant has left the
 City and they are unable to find
~~there~~ him and say further that
 they are unable to find other
 Evidence against said Daggett's

Chas Burch
 Chas H Tate

Sworn to before me
 this 5th day of May 1885
 Saml C. Holly Police Justice