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Wade, James

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Filed 25 day of Feb 1885

Pleas

Assault and Battery - Felonious.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

19 Jan 1885
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Samuel Phelps
RENI-K. PHELPS

District Attorney

Part of the case of 1884

pleas - C.A.B.

A True Bill.

Henry C. Cady

Foreman

Henry C. Cady

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Wm. C. Cady

Wm. C. Cady

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

In the Matter of James Wade
a Prisoner confined in the Peni-
tentiary of the City of New York }

To, Honorable John McElown
District Attorney of

Sir,

You will please take notice that the Petition and
Affidavits of John Wade and James Ward and the
Certificate of John M. Foss, Warden of the Peniten-
tentiary of the City of New York, with the copy of
the ~~sentence~~ sentence of the said James Wade all
of which papers are hereto annexed, will be
presented to the Honorable Frederick Smyth
Recorder in the Court Room part IV of the
Court of General Sessions of the Peace for
the City and County of New York on the 24th
day of February 1882, at the opening of the
Court on that day or as soon thereafter as
counsel can be heard, and that in con-
sideration of the facts set forth in said petition
affidavits and certificate the Mercy and
Clemency of the Court will then be invoked
in the Prisoner's behalf, by asking his Honor the
Recorder, who sentenced the said Prisoner to
serve the fine imposed by the said sentence

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or that part thereof still unpaid and
was satisfied by imprisonment, and to grant
an order for the discharge of the said
James Wade from further imprisonment
or for such other order as the Court under
the circumstances may deem proper
and just

Yours &c

Dated July 15th 1882

Thomas Leasing
Attorney for Petitioner
7 Chambers Street
N.Y. City

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

In the Matter of James W. W. W.
a Prisoner confined in the
Penitentiary of the City of
New York. Petitioner

To Honorable Frederick S. S.
Recorder of the City of New York

The Petition of John W. W. of no 556 West 45th Street
in the City of New York respectfully shows that
his son James W. W. was convicted by Confession
of assault and Battery in the Court of General
Sessions of the Peace for the City and County of
New York on the 28th day of February 1889 and was
sentenced on said day by Honorable Frederick S.
Recorder & Presiding in said Court to be
imprisoned in the Penitentiary of the City of New
York for the term of One year and pay a
fine of Two hundred and fifty dollars as ap-
pears by the copy of sentence hereto annexed
Your Petitioner further states that he is informed
and believes that the term of One year according
to the rules and discipline of the Prison is reduced
to Six Months for good conduct, and that
upon a certificate from the Warden of said

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show document further says that he is not worth
Prison to that effect. the said Prisoner would
be entitled to his discharge under the rule on
the 28th day of December 1881 only for the fine
that was imposed by the sentence in addition
to the imprisonment, your Petitioner further shows
that he talked with Mr. John M. Fox the Warden
the Petitioner with regard to the Conduct of the
said Prisoner and the said Warden has stated to
your Petitioner that the said Prisoner has behaved
and conducted himself in a very obedient orderly
and creditable manner during all the time of
his imprisonment and has a Certificate in writing
to that effect, which Certificate is hereto annexed,
your Petitioner further states that he the said
Petitioner is employed as a Plagman and Stationer
by the New York Central and Hudson River Rail
Road Company at a salary of thirty five dollars
per month, that his family consists of his wife and
six children three of which are not able to earn
anything by labor and that the earnings of your
Petitioner and the said children is not more than
sufficient to pay rent and maintain the family
even with great economy, that your Petitioner is
a temperate man, industrious and saving to man
and is doing all in his power to bring up his children
in a proper manner and to make them good men
and good citizens, that he talked with his son in the
Prison with regard to his Conduct and the Disposal

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he brought upon the family and he the said
Prisoner has manifested the greatest sorrow and
repentance and promises faithfully to lead a blameless
life in the future, your Petitioner further shows
that he has no means whatsoever and that his
Son the Prisoner has no means whatsoever wherewith
to pay the sum imposed as a fine, or any
part thereof, and that if his said Son be liberated
he can have immediate employment and will
be a great benefit to the family and that your
petitioner requires his assistance very much, your
Petitioner therefore petitions and prays that your
Honor may consider the ends of justice satisfied
in this case by the punishment already inflicted
and that you will extend clemency and
Mercy to the said James Wade by remitting the
fine imposed or that portion of said fine that remains
by the said Prisoner's time in the Penitentiary as specified
and your Petitioner as in duty bound will
ever pray

Dated New York February 9th 1882 J. Wade

City and County of New York ss

John Wade being duly sworn
deposes and says that he is the petitioner above
named, that he has heard read the foregoing petition
and knows the contents thereof and that the same

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is true to the knowledge of defendant as
to the matter stated therein to be alleged in
information and belief and as to those matters
he believes it to be true

Subscribed before me this 9th day of John Wade
day of February 1887
Saml. Rankins
Clerk of Peace 20/1887

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

In the Matter of the People of
the State of New York
against
James Wade

Affidavit of Petition

City and County of New York as

James Wade being duly sworn
deposes and says that he is the defendant named
herein that defendant was convicted by a Verdict
of Assault and Battery in the Court of
General Sessions of the Peace for the City and County
of New York on the 28th day of February 1871
and was sentenced by Honorable Frederick
Wright Recorder to one year imprisonment in
the Penitentiary and to pay a fine of Ten Hun-
dred and fifty dollars or Slaves committed until
the same is paid not exceeding one day for each
dollar of the fine imposed as appears by the Copy of
his Sentence hereto annexed. Defendant further
says that ever since his conviction he has done all
in his power to give satisfaction to his Keepers and
to the Warden of the Prison and has performed the
duty assigned to him cheerfully and faithfully
as a good Prisoner should do - as the Certificate
of the Warden of said Prison hereto annexed will

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deponent further says that he is not worth
any money whatsoever and is wholly unable to
pay the said fine or any part thereof, and cannot
by any possibility obtain means for any sum
wherewith to pay the same, that he is extremely
sorry for being placed in such a position by his
own Misconduct, and is fully determined in the
future to keep out of bad Company and to lead
a blameless life, and to endeavor by all means
in his power by honest Industry to assist his
parents and family in the future, and he prays
and petitions that his Honor the Recorder who
committed and sustained judgment, may attend his
Mercy and Clemency, and remit said fine so
as to enable deponent to return home and make
his Mark ^{by} Industry and Good Conduct in the
future and deponent will ever pray,

Sworn to before me this 11th day

day of February 1882

Thomas as Cushing

Attany Public

My Com

James Wade

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Department of Public Charities and Correction.

PENITENTIARY, B. I.,

JOHN M. FOX,
Warden.

New York, July 11, 1882

This is to certify
that James Madoc,
committed to this Institute
July 28, 1881, for the term
of one year and fined
\$250.00 for the crime of
assault & battery, has
been a good prisoner,
and has performed the
work assigned to him
faithfully.

John M. Fox
Warden

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At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace,

holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the
City Hall of the said City, on *Mon* day, the *twenty eighth*
day of *February* in the year of our
Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty one,

PRESENT.

The Honorable Frederick Smith
Recorder of the City of New York,

Justice of the
Sessions.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE
OF NEW YORK.

vs.
James Wade

On conviction by Confession of Assault and
Battery on Thomas Patton

Whereupon it is ORDERED and ADJUDGED by the Court that the
said

James Wade

For the *offenses* aforesaid, whereof he is _____ convicted,
be imprisoned in the *Penitentiary* of the City of New York,
for the term of *one year* and pay a fine of

Two hundred and fifty dollars

And it is further ORDERED, That he stand committed until the same
be paid, not exceeding one day for each dollar of the fine imposed from
and after the termination of the *one year* _____ months imprisonment.

A true Extract from the Minutes.

[Signature]
Clerk

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

Copy of Sentence.

against

James Wade

Feb'y 28. 1881.

Thirtenteen Months

And to pay a fine of

Two hundred & fifty Dollars,

And to stand committed until the same be paid, not exceeding one day for each dollar of the fine imposed, from and after the *one year* months imprisonment.

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 Council of Common
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 his own confession
 Mr. Exchange before
 the House. That C.
 declares a limited
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 escape. Under whose
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 fine of \$200 which was
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 not excessive & when
 the fine was paid & when
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Supers Court, of
 Grand Sessions

In the matter of
 James Brady a Prisoner
 Confined in the Penitentiary
 per

Prisoners' Application and
 Certificate re

James Brady
 Attorney for Prisoners
 & Prisoners Etc
 N.Y. City

John Jones
 see memo enclosed
 J.S.

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ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL,

59th STREET AND NINTH AVENUE.

New York, February 25th 1881

James Nabz was admitted to Roosevelt
Hospital October 31st 1880 suffering from a
bullet wound of the Popliteal space.

On his discharge from the Hospital on
the 19th day of February 1881, although
slightly lame, he was virtually cured
and he will in all probability in a
short time fully regain the full use
of his limb.

Wm Hurlbut M.D.
House Surgeon.

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Police Court—Fourth District.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Thomas Dalton

of No. 22 Police Precinct Street,
on the 17th being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
in the year 1880 at the City of New York, in the County of New York. day of September

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James Wade now present who discharged five balls from a pistol which he then and there held in his hand one of which balls entered and passed through deponent's hat. Deponent at the time of said assault deponent had a prisoner in custody said Wade said to the prisoner dont you go with him "I'll show the Son of a bitch that we have got as good pistols down here as he has" he then went in the rear of a tenement house and immediately appeared upon the stoop of said house having said pistol in his hand said something which deponent could only understand the words Son of a bitch and immediately raised his hand and discharged said pistol said ball taking effect as aforesaid Deponent believes and charges that said Wade discharged said pistol as aforesaid

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him 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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 19 day }
of February 1887 }

Thomas Dalton

Wm Murray Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Wade being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Wade*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Nineteen years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *556 West 43rd Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Longshoreman*

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

Answer. *I did not do it*

James Wade

Wm. M. Brown
Taken before me this *19* day of *February* 188*7*
Police Justice

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Police Court - Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Dalton
22 1/2 Precinct

1 *James Wade*

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Offense, *Drunk*

Dated *February 19* 1881

Mcbray Magistrate.

Dalton Officer.

Clerk.

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No. 1, by

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No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

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No. 4, by

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No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Witnesses,

James F. Valley

22 Precinct

1000 J. Baird

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Received in District Att'y's Office,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

James Wade

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *twentieth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *with force and arms, at the City and*
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas Dalton*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *Thomas Dalton*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *James Wade*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Thomas Dalton*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided; and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County,
aforesaid, the said

James Wade
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Thomas Dalton*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Thomas Dalton*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *James Wade*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Thomas Dalton*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

James Wade with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Thomas Dalton* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Thomas Dalton* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

James Wade in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *Thomas Dalton*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

James Wade with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Thomas Dalton* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Thomas Dalton* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

James Wade in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *Thomas Dalton*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

Daniel G. Collins

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~

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Watson, Charles

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Reilly, John

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1. Hester
Counsel, E. E. Hester
Filed 14 day of July 1881
Pleadings not necessary to

THE PEOPLE
vs.
1. Charles Watson
2. John Reilly
Daniel C. Collins
BENJAMIN
District Attorney
Sept 17, 1881
A True Bill.

1 S. P. Higgins & Co. Inc.
2 S. P. Higgins & Co. Inc.
Hester
Hester
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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. By Daniel Londergan
3rd Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 5th day of February 1881

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, And from a truck

in deponents charge in Mercer Street
the following property, viz: seven pieces of Italian
cloth Gray about four hundred
and fifty yards

of the value of One hundred and twelve Dollars,
the property of Almond Londergan and his

partners and in the care and
charge of deponent as a Common Carrier

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

and John Keilly acting in concert and
collusion and both now present
that deponent had the above
described property on his truck for
delivery at 320 Broadway and
while on his way stopping to deliver
other goods in Mercer Street the
property was taken from the truck by
said Watson in whose possession it
was seen by one Raftery the prisoner Keilly
being across the street acting as a lookout and
subsequently having joined Watson the property
was transferred to him Keilly in whose possession
it was found by deponent Daniel Londergan

Sworn to before me this 15th day of February 1881

William D. O'Connell
Police Justice

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City and County,
of New York Co

William Raftery of No. 125 Mercer
Street being duly sworn says that
about three o'clock P.M. on the
day in question he saw the
prisoner Watson carrying upon
his shoulder along Mercer
Street the property within described
and saw the prisoner Reilly across
the street who immediately followed
and joined said Reilly and
together they stood on the sidewalk
with the property between them
that as defendants and the
complainant approached them
Watson ran away and Reilly
remained having the property
in his possession

W Raftery

Sworn to before me this
6th day of February 1881
M. J. [Signature]
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

John Reilly

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Reilly

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

167 Mulberry Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Shoemaker

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

Answer.

I am guilty of the charge

John X Reilly
mark

Taken before me, this

John X Reilly
day of *July* 18*87*
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

Charles Watson and John Reilly each

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

*Four hundred and forty-eight yards of cloth
of the value of twenty-five cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

William A. Hart

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Charles Watson and John Reilly each

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

*Four hundred and forty-eight yards of cloth
of the value of twenty-five cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *William A. Hart*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ^{*taken and carried away from*} of the said *William A. Hart*

unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain,~~ did feloniously receive and have. (the said

Charles Watson and John Reilly
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
^{*taken and carried away*} stolen, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Daniel S. Rollins
DANIEL S. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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Reilly, John

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Conrad Meyers

vs.
Frank Watson P
John Cull

Affidavit—Larceny.

DATED: Feb 19 1881
Satisfied by the trial
of the jury
Satisfied by the trial
of the jury
Satisfied by the trial
of the jury

WITNESS:
G. J. [Signature]

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TO ANS. S. S. Cook
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Camp of General
Leflore for trial
Feb 19, 1881
L. B. [Signature]

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

New York, Feb 29th 1881

The People }
vs }
Frank Watson }

In the case of the above named
defendant. The prisoner
was an inmate of a Lunatic
Asylum. He is respectably
connected & his family
will send him to a Lunatic
Asylum where he properly
belongs. Will you kindly
allow him to be given
in charge of his friends
who will send him to a
Lunatic Asylum.

Charles Steckler.

Watson has been out of Blooms-
gate about six weeks - His friend
design taking him to Maltravers -
He is well connected

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FORM 89 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Louis Meyer

of No. *150 Spring*

Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the *8th* day of *February* 1881

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

the following property, to wit: *One pair of shoes*

of the value of *one & 50/100* Dollars,
the property of *Louis Meyer the deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *Frank Watson and John Reilly (now here)* for the reason that deponent was informed by Officer Fletcher of the 8th Precinct Police that he found in the possession of the accused the aforementioned property which said property deponent deponent identifies, & his name is *Louis Meyer*

State and County of New York S.S. George Fletcher
of the 8th Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes
and says that he arrested Frank Watson and John
Reilly at or about 12 p.m. of the 8th inst. That the said
George and the said Frank each had concealed
upon their persons one of the aforesaid pair of
shoes.
George Fletcher

Always sworn to before me, this
8th day
of February
1881

John P. ...
Police Justice

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Webb, Frank

DATE:

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W. C. M. L.

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *16* day of *Feb*, 188*8*

Pleads *Not Guilty May 24/88*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Am't Court May 23/88

Frank Webb.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

May 24/88

Foreman.

Sp. D. [Signature]

J. H. W.

Bail

*Michael Lweeney
75 Vesey St*

*Richard by
William Bestwick
533 [unclear]*

*My and have
Smith felt
The People Court find
The Verdict in this
Case, and I ask the
recognition to be made
[Signature]
May 25/88*

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THE PEOPLE,
-against-

District Attorney's Office,

City and County of New York.

Frank Hebb-

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(Indicted -
New Indictment in
place of -)

Police

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Sold Dec. 15/88
at 228 Greenwich
To Corp J. Smith
Witness: Geo. J. Smith

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

Godfrey L. Leake

~~ANTHONY COMSTOCK~~, of 150 Nassau street, New York,
that he has just cause to believe and does believe that

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did, on or about the *79th* day of *November*, 1880, at number *228 Greenwich st*

in the City of New York, and County of New York, unlawfully and knowingly
sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument,
purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto
annexed, and further, that the said

Frank Webb

had in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and
known as number *228 Greenwich* street, in the City and
County of New York aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery
policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables,
devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery
tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and had in *his*
possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made
and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this *1st* day of *February* 1881

Police Justice.

Godfrey L. Leake

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228 Greenwich St
Nov 19, 1850
at 3.15 PM
Bought of Frank Math
Paid 25 1/2
G.H.W.

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

Godfrey L. Leake
~~Anthony Comstock~~, of 150 Nassau street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has just cause to believe and does believe that

did, on or about the *7th* day of *November*, 1880, at number 228 *Greenwich st*

in the City of New York, and County of New York, unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and further, that the said

Frank Webb
had in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and known as number *228 Greenwich* street, in the City and County of New York aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and had in *his* possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this *16th* day of *February*, 1881

Police Justice.

Godfrey L. Leake

Apr 19, 1880
at 3.25 PM
Recd by Frank Webb
Ans. 28 Feb 81
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POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

LOTTERY AND POLICY.

VS.

Frank Webb

Dated..... 188

Magistrate.

Clerk

Officer.

WITNESSES:

John A. ...

Filed, &

in answer

to Sessions.

By

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

Frank Webb

late of the *third* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid,
on the *nineteenth* day of *November* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty _____ at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,
furnish and supply, to one

Godfrey L. Reake

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Godfrey L. Reake

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said
paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is
to say:

B N 19 M

5.21.77 425.

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly
called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given)

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SECOND COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *Frank Webb*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of
this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler: and that he the said

Frank Webb
on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and
the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force
and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and twenty-eight Greenwich Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell,
barter, furnish and supply to divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid
unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said
divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and
writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which
is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given).

THIRD COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *Frank Webb*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on
divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler:

And that he the said *Frank Webb*

afterwards on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and twenty-eight Greenwich Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell,
barter, furnish and supply to one

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Godfrey L. Deake
Godfrey L. Deake
a certain instrument and writing, commonly known as and called a lottery policy, which said
instrument and writing commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

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5. 21. 77 925.

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a
lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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FOURTH COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said *Frank Webb*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building known as number

Two hundred and twenty-eight Greenwich Street

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling.

FIFTH COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said *Frank Webb*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and twenty-eight Greenwich Street

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling, to wit: for selling and vending and disposing of certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies, (a more particular description whereof is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

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Where next to

Day of Trial,
Counsel,
Filed 6 day of Feb 1887
Pleads *Not Guilty May 22/88*

Selling Lottery Policies.

THE PEOPLE

vs.
Frank Webb.

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DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL
Edward Cady Foreman.

James F. ...
Washington D.C.
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STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

George W. Smith

~~ANTHONY COMSTOCK~~, of 150 Nassau street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and that he has just cause to believe and does believe that

did, on or about the *15th* day of *December*, 188*0*, at number *228* *Greenwich*

Street in the City of New York, and County of New York, unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and further, that the said

Frank Webb had in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and known as number *228 Greenwich* street, in the City and County of New York aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and had in *his* possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this *15* day of *February* 188*1*

George F. Smith

Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT — DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

LOTTERY AND POLICY

VS.

Frank Wells

Dated.....188

.....Magistrate.

.....Clerk

.....Officer.

WITNESSES:

Bailed, \$.....

to answer.....Sessions.

By.....

.....Street.

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

Frank Webb _____

late of the *second* Ward in the City and County aforesaid,
on the *fifteenth* day of *December* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty _____ at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,
furnish, and supply to one

George F. Smith _____

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

George F. Smith _____

a certain paper, and instrument, commonly called a lottery policy, and which said
instrument, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

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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.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

_____, District Attorney.

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Wells, Charles A.

DATE:

02/10/81



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*Dysons and Doremus,
Esq. County, N.Y.*

February TERM, 1881

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Charles A. Wells
P.*

INDICTMENT

FOR

Livestock

*of 1911
County of Westchester*

EDWARD W. HAYOR,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Jeremiah,

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Assigned the day of

Plead Guilty

James A. Kelly

Filed this 10 day of Feb. 1881

May 11th Sent into Prison

Released 18th Sent to O. & J.

Counsel.

Trial set down for 18

Trial the day of 18

Verdict Guilty.

Sentenced to be

Imprisoned in the

at Hard Labor

for the Term of Years and

Months.

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Supreme Court

At a Special Term thereof
held at the Court House in the
City of New York in the first Judi-
cial District on the 13th day of
April 1881

Present

Hon George C. Barretto
Justice

The People of the State
of New York.

vs.

Charles A. Welles.

It appearing by the affi-
davit of Charles A. Welles and the in-
dictment and proceedings herein -

That Charles A. Welles was indicted by
the Grand Jury in and for the County of
Erie in the State of New York for Libel
upon the Complaint of one Christian
Lutzgman, residing in the City of Buffalo
in the said County of Erie for Libel printed
and published in the "Musical Critic and
Trade Review" a paper printed and pub-
lished in the City and County of New York, on
the tenth day of January 1881.

And it further appearing that the said

paper in which said Libel was so printed and published was and is printed and published in the City & County of New York and that the said Charles A. Welles did at the time of the printing and publishing of said paper ^{reside} and still does reside in said City and County of New York.

And it further appearing that the said Charles A. Welles has executed a Bond to the said Christian Kurtzman the Complainant and party libeled in the penal sum of ~~Three~~ ^{Three} hundred dollars duly approved by a Justice of this Court conditioned that if he the said defendant shall be convicted upon said indictment that he will pay to the said complainant all reasonable and necessary traveling expenses in going to and from his said place of residence to the City and County of New York and the necessary expenses of the ⁱⁿ attendance upon the trial of said indictment in the prosecution of said ~~indictment~~ ^{defendant} on said indictment which Bond has been duly signed by two sufficient Sureties and approved by a Justice of this Court.

Now therefore it is Ordered that the place of trial of the said Charles A. Welles on the said indictment for Libel so found by the Grand Jury in and for the County of

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Erie be changed from said County of Erie
to the County of New York and that all
further proceedings on said indictment in
the County of Erie, be stayed.

Alfred
William A. Butler
Clerk

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Supreme Court

The People of the
State of New York

vs

Charles A. Keller.

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Order Changing
Place of trial -

Wm. L. Stewart
of counsel for
defendant

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EDWARD W. HATCH,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

GEO. T. QUINBY,
ASST. DIST. ATTORNEY.

STATE OF NEW YORK

ERIE

COUNTY.



DISTRICT ATTORNEYS OFFICE.

The People
vs
Charles A. [unclear]

Buffalo, Sept 24th 1881

Hon Daniel G. Collins

My dear Sir

Enclosed please

find instrument in above case
You will undoubtedly recollect that
the same was on motion moved for
trial to your City & County but was still
left in my charge. The matter has been
satisfactorily adjusted between the parties
interested and as the charge is libel
I am of the opinion that no public
interests will suffer by having None
Prosecution. Judge Stewart of your City
is counsel for defendant and I have
notified him of this action

Yours

E. W. Hatch

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK!

SEND ME THE PAPERS IN THE CASE OF

PEOPLE

vs.

Charles E. Wells

I have received a letter from the District Attorney of the County in which this case arose recommending the entry of a nolle.

I cheerfully comply with his suggestion, believing that ~~as~~ such a disposition of this indictment is the wisest one that can be made
D. G. R.

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In the Court of Oyer and Terminer }

IN AND FOR THE County OF Erie

of February Term, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight

State of New York, County of Erie, } ss.
CITY OF BUFFALO.

The Jurors of the People of the State of New York, in and for the body of the County of Erie - aforesaid, being then and there sworn and charged, upon their oath

Present, THAT

on the Fifth day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, at the city of Buffalo in the county aforesaid,

All Christian Kurtzman was and for many years prior to said day, has been engaged in the trade business and occupation of manufacturing and selling pianos and other musical instruments; and that on the fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one, Charles A. Welby, unlawfully maliciously, contriving and intending to injure, scandalize vilify and defame the Christian Kurtzman and to bring him into public scandal and disgrace, and to injure and prejudice damage and ruin him in his said trade business and occupation of manufacturing and selling pianos and other musical instruments as aforesaid, and to vilify and destroy the good name fame and credit of the said Christian Kurtzman, with force and arms at the city of New York in the County of New York, and State of New York, of his great hatred malice and ill will towards the said Christian Kurtzman, wickedly maliciously and unlawfully did compose write print publish and circulate, and did cause and procure to be composed written printed and published and circulated in "The Musical Critic and Trade Review" the said The Musical Critic and Trade Review then and there being a newspaper and periodical printed in the English language and published and circulated at the said city of New York aforesaid and at the city of Buffalo aforesaid, a certain false scandalous malicious and defamatory libel, of and concerning the said Christian Kurtzman, containing the false scandalous

malicious defamatory and libelous words and
 matters following of and concerning the said
 Christian Kurtzman to wit.
 "E Kurtzman" (meaning the aforesaid Christian Kurtzman).
 "Although knowing that the above named piano manufacturers"
 " (meaning the aforesaid Christian Kurtzman) "had allowed
 "himself" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "to drop
 "from a fair position among the makers of cheap instru-
 "ments" (meaning the aforesaid piano manufacturers) "to one
 " sold by the said Christian Kurtzman as aforesaid" "to one
 " whom he (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) is scarcely
 " noticed by the Trade or the public I thought it my duty to
 " call upon him" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) at
 " his (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman's) "factory."
 " Kurtzman" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "has a queer
 " dirty, dusty looking place (meaning the manufactory and
 " place of business of the said Christian Kurtzman) " giving me
 " the impression that everything was run upon a
 " shipshod principle. As I entered the place (meaning
 " the aforesaid manufactory and place of business of the said
 " Christian Kurtzman) I encountered a rather dilapidated
 " looking old individual whom I immediately recognized
 " as Kurtzman himself" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman)
 " having me spend an hour in conversation with him" (meaning
 " the said Christian Kurtzman) "about a year before. As I
 " handed him" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "my card
 " he (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "glanced at it and
 " said, as a look of anxiety came over his face" (meaning the
 " said Christian Kurtzman's face) " "Mr Kurtzman isn't
 " in he has just gone out". "What" said I, "do you mean
 " to say that you are not Mr Kurtzman" (meaning the said
 " Christian Kurtzman) "No No No he" (meaning the said
 " Christian Kurtzman) "almost gasped "I am not Mr
 " Kurtzman. He has just gone out I tell you and I have
 " got some business up stairs, and I must go right
 " up there" out off the" (meaning the said Christian Kurtz-
 " man) " hurried as fast as his legs would carry
 " him, leaving me with the impression that either I
 " was grievously mistaken or that Mr C Kurtzman"
 " (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "was guilty

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"of a very unnecessary lie. Just as I was about leaving
"the ~~room~~ place another and a younger man entered
"the room 'who would you like to see' 'he' (meaning
"the said other and younger man) 'asked'. 'Would I
"call to see Mr C Kurtzman' I replied, thinking
"I would like to see how the matter worked them out
"but I understood that he is not in'. 'Oh yes he is'
"said the man, 'he just this moment went up stairs
"I call his son in law and will go and call him
"for you', 'and off he went. 'This' said I to myself
"as I sat down in a pious stool, and watched a
"workman" (meaning a workman at the sponsor manu-
"factory and place of business of the sponsor
"Christian Kurtzman) "who" (meaning the said workman)
"was deeply tinkering an old worn eaten piece
" (meaning a piece of the said Christian Kurtzman) "this
"is going to be funny', I waited at least thirty
"minutes, and it got so funny that it began to ^{grow} ~~be~~ ^{troublesome}
"for neither the neutral Mr C Kurtzman" (meaning
"the said Christian Kurtzman) "nor his son in law
"put in an appearance. Very soon after that I dis-
"covered the secret of the whole matter. My card
"bore the words 'The Musical Critic and Trade Review'
"and about a year before, the venerable Mr Kurtzman,
" (meaning the sponsor Christian Kurtzman) "had
"contracted with the Old Music Trade Review for a
"certain amount of advertising. He" (meaning the said
"Christian Kurtzman) "gave his notes" (meaning
"the said Christian Kurtzman's promissory notes for
"the payment of money) "so I understood, in payment
"for the same, but ~~was~~ ^{was} up to the present time
"has never yet met those notes with cash. He"
" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "was one of
"those individuals who managed to owe John C
"Fremont, instead of letting John C Fremont owe him"
" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "and he"
" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "sincerely
"thought that I was a representative of the old
"Music Trade Review. One to get money out of him
" (meaning the said Christian Kurtzman) "which he

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"(meaning the said Christian Kurtzman)" had
"flattered himself he (meaning the said Christian
"Kurtzman)" would never be obliged to pay. C.A.W.
Which said scandalous malicious and defamatory ^{libel}
he the said Charles A. Welch, ^{unlawfully and maliciously and wickedly} contrived and
intending to defame damage injure and ruin the
aforesaid Christian Kurtzman in his aforesaid business
as aforesaid, did afterwards, to wit, on the tenth day
of January in year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty one, publish and circulate and
cause to be published and circulated at the
City of Buffalo and County of Erie afor-
said, where the said Christian Kurtzman then
resided and was engaged in said trade business
and occupation of manufacturing and selling
pianos and other musical instruments, and
where the said Christian Kurtzman resided,
to the great damage and scandal of the said Christian
Kurtzman and against the peace of the people
of the state of New York and their dignity.

Edward N. Hatch
District Attorney

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*Wynn and Sargent
Esq. Crump, NY*

February TERM, 1881

THE PEOPLE

OR

*Charles A. Welby
P.*

INDICTMENT

FOR
Livest

*Wynn and Sargent
Esq. Crump, NY*

EDWARD W. HAYES,
District Attorney.

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

James A. Kelly

Assigned the day of 18

Plead Guilty

Assigned 10 day of Feb. 1881

Went into Reformed

April 18th sent to D. S.

Counsel.

Trial set down for 18

Tried the day of 18

Verdict Guilty.

Sentenced to be

Imprisoned in the

at at Hard Labor

for the Term of Years and

Months.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, George

DATE:

02/01/81



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Filed ✓ day of Feb'y 1857

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Indictment for Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

George Williams

David S. Atwell

PROSECUTORS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Francis Owen

Foreman.

Feb'y 21st

Shubert Perry 3 day.
S. J. Lee & Geo. C. Lee

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POLICE COURT First DISTRICT

City and County
of New York,

ss: Rosie Ernest

of No. 88 Park Street, being duly sworn,
a woman

deposes and says, that the premises No. aforesaid
Street, 14 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling
where deponent resides with her family
and which was occupied by deponent as a such

^{were} **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of breaking the lock or
fastening of a door leading from
the hallway into deponent's apartments

on the day of the 26th day of January 1887

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:
A quantity of Men and Women's
clothing bed covering jewelry
and a Merschaum Cigar holder
in all of the value of fifty
dollars or more

the property of deponent and her husband
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and
carried away by George Williams and
another who escaped
for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent securely
locked and fastened said door as
she went out and when deponent returned
in about four hours thereafter she
found the lock broken the door
open and the prisoners Williams and
said other person within said premises
with the aforesaid property packed up
preparatory to removal by the prisoners
Rosie Ernest
mark

*Sworn to before me this 29th day of January 1887
at New York City
District Justice*

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City and County
of New York

James Hart of the 14 Precinct
being duly sworn, says that
he arrested the prisoner in the
hallway of the aforesaid Precinct
and found in his possession that
certain iron implement here shown
and commonly called and known
as a jimmy — James J Hart

Sworn to before me this
26th day of January 1881
B. L. Morgan
Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

George Williams

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

46 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

22 Mott Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Carpenter

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge
George Williams

Taken before me, this

5th day of

February 1881

Wm. H. Thompson
Police Justice

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POLICE COURT - 1st DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c., vs. *John J. ...*
ON THE COMPLAINT OF *John J. ...*
US. *...*
OFFENSE: BURGLARY AND LARCENY.

John J. ...
...

John J. ...
Dated *Jan 27 1887*
John J. ... Magistrate.

James H. ... Officer.
... Clerk.

Witnesses: _____

Committed in default of \$ *2000* Bail.

Bailed by _____
No. _____ Street.

John J. ...

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present :

That

George Williams

late of the *fourteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty-sixth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~twenty-eight~~ *twenty-eight* with force and arms, about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Rosie Ernest

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter ~~by means of force,~~

he the said

George Williams

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property of

Rosie Ernest

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.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the said

George Williams

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

One coat of the value of thirty dollars.
One vest of the value of ten dollars
one pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars.
One skirt of the value of thirty dollars
one over-skirt of the value of ten dollars
one waist of the value of ten dollars
Ten rings of the value of five dollars each
One holder (of the kind commonly called a cigar holder) of the value of fifty dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

Rosie Ernest

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

~~WALTER PHILLIPS~~, District Attorney.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

And *aforsaid* THE JURORS ~~OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,~~
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, ~~present~~ *aforsaid* do further present

That *George Williams*
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, *aforsaid*,
on the *twenty-sixth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty one* with force and arms, at the
Ward, City and County *aforsaid*,

- One coat of the value of thirty dollars*
- One vest of the value of ten dollars*
- One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars*
- One skirt of the value of thirty dollars.*
- One over-skirt of the value of ten dollars*
- One waist of the value of ten dollars*
- Ten rings of the value of five dollars each.*
- One holder (of the kind commonly called a cigar-holder) of the value of fifty dollars.*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *Rosie Ernest*

by *a certain person or*
~~and certain other~~ persons, to the Jurors *aforsaid* unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said *Rosie Ernest*
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have
(the said

George Williams

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have
been feloniously stolen). against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Daniel J. Rollins

DANIEL J. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Samuel

DATE:

02/25/81



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Day of Trial,
Counsel,
Filed 25 day of Feb 1881
Pleads

Selling Lottery Policies.

THE PEOPLE

vs.
now known as

Z.

Samuel Wilson.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Carey
Foreman.

Feb 25, 1881.

at
New York on 1st Court

60 days less \$100 fine

1 day for each 1-

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State of New York
City & County of New York

Samuel Wilson being
duly sworn says that, he is the person
against whom an indictment, returned
is now pending for a violation of Lottery
Law. That he has been confined in
the City Prison since Feb'y 2^d 1887. and
has been unable to procure bail.
That Depment has been employed by
John Simmons as a "writer" in a
policy office, and that the bondsman
procured by Simmons for this Depment
surrendered this Depment on Feb'y 2^d
1887 at the instigation of said Simmons,
as Depment is informed and believes,
because this Depment has informed
Simmons that he this Depment was
going to get out of the business.
Depment further says that he has firmly
made up his mind to go out of the business,
after writing a selling Policy Paper and
that hereafter he will never go into the
business again.

Samuel Wilson

sworn to before me this
25th day of February 1887.

P. W. Cole

Commissioner of Deeds
City of New York

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State of New York
City & County of New York

William H. Jennings
being duly sworn says, I reside at
no 338 East 11th Street in the City of New
York. I am in the paper and stationery
business. I am acquainted with
Samuel Wilson against whom there
is an indictment pending indicted
for a violation of the Lottery Law.
Said Samuel Wilson has been employed
by one John Simmons as a writer
in a policy office at no. 202 East
22^d St. in the City of New York. I have
known said Samuel Wilson for over
two years. About six months ago
said Wilson informed this department
that he intended to go out of the business
entirely, but that he could not then because
said Simmons had procured bail for
him and if he did he might procure
the bail to surrender him. That
said Wilson was surrendered by
his bail on Feb 2^d 1881 and since
that time he has been confined in
the City Prison. That since said Wilson
has been in the City Prison he has informed
me that he was glad that he now
was out of the business of writing

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policy slips and that he would
never under any circumstances
go into the business again, but
would stay first. I know that
he is entirely without means
soon to before me this }
28th day of February 1881. }
P. W. Colver }
Commissioner of Deeds
N.Y.C.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Samuel Wilson being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Samuel Wilson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Canada*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *302 East 22^d St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Coal Agent*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge*
S. Wilson

Taken before me this *17* day of *Nov* 18*72*
R. H. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
William Kelly
399 - First Ave

vs.
Samuel Wilson
William Smith

com. by Court Dec 2/91
Dated *Nov 24th* 1880

W. Kelly
Police Justice.
W. Kelly
Attending Officer.

Witness:
W. Kelly

\$ 500 to answer.
W. Kelly

Bailed by *John Hoffmann*
Residence *350 West 32d*
Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

Samuel Wilson _____

late of the *Eighteenth* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid,
on the *twenty-third* day of *November* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty _____ at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,
furnish and supply, to one

William Kelly

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

William Kelly

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said
paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is
to say:

7 13 51 37

7 19 51 13

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly
called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given)

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SECOND COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *Samuel Wilson*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler: and that he the said

Samuel Wilson
on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and two East Twenty-second Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given).

THIRD COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *Samuel Wilson*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler:

And that he the said

Samuel Wilson
afterwards on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and two East Twenty-second Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one

William Kelly

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

William Kelly
a certain instrument and writing, commonly known as and called a lottery policy, which said instrument and writing commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

4 13 51 37
4 19 51 13

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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FOURTH COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said *Samuel Wilson*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of
this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and
unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building known as number

Two hundred and two East Twenty-second Street

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly per-
mit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling.

FIFTH COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said *Samuel Wilson*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of
this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and
unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and two East Twenty-second Street

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit
the said room to be used and occupied for gambling, to wit: for selling and vending and disposing
of certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies, (a more
particular description whereof is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Wolfe, Paul

DATE:

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Day of Trial
Counsel,
Filed 25 day of Feb 1881
Pleads not guilty May 2.

1881

Violation of Excise Law.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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B.
Paul Wolfe.

James C. Collins
Wm. A. Hedges

District Attorney.
Part Pro. March 9, 1881
Pleads guilty.

A True Bill.

Alfred C. Cady

Foreman.

(Witness in N. of D.)
Paid \$10.00
Expense Paid

Just appears off
Barkeeper

THE RECORDS OF THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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First District Police Court.

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

Paul Reglar

of No. *85 New York* Street
House of Detention. 16th

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

day of *January* 18*87*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *85 Greenwich* Street,

Paul Wolfe, now present
did sell, or caused, suffered, or permitted to be sold, under his direction, or authority, strong or spirituous liquors
or wines, to be drunk in his house, or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary
to and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An
Act to Suppress Intemperance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *17* day
of *February* 18*87*

Paul Reglar

Paul Wolfe
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Paul Reglar
\$50 Com to make good

vs

Paul Wolfe

MISDEMEANOR.
SELLING LIQUOR, &c. WITHOUT LICENSE.

Dated the *17* day of *Feb* 18*81*

Wandee
MAGISTRATE.

Wicoria
OFFICERS.

WITNESS



BAILED \$ *100* TO ANSWER

BY *Joseph Wolf*

106 Greenway Street.

1st Ward



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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

Paul Walpe

late of the *first* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *February* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*one*, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to
wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of
whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of
beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor, to the
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

Paul Regles

; without having a
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

~~SECOND COUNT. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with
force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One
gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one
gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one
gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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~~

Daniel S. Rollins

REND. H. PHIPPS, District Attorney.

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Woodle, Louis

DATE:

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Schops, Isaac

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DESCRIPTION:

Levy, Samuel

DATE:

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Counsel, & Messrs
Filed 9 day of Feb 1881
in Pleas of J. J. J. J. Oct 26

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Laurie Wolfe B
Isaac Schaps B
Samuel Levy B

David S. Rollins
PHYSICIAN
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
J. J. J. J.
Dec 20 1881
Subscribed & sworn to
J. J. J. J.
J. J. J. J.

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Form 10.

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

Louis Woodle

of No. *14 Avenue B* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *28th* day of *January* 188*1*, at the City of
New York in the County of New York.

Sworn to before me this
28th day of January
1881
at New York
Police Justice

deponent at about the hour
of 7 O'clock P.M. walked
with Isaac Schops to his
house No 161 Stanton Street
and kept said Schops to
Carry hat bundles in
a package said Schops
took them into his house
and deponent left him
said Schops at the door
of said No 161 Stanton Street
said package containing bundles
were taken from the street

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GLUED PAGES

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

FORM 89 1/2

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. 101 Spring Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 28th day of January 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

Gustave Weirodberg

the following property, to wit: a quantity of Hah trimmings,
consisting of Cotton hat-bands, which
deponent can identify, and other hat
trimmings, in all

of the value of Twenty (and more) 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 a workman of
deponent named Isaac Schops for
the reasons following, to wit: that
deponent caused said Isaac to be
watched and followed and found that
on said day, and on divers other days
within the past week the said Isaac
left deponent's place of business at
101 Spring Street, wherein said property was
contained, with bundles of goods in
his possession. That said Isaac was
seen to do so by Charles E. Watson,
man here, and was seen to carry said
bundles to his home at No 164 Stanton
Street and from there to the home of one

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STATE OF NEW YORK, } FORM 89 1/2
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Gustave Weisberg

of No. *101 Spring* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *9th* day of *January* 18*80*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *a quantity of Hook trimmings,
Containing of Cotton hat-bands, which
deponent can identify, and other Hook
trimmings, in all*

of the value of *Twenty (and more)* 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 *a workman of
deponent named Isaac Schops for
the reasons following, to wit: that
deponent caused said Isaac to be
watched and followed and found that
on said day, and on divers other days
within the year with the said Isaac
left deponent's place of business at
101 Spring Street, wherein said property was
contained, with bundles of goods in
his possession. That said Isaac was
seen to do so by Lephant L. Watson,
man here, and was seen to carry said
bundles to his home at No 164 Stanton
Street and from there to the home of an*

Handwritten notes on the left margin, including names like 'Gustave Weisberg' and other illegible text.

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Samuel Levy at 22 Avenue B.
 That deponent has reason to believe and
 does believe that said stolen property is
 now located in the house or premises
 of the said Isaac and in the apartments
 occupied by said Isaac in premises No. 161
 Stanton Street in the City of New York,
 and also in the apartments of said
 Samuel Levy on the third floor of
 premises No. 22 Avenue B in said city.
 That deponent therefore may that process
 may issue to search the said house,
 apartments or premises occupied by said
 Isaac at 161 Stanton St. and the
 apartments and premises of said Samuel
 Levy at No. 22 Avenue B. for the
 said stolen property.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this } Gustav Hrischberg
 31st day of January 1881

[Signature] Justice

City and County of New York, N.Y.
 Charles C. Wilson, of No 63 Macdougall
 Street, being duly sworn dep. that he has
 heard from the foregoing affiant of
 Gustav Hrischberg and that to much
 of the same as relates to deponent
 is true of deponent own knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this } Charles Wilson
 31st day of January 1881

[Signature] Justice

NEW YORK } 55
 SECOND DISTRICT.

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COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

NEW YORK,
COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } SS.

Julius Carlson

of 63 MacDougal Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 25th day of January 1881
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

I saw Schops
carry ~~some~~ a bundle from 101 Spring
Street to 161 Stanton Street a tenement
house. This was at six o'clock he started
from the store, the man was with him
He came down stairs. Paper wrappings
were about the bundle. On the 28th
he carried out a bundle at Coelbly
in the night. On the 29th he carried
out a hat box, each time he went to
161 Stanton Street. The other man left
him at the door each day. On the
22nd of January I saw Schops go from
161 Stanton Street to ~~Lang's~~ 22
Avenue B, where in which house
Lery was arrested, Schops had a small
bundle with him at the time. I saw
him come out after fifteen or twenty
minutes I cant say whether he had
the bundle with him or not when he
came out I cant swear what was in
the bundles

Julius Carlson

I sworn to before me
this 1st day of February
1881.

Police Justice

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COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

YORK, }
COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James D. Center
of 144 W. Hurstman Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 1st day of February 1881
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he proceeded to

22 Avenue B and with two of the
const officers here and Mr. Partridge
& Char. Wilson. We searched the third
floor of the premises occupied by
Samuel Levy and found there one or
two dozen caps the trimmings on
which Mr. Partridge identified as Mr
Hirschberg's trimmings. Mr. Levy denied
at first that he knew Mr. Schops and
after a conversation with his son he
owned up that he bought these hats
trimmings from Mr. Schops and had
bought trimmings from him for eight or
ten years. ~~Levy~~ afterwards
subscribed the statement saying that
he hadn't known ~~Levy~~ so long but had
bought goods from him several times
Levy was arrested and Schops afterwards
in Hirschberg's store 106 Spring Street
he wanted to know what he arrested
for & he was told, he said nothing
either way. I told him what Levy
had said and also what Levy's wife
and son said. Schops made no
reply.

Cross Ex. says I didn't hear the
what Messrs. the officer said to Levy at
the time he answered them. ~~There was~~
~~nothing~~ I am a private detective.

James D. Center

Sworn to before me this 1st
day of February 1881.
Wm. W. Thayer
Justice of the Peace

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JUDICIAL COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

NEW YORK,
COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mustang Hindberg

of _____ Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the _____ day of _____ 188
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

I bought these goods about two years ago of Meyer Stern, there were in the neighborhood of five hundred pieces, each piece, consisting of thirty six yards. There are hundreds of trimming dealers in New York. I have been into the place of every trimming dealer in the city of New York. I never went around purposely to examine if the trimming dealer had trimmings of this sort. I can't swear that other trimming dealers in New York have not the same trimmings as were found in Mr. Levy's place. There is no mark on these trimmings. I know that I have one trimming in January 28th in whole pieces, 36 yards piece, there may be some with a few yards cut off. The trimmings about each hat are about twenty two or three inches long. I marked one of the boxes in the evening preceding to January 28th before I left the store. I counted the pieces in that box about ten or eleven there were and the next day there were five or six. This box was in the third loft in the trimming room, in the middle of the loft. I was the

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last me up stairs. Schoops was gone. After
 he came the next day I missed the
 pieces. About thirty worked in the trim-
 ming room on the 28th of January 1881.
 The trimmer distributes the trimmings
 he cuts them up. Schoops is a finisher
 cap finisher. He gets for instance a
 dozen caps for which he get a quantity
 of trimmings which he cuts up. I don't
 think he ever had any occasion to use
 these particular bands. Schoops worked
 generally on news caps. He never worked
 on any goods of any account which
 required the use of the particular
 kind of trimmings that were found
 at Levy's. Schoops worked by the piece
 sometimes he took a little work home.
 There was no gentry made in the box.
 There is only one other person that does
 the kind of work he does and sawgills
 too when I am pushed but this does not
 happen very often. I don't believe Schoops works
 for anybody but me. The five or six pieces
 that were taken out of the box are of the
 value of four or five dollars. I haven't
 used altogether of about five hundred pieces.

Court - Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

THE COMPLAINT OF

Offence

188

Justice

Officer

surety

Street

mitted in default of \$

by

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Court -
THE PEOP
THE COME

of _____ Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the _____ day of _____ 188
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

of bands of a particular kind but about
fifty pieces, and I have but about
twelve or fifteen pieces left. The kind I
speak I found among the goods
recovered at Levy's house

Deposited before me
this 1st day of February
1881.

John W. ... Police Justice

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County of New York, N.Y.
James D. Center, of 1444 West
Houston Street, being duly sworn
deposes and says - that on the 29
d^y of January 1881, deponent was
present in the workshop of
James Lee at 22 Avenue B
where a dozen caps were purchased
from said Lee, and the complaint
in the foregoing affidavit did there-
after identify the remaining on said
caps as being a pattern of the
stolen property described in said
affidavit.
Sworn to before me this } James D. Center
1st d^y of July 1881

~~Alfred H. ...~~

Police Justice

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Complainant suggests
using Thrope (whom he
retains in his employ)
as a witness -

No. 1 Dated by
Benjamin DeKreischer
1243-7th Street

Bail to \$ 10000
Signed



Grace Schops
& Louis Woodle
held for slandering
in 1000 bail each
to the S. S.
and Committed

Samuel Leary
held for receiving
stolen goods 2000
to the S. S. Bail

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COURT OF SESSIONS
NEW YORK CITY
SECOND DISTRICT

PEOPLE & C.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Benjamin DeKreischer
1243-7th Street
vs
Grace Schops
& Louis Woodle

DATE

Magistrate

William Fisher
of the Court of Sessions

Witness

Charles C. McLean

John W. Harrison

John W. Harrison

Samuel Leary

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE, ON MY COMPLAINT,

versus

Louis Doodle, Isaac
Schops and Samuel Levy

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. I have since ~~learned~~ ^{learned} the defendants' arrest, that there is a reasonable doubt as to the guilt of the defendants and that therefore a further prosecution would be without benefit to the People. I am also informed that the defendants are respectable people, and have hitherto borne a good character, two of them being married and having families, who depend on them for support. I therefore ask that the prosecution herein may be withdrawn.

Conston Armstrong

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:

That

*Louis Waddle, Isaac Schops
and Samuel Levy each*

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

*Three hundred yards of bands (of
the kind commonly called hat bands)
of the value of ten cents each —*

*Three hundred yards of ribbon of
the value of ten cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*Louis Woodle, Isaac Schops
and Samuel Levy each*

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

*Three hundred bands (of the kind
commonly called hat bands) of the
value of ten cents each -*

*Three hundred yards of ribbon of
the value of ten cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

Gustave Nitschberg
Gustave Nitschberg
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said *Louis
Woodle, Isaac Schops and Samuel Levy*
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity. *Daniel S. Rollins*

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Wright, John J.

DATE:

02/28/81



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Day of Trial, *Off. Sec. M. Pollard*
Counsel,
Filed *25* day of *July* 188*1*
Plends *at* *Subj. Court*.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John J. Wright
B.
John J. Wright

David G. Pollard
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
(*W. J. G. G. G.*)
Foreman.

Rec. from Dist Atty.
Apr. 16/81

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OFFICE OF THE
Board of Aldermen,
No. 8 CITY HALL.

New York, Feb 14th 1881

Butler W. Bixby Esq.

Dear Sir, there will
a gentleman by the name of
Michael Ryan who does
business on the corner of 3^d
St and the Bowery I understand
he desires to go bail to the
amount of \$500 for a man
of the name of Williams, as regards
Mr Ryan he perfectly responsible
as I know him for many years
Yours respectfully,
Thomas. Sells

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Form 11.

Police Court, Third District, Halls of Justice.

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

Charles Duncan

of No. *259 Bowers*

Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on *Sunday* the *13* day of *February*

in the year 18*81*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by *Peter Denin and Isaac Williams*
(both now here) the said Denin threw a china lamp at deponent
striking deponent on his head and said Williams struck dep-
onent several blows on his face and hit deponent on his
face the Williams knocked deponent down and kicked
deponent about his body

without any justification on the part of the said assailants

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailants may be apprehended and bound to answer the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this *14*

day of *February*

18*81*

Chas Duncan

B. H. Buxby

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Form 11.

THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Duncan

vs.

Peter Demin

Isaac Williams

AFFIDAVIT. A. & B.

Dated *Febry 14* 1881

B. D. Barber MAGISTRATE.

Smock 10 OFFICER.

WITNESS: *Michael F. Lyons*
259 Berry

\$ 500 to Ans

No 1 Bailed by Patrick Demin
no 216 Elizabeth St

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Form 49.

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.
CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

RECOGNIZANCE TO ANSWER AT SPECIAL SESSIONS.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on

the 14 day of February in the year of our Lord 1887

of No. Isaac Williams Street in the City of New York,

and Michael Ryan

of No. _____ Street, in the said City,

personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in the City of New York, and acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the

said _____

the sum of _____ **Hundred Dollars,**

and the said _____

the sum of _____ **Hundred Dollars,**

separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective goods and chattles, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the condition following, viz.:

WHEREAS, the said _____ was charged, before the undersigned, Police Justice as aforesaid, on the oath of _____ with **Misdemeanor**, for having, on the _____ day of _____ 187 _____ in the City and County of New York, aforesaid

AND WHEREAS, he has been brought before said Justice to answer said charge, and upon the examination of the whole matter, pursuant to statute, it appearing to said Justice that said **Offence has been committed**, and that there is **probable cause** to believe said accused to be guilty thereof; and the said accused having elected to have his case heard and determined by the Court of Special Sessions in said City and County; and the said offence being ballable by said Justice, he did thereupon order the said accused to find **Sufficient Bail** in the sum of _____ Hundred Dollars, for his appearance at the COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS in said City and County to answer to the complaint preferred against him for said offence.

Now, therefore, the condition of this recognizance is such, that if the above named _____ shall **personally appear** at the next term of the **Court of Special Sessions**, to be held at the Halls of Justice in said City and County, _____ to answer to the complaint preferred against him for said offence, and abide the order of the said Court, and not depart therefrom without leave, then this recognizance to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken and acknowledged before me }
the day and year aforesaid. }

POLICE JUSTICE.

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL
DOCUMENT(S)**

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City & County of New York ss.

Rutledge S. Birchy of no 119 Lexington Avenue in the City of New York being sworn says that he is a police justice in said City and that in the forenoon of the 14th day of February 1881 Peter Devine and Isaac Williams were brought before him as such ^{at the third Police Court in said City.} police justice, and there charged on oath by Charles Duncan with an Assault & Battery on him Duncan, and upon the examination of the matter pursuant to statute, it appearing that an offence had been committed and that there was probable cause to believe said Devine and Williams to be guilty thereof, and the said offence being bailable, this deponent did order the accused to find sufficient bail, in the sum of five hundred dollars each, for their appearance to answer to the complaint preferred by said Duncan - A copy of this complaint is hereto annexed.

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City & County of New York ss.

Butler St Bixby of no 119 Lexington Avenue in the City of New York being sworn says that he is a police justice in said City and that in the presence of the 14th day of February 1881 Peter Desin and Isaac Williams were brought before him as such ^{at the third Criminal Police Court in said City.} police justice and there charged on oath by Charles Guinnore with an assault & battery on him Duane. And upon the examination of the matter pursuant to statute it appearing that an offence had been committed and that there was probable cause to believe said Desin and Williams to be guilty thereof, and the said offence being bailable, this deponent did order the accused to find sufficient bail, in the sum of five hundred dollars each, for their appearance to answer to the complaint preferred by said Duane - A copy of this complaint is hereto annexed -

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That this deponent as such justice had jurisdiction over said matter, and full power and authority to take bail for said offense, and for the appearance of Isaac Williams for trial.

Deponent says that on the afternoon of the 14th day of February 1881, at the Third district police Court in Essex Street in said City, a person who now gives his name as John D. Wright, handed the answered letter to deponent signed by Thomas Shields, one of the Aldermen of said City, and then and there falsely & feloniously pretended and represented that he was Michael Ryan, and was in business on the corner of 3^d Street and the Bowery, and was there possessed of property worth more than double the sum required to be given by Isaac Williams as security for his appearance as aforesaid and did ^{he Wright} then & there personate said Michael Ryan, and did in such assumed name and character attempt to become

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surety & bail for the appearance
of said Isaac Williams to answer
the aforesaid charge of assault &
Batter.

That Victor Heimbarger an
Assistant Clerk in said Police Court,
under the direction of this
deponent commenced drawing
the bail bond & had inserted
the name of Michael Ryan as
surety in said bond, as directed
by said Wright, and on asking
for the residence or place of
business (street & number) of
Ryan he then believing his
name to be Ryan said Wright
was unable to give the correct
number. A remark of the
Clerk in substance that it
was queer that he could not
give the number of his place
where he had been in business
so many years, drew the
attention of John E. McGowan
another Assistant Clerk to the
person offering to be surety
as aforesaid, when McGowan
discovered that it was not
Michael Ryan & so informed this deponent

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and this person on being charged with the fraud admitted that he was not Michael Ryan but that his name was John J. Wright.

Deponent annexes to this Affidavit the Bond or blank form of Bond which was being drawn by Mr. Humberger,

Deponent further charges that on the 14th day of February 1881 one Isaac Williams was arrested charged with a assault & battery on Charles Duncan and held to bail to answer this charge by Butler H. Rishy one of the police justices of said city and not being able to procure any sufficient bail to answer said charge (the bail required was five hundred dollars) was afterwards, on the aforesaid day, duly committed to the custody of the keeper of the prison attached to the 3^d district police court at the time of the committing the offense hereinafter mentioned remained & was a prisoner in said

prison for want of said bail, that John
 Wright being evil disposed ^{in the City of New York on February 14th 1851}
 wickedly contriving and intending
 to impede ^{or obstruct} the due course of law
 and justice and to cause and
 procure Isaac Williams to be
 released and go at large out of
 said prison without causing or
 procuring any sufficient person
 to become bail for him the said
 Isaac Williams according to the
 statute in such case made &
 provided did unlawfully &
 feloniously & fraudulently
 represent & falsely pretend
 that he was Michael Ryan
 and offered himself as bail
 before said justice for said William
 under a fake name that is to
 say, under the name of Michael
 Ryan, and did then & there
 falsely, fraudulently & deceitfully
 represent & pretend that he
 was in business on 30th Street & the
 Bowery & had property there.

Surrendered before me this

15th day of February

1851

R. S. & R. R. R. R.

R. S. & R. R. R. R.

Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

John J. Wright being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John J. Wright.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *In Ireland.*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *62 Monroe St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Liquor dealer.*

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

Answer. *I was under a misapprehension, and supposed the letter that I presented to Judge Pixby contained my name.*
John J. Wright

Taken before me, this

15 day of

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POLICE JUDGE.

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Form 115, No. 148

POLICE COURT -- THIRD DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & C., vs.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Rutter & Hapley
119 Lexington Avenue

John d. W. Wright
Offence: *False Imprisonment*

Dated: 15th JANUARY 1911
Wanted by Magistrate

Sammy Officer
Signed by
Michael Corrad

Witness: John E. McGowan
Victor Neumberger
Ever Mawer Police Club

Michael Ryan
No. 100
Street

Received in Dist. Att'y's Office
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FILED TO ANYONE COMMITTED

James Stevie
100
Street

No. 3 by
Residence Street

No. 3 by
Residence Street

No. 4 by
Residence Street

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city and County J. S.
of New York, J. S.

The Jurors of the
People of the State of New York in and
for the body of the City and County
of New York upon their oath, present:
That heretofore to wit: on the
fourteenth day of February in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-one at the City
of New York in the County of New York
aforesaid there was a certain com-
plaint and charge in writing made
before Butler H. Bieby who was
then and there a Police Justice of the
City of New York in the County of New York
aforesaid and who as such police
justice as aforesaid had full and
competent jurisdiction to entertain,
hear and examine into the same
and which said charge and complaint
was then and there made depending
against one Peter Devin and one Isaac
Williams who were then and there present
for assault and battery alleged to
be committed by them at the City
and County aforesaid upon Charles
Duncan and that upon and after an

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examination and inquiry by and before him the said Butler H. Biaby as such police justice as aforesaid then and there duly made and had in regard to said assault and battery and the aforesaid complaint and charge, the said Butler H. Biaby as such police justice as aforesaid determined and adjudged, that it appeared to him as such police justice as aforesaid that said assault and battery had been committed and that there was probable cause to believe the said Peter Denin and the said Isaac Williams were guilty thereof and thereupon he the said Butler H. Biaby as such police justice as aforesaid offered to admit the said Isaac Williams to bail in the sum of Five hundred dollars for the appearance of him the said Isaac Williams to answer to the said complaint at the Court of Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York aforesaid.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

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That the said Butler H. Bixby as such Police Justice as aforesaid having so as aforesaid, offered to admit the said Isaac Williams to bail as aforesaid, John J. Wright in his own proper person appeared there and there on the said fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one at the City and County aforesaid before the said Butler H. Bixby as such police justice as aforesaid who was then and there authorized and empowered as such police justice as aforesaid to admit and accept such bail as aforesaid. for him the said Isaac Williams and then and there intentionally, feloniously, fraudulently and falsely represented and personated one Michael Ryan who was then and there living and a resident of the City and County aforesaid and assumed the character and name of him the said Michael Ryan and then and there intentionally, feloniously, fraudulently and falsely represented, stated and pretended to the said Butler H. Bixby as

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such police justice as aforesaid to induce him the said Butler H. Bixby as such police justice as aforesaid to accept him the said John J. Wright as such bail as aforesaid, that he the said John J. Wright was then and there the said Michael Ryan and then and there in the name of said Michael Ryan and in such character so assumed, personated and represented by him as aforesaid did then and there falsely, fraudulently, intentionally, and feloniously offer to be and become and to give such bail as aforesaid for him the said Deasac Williams and to execute and acknowledge a recognizance of bail in the name of him of him the said Michael Ryan for the appearance of him the said Deasac Williams to answer as aforesaid, the said Michael Ryan not being then and there privy or consenting to the said John J. Wright so becoming such bail or executing or acknowledging such recognizance as aforesaid in his name and did thereby endeavor and attempt to be and become such

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bail as aforesaid of and for him the
said Isaac Williams in the name
of him the said Michael Ryan and in
such character so assumed, personated
and represented as aforesaid and to
execute and acknowledge such recog-
nizance of bail in the name of him
the said Michael Ryan 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
Daniel S. Rollins.
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Wright, William H.

DATE:

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Counsel, *W. H. P.*
Filed *1* day of *July*
18*77*
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

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Indictment.—Larceny.

William H. Wright
alias
William Randolph
3rd
David L. Miller
DAVID L. MILLER, JR.

District Attorney.

946 Mar 27 1877
A True Bill.

Treasurer

W. H. P.
Foreman.

Not Guilty

Monday

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How are the folks
much better for
many of the boys

THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

OF NEW YORK
GIVE YOUR BUSINESS

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

FORM 89 1/2
ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Samuel B. Althouse

of No. *307 W 16th*

Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the ^{or about} *5th*

day of *November* 188*0*

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

the following property, to wit: *One gold watch*

of the value of *two hundred and fifty* Dollars,
the property of *this 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 *William H. Wright*

alias William Randolph (now here) for the reason

that on or about the day aforesaid the deponent gave into

the possession of the account the aforesaid gold watch

upon the representations of the account that he was the

agent and employee of the Currier Clock Co and

that he was engaged for by the said Company to re-

pair watches and clocks, that deponent believing

these representations to be just and true gave to the ac-

count for repair the aforesaid watch, that since

which time deponent has not seen the account

wherefore deponent charges the account with making

the said representations with intent to cheat & defraud de-

ponent and that he took & carried away

the aforesaid property from the possession of deponent
Samuel B. Althouse

Sworn to before me, this *29th* day

of *November* 188*1*

John P. ...
Office Justice

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State and County of New York S.S. Herman Jefferts of
Criminal Office Alia being duly sworn deposes and says
that he arrested the said William Wright (untrue),
On the information of Samuel B. Althaus who charges the
accused with taking & stealing a certain gold watch
That deponent the accused acknowledged and confessed
to deponent that he had sold the said watch to a pawn-
broker on the Bowery and that he had received therefor
the sum of nineteen dollars, and that he the accused
had taken & stolen said watch from Samuel B. Althaus
the complainant

I do so depose

the 24th day of January 1881

J. M. Patterson
Alia Justice

Herman Jefferts

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK
William H Wright

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*William H Wright*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Twenty three*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*Philadelphia*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*67th Avenue D*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Redcar*

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

Answer.—*The watch was stolen from me*
See

William Henry Wright

Taken before me, this

John J. [Signature]
Police Justice
1887

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Form 894.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James J. Hethcote

302 1/2 W. 16th St.,
St. Louis, Mo.

William H. Brown

Alvin [unclear]

Affidavit—Larceny.



DATED *July 24* 18*91*

Patterson MAGISTRATE.

Leahy OFFICER.

WITNESS:

W. B. Crane

J. S. [unclear]

James Steyer

161 Bergen St.

St. Louis, Mo.

184 1/2 S. 8th St.

Carver 10 Parkway

317 W. 13th

St. Louis, Mo.

No. STREET.

1500 [unclear] S. A. Crane

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FORM 89 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Nathaniel E. Mead

of No. *234* *4th Ave* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *14th* day of *December* 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *one clock*

of the value of *thirty* Dollars,
the property of *this 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 *William H Wright alias*
William Randolph (nowhere) for the reason that on
the date aforesaid the accused came to this deponent and
represented that he was the agent of the *Acumia Clock*
Company and employed by them for the purpose of
putting in order the clocks manufactured by the
said Acumia Clock Company. That deponent
having reason to believe the representations of the accused
permitted him to take away the aforesaid clock
for repair. That the accused has not returned the
said clock to the possession of deponent, that he
is informed by *Officer Herman* Deputy of the *Central*
Office Police that he had sold the *said clock* for the
sum of eleven dollars. Wherefore deponent charges
that the accused obtained possession of the *said clock*
with the fraudulent intent to take it and carry away
one

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of December 1880
John J. [Signature]
1880

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and that the accused did take and carry away the
said property for the reasons hereinbefore set forth.

W. Nathaniel E. Mead

Sworn to before me this
29th day of January 1881

J. W. Parsons J. Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK. ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*William Henry Perry Wright*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Twenty three*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*Philadelphia*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*6th street*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Pedlar*

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

ANSWER.—*I put the clock up from thinking to reclaim it the next day and I did not take it with intention to steal it. I am not guilty*

William H Perry Wright

Taken before me, this

Alfred J. ...
19th day of January 1887

Police Justice.

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Christine E. Shea
234 41st Ave

William K. ...
Alison ...

DATED *Jan 3 1981*

MAGISTRATE

OFFICER
Robert ...

WITNESS
Robert ...
John ...

BAILED BY *1500* TO ANS. *A. S. ...*

NO. ... STREET.

Affidavit—Larceny—*St. Louis*

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:

That

*William H. Wright otherwise known as
and called William Randolph*

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

One watch of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

John J. Robinson

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*William H. Wright otherwise known
as and called William Randolph*

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

One watch of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

John J. Robinson
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

John J. Robinson

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

William H. Wright otherwise known as and called William Randolph
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity. *Daniel S. Rollins*

DENI K PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel, *H. E.*
Filed *1881*
Pleas *Mr. Smith*

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William N. Wright
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alias
William Rawdolph
(3 cases)

David S. Bell
RENT & REPAIRS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Francis

Esquire.

[Signature]

Paul Mandy

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FORM 89 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

John F. Robinson (Colored)

of No. *234*, *4th Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *14th* day of *December* 188*0*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *One silver watch*

of the value of *Ten* 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 *William H. Wright*
alias William Randolph (Carthage) for the reason
that on the day aforesaid the accused represented
to deponent that he was the agent of the *Russia Clock*
Company employed by them to repair clocks and watches
that deponent having reason to believe the representation
of the accused delivered to him his watch for repair.
That deponent has not seen the accused until now
and is informed that that the representation of the
accused were false and fraudulent and made
with the intent to cheat and defraud this deponent.
Wherefore deponent charges the accused with
taking and stealing the aforesaid property

J. F. Robinson

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188*0*

Police Justice

John Robinson
of *New York*
188*0*
Police Justice

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State and County of New York S.S.

Norman Lefferts of the Central office
Police being duly sworn deposes and says that he arrested the
accused on the 28th day of January 1881. on the information
of Nathaniel E. Eblead. That the accused acknowledged
and confessed to this deponent that the watch the property of
J. F. Robinson had been stolen from his watch pocket
in a lodging room at 498 Bowery. and that a pair of trousers
for a clock the property of Nathaniel Eblead had been taken
& stolen from him at the same time.

Sworn to before me this 29th

day of January 1881

J. M. Patterson

Norman Lefferts

Police Justice -

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Form 694

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John F. Robinson
234 7th Ave

William [Signature]



Affidavit - L. S. City

DATED *Jan 13 1881* 1881
Robinson MAGISTRATE

Lefferts OFFICER
C. P. [Signature]

WITNESS:
Lefferts
C. P. [Signature]

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No. _____ STREET, _____

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

*William H Wright otherwise known as
and called William Randolph*

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

*One clock of the value of thirty
dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Nathaniel E. Mead

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*William H. Wright otherwise known
as and called William Randolph*

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

*One clock of the value of thirty
dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Nathaniel E. Mead
William H. Wright otherwise known as and called William Randolph
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

David C. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel, *H.C.*
Filed *11th* day of *July* 188*7*
Pleads *Wm. S. Wright*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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William S. Wright
alias
William Randolph
(3 Cases)

Daniel S. Rollins
~~DEPUTY DISTRICT~~

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Framis Barr

Foreman.

Part 1. Monday
1887

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That *William H. Wright otherwise known
as and called William Randolph*

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

*One watch of the value of two
hundred and fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Samuel B. Atchouse

then and
there being found, 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. *David B. Rollins*

BENJ. K. PHILLIPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wylie, William

DATE:

02/21/81



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Day of Trial, *P. White*
Counsel,

Filed *21* day of *Feb* 188*7*

Pleads *Not Guilty*. (May 28/89)

THE PEOPLE

Selling Lottery Policies.

vs.

Wm. N. Nye

B.

William Nye

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill, *Alfred Conroy*
Foreman.

May 28/89

Pleads Guilty on 5 Count

Fined \$100

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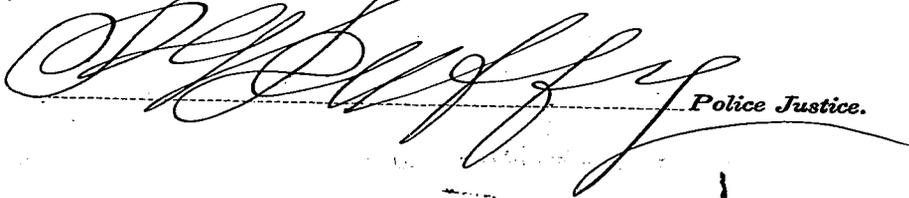
State of New York,
City and County of New York, } ss.

Lucius L. Carr
of No. 172 Chamber Street,
being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 27th day of
November 1880 at No. 168 West Broadway
Street, in the City and County of New York,

William Oglic, merchant,
did unlawfully and feloniously sell and vend to deponent for
the sum of seventy cents lawful money
a certain paper and document, the same being what is commonly known as,
and is called a Lottery Policy, and ^{Envelope game} which said Lottery Policy, ^{and Envelope game} writing, paper,
and document is as follows, that is to say: paper unruled and
marked "Exhibit A." and which paper is in the
nature of an insurance upon the drawing or
drawn numbers of a certain Lottery and Envelope
game which Lottery and game is not authorized
by the laws of the State of New York

Wherefore deponent prays that the said William Oglic
may be dealt with according to law. J. L. Carr 17

Sworn to before me, this 29th
day of November 1880


Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Wylie*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Forty-three years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *No. 68 Leroy Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Clerk*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge.*

William Wylie.

John J. ...
1880
POLICE JUDGE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Police Court—First District.

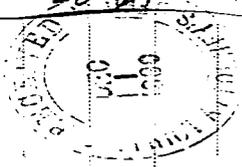
THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Lucius J. Campbell
172 Chambers St.

vs.
William Ogden

William's Bakery Policy 974
Office.



Dated *November 29* 1880

W. J. [unclear] Magistrate.

Henry J. [unclear] Officer.
M. M. [unclear] Clerk.

Name

Address

Witnesses,

BAILED,
No. 1, by *Alex. M. Green*
Residence *9 North Moore St.*

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

No. 5, by _____
Residence _____

No. 6, by _____
Residence _____

500. to answer *Filed*
James Sessions.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

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Not found - Not known in the premises

PART I. N. W. M.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.

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

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

(SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.)

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Frederick L. Carr*
of No. *172 Chambers* Street, *Greenwich*

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GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *28* day of *May* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against *William Hylio*

in a case of Felony whereof *he* stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *May* in the year of our Lord 188 *7*

JOHN MCKEON, District Attorney.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present :

That

William Wylie

late of the *fifth* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid,
on the *twenty-seventh* day of *November* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~_____~~ at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,
furnish and supply, to one

Lucius L. Carr

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Lucius L. Carr

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said
paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is
to say :

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18 28 35 *ff*

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14 29 68 *ff*

3 31 66 *ff*

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly
called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given)

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SECOND COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *William Hylie* late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler: and that he the said

William Hylie on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

One hundred and sixty eight West Broadway

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given).

THIRD COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *William Hylie* late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler:

And that he the said

William Hylie

afterwards on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

One hundred and sixty eight West Broadway

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one

Lucius L. Carr

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Lucius L. Carr

a certain instrument and writing, commonly known as and called a lottery policy, which said instrument and writing commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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FOURTH COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said *William Wylie*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building known as number

One hundred and sixty-eight West Broadway

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling.

FIFTH COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said *William Wylie*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building, known as number

One hundred and sixty-eight West Broadway

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling, to wit: for selling and vending and disposing of certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies, (a more particular description whereof is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.