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DESCRIPTION:

Wagner, Minnie

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Wm. R. Reamer, 10th B.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

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day of

1886

THE PEOPLE

vs.

St. Hester - R

Minnie Wagner

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.

(Sections 822 and 885, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Proctor

Head jury

A True Bill.

James A. Hester - R

Stout Macleay

Foreman

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Jerome L. Renner, aged 31.
of the 10th Precinct Police Street, in said City, being duly sworn says
that at the premises known as Number 124 West Street,
in the City and County of New York, on the 14 day of July 1886, and on divers
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Minnie Wagner
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a house of
Prostitution and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil
name and fame there to be and remain ~~drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace,~~ whoring and misbehaving
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Minnie Wagner
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said
Minnie Wagner
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 15
day of July 1886

James H. Jones Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

*Not guilty and demand
a trial by jury Minie Wagner*

Taken before me this

day of *July*

1886

William J. Justice

Police Justice.

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BAILED,
No. 1, by Mary Schamunkin
Residence 148 West 1st
Street
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street

Police Court 125 B 1003
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James L. Wagner
100 West 1st

Minnie Wagner

James L. Wagner
100 West 1st

July 10 '88

Offence Keeping a House
for Prostitution

Dated July 15 1886

James L. Wagner Magistrate.
James Officer.

10 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____
Street.

No. _____
Street.

No. _____
Street.

400 to answer 4.8

100 to answer 4.8

100 to answer 4.8

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

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

Dated July 15 1886 John J. Wagner Police Justice.

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

Dated July 16 1886 John J. Wagner Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions
The People
- 15 -
Mina Wagner }

City & County of New York ss Jerome
L. Remer of said City being duly
sworn deposes and says that
he is a member of the Munici-
pal Police force of said city
and attached to the Ninth
Police Precinct in which Precinct
the house known as No 124
Hester Street is situated,

That the said premises
which were heretofore occupied
by the above named defend-
ant have been abandoned
by her and she has removed
therefrom -

Sworn to before me
this 6th day of Oct 1886

Edw. Friend
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

James J. Remer

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General Sessions Court

The People re.

agst

Mina Wagner

Affidavit

Ever Strong
Deputy

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Minnie Wagner

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

Minnie Wagner

(Section 322,
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Minnie Wagner*,

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

Minnie Wagner,

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

SECOND COUNT.—

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

Minnie Wagner

(Section 365,
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Minnie Wagner*,

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

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

THIRD COUNT.—

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

Minnie Wagner

(Section 322,
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Minnie Wagner*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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Wagner, William

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Witnesses:

W. R. Wilson

Ex Regt. Stearns
who says that he
knew the above
after first seeing
Arthur McLean

W. R.

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Sept. 1886

Pleads McLean

THE PEOPLE

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 628, 58 Penal Code]

William Wagner

Filed 3/2/87
Speed & Corvick

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. R. Wilson
Arthur McLean

Foreman.

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W. R. Wilson

2-1/86

The People vs. William Wagner } Court of General Sessions. Part I
Indictment for grand larceny in the second degree } Before Recorder Smyth. March 3. 1887.
Samuel G. Sheldon, sworn and examined.
I am a detective at Headquarters, I know the defendant. I arrested him in Sept. 1886. I know Thomas L. Wilson. The defendant was arrested on the corner of Allen and Stanton sts. by an officer in the Tenth precinct and brought to Headquarters. I was there and on the 14th day of September and searched him and found a pawn ticket on him calling for a watch. I asked him where he got this? He said he pawned a watch in Avenue B, and he was locked up and taken to Court and there he admitted his guilt. I gave the ticket to the pawn broker, Mr. Freund, Ninth Avenue, I got the watch and the pawn broker and brought them to Court. Mr. Wilson was stopping at the Sinclair house, I had him in Court at Jefferson Market, and there was a complaint made against the defendant by him. The complaint now shown me was read over to the prisoner by the Clerk in the presence of the Magistrate; the answers were taken down in writing and it was signed by the complainant in my presence. Wilson identified the watch and chain in the presence of the prisoner as his property; it was a hunting case gold watch worth sixty five dollars and the

chain was twenty or twenty three dollars. The Clerk in the presence of the Magistrate informed the prisoner of his rights, that he had a right to make a statement if he chose to do so and to explain the facts alleged against him in the complaint, and that he was at liberty to waive making a statement and that his waiver could not be used against him. He was asked his name, residence, age and business and to give any explanation of the charge made against him. He said he was guilty. On the way to Court the defendant told me that he had been sent to the Sinclair house to do some repairs and that the watch and chain was in the vest hanging in the bed room of the hotel and that he took it and pawned it. The owner, Mr. Wilson, got it back and gave a receipt for it at Headquarters and the Court gave it to him then. Cross Examined. I called at the Sinclair house to see the complainant about the 12th of the month two or three days before the arrest; he told me he was stopping there temporarily; he did not tell me his permanent address; he was present in Court when the affidavit was read to the complainant and I heard it read. He gave a receipt for the watch and chain at Headquarters the day after the defendant was committed. I went to serve a subpoena upon him but could not find him at the Sinclair house.

I went after that to the Sinclair house several times and never saw the gentleman after that. I did not examine the Register every time I went there. The Clerk stated he was not stopping there. My recollection is clear as to what took place in the Police Court before the Judge. The Clerk read the affidavit to the complainant, the Judge was sitting alongside of him. I do not recollect whether or not the Judge had another case before him at the time or not. I recollect the affidavit being read and his answers being taken down by the Clerk; he was told by the Judge that he could answer 'yes or no'; the complainant was standing alongside of him and he was sworn by the Judge. The prisoner had a chance to ask the complainant any question if he wanted to. The Judge asked the defendant if that was his signature? He said, 'yes', and he told him his rights. That is all I recollect between the Judge and him.

Mr. Purdy: I will read these papers.

Thomas Nelson, Sinclair St., aged 57, occupation master builder, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 11th of Sept. 1888 at the City of New York in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried

away from the possession of the deponent in the day time, the following property, viz, a gold watch and gold chain of the value of one hundred dollars, the property of 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 Wm Wagner now here from the fact that deponent is informed by detective sergeants Beard and Sheldon, that they, the officers, arrested the said defendant at the corner of Stanton and Allen sts. on Sept. 14, 1886 and when the officers searched the defendant they found in his possession a pawn ticket representing a watch which he had pawned at the office of Ph Freund at 69th Avenue B for \$15; they the officers took said watch from said pawn office and showed it to the deponent when deponent positively identified his property. And deponent is further informed by said officers that the said defendant has admitted and confessed to them the officers that he did feloniously take, steal and carry away said watch and chain from deponent's room in the Sinclair house. The examination of the prisoner was read; he said, "I am guilty." The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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Testimony in the
case of
Wm. Wagner
filed Sept.

1886.

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Thomas L. Wilson

of No.

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Street, aged 37 years,

occupation

Master Car Builder

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 11th day of September 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Gold Watch and gold Chain
attached of the value of
One hundred dollars
(\$100.00)

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 Wagner (nowhere) from the fact that deponent is informed by Detective Sergeants Heard and Sheldon that they the Officers arrested the said defendant at the corner of Stanton and Allen Street on September 14th 1886. And when they the Officers searched the defendant they found in his possession a pawn ticket representing a watch which he had pawned at the pawn office of R. H. Friend at no 9 Avenue B. for \$15. they the officers took said watch from said pawn office and showed it to deponent when deponent positively

Sworn to before me, this 1886 day

Police Justice.

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Identified it as his property. And defendant
is further informed by said Officers that
the said defendant has admitted and
confessed to them the Officers that he
did feloniously take and carry away
said Watch and Chain from defendant's room
in the Sinclair house. Wherefore defendant
prays the said defendant may be held
and dealt with according to law

Wm L. Wilson

Sworn to before me
this 15th day of Sept 1886

SOLDU R. [Signature]
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1886
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1886
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1886
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

vs.

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Dated

1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

No.

No.

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to answer

Sessions.

Street,

Street,

Street,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation John Heard Detective Sergeant of No.

300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thos L. Wilson

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

Sworn to before me, this 15

day of Sept

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John Heard

Solow R. Smith

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation Samuel G. Sheldon Detective Sergeant of No.

300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thos L. Wilson

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

Sworn to before me, this 15

day of Sept

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Samuel G. Sheldon

Solow R. Smith

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Wagner

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

New York

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

Answer.

13 E. 4th St. About 14 yrs

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Electrician

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

Answer.

I am guilty
Wm Wagner

Taken before me this

13th

1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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Deposited by
Joseph Maguire Father
of Sept. 1788 & 4th for
with Chamberlain
Oct 8 1888
for Sept. 1788

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court District

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. A. McLean

William Maguire

Offence

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Dated Sept 15 188

Heard & E. Sheldon, Officer

Central Prison

Witnesses David G. Jones

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

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

Appendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
\$100 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of
the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Sept 15 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William Wagner

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

- William Wagner -

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

The said *William Wagner*,

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

*one watch of the value of eighty
dollars, and one chain of the
value of twenty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Thomas E. Wilson, -

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

*Randolph B. Martinie,
District Attorney.*

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Waldeck, Ernst

DATE:

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F. A. Botby 119-784

Counsel, *F. A. Botby*
Filed *20* day of *Sept* 188*6*
Pleads *Not guilty - Verdict*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Ernst Waldeck

May 7 1886

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Copy sent April 1887
A TRUE BILL.

John A. Wood
Foreman

Per. # 227, 1886 Dec 15
Confessed to be a thief
W. J. May

Witnesses:

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against

Ernest Waldeda

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

- Ernest Waldeda -

of the CRIME OF *Stealing from a minor.*

committed as follows:

The said *Ernest Waldeda.*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-
said, on the *seventeenth* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*first*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, unlawfully did take the one
Hellie Degmore, who was then
and there a minor under the age
of *fourteen* years, as he the said
Ernest Waldeda, then and there
well knew, and had reason to
believe, against the form of the
Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace
of the People of the State of New
York, and their dignity.

Randolph B. Mathie,

District Attorney

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Walker, Warren

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Louis Huber

N. Kopp

Fred Becker

Wm Canthy, 2705 R

N. Coleman

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Sept

1886

Pleds

Sept 20

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Warren Walker

Oct 19/86.

Spied & requested

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Thud Macleay

Foreman.

Oct 21

No 256

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0107

Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 538, 10th Avenue Street, aged 19 years,

occupation Cigar Box Maker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28th day of August 1884 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by William

Walker (Now present) That

Said Walker did wilfully and
 Maliciously Cut and stab deep-
 ment upon his face with and
 by means of a certain Knife
 and sharp dangerous weapon
 which he Walker then held
 in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 18th day

of Sept 1884

of Lemuel J. Glendon
 Henry Murray
 Police Justice.

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Sec. 109-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Warren Walker

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

This City

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

Answer.

537 - First Avenue

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Work in a brass foundry

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge

W. Walker

Taken before me this

day of

188

John J. Morris
Police Justice.

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Offence

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witnesses

Prisoner.

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

(Court)

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

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

Were you examined in Obstetrics?

" " " " diseases of Women?

" " " " " children?

Do you know the difference between Therapeutics and Pathology?

Do you know what Toxicology treats of?

Do you know when Pott's operation should be performed? An obstetrical operation to deliver a child.

What operations are used instead? Craniotomy & Caesarean section?

Did you know Dr. Van der Poel?

Was he not President of the County Society while these charges against you were pending?

Did you ever go to him to have the charges withdrawn?

Why not if he examined you?

Do you belong to any ~~the~~ Medical Society of the State or County, Regular, Homoeopathic, or Eclectic?

Why have you not joined me?

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

When did you leave the service?

Were you not dismissed from it on
June 29, 1863

You will swear positively you were not
dismissed, in 1863,?

You say you lost your letters from Jena
on the battlefield of Petersburg, was it before or
after the battle?

When was the battle fought?

In what year? In what month?

On what river is Petersburg? Appomattox

Fulda was
dismissed June
29, 1863

Wasn't there more than one battle fought
about Petersburg? The siege commenced by a series of
battles June 18, 1864, & lasted till April 3/65 when enemy evacuated.
How long did the siege last? about 10 months

In whose Army Corps were you?

~~In what brigade?~~

What was its Corps badge?

When was the great mine exploded. July

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0112

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Warren Walker

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

Warren Walker

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

The said Warren Walker,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-fifth day of August, - in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, with force of arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Louis Stuber, -
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and ~~in~~ the said Louis Stuber, -
with a certain Knife -

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

with intent ~~in~~ the said Louis Stuber, -
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Warren Walker

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

The said Warren Walker,

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

with a certain Knife -

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

Donald B. Martin,
Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2275

DESCRIPTION:

Walsh, John

DATE:

09/30/86



2275

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0114

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed, 30 day of Sept 1886

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Walsh

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.

(Keeping Open on Sunday)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1089, Sec. 5].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

7 Nov 18/86 District Attorney.

Pleas guilty

A True Bill.

True Bill

John A. Wood Foreman.

No Ver

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0115

Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT-

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. the 16th Street John Walsh Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 19 day
of September 1886, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

John Walsh (now here)

being then and there in lawful charge of the premises, No. 259-10 the

Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be

drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of

the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said John Walsh
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 19 day } Abraham Hazelton
of September 1886 }

Solomon B. Smith
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0116

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

2 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer John Walsh

Question How old are you?

Answer Twenty-nine years

Question Where were you born?

Answer Ireland

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

Answer 259-10th Ave. Brooklyn

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Bar-tender

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

Answer I am not guilty and demand a trial by jury.

John Walsh

Taken before me this 19

1888

John Walsh
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0117

BAILED
No. 1, by Edw. E. Strumell
Residence 348 West 12th Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 2 District.

1412

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William D. ...

John Walsh

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Offence Ind. Brasi

Dated February 19 1886

Edw. E. Strumell Magistrate.

William D. ... Officer.

John Walsh Precinct.

Witnessed

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 100 to answer

John Walsh

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

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

Dated Feb 19 1886 Edw. E. Strumell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0118

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Walden

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

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND
SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *John Walden*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *nineteenth*
day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as
Sunday, being then and there in charge of, and having the control of a certain place there
situate which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors,
wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so
licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said
place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did open, and cause and procure, and suffer and
permit, to be open, and to remain open; against the form of the Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

John Walden

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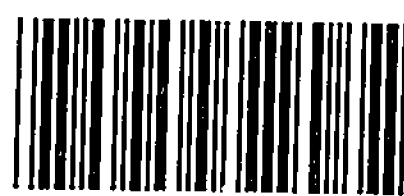
2275

DESCRIPTION:

Warcke, Mary

DATE:

09/17/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0120

Witnesses:

John Pettit
Oppenheimer, 8th St.

Counsel,
Filed 17 day of Sept, 1880
Pleads Mrs. Warche

THE PEOPLE
vs. *Mrs. Warche*
Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 728, 729, 730 Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.
Pr Sept 23/80
Ind removed P.R.

A True Bill.

Wm. Maclean
Foreman.
Leu, One year.
Sept 23/80
J. B. B.

No 140

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0121

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 168 Bleeker Street, aged 59 years,
occupation Pedler being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 22nd day of August 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and
Person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

A handkerchief containing gold
and lawful money of the United
States to the amount and value of
Forty Dollars. (\$4.00)

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 Mary Warcke (now here)

from the fact that deponent was lying
down on a bed in the lodging house on
the south west corner of Broome & Thompson
streets at about the hour of 1 O'clock P.M.
on said date. and at that time had
the aforesaid handkerchief with said
amount of money in it tied around
his right leg under his pantaloons.
Deponent felt somebody touching his leg
where said money was. and on looking
up deponent saw the defendant
walking away from him. Deponent
followed after her when she ran out
of the room. Deponent then discovered

Sworn to before me, this
of 188

Police Justice.

that said handkerchief with said money was missing. Dependent then waited in said room for the defendant to return which she did in about two hours when dependent caused her arrest. Wherefore dependent charges the said defendant with felonious taking, stealing and carrying away said property from the person of dependent and for a purpose may be held and dealt with according to law.

John Pellet

Sworn to before me
this 23rd day of Aug 1886
J. Henry Wash
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1886
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1886
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1886
Police Justice.

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
vs.	
1	2
3	4
Offence—LARCENY.	
Dated	1886
Magistrate.	Officer.
Clerk.	Witnesses,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Sessions.
No.	to answer

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Mary Wacker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *Virginia*

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

Answer. *57 1/2 Thompson St 2 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *Wash & Iron*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

Mary Wacker
Wacker

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

J. M. Wacker

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0124

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Pettit

168 Bleeker

Manhattan

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Offence

Larceny
felony

Dated Aug 2 1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

to prisoner.

North

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

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

Dated Aug 2 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Mary Warden

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

Mary Warden

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

The said

Mary Warden.

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

one handkerchief of the value
of ten cents, and the sum of
fourteen dollars in money, lawful
money of the United States, and
of the value of fourteen dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Pettit*, —
on the person of the said *John Pettit*, —
then and there being found, from the person of the said *John Pettit*, —
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph P. Martine
District Attorney

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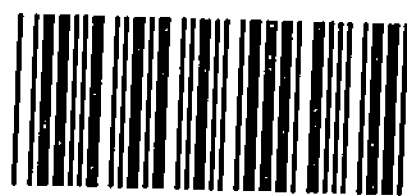
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DESCRIPTION:

Waters, Thomas

DATE:

09/14/86



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ORIGINAL

0127

Witness:

Edward McGuire
Jy 13/1886

Counsel,

Filed

1886

Pleads,

Unlawfully

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Waters

vs.

Jan 10 1886

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Procurator
Not recorded

Dec. 10 1886
A True Bill.

Wm MacLachlan

Foreman.

Peri Luvograp.

Dec 10 1886

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0128

Police Court—4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 214 East 65th St Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Gun Dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 15 day of August 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One gold watch & one gold
watch ^{chain} values together in
the sum of one hundred
and seventy-five dollars \$175.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Thomas Waters (nowhere)
from the following facts
to wit:—That at the time
mentioned deponent was sleep-
ing in the above mentioned
premises; That when deponent
fell asleep he (deponent) had on
his (deponent's) person the above
described property. That when
deponent awoke he saw defendant
standing near him with said
property in his (defendant's)
possession. That defendant
ran away and escaped with
said property.

Edward McGuire

Sworn to before me, this

of August 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0129

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Waters

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

3rd Avenue & 110 Street. 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

Not guilty

His
Thomas Waters
mon

Taken before me this

14

day of *August* 188*8*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0131

City Prison
Wednesday -

How Mr. A. Gildersleeve -

Sir - Knowing you to be a fearless and just judge I venture to write your Honor in the hope that I may be afforded an opportunity of proving my innocence and exculpating myself from the charge of which I now stand convicted.

As I believe in a hereafter and my God I assure you that I am as innocent of the charge as any of the jurors who found the verdict and it is an extreme hardship to be compelled to suffer for that which I did not commit.

I can prove by two respectable persons, a man and a woman that at the time of the commission of

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0132

the alleged larceny I was else-
where and did not and could not
have participated in it

These witnesses for some unforeseen
reason were neither in attendance
or called and I therefore appeal
to your honor to afford me an
opportunity to present this proof
that there be no mis-carriage of
justice and I made a victim - I
am a hard working man and can
prove this - I have respectable
brothers and sisters whom I would
not disgrace by any act of mine -

I have intended and will per-
severe in leading an industrious
and honest life and I feel
most keenly the peril that encom-
passes me and to you in this hour
of my affliction do I appeal for
mercy - for justice and the up-
holding of truth -

I cannot write as I would

wish but pray the God of us all
that your honor may see your
way clear to save an innocent man
from an undeserved exile and
punishment

With great respect I am
Your Obedt Servant
Thos Waters

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0133

Answered
Sept. 15th 1877
R. B. Dr.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0134

State of New York.

Executive Chamber.

ALBANY, June 14 1887.

SIR:

An application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of Thomas Waters, who was convicted of Grand Larceny, second degree in the County of New York, and sentenced Dec. 22 1886, to imprisonment in the N. Y. Penitentiary for the term of 2 years and 0 months and to pay a fine of \$ 0. I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the trial or upon the preliminary examination, or before the Coroner's jury, if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge since the conviction.

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

Very respectfully yours,

William G. Rice,

Private Secretary.

To Hon.

R. B. Martine,
Dist. Atty. of New York Co.,
N. Y. City.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0135

July 19th 87.

Mr. Penney.

Sir

Detective Hugh
Martin of 25th Precinct says
that Thomas Waters is a
general disorderly character
as has been arrested a dozen
times. has been arrested for
assault and stopping people in
the street for the price of a
can of beer and beer on the
island.

Yours &c
John C.'Brien.
25 Precinct

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0136

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Thomas Waters

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

— Thomas Waters —

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

The said Thomas Waters,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~fifteenth~~ day of ~~August~~, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~six~~, in the ~~day~~ time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of one
hundred and twenty five
dollars, and one train of the
value of fifty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Edward McQuinn,
on the person of the said Edward McQuinn. —
then and there being found, from the person of the said Edward McQuinn,
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Smith,
District Attorney

0137

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2275

DESCRIPTION:

Waterson, Hugh

DATE:

09/29/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0138

Witnesses:

Geo Mahoney
Timothy Sheehan

Counsel,
Filed 29 day of Sept 1886
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.
67 J. W. vs.

Hugh Waterson

Bringing in the Third Degree.
Sections 495, 506, 528 & 532.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dr. Sept 30/86 District Attorney.
Harris P.R.

A True Bill.

Geo. M. Mace

Foreman

Geo. M. Mace

No. 301

Police Court—1st District.

City and County
of New York, } ss.

of No. 6 Dover Street, aged 27 years,

occupation Truckman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 26 Cherry Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Stable, where
deponent Stables his horses and keeps feed

and which was occupied by deponent as a Stable
and in which there was at the time no human being, as was

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking

off a staple or outboard
fastening of the door leading to
said stable with intent to commit
a larceny therein

on the 22 day of September 1886 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One bag of oats of the
value of one dollar and twenty-
five cents

the property of deponent

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

Hugh Watson now present
for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that

deponent was informed by one
Frederick Shea that he saw the def-
endant come out of the stable
about ten o'clock A.M. on said day
having in his possession the bag of oats

that the defendant now admits in Court
that he did forcibly enter the stable in
question and took the oats but meant to
return it on the day following James Mahoney

Deponent to before me this
22nd day of September 1886
James Mahoney
Justice of the Peace

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0140

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

1st District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Hugh Waterson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

45 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

67 James Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

I drive a team of horses

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge
I worked for the Complainant and
went into the stable to have a sleep
I meant to return the bag of oats
this morning —

Hugh^{his} Waterson
Mark

Taken before me this

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 5, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 6, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 7, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 8, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 9, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 10, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court District.

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

James M. McLaughlin
16 R. Ave.
Hugh Watson
Offence *Burglary*

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated *Sept 23* 188 *8*

G. Murray Magistrate.
John Canavan Officer.

Witnesses *James M. McLaughlin*
H. Canavan
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____

No. *351* Street *9th*
to answer _____

No 301
Com

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

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

Dated *Sept 23* 188 *E. L. Murray* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0142

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Amos Watson

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

- Amos Watson -

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

The said

Amos Watson,

late of the *South* Ward 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-*six*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *Stable* of one

James Mahoney

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

James Mahoney

in the said *Stable*, 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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF

— Hugh Watson —
Box LARCENY, —

committed as follows :

The said

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

one bag of oats of the value of

one dollar and twenty five

cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James Mahoney
in the *stable* of the said

James Mahoney

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

Randolph B. Martin
District Attorney

0144

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2275

DESCRIPTION:

Westcott, Stella

DATE:

09/23/86



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0145

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF
Anderson M. Stebbins
agst.
Stella Wescott

Examination had *Sept. 18* 188 *6*
Before *Jacob M. Patterson* Police Justice.

I, *Waterman L. Ormsby* Stenographer of the *3d* District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of *Anderson M. Stebbins*

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated *Sept 18* 188 *6*.

J M Patterson
Police Justice.

Waterman L. Ormsby
Stenographer.

Police Court
Third District

The People vs
Anderson M. Stebbins

Stella Wescott

Ans Examinations Before Justice Patterson
Sept 15 1886

Anderson M. Stebbins, the complainant,
being cross examined, on his
affidavit, by Counsellor Osborn
deposes and says:-

Q. How long have you known the
defendant?

A. I never knew her until the
night I got the evidence - the
15th.

Q. Was that the first time you
saw her in these premises?

A. Yes.

Q. Do you know how long she
has occupied these premises

A. I do not know.

Q. Do you know whether she
has occupied them more
than one week?

A. I do not know.

Q. Do you know of any act of
prostitution taking place in
that house within the past week?

A. Not other than the evidence for the prosecution.

Q. Do you know of any act of prostitution having been committed in that house within a week?

A. Yes.

Q. An act of prostitution?

A. Yes.

Q. With whom?

A. Well; with me.

Q. What took place with you?

A. On the night of the 15th I went in this place. I got a glass of beer. I was solicited by the defendant for the purpose of sexual intercourse. State what she said?

A. I asked where the girls were. She said they were out. She asked me if she would not do. I said yes. She told me where to go out in the hall and she would meet me there. I did go. We went up stairs over the saloon, and went to bed together in her bedroom.

Q. Was there anybody else in the place at the time?

A. Yes.

Q. Any girls?

A. No.

Q Any prostitutes?

A No, Sir.

Q Did you have sexual connection with the defendant at that time?

A No; I did not have sexual connection with her.

Q Do you know anything about the premises since she has been there except that one act?

A I want to state that I paid her a dollar.

Q You talked with her and paid her a dollar, but you did not have sexual intercourse with her?

A That is so. She undressed and went to bed.

Q This was up stairs over the saloon?

A Yes.

Q There was no other girl on the premises?

A No, Sir.

Q No girls on the premises when you made the arrest?

A No Sir.

Q You know of no other act of prostitution except that one act.

A Not to my knowledge.

Q You went up stairs?

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Q- He did not take me in the
back room, but took me
up stairs.

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS 15 DAY OF Sept. 1936
J. M. Patterson
PC OF JUSTICE.

0150

Sec. 322, Penal Code.

J. J. J.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

of No. Anderson M. Stebbins
10th District Police in said City, being duly sworn says
 that at the premises known as Number 228 Chrystie Street,
 in the City and County of New York, on the 15th day of September 1886 and on divers
 other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Jane Doe, whose real name is unknown,
 did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a Saloon and House
of prostitution and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure
 and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come
 together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said
 other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil
 name and fame there to be and remain drinking, ~~dancing, fighting,~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving
 themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and
 there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Jane Doe
 and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said

Jane Doe
 may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 16th
 day of September 1886

Anderson M. Stebbins
James W. Patterson Police Justice.

over

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W. X. J.
Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anderson M. Stubbins
vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated *Sept. 16* 188 *6*

Patterson Justice.

Stubbins Officer.

10 Precinct.

WITNESSES :

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Anderson M. Stebbins
of 10th Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that ~~on the~~ Stella Westcott
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

now here, is the person mentioned
in the annexed affidavit of
deponent by the name of
Jane Doe, and is the keeper
of the saloon at 228 Chrystie
Street which is a house of
prostitution.

That deponent was solicited by
said deponent, on said premises,
to have special connections with
her for money.

Anderson M. Stebbins

Sworn to before me, this 17th day
of September 1888
W. H. Pittman Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0153

Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Stella Westcott

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New Jersey

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

Answer.

228 Coney Island St. New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Storekeeper

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

I demand a trial by jury.

Stella Westcott.
I hired this place about a week ago yesterday for one week only. I never kept girls. I intended to leave it on Sept. 18. I had no sexual connection with the officer. He wanted a girl and having no girl I did agree to go with him.

Stella Westcott

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*8*

J. M. P. Utman
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0154

Sec. 151.

Police Court 3rd District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Andreas M. Stebbins of No. 10 West Police Street, that on the 16th day of September 1886, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, James Doe did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 328 Chrystie Street, in said City, a Saloon and house of prostitution and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, ~~dancing, fighting~~, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said

James Doe and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said James Doe and forthwith bring them before me, at the Third DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 16th day of September 1886

W. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anderson M. Stebbins
vs.

William West

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated Sept. 16 188 6

Patterson Magistrate.

Stebbins Officer.

10 Precinct.

The Defendant William West

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

William West Officer.

Dated Sept. 17 188 6

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or
at night.

Wm Patterson Police Justice.

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

The within named

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Police Court 3 District 1410

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anderson H. Stettin

100 Precinct

Arthur J. Westcott

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Offence Keeping a Disorderly House

Dated

September 17 1886

Magistrate

Arthur J. Westcott

Officer

10 Precinct

Witnesses

No.

Edw. Smith 1811

Street

No.

91/2 AM

Street

No.

500

to answer

E. J. Street

No. 254

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

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

Dated September 17 1886. J. W. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated 1886 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1886 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0157

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Stella Westcott

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

- Stella Westcott -

(Section 322,
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Stella Westcott,*

late of the *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nin*, and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain ; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain ; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

Stella Westcott. -

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

SECOND COUNT.—

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

Stella Westcott -

(Section 385,
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Stella Westcott,*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the *25th* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

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ORIGINAL**

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

THIRD COUNT.—

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

Stella Westcott —

(Section 323,
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Stella Westcott.*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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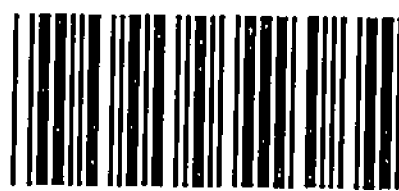
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DESCRIPTION:

White, Bernard

DATE:

09/10/86



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ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Annie White

Counsel,

Filed

10 day of Sept 1886

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Protege

THE PEOPLE

vs
J. H. W. 1886

Prisoner

Bernard White

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Pr Sept 14/86 District Attorney.

McCabe Assoc. Ldy.
A True Bill.

Robert MacCloskey

Foreman

Per: One year.

No 41

[Section 217, Penal Code]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0161

Police Court—4th District.

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

Annie White

of No. 573 West 43rd Street, aged 42 years,

occupation Keep house being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9th day of August 1888 (at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by her husband Bernard White (now here) who did willfully strike deponent several blows with his clenched hands knocking deponent through a glass and pulling her arm through the hole in the glass and afterward knocked her down and jumped on her body

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 14th day
of August 1888

Annie White
MRS

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

4th

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

Bernard White

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Bernard White

Question. How old are you?

Answer

32 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

513 West 43rd Street - 3 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Painter

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Bernard White

Taken before me this

14

day of April 1888

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0163

Sec. 151.

Police Court 4th District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Ann E. White
of No. 513 West 43rd Street, that on the 8th day of August,
1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

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he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by her husband Bernard White

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him
forthwith before me, at the 4th DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 19th day of August, 1886

My Commissioner

POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0164

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated 188

Magistrate

Officer.

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

age 52 Irish Res 513 W 43 A
Officer.

Dated *August 13* 1886

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

M J Grogan
Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

Dated

188

Police Justice.

The within named

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

1220
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James M. Hill
James M. Hill
Assault

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Offence

Dated *August 14* 188*6*

Charles J. M. Hill
Magistrate.

Foley
Officer.

Charles J. M. Hill
Precinct.

Witnesses
James M. Hill

No. *521 West 143^d*
Street.

No. _____
Street.

No. _____
Street.

No. *1050*
Street.

to answer

W. J. Hill

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

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

Dated *August 14* 188*6* _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Bernard White

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

of the CRIME OF Assault in the first degree,

committed as follows:

The said Bernard White,

late of the 22nd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-
said, on the 10th day of August, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~nine~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

with force and arms, in and upon
one Annie White, feloniously did
make an assault, and then she said
Annie, with both her hands and
feet of him she said Bernard, in and
upon the head, neck, breast, belly,
back, sides and other parts of her
body, then and there individually and
feloniously did strike, beat, kick,
bruise and wound, and then she said
Annie, against and through a certain
piece of glass, with his hands of said,
did then and there individually and
feloniously push, thrust, cut and
then head; the same being and means

and force as were likely to produce
the death of the said Annie, with
intent that the said Annie should
then and there unlawfully and feloniously
be killed against the form of the
Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace of
the People of the State of New
York, and their dignity.

Second Count:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid
by this indictment further accuse
the said Bernard of the crime of
Assault in the second degree, -
committed as follows:

The said Bernard, afterwards,
to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the Ward City and
County aforesaid, with force and
arms, in and upon the said
Annie feloniously did unlawfully
and wrongfully make another
assault, and did then and there
feloniously, unlawfully and wrongfully
inflict grievous bodily harm upon
the said Annie: against the form of

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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The Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace of
the People of the State of New York,
and their rights

Randolph B. Mathie,

~~Attorney at Law~~

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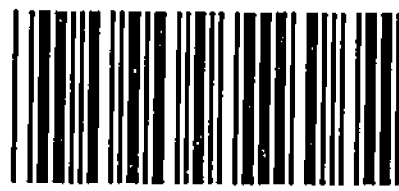
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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Charles

DATE:

09/22/86



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ORIGINAL

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187-Order

Counsel, _____
Filed 22 day of Sept. 1886
Pleads _____

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Charles Wilson
[Section 498, 682, Penal Code]
County of Los Angeles

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm MacCall
Sept 26 Foreman
Charles Dudley B. B. B.
Nov 27. 1886
2nd of 1886

Witnesses:
John R. Hooker
Wm B. B. B.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0171

Police Court—2 District.

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

of No. 788 Greenough Street, aged 57 years,
occupation Police Commissioner being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No 4 Bethune Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Carpenter Shop

~~not~~ ^{any} and which was occupied by deponent as a

and in which there was at the time ~~a~~ ^{no} human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly taking out the
lower sash of one of the rear windows
of premises No 4 Bethune Street said
City with intent to commit a crime

on the 6th day of September 1886 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of Carpenters tools
contained in wooden chests
and all together of the value
of One thousand dollars

the property ~~of~~ in the Care and Custody of deponent

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

Charles Wilson alias Charles Shorton
nowhere

for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent is informed

by Officer Thomas Burleigh

of the Ninth Precinct that he

was stationed inside the said

premises No 4 Bethune Street

on the above date and at about

One thirty O'clock and at the

above date saw said defendant

effect and entrance into said

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premises No 4 Bethune Street &
forcibly taking out the lower
sash of one of the windows in
the rear of the first story of said
premises No 4 Bethune Street and
when said defendant had got
into said premises said officer
arrested him and took him out
upon the side walk and then and
there searched said defendant and
found concealed upon his person
a seven barrel loaded

Wherefore deponent charges the
said defendant with attempting
to burglarize said premises No
4 Bethune Street and prays that
he may be dealt with according
to law in such case made and
provided.

Done to before me
this 8th day of Sept 1888 J. Robert D. Thomas
Solomon Smith
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged

38

years, occupation

Thomas Purleigh
Police Officer

of No.

the 9th Avenue

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

John R. Morris

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

Sworn to before me, this

6

day of

Sept

188

Thomas Purleigh

Solomon Smith

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Charles Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

36 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Connecticut

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

Answer.

N^o 15 Bowery New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Machinist

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
I have nothing to say
Charles Wilson*

Taken before me this

88

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0175

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

4

Dated

188

Offence

Officer.

Magistrate.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

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

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

Dated Sept 6 188

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of the large brown stone building in Chambers Street, near the new Court-house in the Park.
When you arrive at the witness-room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GRAND JURY OF THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People of the State of New York,

To *H. Beaulon*

of No. _____ Street _____

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the Park, in the City of New York. on the *20* day of *Sept* inst., at the hour of *10½* in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and to give evidence before the GRAND JURY, touching a certain complaint then and there pending against

Chas Wilson

And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Sept* in the year of our Lord, 188 *6*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

POOR QUALITY
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0177

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Wilson

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

Charles Wilson

of the CRIME OF

Burglary in the third degree, as
a second offense,

committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: In a Court
of ~~the~~ General Sessions of the Peace, holden
in and for the City and County of
New York, at the City Hall, in said City,
late of the ~~Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-~~
~~said~~, on the ~~nineteenth~~ day of ~~July~~, — in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~four~~, ~~at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,~~

before the Honorable Frederick Smith,
Recorder of the said City, and Justice
of the said Court, the said Charles
Wilson, by the name and description
of Charles Wilson, was in due form
of law convicted of a felony, to wit:
Burglary in the third degree, upon
a certain indictment then and there
in the said Court pending against
him the said Charles Wilson, by the
name and description aforesaid, for
that the said Charles Wilson,
then late of the Ninth Ward of the
City of New York, in the County of
New York aforesaid, on the third day

of July, in the year aforesaid, with
force and arms, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, a certain building
there situate, to wit: the shop of one
John B. Goodwin of London and
Lancashire did break into and
enter, with intent to commit some crime
therein, to wit: with intent, the goods,
chattels and personal property of the
said John B. Goodwin, in the said
shop then and there being, then and
there of London and Lancashire
to steal, take and carry away.

And also that the said
Charles Wilson, afterwards, to wit:
on the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the Ward City and County aforesaid,
in the night time of the said day,
with force and arms, five hand saws
of the value of two dollars each, one
plane of the value of three dollars,
one brace of the value of two dollars,
and three rods of the value of five
dollars each of the goods, chattels and
personal property of the said John B. Goodwin,
in the shop of the said John B. Goodwin,
there situate, then and there being, and
in the shop aforesaid, then and there
of London did steal, take and carry
away.

And thereupon, upon the conviction
aforesaid, it was considered by the said
Court of General Sessions of the Peace,
and ordered and adjudged, that the said
Charles Wilson, for the said felony
and larceny whereof he was so
convicted as aforesaid, be imprisoned
in the State Prison for the term of
two years and six months, as by
the record thereof more fully
and at large appears.

And the said Charles Wilson,
now late of the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, having been so convicted of
the felony and larceny above alleged,
do hereby shew that on the ninth day of
September, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty
six, with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, a certain building
there situate, to wit: the said shop of
the said John R. Voorhis, feloniously and
larcinously did break into and enter,
with intent to commit some crime therein to wit:
with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property
of the said John R. Voorhis, in the said shop,
then and there being, then and there feloniously
and larcinously 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.

Randolph B. Martin
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Charles

DATE:

09/14/86



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Witnesses:

Jacob Wagner

Sept 17th 1886

It is respectfully recommended
that this defat be released
upon his personal recognizance.

J. H. Williams
Clerk Dist. Ct.

Counsel,

Filed

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day of

1886

Pleads,

W. H. L. 15

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Charles Wilson

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Sept 17th District Attorney.

Q. rec'd by Court

A True Bill.

W. H. L. MacLean

On Rev. of ~~W. H. L.~~
Sept. 18th 1886
now Recog. Sec. 1108

No 108

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Police Court—4th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 236 West 19th Jacob Wagner
Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Brewer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 26th day of August 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One open faced silver watch of the
Value of Seven 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 Charles Wilson (now here)
from the fact that deponent caught
said Wilson in the act of taking
said property from the pocket of
deponents vest which deponent had
on his person

Jacob Wagner

Sworn to before me, this
of August 27th 1886
at New York
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

Charles Wilson

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Charles Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

414 East 18th Street. 6 Months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Plasterer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Charles Wilson

Taken before me this

27th

day of *August* 188*6*

Henry
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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1000 fms
934 City.
Aug 28.
2-30 10-11m.

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

Police Court-4 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jacob Wagner
236 W. 11th
Charles Wilson

Offence Larceny
from Person

Dated August 27th 1886

M. J. Over Magistrate.
John D. Sullivan Officer.

Witnesses Newman Keifer
No. 311 East 46th Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. 520 Street.
to answer

Signature

No. 108

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

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

Dated August 27th 1886 ay Dme Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0185

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Wilson

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

- Charles Wilson -

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

The said

Charles Wilson,

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

one watch of the value of seven

dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jacob Wagner.*
on the person of the said *Jacob Wagner.*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Jacob Wagner.*
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Martine,

District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Frederick

DATE:

09/09/86



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Friday 2:6

Witnesses:

Wm McCarthy, 11th Br
Peter Fox
Wm McLaney
29 Beano St.
begins &
officer for

Counsel, _____
Filed 9 day of Sept, 1886
Pleads _____

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Frederick Wilson
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

R. B. Martine
District Attorney.
A True Bill. Sept 9/86

Wm J MacLae
Sep 9/86
Foreman.
Lead & Jury
Wm J

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0188

Police Court—4th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Eunice P. Stebbins

of No. 109 East 28th Street, aged 37 years,
occupation the keep house being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9th day of August 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

one piece of Calico, one Comforter, one Spread
one Carpet, one Clock, one pair of drawers,
and one Quilt, all of the value of forty 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 Fredrick Wilson (mother)

from the fact that defendant acknowledged
and confessed to deponent in the presence
of officer McLean of the 21st Precinct
Police that he did steal said property
and pawned it and that he returned
to deponent the several Pawn Tickets
representing said property.

Eunice P. Stebbins

Richard Malarkey

Sworn to before me, this

19th day
of August 1886

Police Justice.

James L. Malarkey given to

officer Malarkey 21st Precinct

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

4th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, { ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

Frederick Nelson

Question. How old are you?

Answer

33 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

564 3^d Avenue, since May last

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

Oyster man

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

Answer.

I am ~~not~~ guilty. I took the goods and
named them, to William

Taken before me this

day of

August

188

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James P. Sullivan
109 E. 128.
Frederick Wilson

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Offence

Grand Larceny

Dated August 12th 1886

Magistrate.

Notary Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ 500 to answer

CMH

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

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

Dated August 1886 August 20, 1886 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0191

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Fredricka Wilson

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

Fredricka Wilson

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

The said *Fredricka Wilson*,

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

one piece of calico of the value of
five dollars, one comforter of the
value of five dollars, one bed
spread of the value of five dollars,
one curtain of the value of ten
dollars, one desk of the value of
ten dollars, one pair of drawers
of the value of five dollars, and one
quilt of the value of five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Ernest R. Holdings,

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

Randolph B. Martin,
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, George

DATE:

09/14/86



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

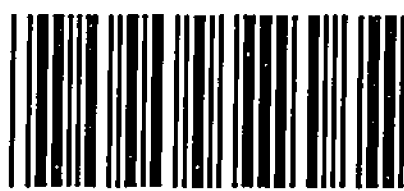
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DESCRIPTION:

Brogan, John

DATE:

09/14/86



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Witnesses :

Hugo Reed
Off Counsel, 6th Mo

Counsel,

Filed

14

day of

1886

at

St. Louis, Mo.

before me

Notary Public

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Wilson
and
John Brogan

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
Sections 528, 521, Penal Code.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Macclary
Notary Public
St. Louis, Mo.

Filed & Acquitted
No 84

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 550 East 16th Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Printer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 25 day of August 1881 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One open face 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 George Wilson and John

Brogan (both now here) for the following
reasons, to wit: On said date about
the hour of six o'clock p.m., deponent
was standing on the Bury near
Chatham Square when said defendants
approached to where deponent
was standing. That deponent then saw
them feel at tugging at his watch chain
and then saw the afore-described property
in said Wilson's hand. That deponent
immediately seized hold of said Wilson
and at the same time the said Brogan
caught hold of deponent around
the body. Wherefore deponent

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Charges said defendants, with
the barony of said property which
was taken stolen and carried away
from the left hand pocket of defendant -
vest which was at the time worn
on the person of defendant.

acting in concert together

I sworn to before me
this 26th day of August 1888

Hugo Beck

J. J. Duffy
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

John Brogan

Question. How old are you?

Answer

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

86 Mulberry street and two years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Painter

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

John Brogan

Taken before me this

day of

February 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

George Wilson

Question How old are you?

Answer

20 years.

Question Where were you born?

Answer

England

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

Answer

76 7 East Broadway New York About one week

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Writer

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

Answer

*I am not guilty of the Charge
G. Wilson*

Taken before me this

day of

1886

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

Police Court 1st District 1307

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Webb
George Wilson
John Brown
Offence Chauvinism from the person

Dated August 26 188 6

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses John L. Brown

No. 6 to answer Q.S.

No. 1 to answer Q.S.

No. 1 to answer Q.S.

No. 1 to answer Q.S.

No. 1 to answer Q.S.

No. 1 to answer Q.S.

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

George Wilson and John Brown
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and be admitted to bail in the sum of five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated August 26 188 6 P. J. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

against

Figoras Wilson and
John Cooper

Lyons Watson and John Brown

The said George Wilson and John
Bragan, both -

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Twenty Fifth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- six, in the day time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one sixth of the value of ten

Below,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Thos Bede.*
on the person of the said *Thos Bede.*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Thos Bede.*
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.

Randy J. Swartz, Jr.
 Plaintiff

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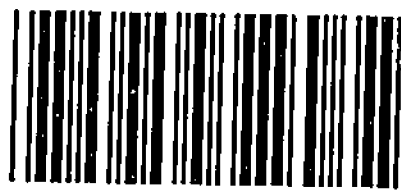
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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, George

DATE:

09/23/86



2275

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0202

Witnesses:

Sophia Purode
Chen Purode

Counsel,

Filed 23

day of

1886

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs. George Wilson

Indictment in the Third Degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Filed with the indictment.

A True Bill.

Handwritten signature

Foreman

S. J. Lavoie, Jr.

No 937

Police Court District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 533 West 53rd Street, aged 47 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises do aforesaid Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a tenement house where
deponent resides with her family
and which was occupied by deponent as such
and in which there was at the time no human being, at the time

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of inserting
a false key into the lock and
forcibly opening the door leading from
the hallway into a room of said
premises with intent to commit a larceny therein
on the 13th day of September 1886 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of clothing consisting
of Coats, vests, trousers & shoes
and other property
collectively of the value
of one hundred dollars and more

the property of deponent and her husband Theodore Rurde
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 Wilson now present

for the reasons following, to wit:

That deponent is informed
by her son Theodore Rurde Jr. that he was
about entering said room when he found
the door which had been previously locked
standing ajar and saw the defendants
in the room. That upon seeing said Theodore,
he ran away followed by said Theodore who caused his
arrest. Deponent is further informed by Officer Andrew
Brunner that when he arrested the defendants he had in his
possession that certain skeleton key which deponent believes
the same to be true

Admitted to be before me this
14th day of Sept 1886
at New York City
John J. Jones

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0204

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Thodore Ruode Jr
aged 15 years, occupation Scholarboy of No.

533 West 53rd Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Sophia Ruode

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

Wm Murray
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0205

Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

George Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer

43 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Cleveland Ohio

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

Answer.

171 Adelphi Street Brooklyn

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Wood turner

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge

George Wilson
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0206

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court District.

1390

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Johna Plunkett

George Wilson

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Offence

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

2000

No 137 (Johna)

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

George Wilson

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

Dated

188

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0207

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Figoraz Wilson

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

Figoraz Wilson

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

The said

Figoraz Wilson,

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

Theodore Rurade.

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Theodore Rurade,

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.

Randolph B. Martin,

District Attorney

0208

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2275

DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Jennie

DATE:

09/16/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0209

Witnesses:

off McCann

Counsel, *E. P. P.*
Filed *16* day of *Sept* 188*6*
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

35 *1/20* vs. *31*

Jennie Wilson

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dr. Secy 12/12 District Attorney.
Yuba Co. 3/1/87

A True Bill.

Wm. MacCoy

Foreman.

Levi Loo m.

No 131

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0210

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

of No. the 30th Precinct Police Street, aged years,
occupation Policeman being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 7th day of August 1886

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

Jennie Wilson (now here) for
rescuing and aiding the escape
of John Daly, in deponent's custody
and under arrest on a charged
felonious assault at the time,
in the manner following; as
deponent was taking said John
Daly to the Station House, the said
Jennie Wilson came behind him
and threw a shawl over deponent's
head and body; then seized deponent's

Sworn to before me, this
1886
day of August
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0211

thumb and foreby held in in
her mouth; then threw her arms
around deponents neck and struck
deponent several severe blows with
her fist, Wherefor deponent asks
that she be dealt with as the
Law directs
sworn to before me } Thomas McCannick
this 22nd day of Aug 1886 }
J. Humphord
Police Justice

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

188

Magistrate

Officer

Witness,

Disposition,

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0212

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

7 District Police Court.

James Wilson being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that it is *h^{er}* right to make a statement in relation to the charge against *h^{er}*; that the statement is designed to enable *h^{er}* if *h^{er}* see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h^{er}* that *h^{er}* is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *h^{er}* waiver cannot be used against *h^{er}* on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

James Wilson

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0213

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE & c,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

20 April

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Offence

Dated

188

Magistrate.

McDonnell Officer.

Prison.

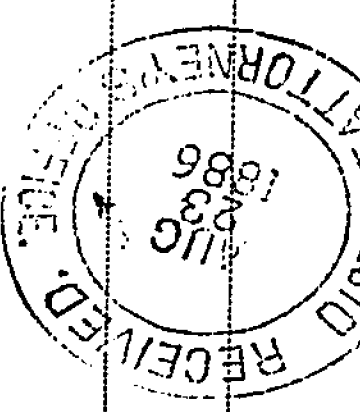
Witnesses

No. 1

Street

No.

Street



No.

Street

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to answer

No.

Street

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

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

02 14

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Jennie Widron

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

Jennie Widron

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

The said

Jennie Widron,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty second day of *August*, — in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously made an assault in and upon one

Thomas Mc Cormack,

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

apprehension of one *John A. Daly*
for the felony of assault;

and the said

Jennie Widron,

him, the said

Thomas Mc Cormack,

then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise illtreat, with intent

then and there and thereby to prevent and resist the lawful *apprehension*

of *the said John A. Daly*, as aforesaid,

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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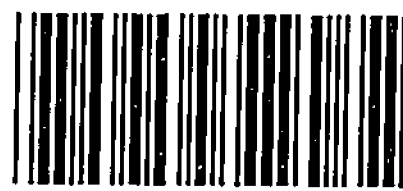
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DESCRIPTION:

Wolfzohn, Samuel

DATE:

09/22/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0216

Witnesses:

Charles Rudolph

Counsel,

John W. [Signature]

1886

Filed day of

Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs. [Signature]

[Signature]

Samuel Wolff

Grand Larceny degree
[Sections 528, 53 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Pr Equ 12/18
Head of
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. McClellan

Foreman.

See: One year.

No 472

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0217

Police Court—3d District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

I Iddor Bukoffzer
of No. 117 Orchard Street, aged 25 years,
occupation Legar maker being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 8 day of Sept., 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One silver watch and one
plated bar and gold chain
in all of the value of thirty
dollars (\$30.-)

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 Samuel Hotfsohn

(name here), from the fact that
the deponent came to deponent's
premises at the hour of ten o'clock
A.M. said day on a visit and
stayed about a half hour. And when
the deponent left said premises
he watched the aforesaid property
which was lying on the Bureau
in said room and saw away.
and for the further reason that on
Sept. 8th deponent saw the deponent coming
from deponent's room at the aforesaid
house and place where a gold
watch chain was suspending

Subscribed before me this

1886

Police Justice

0218

from the defendants hand
and leave the house.

The defendant was subsequently
arrested and fully identified
by deponent as the person
who stole his property on
the aforesaid time and place.

Sidney Banker
deponent before me of

this 10th day of Sept. 1886 }

John Homan Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

02 19

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation Peeler of No.

117 Orchard Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Isidor Botkoff
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 10

day of Sept

1886

Lt. Schrein

John J. Herman
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0220

Sec. 198—200.

9th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, { SS

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

Question What is your name?

Answer Samuel Wolfson

Question How old are you?

Answer 28 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer Germany

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

Answer Victoria Hotel Bowery

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Sign-maker

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Samuel Wolfson

Taken before me this

day of Sept 1886

John J. McNamee

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0221

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Herman
117 Orchard St.
New York

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Offence

Dated

Sept 10 1886

John J. Herman
Magistrate.

John J. Herman
Officer.

John J. Herman
Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

117 Orchard St.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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

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

Dated *Sept 10* 1886 *John J. Herman* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *John J. Herman* to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0222

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Samuel Wolfgram

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

- Samuel Wolfgram -

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

The said *Samuel Wolfgram*,

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

one watch of the value of
Twenty dollars, and one chain
of the value of Ten dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Isidor Bondage.

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

Samuel Wolfgram
Isidor Bondage

0223

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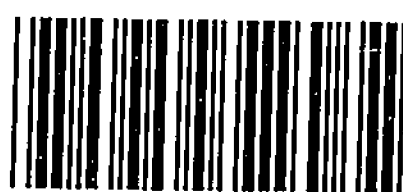
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DESCRIPTION:

Woorster, Adella M.

DATE:

09/02/86



2275

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0224

Witnesses:

Mary Anderson

Lansing Hunter

Lane Thompson

Off Evans, 3d Dist Court

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1886

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs

vs

vs

Odella M. Worcester

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Pr Oct 7/86

Y. L. P. L.

A True Bill.

Robert Macleod

Per: Sir m. Foreman.

No 189

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

02225

Police Court—

2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No.

57 West 24th St.

Street, aged 39 years,

occupation

Domestic

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

5th day of Sept

1886 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One black silk dress and 2 Chemises of the total value of Forty dollars \$40.00

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

Adella Hooster

for the following reasons, to wit: deponent left her trunk at house 137 West 76th St. where defendant lives; On the date above at 12 o'clock noon, said defendant was seen in the room with the lid of said trunk open and the defendant "rummaging" over deponent's property in said trunk, by raising & untying, therefore deponent charges said defendant with taking, stealing, and carrying away said

Sworn to before me, this

1886

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

02226

property for the reasons set
forth herein, and pray that
a warrant be issued for the
apprehension and arrest of
said Defendant, and ask
that she be dealt with as the
law directs.

May Andrew

Subscribed before me
this 6th Day of Apr 1886
Second District

Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1886
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated 1886
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1886
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

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Dated

1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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to answer

Sessions.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0227

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 31 years, occupation Cook of No. 174

174 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

knowledge

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

James Hunter

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0228

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Adella Hooster

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Adella Hooster

Question How old are you?

Answer

18 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Massachusetts

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

Answer.

122 W. 26th St 3 Mos

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Chambermaid and Waitress

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty I
do not want to say anything
about it Adella Hooster*

Taken before me this

day of

John J. ...

0229

District Police Court.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

of No. 1 West 214 Street, that on the 3 day of Sept 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit :

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

Dated at the City of New York, this 6 day of April, 1888

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

05.

Warrant—Larceny.

Date Feb 17 1888

Shirley _____
Magistrate

12-11-67
Officer

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

Deputy Assistant
Officer

Dated _____ 1888

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 2/2/77

Native of USA

Age, 18

Sex

Complexion,

Color Black

Profession, Teacher

Married

Single, Harry

Read, _____

Write,

122 R 26 51

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0230

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

Police Court 25 District 1357
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Mary Anderson
Adella Wooster
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Dated Sept 7 1886
Smith Magistrate.
Carroll Officer.
Knowing Thunten Precinct.
No. 122 West 26 Street.
No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.
\$ 500 to answer 50.
born
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated Sept 7 1886 Solow B Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0231

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Adella M. Wauden

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

- Adella M. Wauden -

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

The said *Adella M. Wauden*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid
on the *15th* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

one dress of the value of thirty
eight dollars, and two
diamonds, of the value of one
dollar each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary Anderson.

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

Frank J. B. Smith,
District Attorney

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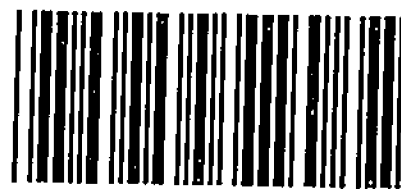
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Wright, William

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WITNESSES:

Ernestine Gortz
Off. Maryland, Const. Sec.
Sgt. Mulholland

Counsel, *W. B. Gortz*
Filed *10* day of *Sept.*, 188*6*
Pleads, *Vol. 13*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Wright

et al

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Proctor District Attorney.

Wid. & married 64 & 40 yrs.
S.P. Two years, 1st

A True Bill.

Wm. Macclay

Foreman.

Wm. Macclay

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John B. Mulholland
aged _____ years, occupation *Park Pharmacist* of No. *Abbeville* Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Crutcher*

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of *August* 188*5*

John B. Mulholland
cy Ormer
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0235

Police Court—

14 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 222 E 51 Street, aged 55 years,
occupation Married being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 15 day of August 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One gold Cased watch of the value
of thirty 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 Wright (now dead) from

the fact that on said date deponent
was walking in said park
where said property was taken
from her person, and that
deponent was and is informed
by Sergeant Mulholland, of the
Central Park Police that he arrested
said Wright and that he found
said property lying at the feet
of said Wright. Therefore deponent
charges said Wright with stealing
and carrying away said
personal property
of her.

Sworn to before me, this 16 day
of August 1886

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0236

Sec. 198-200.

14 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

William Wright

Question. How old are you?

Answer

35 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

England

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

Answer

4 East Broadway. 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

Redder

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

Answer

I am not guilty
William Wright

Taken before me, this

Day of August 1888

W. J. J. J.
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0237

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

Police Court 4 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Burke
of 222 W. 8th St.
William M. Mudgett

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence *Yakarsen*

Dated

August 16

188

No. _____

W. J. Romen

Magistrate.

No. _____

W. J. Romen

Officer.

No. _____

W. J. Romen

Precinct.

No. _____

W. J. Romen

Witnesses

No. _____

W. J. Romen

Street.

No. _____

W. J. Romen

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Street.

W. J. Romen
to answer
Ed. J.
W. J. Romen
to answer

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

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

Dated *Aug 16* 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

The People
 vs. William Wright } Court of General Sessions. Part II
 Indictment for grand larceny in the second degree } Before Judge ~~Cumby~~ ^{Hendricks} Oct. 21. 1888.
 Charles B. Hoagland sworn. I am a Park
 policeman and recollect seeing the prisoner on
 the 15th day of August. I was detailed in the monkey
 house and heard a woman halloo, "Give me back
 my watch." I ran over to see. I had not been more
 than ten feet away from him. I said, "What is
 the trouble?" She said, "This man (pointing to the
 prisoner) has got my watch." I got hold of him, and
 looking down at his feet I saw the watch lying
 alongside his feet. I asked her if it was her
 watch and she said, 'yes'. I arrested him, and
 Sergeant Mulholland, who was detailed in citizens
 clothes, ran up and we brought him into the
 station house. He went on in a great way; she
 claimed the watch. I had been watching him.
 The watch was given to her in the Police Court.
 Sergeant Mulholland brought him over to the
 Court. The prisoner had nothing to say about the
 watch; he was very nervous. I had observed
 this man an hour before. I have been on the
 Police seven years. I am detailed to look after
 pickpockets. The prisoner was working around
 in the crowd and I was watching him very
 closely; he was getting his hands close up
 to people that were walking around there.

Cross examined. The woman did not say to me and did not say at the station house that she did not know whether anybody had taken her watch or not. I did not hear her state that when she let the child down that she had been carrying she dropped the watch. I saw no child with her; she had nobody with her to my knowledge. I saw the prisoner act very peculiarly going around and pushing his hands up against their clothes. I could not state how many women he did that to. He went in and out of that monkey house three or four different times. I was watching him all the time. The complainant made the complaint at the station house. She was in no condition to make it; she was crying hysterically; she did not refuse to make the complaint; she was nervous and crying and begging to go home. I did not urge her to make the complaint, I did not tell her she must, I told her to come along with me. John B. Mulholland sworn. I am sergeant of the Park Police. I was present soon after the arrest of the prisoner on the 15th of August; he was in the building where the monkeys are kept in the Central Park; he was feeling women's dresses. I watched him at one time and saw him put his hand over on a woman's chain; he noticed me and passed on. I was in citizens

clothes. He walked over towards the complainant and stood there for some time. I heard her scream and saw the officer stoop down and pick up the watch. I did not make any entry. I walked behind him and went up stairs; she did not feel as if she wanted to make a complaint after she had her watch; she was very nervous and appeared to be shocked; so I made a complaint of an attempt to pick pockets in the manner I saw him put his hand on a watch and chain. The next day I went down to Court; he was arraigned for trial, and the watch was given to the woman by order of the Judge and a receipt taken for it. Cross examined. I was watching the prisoner before he was arrested. I saw him put his hand on the watch chain of a man but did not arrest him then. I intended, however, to arrest him. I took the woman to the station house. I did not ask her to make the complaint. I made it myself; she did not refuse to make a complaint, nor did she say, "I don't know how my watch came off. I think this child pulled it off when I let it down." She said she could not swear that the man took her watch; she said she was satisfied so long as she got her watch. She came the next morning and made the complaint; the clerk read it to her

and she signed it.

Wm. Wright, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. "I had been sick for three months and went up to the Park to get some fresh air. The room was full; people were going in and out and I was crowded in amongst them; all of a sudden a woman screamed; the policeman came and picked up the watch and looked at me and said, 'you will have to come with me' and I said, 'all right.' The policeman had the watch in his hand and the ~~sergeant~~ ^{sergeant} asked me if I had any money? I said, 'no.' He told the lady to come forward and say I stole the watch. She put up her hands and said, 'I could not say such a thing, I don't know who stole my watch.' The Sergeant said, 'he is an old thief, we have got him in the ropes' gallery. He charged me with attempting to pick pockets and I was locked up. The next morning I was brought to Court and charged with grand larceny. I did not take the watch from the lady and never saw it until the officer picked it up. I have never been arrested before.

John B. Mulholland recalled I had the watch in my possession; it was a ladies gold watch, the ring was taken off the chain; it was worth about \$40 or \$50.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of an attempt at grand larceny.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0242

Testimony in the
case of
Mr. Wright.

Filed Sept. 1886.

Court of General Sessions

The People of the
State of New York
vs.
William Wright

Sir,

You Will Please Take Notice, That
upon the indictment filed the
10th day of August 1886, and upon
all the papers and proceedings
in this action I shall move
this Court before the Honorable
Henry A. Sildersleeve at part
2, at the Court House No. 32
Chambers Street in the City
of New York on the 21st day
of October 1886 at eleven
o'clock in the forenoon of
that day or as soon thereafter
as Counsel can be heard,
for an order directing that
the indictment herein be
dismissed for want of pro-
secution, and for such other
and further relief in the prem-
ises as may be deemed

just and proper.
Dated N.Y. Oct 18. 1886.

Yours &c
N. S. M. Pheeter
Depts Atty
23 Chambers St.
N.Y. City.

To
Randolph B. Martine Esq.
District Attorney
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Court of
General Sessions
The People &c

vs
William Wright
Notice of Motion
N. S. M. Pheeter
Depts Atty
23 Chambers St.
N.Y. City

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To
Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney

Oct 21.
Part 2 ✓

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0245

20th, September, 1886 .

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney.
New York Co.

Dear Sir :

In the matter of the People against Wright,
I respectfully report as follows:

I have cited before me and examined Dr. G. J. Dieffenbach and Frederick Goetze, touching the mental condition and competency as a witness of Mrs. Ernestine Goetze, the prosecutrix. The Dr. seems to be an educated, intelligent and very respectable man. Frederick Goetze is the husband of Ernestine, and seems to be a straight-forward and upright man. They, each upon examination, separate and apart from each other, corroborated fully the allegations in their respective affidavits.

I am satisfied that the application for postponement of the trial was made in good faith by Mr. Goetze, and not upon the suggestion, nor by the act or procurement of the accused; and I think it should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

McKenzie
Asst. Dist. Atty.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0246

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK

against

Spright,

Rapport,

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0247

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Wright

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

- William Wright -

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

The said

William Wright,

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

one watch of the value of thirty

dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Emeline Tipton* -
on the person of the said *Emeline Tipton* -
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Emeline Tipton* -
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.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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SECOND COUNT—

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

- William Wright -

of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

William Wright,

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

one watch of the value of

thirty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Ernestine Tipton. -

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

Ernestine Tipton. -

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said

William Wright. -

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, taken and carried away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.