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Googherty, James B.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

J. H. C.

1885

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Robbery, (MONEY) degree. (Secs. 224 and 225, Penal Code)

James S. Fitzgerald

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Case 9 to 607 to 10/19/19

A True Bill.

J. H. C. Martine

Foreman

70 1566

27-1721 No. 1885

True & acquitted.

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

James B. Goodfellow

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

James B. Goodfellow
of the crime of ROBBERY IN THE *First* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *James B. Goodfellow*

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Charles Peterson*, from the person of the said *Charles Peterson*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Charles Peterson*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

the said James B. Goodfellow and *seven* and *three* aided and abetted *him* as accessories *adversely* present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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Apr 19
Police Court
District

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anna W. Bogherty
73 Court Street
Brooklyn

1 Anna W. Bogherty
2
3
4
Offence

Dated September 28 1885

Samuel W. Kelly
Magistrate

Witnesses
No. Street. Precinct.

No. Street.

No. Street.
\$ 25000 do answer

Signature

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

Anna W. Bogherty
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 25 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 28 1885 Samuel W. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

James B. Googherly 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

James Bernard Googherly

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Forty-one years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

11515 Washington St. One Year

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Reverend Conductor

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

Answer.

I am not guilty James B. Googherly

Taken before me this

Day of *September* 188*5*

Samuel C. McNeill Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Charles Peterson of No. 73 Duane St. Brooklyn 87 Years Occupation Post-Office Marshal being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 25 day of September 1885, at the 9th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

Bank bills of various denominations
Good and lawful money of the United States to the amount and

of the value of Seventeen DOLLARS, the property of Department

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

James H. Dougherty (now here) found two other persons, who are unknown to deponent and who have not been arrested, from the fact that about the hour of 8.30 P.M. on the above date as deponent was passing through Houston Street near West, he was attacked by the three persons above mentioned. That one of the unknown persons who has not been arrested struck deponent a violent blow on the face with his fist compelling deponent down, and while he was lying prostrate the other unknown who has not been arrested held one hand over deponent's mouth and with his other hand held deponent's right arm while the defendant Dougherty violently with one of deponent's

Sworn to before me, this day of

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Police Justice

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Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
vs.
1
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Offence—ROBBERY.

Dated 188
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witnesses,
No. Street,
No. Street,
No. Street,
\$ to answer General Sessions.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 hereinafter.

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

Shown to before me this

28 day of September 1885 Charles Peterson

Samy C. [Signature]

deponent and signing the above described property

gone away with the same

left hand pocket of the pants then & there were by

deponent and against his wife pulled elements left

hand out and thrust his, deponent's hand into the

deponent and against his wife pulled elements left

hand out and thrust his, deponent's hand into the

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Graham, Lizzie

DATE:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No. 13

Martine

Counsel,
Filed day of Oct. 1885
Pleads

Ch. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21

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

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F
Singer & Graham

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Adm. 15 to 16 80 left

A True Bill.

J. P. [Signature]

Foreman.

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Adm + a cybato.

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

Singie Fyadham

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

Singie Fyadham

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

The said *Singie,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~twenty-ninth~~ day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~five~~ *five*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Emma Adfert*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *her* the said *Emma,* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *Singie* in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and ~~with intent~~ *with intent and* feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge ~~the same~~ *the same* 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

Singie Fyadham

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

The said *Singie Fyadham,*

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 *Emma Adfert*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and to, at and against *her* the said *Emma,* a certain *pistol* then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *Singie Fyadham,* in *her* 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 shoot off and discharge ~~the same~~ *the same* against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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Police Court 54 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H. Bellamy
218 2nd
119 1st Street

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Offence *Bel. Assault*

Dated *Sept. 29* 1885

James Magistrate
3rd St - 1st St Precinct

Witnesses _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. *500* to answer *98*
Street _____

W. Lee

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 _____

Rignie Gradine

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. 29* 1885 *Wm. Lee* 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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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Lizzie Graham 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. Lizzie Graham

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Boston

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

Answer. 27 second street near a year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. house keeper

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

Lizzie Graham.

Taken before me this

day of Sept

1885

W. J. Quinn

Police Justice.

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Police Court 3d District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 21 East Second Ave Street, aged 25 years,
occupation House Keeper being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 26th day of September 1885 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Lizzie Graham
(now here) who did with fully and
feloniously assault deponent by pointing
and aiming a loaded Revolving Pistol
at her person saying at the time that
I will kill the bitch, I will shoot
the bitch, deponent further says
that said assault was committed in
said premises on said day at about
10.30 P.M.

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 29th day }
of September 1885 } Emma Heffert

My Overy Police Justice.

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Grant, James

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open Court,
Oct. 28/85
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Counsel, J. M. Chelland
Filed 9 day of Dec 1885,
Pleads, M. Kelly W

THE PEOPLE
vs. P
General Grant
(2 cases)
ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. A. Clendon

Foreman

(over)

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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

James Grant

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

James Grant

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

The said *James Grant*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *20th* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Emily Brady* in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and *then* the said *Emily Brady* did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *Emily Brady*, 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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Grant, Seth Hastings

DATE:

10/28/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No-268

Counsel,
Filed *27* day of *Oct* 188*8*
Pleads.....

[Section 69
Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Edw. Hastings

*By Mr. Lee 1888 -
And did not bail*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Sec. Rev. M. Lee

A TRUE BILL.

EV

J. A. Anderson

Foreman

W. H. C. Attorney

Witnesses:

Wm. M. Adams & G. G. G. G.

*Bailed in \$1000 by
Morris H. Lee
194 Madison Ave.*

*It appears that the
defendant pursued himself
of contempt by having ap-
peared before the Senate
Committee and answering
the questions which on a former
occasion he refused to answer.
And the object sought by
this indictment having been
fully attained - I recommend
that this indictment be dismissed
the communication by Senate
Committee herewith filed
of Nov. 30, 1885 / *Connelly*
District Attorney*

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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
Seth Hastings Grant

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York,
by this indictment, accuse Seth Hastings Grant of a misdemeanor,
committed as follows:-

H E R E T O F O R E, to wit on the thirteenth day
of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-
five, the Senate of the State of New York, being one of the bran-
ches of the Legislature of the State of New York, and one of the
houses thereof, duly adopted certain preambles and resolutions, as
follows, to wit:-

W H E R E A S, It has been alleged by citizens of
high repute that the total expense of conducting the government of
the City and County of New York during recent years has been as
large in one year as \$40,649,897, or $\$36.\frac{26}{100}$ per capita, an amount
which is two thirds of the aggregate cost of governing all the States
of the Union; and

W H E R E A S, such annual expense has been increasing
and the City debt is equal to about half the debt of all the States
in the Union; and

W H E R E A S, such debt has not of late years re-
presented any substantial or permanent public improvements, but in-
stead thereof has been occasioned for temporary and current pur-
poses; and

W H E R E A S, This increase of annual expenditure
is not chargeable to any one particular department, officer, or

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bureau of municipal affairs, but this apparently the result of official action, or expenses in many ^{if not} or in all of them; and

WHEREAS, there is alleged to be a great discrepancy in the ratio of municipal expenses in proportion to population between New York and brooklyn, the latter not exceeding \$12. per capita and New York \$30. per capita; and

WHEREAS, While the credit of the City is justly high, yet its three per cent stock redeemable in five, ten, fifteen or twenty years, according to bidders option, could not be sold for school building purposes when offered by the Comptroller in October, 1884; and

WHEREAS, Notwithstanding the excessive expenditure and debts, the Mayor of Said City has stated before the Senate Committee on Cities that money is yet required for municipal purposes, such as for sewers, for public schools, and for other necessary public improvements, which it was claimed, the finances of the City could not afford; and

WHEREAS, In the Mayor's message of February 1885, it is stated that nearly eight thousand children were unable to gain admission to the public schools in 1884, for lack of room, while there are, it is estimated from the census, upwards of twenty five thousand children of school age in said City for whom there are no public school accomodation whatsoever; and

WHEREAS, The population in the City of New York is believed to be taxed to a greater extend, per capita for governmental purposes than any population under any civilized government and the interest of the City and State require that some efficient remedy shall be devised and applied towards reducing the

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SENATE OF NEW YORK CITY AND COUNTY

current expenses of administering New York City and County affairs, and of reducing its taxes, and of extinguishing its debts, and of ascertaining for the information and future action of the Legislature the practical operation of the recent Constitutional amendment in limitation of City debts; and

W H E R E A S, during the sessions of the Legislature there is neither time nor opportunity to make appropriate inquiries and prepare intelligent legislation founded upon the necessary investigations; therefore

R E S O L V E D, that a committee of five Senators be appointed by the President of the Senate to investigate the government of the City and County of New York and all its officers, bureaus and departments with power to send for persons and papers, and to report in relation thereto, with such recommendations as in their judgment the public interests may require; that said committee is authorized to employ a stenographer and such counsel, accountants and experts as it may deem necessary to make such investigation through and effective, and shall report on the second Tuesday of January, 1886.

R E S O L V E D, that said committee is authorized to sit in the City of New York and conduct the investigation specified in the foregoing resolution during the recess of the Senate with the same power and authority it would have were the Senate in session.

And after the adoption of the said resolutions, and before the day hereinafter mentioned the President of the said Senate, by virtue of the authority so conferred upon him by the said

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resolutions, and in pursuance thereof did duly appoint Frederick S. Gibbs, Dennis Mc Carthy, Albert C. Comstock, James Daly and George W. Plunkitt, being Senators and members of the Legislature of the State of New York, as such committee, for the purposes and with the powers mentioned in the said resolutions, whereupon the said Frederick S. Gibbs, Dennis Mc Carthy, Albert C. Comstock, James Daly and George W. Plunkitt, became and were duly constituted members of the said committee so as aforesaid duly appointed in pursuance of the said resolutions, and at the time hereinafter mentioned were a committee of the said Senate of the State of New York, being one of the houses of the Legislature of the State of New York, and a committee thereof duly authorized to summon witnesses.

A N D thereafter, to wit; on the fifteenth day of October in the year aforesaid the said Seth Hastings Grant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid was present as a witness before the said committee at a session thereof then and there duly held under and by virtue of the resolutions aforesaid and a certain material and proper question was then and there duly propounded by the said committee to the said Seth Hastings Grant as follows, to wit:-

Q Tell us what those transactions were?

And the said Seth Hastings Grant, being then and there present before the said committee and the said material and proper question having been then and there duly propounded to him by the said committee as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there wilfully refuse to answer the same, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the Peace of the People

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RESOLUTIONS: AND TO BALANCE THE BUDGET AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE DEBT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Martine,

District Attorney.

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Amos Ritchie Woodford

18 Wall Street

WILIAM H. ARNOUX.
THOMAS C. RITCHIE.
STEWART L. WOODFORD.

HALEY FISKE.
C. N. DOVE, JR.
W. H. C. WALLACE.

New York, Oct. 31st 1885.

Dear Sir:

Owing to the funeral
of General M. C. Cullen, at which
he will assist, Mr. Jessup cannot
be at your office at 10 am. but
he will be there at 12 noon, on
Monday.

Yours very truly:

Wm. H. Arnoux
W.

Hon. R. B. Martin.

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Amour, Ritch & Woodford.

18 Wall Street.

WILLIAM H. ANNOUX,
THOMAS G. RITCH,
STEWART L. WOODFORD.

HALEY FISKE,
C. H. DOVE, JR.,
W. C. WALLACE.

New York, Oct. 29, 1885

An. Randolph S. Martine
Circuitly atty. at L. of Wash D.C.

Dear Sir: Referring to the conversation
had with you this morning by Judge
Annoux and myself, I beg to con-
firm what was then said by me,
viz: - that I am ready and willing
to appear before the Senate Inves-
tigating Committee, and make reply
to all such questions as they may
deem to ask with reference either to
my official or private affairs.

I had already written a note to the
Committee to this effect, which has not been
sent, a fact which I stated this day to their
Counsel Mr. Miller. Yours truly
A. Martine

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No-268—

The People

vs

J. Hastings Grant

From Alfred R. Gibbs
15 Park Place
City.

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Stenographic Copy,

New York City—

Aldermanic Chamber,

Thursday, Oct 15/85.

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: Hon Fred^d S. Gibbs, Chairman

" Dennis McCarthy

" Albert C. Conislock

" James Daly.

John H. Strahan^{Esq} appears as Counsel to the Committee.

S. Hastings Grant a witness called by the Counsel to the committee, being duly sworn testifies as follows.

Examined by Mr Strahan.

- Q Where do you reside
A In New York City
Q What is your business now
A I am Vice President of a bank
Q You were Comptroller up to the 10th of Dec last
A Yes Sir
Q Will you tell me the date you were appointed Comptroller
A I think it was the 5th of Aug 1883

xxxx

- Q At the time of your appointment as comptroller had you any relations with Ferdinand Ward, who was one of your sureties
A I cannot say that I had any relations with

Him, No Sir

Q Any business relations — any business transactions

A I hadn't had any business transactions with him for 10 years

Q Were any of those pending at the time when you were appointed Comptroller of the city of New York

A They were pending, and are still

Q Was you indebted to him at that time

A I was indebted at that time

Q Can you tell the amount, please

A I was indebted — I don't know how far my private relations with Mr Ward are a matter that relate to my duties as Comptroller at all. I acknowledge the fact that I was indebted to him, and am still

By the Chairman. The Chair understands that it is the duty of this Committee to inquire into this matter for the purpose of framing legislation. I suppose the idea of Counsel was in asking that question for the purpose of finding out what relation those transactions bore to the finance department

A None at all

Q What relations were there between them

A There were none, they were private matters and have nothing to do with my

official business

Q Can you tell the amount, please —
what was the amount

By the Chairman. Unless instructed otherwise by the Committee the Chair will have to rule that that is a pertinent question before the committee, and directs you to answer

a I decline to answer

By the Chairman. You decline to answer

a Yes Sir

Q Had you any relations in which Ward and you were jointly interested during the period you were Comptroller of the City

a During a portion of that period I had.

Q Tell us what those transactions were

a They were of a private nature and had nothing to do with my official duty

Q Required money, did it not, to carry them out

a It would require money in the outset

Q Was it that money furnished by Ward

a It was furnished by him personally

Q You still decline to answer the question as to those transactions

a They are private matters and have nothing to do with my official relations to the office of Comptroller. I am willing that individuals should know all, but as to giving them here I decline to do it

By the chairman. This inquiry is leading up to the fact that Mr Ward, whom you had those transactions with, was one of your bondsmen, and he was one of the directors of the Marine bank, and, through the Marine Bank the city has lost money, and the Chair directs you to answer

The Witness. I decline to answer, on the ground it was a private matter and had nothing to do with my official relations xxx

9 Mr Grant, Considering the fact that the Chamberlain was a director in the Marine Bank, and that he was upon your bond, and that the deposits in this bank increased from the time you went in as Comptroller from \$241,000 up to \$1,600,000 do you still refuse to answer the question — Considering the further fact, that you sold largely of the bonds of the city, its Revenue bonds, issued by you, at your own discretion, at a rate of interest in excess of the amount that was received by the City from the bank, and that these bonds were on repeated occasions paid for by checks drawn on the Marine Bank, do you still refuse to answer the question as to your relations with Mr Ward, who evidently controlled both the bonds and the deposits

a I refuse to answer any question as to my relations with him

q As to your business transactions with him

a I had personal relations with him and was indebted to him

q You had transactions during the period that these deposits were thus continued in that bank

a Yes Sir

q And during the time you were selling those bonds

a Yes Sir

q And you continue to refuse to answer to the Committee as to the nature of these transactions

a I was indebted to him. The nature of the transactions —

q No, that is not the question, You refuse to answer the question as to what the nature of those transactions were, Is that so

a They were entirely private

q Do you refuse to answer

a I refuse to bring my private matters before the public

q I wish you would give an answer to that question

a I decline, I do decline

By the chairman. The chair directs you to answer

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that question, because he thinks it a
pertinent subject before the committee.
The witness. I declined to answer it.

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State of New York,
Senate Chamber.

New York

Albany Nov. 29th 1885.

Hon. Randolph B. Martin.

District Attorney

Dear Sir,

Mr. S. Masting Grant having purged himself of his contempt by voluntarily appearing before the Senate Committee and answering the questions which on a former occasion he had refused to answer, the Committee has no desire to press Mr. Grant's trial and its members are willing that the indictment should be "Nolle prosequi" if you deem it advisable and proper.

Yours truly,
Fred. C. C. C. C.
Chairman.

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Green, William

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No-288

Day of Trial, *J. P. [unclear]*
Counsel, *J. P. [unclear]*
Filed *29* day of *Oct* 188*8*
Pleads *McClary Co*

Selling Lottery Policies, etc. [Section 344, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs. *B*

William Figgan
no. 12 road

Randolph B. Martin
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]
Foreman.

Dec 24/87

Paul Gully
not read. FY

Witnesses:

Dennis Deane
Inspector Steers

Upon a full examination into the particulars of this case, I am convinced that the interests of justice will be satisfied by the imposition of a light fine; I recommend that, if defendant plead guilty, punishment be restricted thereto

see copy

Randolph B. Martin

not at all

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

William Green

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

William Green

of the crime of "Selling to another what is commonly known as a Lottery Policy," committed as follows :

The said *William Green*,

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the *twenty second* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

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

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71-24-14 *J 207-*
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20-41-52 *3*

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

William Green

of the crime of "Selling to others what are commonly called Lottery Policies," committed as follows :

The said *William Green*,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler ; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to divers persons (whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), certain instruments and writings, commonly called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

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

William Green

of the crime of "Selling a paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a Lottery," committed as follows :

The said William Green,

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the twenty second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

Dennis O'Rourke

a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper and writing is as follows, that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper and writing is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT---

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

William Green

of the crime of "Selling a writing, paper and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a Lottery," committed as follows :

The said William Green,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler ; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and

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County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

Dennis Deane,

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows. that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

~~**PETER B. O'NEIL,**~~

District Attorney.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Wm Green

Policy

To be tried in

Part 1 - on 20th

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Tom Parker

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No. 289 11/10/94

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William DeLozier

155 W. 24th St

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Offence *Violating*

Dated *Oct 24* 188*5*

Magistrate *Green*
Officer *Green*
Precinct *100*

Witnesses

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ *500* to answer

Green
Green

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

William Green

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 *Oct 24* 188*5* *John Hennessy* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *William Green*

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *Oct 25* 188*5* *John Hennessy* Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Green*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *49 East 27 Street, 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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 Green

Taken before me this

day of

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William Green
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

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

Police Court, Fifth District.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff, or any Deputy Sheriff or Peace Officer of the County of New York, or to any Marshal, Constable 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 Anthony Peruchetti of 150 Nassau St and Dennis O'Connor of No. 125 West 24th Street, charging that on the 22nd day of October 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York that the crime of Selling what is commonly called lottery policy

has been committed, and accusing John Doe whose real name is unknown but who can be identified thereof.

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, Deputy Sheriffs, Peace Officers, Marshals, Constables and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the Fifth 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 24th day of October 1885

John Florman POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Peruchetti
Dennis O'Connor

vs.

John Doe

Warrant-General.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

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

Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, Oct 24

Native of _____

Age, _____

Sex, _____

Complexion, _____

Color, _____

Profession, _____

Married, _____

Single, _____

Read, _____

Write, _____

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City and County of New York, ss:

In the name of the People of the State of New York:

To any Peace Officer in the City and County of New York:

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me, by Anthony Courbois of 150 Nassau Street and Samin O'Connor of 25 West 24th Street, New York City, that there is probable cause for believing that John Doe whose real name is unknown but who can be identified,

has in his possession, at, in and upon certain premises occupied by him and situated and known as the north west corner of fourth Avenue and east 27th Street, third door from fourth Avenue in said City of New York certain and divers device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings, papers and documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, books and other documents for the purpose of enabling others to sell lottery policies and other writings, papers and documents, black-boards and gaming tables, with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense.

YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED, at any time of the day or night-time to make immediate search on the person of the said John Doe William Green at the northwest corner of fourth Avenue and east 27th Street, third door and in the building situate and known as number four fourth Avenue aforesaid, for the following property, to wit: all Faro layouts, all Roulette Wheels and layouts, all Rouge et Noir, or Red and Black layouts, all gaming tables, all chips, all packs of cards, all dice, all deal boxes, all lottery policies, all lottery tickets, all circulars, all writings, all papers, all documents in the nature of bets and wagers, or insurance upon the drawings, or drawn numbers of a lottery, all books all documents for the purpose of enabling others to gamble or sell lottery policies, all black-boards, all slips or drawn numbers of a lottery, all money to gamble with, and all device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes.

And if you find the same, or any part thereof, to bring it forthwith before me at the First District Police Court at the Fourth in Centre Street in the City of New York.

Dated at the City of New York, the 24th day of October, 1885

John Florman

POLICE JUSTICE.



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Inventory of property taken by Inspector Peters the Peace Officer by whom this warrant was executed :

Faro layouts, Roulette Wheels, Roulette layouts, Rouge et Noir layouts, gaming tables, 3 chips, packs of cards, dice, deal boxes, deal trays for holding chips, cue boxes, markers, or tally cards, ivory balls, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings, papers, 3 black boards, 2 slips, or drawn numbers in policy, money, manifold books, slates,

1 Small envelope of Policy Drawings
1 Bundle Policy Manifold book & loose papers
2 Trises
1 Box for Europe game
3 Gaming tables
2 Slab Blackboards

City of New York and County of New York ss:

1. Inspector Peters the Officer by whom this warrant was executed,

do swear that the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of October 1887 } Henry J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

Police Court--- 1st District.

Search Warrant.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Dennis Clonan and
Anthony Comstock,

Dated 1887

Justice.

Officer.

POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Demetri Connor

VS.

Wm. Green,

LOTTERY AND POLICY.

Dated..... 188

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

Bailed, \$

to answer..... Sessions.

By.....

Street.....

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY OF *New York* COUNTY OF *New York* } ss.
New York AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Dennis O'Connor ^{125 West 24th} of ~~150 Nassau~~ Street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that ~~he has just cause to believe and does believe that~~ *William Green* here present

did, on ~~or about~~ the *24th* day of *October*, 1885, at number *49 east* *27th* street, in the City of *New York* and County of *New York* unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and which said paper or instrument hereto annexed is what is commonly known as, or are called lottery *policy* and further that the said,

William Green had in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and known as number *East 27th* street, in the City of *New York* and County of *New York* aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and had in *his* possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this *14th* day of *October* 1885

John J. Conner
Police Justice.

D. O. Conner

CITY OF _____ COUNTY OF _____ } ss.

_____ day of _____ being duly sworn further deposes and says, that on the _____ 1885, aforesaid, he called at the place of business of _____ aforesaid, at the said premises _____ and there purchased the said paper, ticket and instrument, purporting to be what is commonly called a lottery _____ as annexed to foregoing affidavit, under the following circumstances to wit: Deponent there saw the said _____ and had conversation with _____ in substance as follows.
Deponent said,

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Day of Trial, _____
Counsel, J. H. Smith
Filed 29 day of Oct 1885
Pleads Not Guilty

Selling Lottery Policies, etc.
[Section 344, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE
vs.
William Spear
(2 cases)

THE PEOPLE
vs. William Spear
Dist. Atty. [Signature]
Dist. Atty.

A True Bill.
[Signature] Foreman
Dec 2/85
[Signature] Clerk
[Signature] Secy

Witnesses:
[Signature] Secy
Inspector Steers

The defendant within named having
on this date pleaded guilty & been
sentenced upon another indictment
I recommend that, if he pleads guilty,
his sentence be suspended by the
court.
Dec 20/85
[Signature] R. Martine
Dist. Atty.

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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 Fagan

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

William Fagan

of the crime of "Selling to another what is commonly known as a Lottery Policy," committed as follows :

The said *William Fagan*,

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

Dennis Connor

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

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

William Fagan

of the crime of "Selling to others what are commonly called Lottery Policies," committed as follows :

The said *William Fagan*,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to divers persons (whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), certain instruments and writings, commonly called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against 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

William Green
of the crime of "Selling a paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a Lottery," committed as follows :

The said William Green,

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the Twenty fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

Dennis Rowan
a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper and writing is as follows, that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper and writing is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT—

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

William Green
of the crime of "Selling a writing, paper and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a Lottery," committed as follows :

The said William Green,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and

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County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one Dennis
Dennis,

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows. that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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

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Police Court 1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Green,
125 W. 24th

1 William Green

Offence Viol Lottery Law

Dated Oct 24 1885

Magistrate
Inspector Green
Precinct P. O.

Witnesses

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street
to answer

Street

BAILLED,
Cornelius Campbell

No. 1, by Pettie

Residence 220 W 28th Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence 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

William Green

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 Oct 24 1885

Police Justice.

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

Dated Oct 28 1885

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

William Green

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Green*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *49 E 27 Street 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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 Green

Taken before me this

day of *Dec* 188*5*

William Green
Police Justice.

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City Court and State of New York, ss. Anthony Courstons being
 duly sworn, further says, that William Green
 here present is the one known and described
 as John Doe in the written Complaint
 subscribed and sworn to before me
 this 24th day of October 1888
 J. P. [Signature]
 Police Justice.

Anthony Courstons

POLICE COURT - 1st DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Samuel P. [Signature]

Anthony Courstons

vs.

John Doe
William Green

LOTTERY AND POLICY.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

Anthony Courstons

Samuel P. [Signature]

125 West 44th St.

Bailed, \$

to [Signature]

Sessions.

By

Street.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.
New York AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Dennis O'Connor of 125 West 24th St

that he has just cause to believe and does believe that John Doe ^{is} ~~is~~ ^{an} ~~an~~ ^{unknown} but who can be identified by deponent did, on or about the 22nd day of October, 1885, at ~~number~~ ^{the building situated} and known as the north west corner of East 27th street and fourth Avenue street, in the City of New York and County of New York unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and which said paper or instrument hereto annexed is what is commonly known as, or are called lottery policies and further that the said, John Doe

William Green

has in his possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by him and situated and known as the north west corner of East 27th street and fourth Avenue street, in the City of New York and County of New York, aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in his possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this 24th day of October 1885

John Gorman
Police Justice.

D. O. Connor

CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.

Dennis O'Connor

being duly sworn further deposes and says, that on the 22nd day of October, 1885, aforesaid, he called at the place of business of the said John Doe William Green aforesaid, at the said premises North West corner of East 27th street and fourth Avenue and there purchased the said paper, ticket and instrument, purporting to be what is commonly called a lottery policies as annexed to foregoing affidavit, under the following circumstances to wit: Deponent there saw the said John Doe

William Green and had conversation with him in substance as follows. Deponent said,

give me a gig in both lotteries, twenty, fourteen and thirty-five one gig, seven one, twenty four, fourteen one gig for two and a half dollars, then I said give me four and forty-one Capital saddle for four dollars, then I said, give me another straight gig twenty, forty-one and fifty-two for three dollars, as Deponent called out these numbers the said John Doe recorded the same upon his manifold book and then wrote the same upon the suppressed paper and handed same to deponent and deponent paid him the said John Doe, the sum of the same.

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CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.
AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Dennis O'Connor of 125 West 24th Street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has just cause to believe and does believe that John Doe whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by deponent did, on or about the 22nd day of October, 1885, at the building situated at the north west corner of East 27th Street and Fourth Avenue street, in the City of New York and County of New York unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and which said paper or instrument hereto annexed is what is commonly known as, or are called lottery policy and further that the said, John Doe

William Green

has in his possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by him and situated and known as the north west corner of East 27th Street and Fourth Avenue street, in the City of New York and County of New York, aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in his possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this 24th day of October 1885
John Gorman
Police Justice.

D. O. Connor

CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.

Dennis O'Connor being duly sworn further deposes and says, that on the 22nd day of October, 1885, aforesaid, he called at the place of business of the said John Doe William Green aforesaid, at the said premises North West corner of East 27th Street and Fourth Avenue and there purchased the said paper, ticket and instrument, purporting to be what is commonly called a lottery policy as annexed to foregoing affidavit, under the following circumstances to wit: Deponent there saw the said John Doe and had conversation with him in substance as follows.

Deponent said, give me a gig in both lotteries, twenty, fourteen and thirty-five one gig, seven, one, twenty four, fourteen and one gig for two and a half dollars, then I said, give me four and forty-one Capital saddle for four dollars, then I said, give me another straight gig twenty, forty-one and fifty two for three dollars,
as Deponent called out these numbers the said John Doe recorded the same upon his manifold book and then wrote the same upon the supposed paper and handed same to deponent and deponent gave him the said John Doe, the sum of the sums.

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CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Dennis O'Connor of 125 West 24th Street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has just cause to believe and does believe that John Doe whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by deponent did, on or about the 22nd day of October, 1885, at the building situated at the north west corner of East 27th Street and Fourth Avenue street, in the City of New York and County of New York unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and which said paper or instrument hereto annexed is what is commonly known as, or are called lottery policy and further that the said, John Doe

William Green has in his possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by him and situated and known as the north west corner of East 27th Street and Fourth Avenue street, in the City of New York and County of New York, aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in his possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of October 1885
John J. Conner
Police Justice.

D. O. Connor

CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.

Dennis O'Connor being duly sworn further deposes and says, that on the 22nd day of October, 1885, aforesaid, he called at the place of business of the said John Doe William Green aforesaid, at the said premises North West corner of East 27th Street and Fourth Avenue and there purchased the said paper, ticket and instrument, purporting to be what is commonly called a lottery policy as annexed to foregoing affidavit, under the following circumstances to wit: Deponent there saw the said John Doe and had conversation with him in substance as follows. Deponent said, "give me a gig in both lotteries, twenty, fourteen and thirty-five one gig, seven one, twenty four, fourteen and one gig for two and a half dollars, then I said, give me four and forty-one Capital saddle for four dollars, then I said, give me another straight gig twenty, forty-one and fifty two for three dollars, as Deponent called out these numbers he said John Doe recorded the same upon his manifold book and then wrote the same upon the annexed paper and handed same to deponent and deponent gave him the said John Doe, the part of the facts.

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Deponent saw other persons purchase what are commonly called lottery tickets of the said John Doe, and saw the said John Doe sell the same, and also saw in possession of the said John Doe divers and sundry books, papers, blackboards, apparatus and paraphernalia for gambling and for selling lottery tickets, and Deponent further says upon the 23rd day of October 1885, he further also saw in said possession of said John Doe, divers and sundry papers, apparatus and paraphernalia, in the possession of the said John Doe, being kept and used for gambling purposes, and with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense. Where Deponent prays that the said John Doe may be arrested and dealt with according to law and that a search warrant may issue to search for and seize all of said books, papers, paraphernalia and apparatus as aforesaid.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of October 1885

J. O. Connor

POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

VS.

John Dorman
 POLICE JUDGE
 LOTTERY AND POLICE

Dated..... 1885

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

Bailed, \$

to answer

to answer

By

Street.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY OF *New York* COUNTY OF *New York* } ss.
AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Anthony Bourstock of 150 Nassau Street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has just cause to believe and does believe ~~the deponents information and belief being based upon their affidavits of Dennis O'Connor hereto annexed, and that John Doe, whose real name is unknown, but who can be identified did, on or about the 22nd day of October, 1885, at number 150 building and premises situated upon its north west corner of East 27th street and Fourth Avenue into third door front front Avenue leading into said premises and building~~ knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and which said paper or instrument hereto annexed is what is commonly known as, or are called lottery *policy* and further that the said *John Doe*

John Doe
William Green

has in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him*, and situated and ~~the north west corner of East 27th street and Fourth Avenue, the third door entering~~ known as ~~number~~ *into said building from 4th Avenue* street, in the City of *New York* and County of *New York* aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in *his* possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided, *and with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense*

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this *24th* day of *October* 1885
John Norman
Police Justice.

Anthony Bourstock

CITY OF _____ COUNTY OF _____ } ss.

~~the said premises purporting to be what is commonly called a lottery under the following circumstances to wit: Deponent there saw the said Deponent said, and had conversation with _____ in substance as follows.~~

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FOLDER:

1937

DESCRIPTION:

Griese, Henry

DATE:

10/13/85



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Witnesses:

~~It is the duty of the witness to testify to the truth of the facts of the case of death of~~
~~the defendant is impossible to secure the at-~~

tendance of Michael Haag
a material and necessary witness for
the People and without whose evidence
a conviction cannot be had, I there-
fore respectfully recommend that the

defendant herein Henry
Kriese

be
discharged on his own recognizance, or
his bail released from further liability.
N. Y., September 7, 1887.

Vernon M. Davis,
District Attorney.

No. 13
Counsel, H. A. Repper.
Filed 13 day of Oct 1885
Pleads, Not Guilty.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Henry Kriese
ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. A. McClellan
Foreman
Sept 12/87
Paul G. Dechamps

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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

Dewey Fiquese

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

Dewey Fiquese

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

The said *Dewey Fiquese*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *19th* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Michael Daag* in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and *in* the said *Michael Daag*, did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *Michael Daag* 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0603

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of
Michael Haag
vs.
Harry Greise
Offense: _____

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of
Jos. H. Driscoll
Sheriff
Certificate of Death.
Failure to Find Witness.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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If dead ascertain when & where he died.

PART I

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK. If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue. Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York

To *Michael Haag*
of No. *139 Ludlow*

died July 13 1886
P. J. Hoellerer
124th Street, Bell

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *18* day of *August* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

Henry Griese

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the *16* day of *August* 188*7*, I called at *No. 139 Ludlow Street*

the alleged residence of *Michael Haag*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the man in charge of *P. J. Hoellerer's Undertaking place* that the said *Haag* was formerly employed there as *stableman and driver* and that the said *Michael Haag* died on *July 13. 1886* in *Belleve Hospital*.

Sworn to before me, this *17* day of *August*, 188*7*

Randolph L. Schaff

Just. Driscoll

Subpoena Server.

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

PEOPLE

vs. Griesse

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

of New York, ss.:

James H. Driscoll being duly sworn

I reside at No. 29 City Hall Place

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 16 day of August 1887

I called at No. 139 Ludlow Street

the alleged residence of Michael Haag

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the man in charge of P. J. Hoellerer's Undertaking place that the said Haag was formerly employed there as stableman and driver and that the said Michael Haag died on July 13. 1886 in Bellevue Hospital.

Sworn to before me, this 17 day of August, 1887

Rudolph L. Schaff

James H. Driscoll Subpoena Server.

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS, N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

Sworn to before me, this day of 1887

being duly sworn, deposes and says he Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

1887, by on the day of

Notary Public

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Liber 24
No. 2630

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

Sanitary Bureau, Vital Statistics:
Office, 301 MOTT STREET.

New York, August 18th 1887.

A TRANSCRIPT FROM THE RECORD OF DEATHS
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NAME OF DECEASED			DATE OF DEATH			AGE OF DECEASED				
			MONTH	DAY	YEAR	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS		
<i>Michael Haag</i>			<i>July</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1886</i>	<i>22</i>	—	—		
COLOR	CONDITION	OCCUPATION	BIRTHPLACE			HOW LONG RESIDENT IN CITY				
		<i>Driver</i>	<i>Bavaria</i>			<i>6</i>	—	—		
PLACE OF DEATH			FATHER'S BIRTHPLACE			MOTHER'S BIRTHPLACE				
<i>Homoepathic Hospital</i> No. <i>12th</i> WARD.			<i>Bavaria</i>			<i>Bavaria</i>				
CAUSE OF DEATH						TIME FROM ATTACK TILL DEATH				
<i>Acute Alcoholism, Cerebral Congestion</i>						YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	HOURS	MIN'TS
PLACE OF BURIAL			UNDERTAKER			MEDICAL ATTENDANT				
<i>Lutheran</i>			<i>J. Haellner</i>			<i>J. M. Stagg</i>				
<i>John T. Hoyle</i> Deputy Registrar of Records.						<i>C. Goldman</i> Chief Clerk.				
<i>A True Copy,</i>										

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Police Court— 34 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 139 Ludlow Street, aged 20 years,
occupation Shoemaker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 19 day of Sept, 1885 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York,

he was violently **ASSAULTED** and **BEATEN** by Henry Giese
(New York) who struck this deponent
across the forehead with
a stick which he deposed out there
and then held in his hand

without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this 20 day of Sept, 1885 } Harold Haag
} H. Haag

Sam'l O'Reilly Police Justice

0600

BAILED,

No. 1, by Samuel Space

Residence 40 Greeland Street.

No. 2, by

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by

Residence _____ Street.

No. 90-1-1 996
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Hoag
139 1/2 Stuyvesant
Henry Grieve

Offence Assault

Dated Sept 20 1885

W. H. Smith Magistrate

M. H. Smith Officer.

10 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 500 to answer to

Smith Smith

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

Henry Grieve

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 20 1885 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____

defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated September 20 1885 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

_____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Henry Griese 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. Henry Griese

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 84 Allen street 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Porter

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

Answer. I am guilty of striking the man but I acted in self defence he kicked at me first I demand a trial by Jury.
Henry Griese

Taken before me this

day of Sept

1885

Samuel P. Kelly

Police Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Gross, Jacob

DATE:

10/14/85



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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

Jacobs Ferguson

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

of the CRIME OF *Employing and causing to be employed, and sending a child in violation* committed as follows:

The said *Jacobs Ferguson*,

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

did unlawfully employ and cause to be employed, and did unlawfully use one named Ferguson, who was then and there a child apparently and actually under the age of fifteen years, to wit: of the age of thirteen years, in violation, against the peace and dignity of the said People.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said *Jacobs Ferguson* of the Crime of procuring and consenting to the employment of a child in violation, committed as follows:

The said *Jacobs Ferguson*, late of the said Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid

of the Ward. City and County of ...
 then and there a parent, to wit: the father
 of one Samuel Agass who was then and
 there a child under the age of sixteen years,
 to wit: of the age of thirteen years, and as
 such parent then and there having the care
 custody and control of the said Samuel
 Agass, did unlawfully procure, and consent
 to the employment of the said Samuel
 Agass in peddling: against the peace
 and dignity of the said People.

Randolph B. Martin,
 District Attorney

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THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpcena is disobeyed an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this subpcena with you ~~to the~~ *to the* Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known. *587*
[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPCENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To *Samuel Gross*

of No. *65 Canal* Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *14* day of *Sept* instant, at the hour of Ten in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf against

Jacob Gross

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *Sept* in the year of our Lord 1888.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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2nd Clotts Avenue

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Court of General Sessions, PART 2

Quinn

THE PEOPLE

vs.

For

INDICTMENT

Jacob Gross

To

M. Israel Lipsky

No.

42 1/2 Grand

Street,

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for Local at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on Friday the 14 day of September instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time your bond will be forfeited.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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J. Lipsky
402 1/2 Grand St
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~~3 years ago~~

Moved
from this
address. Same
3 years ago
present address.
Not known
to this office
Deubert

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Jacob Gross.
65. Canal
2nd hand clothing

Moved from
this address
over 3 years
ago
Dyubert
Sept 13/88

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Court of General Sessions, PART 2

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Jacob Gross.

For

INDICTMENT

To
M *Jacob Gross.*
No. *65.* Canal Street,

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on the day of instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time your bond will be forfeited.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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No. 11-293
Police Court-1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry C. Stickin
Sept 23

Jacob Gross

Offence Guilty to
Childs

Date Sept 5 1885

S. C. Bell Magistrate.

Stickin Officer.

J. P. G. G. Precinct.

Witnesses
Samuel Bayliss Street.

No. 1365 Street.

SEP 5 1885

No. 100 Street.
to answer Ans.

Bailed

BAILED

No. 100 Street.

Residence 420 1/2 Grand Street.

No. 2, by _____ Street.

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____ Street.

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____ Street.

Residence _____ 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

Samuel Bayliss guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of One Hundred Dollars 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 5 1885 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Samuel Bayliss to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto appended.

Dated Sept 5 1885 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Jacob Gross

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. *Jacob Gross*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *46 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia Poland*

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

Answer. *65 Canal St About 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Secondhand clothes*

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 I demand a trial by jury

Jacob Gross
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Samuel C. McNeill Police Justice.

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(W)

POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN



James C. Sturges
James C. Sturges

DATED *Sept 5* 1885

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

Witnesses:

E. Fellows Jenkins, Supt.

100 East 23d Street.

Disposition:

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Second,

District Police Court.

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

Henry C. Stocking
of Number 100 East 23^d Street being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 1st day of September, 1885, at the
City of New York, in the County of New York, one Jacob Gross

"now present" having the care, custody, and
control as parent & guardian of a certain
child called, Samuel Gross said child,
then and there being actually and appar-
ently under the age of sixteen years, to wit:
of the age of thirteen years, did employ and
cause to be employed, and did use, and did
consent to the employment of said child in
peddling on the public streets to wit on West
14th Street, in said city, in violation of
Section 292 of the Penal Code of the State
of New York as amended.

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said

Jacob Gross,

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 5th
day of September 1885

Henry C. Stocking

Samuel C. Reilly
Police Justice.

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE

AGAINST

Jacob Gross.

PENAL CODE, §

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

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

The People
v.
Jacob Gross.

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE.

The prisoner is indicted under § 202 of the Penal Code, as the parent of Samuel Gross, a boy aged 13 years, for using and employing the latter in peddling. The prisoner is a tailor and well able to support himself and family, but prefers making an additional revenue by sending some of his children out to peddle which the law forbids.

EVIDENCE.

HENRY W. STOCKING: - Is an officer of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. On September 1, 1885, at 2.30 P.M., while in West 14 Street, he saw the boy Samuel Gross aged 13, peddling envelopes and paper. Had previously seen the boy engaged in this occupation and cautioned him not to beg, and had sent him home for so doing. The boy was soliciting people by holding the envelopes and paper out to passers-by, and the witness saw him sell them to several people on that day and saw him receive money therefor. He saw one lady pay him a five cent nickel, and saw money handed to the boy for envelopes. He heard the boy solicit the lady to buy, and the boy had the envelopes in his hand and held them up to her. He arrested the boy and then

investigated the case. Found that the father (the prisoner) was living at 65 Canal Street, and was a tailor by trade. That he was well to do and had quite a family of young children. That another son was sent out to beg in the same way. On the proceedings before the Police Magistrate witness was in court and heard the prisoner asked this question by the Magistrate, "Did you send him (Samuel Gross, the child in question) out to peddle?" to which the prisoner replied, "Never before. I can support him and am willing to support him."

E. FELLOWS JENKINS: - Superintendent of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Knows this boy Samuel Gross and has repeatedly seen him on the streets peddling, soliciting persons to buy envelopes &c.

The boy Samuel Gross should be produced from the Juvenile Asylum and exhibited to the Court and jury, without being sworn as a witness, to show that he is apparently under the age of 16 years, in order to bring the case within Penal Code § 19.

The official record of examination of the prisoner and his answer as to what he had to say should be read in evidence for the People. The answer "Never before" concedes the sending out of the child to peddle on the occasion in question.

DEFENCE.

The boy Samuel Gross will probably be called to swear that he peddled of his own accord and without the prisoner's knowledge. But where did he get the articles he peddled - or the money he bought them with - what did he do with the proceeds of the peddling - when did he leave home to peddle and when return - were no questions asked him by the prisoner on these occasions.

0626

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE

against

Jacob

Gara

Smuggling club to handle
(CRUELTY TO CHILDREN)

NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.

0627

The New York Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Children,

100 EAST 23D ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, October 24 1885

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

The People
against
Eugene Cross

Notice of Prosecution.

To the District Attorney of the
City and County of New York,

Sir: This Society is interested in the prosecution of
the above defendant, and is familiar with the facts of the
case. It respectfully requests that before sending the papers
to the Grand Jury, fixing the day of trial, consenting to
any postponement thereof, or to any reduction of bail,
or final disposition of the charge, you will duly notify me as
its President and Counsel, so that I may confer with you
in regard thereto. This request is made pursuant to the
statute (Laws of 1875, Chapter 130, Section 3), and in
furtherance of the ends of Justice.

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

Elbridge T. Gerry,

President, &c.

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Guran, Martin G.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0629

No. 134

W. Meyer

Counsel,

Filed 15 day of Oct 1885.

Pleads, *Michy 16*

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Maxime F. Moran

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Anderson

W. J. Anderson
Foreman
Paul L. ...

Witnesses :

It appearing by the within affidavits that it is impossible to secure the at-

tendance of *Henry Fairchild & Elizabeth*

material and necessary witnesses for

the People and without whose evidence

conviction cannot be had. I there-

fore respectfully recommend that the

defendant herein, *Martine*

Kwan be

discharged on his own recognizance, &

be released from further liability.

N. Y., September 7, 1887.

Wm. W. Davis

District Attorney.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0630

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Martin J. Ryan

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

Martin J. Ryan

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

The said *Martin J. Ryan*.

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0631

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, *vs* the Complainant of
Amy Fairchild
 vs.
Martin Ewald
 Offense:

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of
Chas. J. Lyons
Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0632

PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To Henry Fairchild
of No. 204 or 232 E. 38th or 39th Street.

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the 18 day of August instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

Martin Suran

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH. Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of August in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 16 day of August 1887, I called at No. 204 East 38th Street

the alleged residence of Henry Fairchild

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the lady who owns the house that no one by that name resides there and that she does not know him or where he can be found. I also made diligent search and inquiry at No. 232 East 38th Street and at No. 204 or 232 East 39th Street but could not find anyone who knows the said Henry Fairchild or where he can be found. I was informed at each house that no one resides there by the name of Henry Fairchild.

I also inquired at No. 204 East 39th Street for Eliza Helkin but was informed that no one resides there by that name and is not known to the occupants of the house. The house is occupied by Ex-Assemblyman Murphy.

Sworn to before me, this 17 day of August 1887

Randolph L. Schauf

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

Chas J. Lyons
Subpoena Server.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0633

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Arthur Suran

County of New York, ss.:

Chas. J. Lyons

being duly

deposes and says: I reside at No.

656 12 Avenue

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the

City and County of New York. On the *16* day of *August* 188*7*,

I called at *No. 204 East 38th Street*

the alleged residence of *Henry Fairchild*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the lady who owns the house that no one by that name resides there and that she does not know him or where he can be found. I also made diligent search and inquiry at No. 232 East 38th Street and at No. 204 & 232 East 39th Street but could not find anyone who knows the said Henry Fairchild or where he can be found. I was informed at each house that no one resides there by the name of Henry Fairchild. I also inquired at No. 204 East 39th Street for Eliza Helkin but was informed that no one resides there by that name and is not known to the occupants of the house. The house is occupied by Ex-Assemblyman Murphy.

Sworn to before me, this

17 day of *August* 188*7*

Andolph L. Schauf

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

Chas. J. Lyons
Subpoena Server.

being duly sworn, deposes and says he
Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon
1887, by
on the
day of

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

Objection, if any, you may save time
If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day,
state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.
If all when served, please send timely word to the District
Attorney's Office.
If you know of more testimony than was produced before
the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was
not there brought out, please state the same to the District
Attorney or one of his assistants.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0634

Police Court, W.C. District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Henry Fancher

vs.

Martin DeSua

Rev. DeSua

Off of

Dated 1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses, Sup. Keenan

No. 204 5th 39th St. Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ 250 to answer _____ Sessions.

Offence Assault & Battery

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

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

Dated _____ 1885
_____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1885
_____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1885
_____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0635

Police Court 1 District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

of No. 232 East 39th Street, aged 37 years,
occupation Traveller being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on the 5 day of October 1883 at the City of New York,

in the County of New York, he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Martin Demant

who struck this deponent
a number of violent blows
on the face with his fist
without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this 5 day of Oct 1883

John J. ...

Henry J. ...
Police Justice

0636

POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

On Complaint of

Henry Fairchild

For

Assault

vs.

Martin Curran

Demand.

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~waive~~ ^{reserve} a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and my right to make a statement in relation to it and ~~demand~~ ^{reserve} a trial at the COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated *October 7* 188*5*

Wm J Curran

Henry Fairchild
Police Justice.

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Arch. living there

PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY.
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room Door that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Henry Fairchild*
of No. *204-C-39* Street.

GREETING:

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

Marting Guran

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *June*, in the year of our Lord 1887.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

Nat. living there

PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY.
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SUBPENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Oliza Helken*
of No. *204-C-39* Street.

GREETING:

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

Marting Guran

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *June*, in the year of our Lord 1887.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0638

Court of General Sessions, PART THREE.

THE PEOPLE

INDICTMENT

Marting Gurand vs.

For *W. J. Bond*

To

M. Lenora Gurand

No. *232 - C - 38* Street.

The indictment against the above-named defendant for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *trial* at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on *5* the *9* day of *June* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time, your bond will be forfeited.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0639

Mr. John B. ...

PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To *Eliza Helkin*
of No. *204 E. 39th* Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *18th* day of *August* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

Martin Swan

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *August* in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0640

38 #2 A 292E 32

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated 188

Magistrate

Lois Officer.

The Defendant *Martin J. Gurau*
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.
age 25 W.S. - Res 232, E. 3.8, St

Officer.

Dated *October 7* 188 *5*

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

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

The within named

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 4 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 Mary Stancher
of No. 204 East 39 Street, that on the 5 day of October
1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by Martin Rerand

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 _____ 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 7 day of Oct 1885

John J. Manning
POLICE JUSTICE.

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No. 1347 1078
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Parshild
204 E. 39.
Martin Suran

Offence Assault

BAILED

No. 1, by Rebecca Suran

Residence 232 W. 118 St.

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Date October 7 1885

Magistrate Margaret Long

Officer Conrad

Witness Elena Hillman

No. 204 E. 39.

No. Street

No. Street

\$ 300 to answer

Bailed

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 Martin Suran

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Three 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 October 7 1885 Henry Deane Police Justice.

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

Dated October 7 1885 Henry Deane Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0643

Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me this

day of

1883

Police Justice.

Carl J. Curran