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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Keenan, James

DATE:

12/14/91



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Witnesses:

Officer Jassell

B. C. H. A.

Counsel,

Filed 14 day of Dec 1891

Pleas *Armed*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Keenan

Barclay in the Third Degree, Section 488, to wit

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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Jan. 18
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A TRUE BILL.

Andrew W. Downing

Foreman.

Part 2 - Feb 25, 1892.
Tried and acquitted.

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Police Court— District.

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

of No. 414 Washington Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No. 414 Washington Street, 5th Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Store in the 2 story
attic brick building
and which was occupied by deponent as a Saloon
and in which there was at the time ^{no} human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly prying open a
door leading from the hallway at the rear of
said premises into a small room leading
into said saloon and prying open the door of said
small room and breaking off the lock of said door
on the 3^d day of December 1891 in the Evening time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Four hundred cigars
12 bottles of liquor
Being together of the value of
Twenty Five dollars
(\$25.00)

the property of Deponent
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by
James Keenan (now dead) and other persons
unknown to deponent, and not as yet arrested
for the reasons following, to wit: who were acting in concert
for the reasons following to wit: That
deponent is sworn by Joseph Rheinbold
who is the bartender in said premises
that about the hour of 10 o'clock pm on the
evening of the 3^d day of December 1891 he
secretly locked and fastened the doors
leading into said premises by means
of a padlock and key, and with bolts, and

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Police Court _____ District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 414 Washington Street, aged 32 years,

occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 414 Washington Street, 5th Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Store in the 2 story and

attic brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a saloon

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

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly prying open a

door leading from the hallway at the rear of

said premises into a small room leading

into said saloon and prying open the door of said

small room and breaking off the lock of said door

on the 3d day of December 1891 in the Evening time, and the

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Four hundred Cigars and
12 bottles of liquor

Being together of the value of

Twenty Five dollars

(\$25.00)

the property of Deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

James Keenan (alias) and other persons

unknown to deponent, and not as yet arrested

for the reasons following, to wit: who were acting in concert

for the reasons following to wit, that

deponent is informed by Joseph Rheinbold

that about the hour of 10 o'clock pm on the

evening of the 3d day of December 1891 he

secretly locked and fastened the doors

leading into said premises by means

of a screw driver with bolts, and

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Deponent is further informed by Abel R
Van Dassel a police officer of the 54th Precinct
police that about the hour of 50 minutes
past twelve a m on the morning of the
he saw said defendant and said 2 unknown
persons come out of the hallway of said
premises acting in a suspicious manner
and he arrested said defendant and said 2
unknown persons ran away and escaped
and that he found said premises broken into
Deponent therefore charges said defendant
with the burglary of the premises aforesaid

Sworn to before me 1891 David Jones
this 3^d day of the month

[Signature]
Police Justice

Dated _____ 1888
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated _____ 1888
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Police Justice
Dated _____ 1888
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 _____ 1888
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

Police Court, District, _____
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of _____
vs.
1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Dated _____ 1888
Magistrate _____
Officer _____
Clerk _____
Witness, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
§ _____ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Joseph Rheinhardt
aged 35 years, occupation Postman of No. 414 Washington Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Roland Gaus and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 3 day of December 1891 } *Joseph H. Reinhardt*

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Abel R Van Tassel

aged *38* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No.

5th Avenue Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Anna Gaus*

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *3d* day of *December* 189*1* } *Abel R Van Tassel*

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Keenan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *77 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *No Home*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Steamboating*

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*

Gas. Keenan

Taken before me this

day of

Police Justice.

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

Spencer
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *1000* 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 *Dec 3* 18 *91* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Lee
734-519
Office
Supplary

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *December 3rd 1891*

Davis Magistrate.

Van Tassel Officer.

5 Precinct.

Witnesses: *Abel R. Van Tassel*

No. *5th Precinct* Street.

Joseph Rheniforth

No. *4th Precinct* Street.

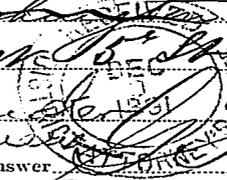
641 East 75th St

No. *Henry J. ...* Street.

§ *1000* to answer.

Com

Henry J. ...
75th Precinct



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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 Keenan

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

James Keenan

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

The said

James Keenan

late of the *5th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
third day of *December* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *night*-time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *Saloon* of
one *David Gans*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

James Keenan

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

James Keenan

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

four hundred cigars of the value of three cents each and twelve bottles of liquor of the value of one dollar each bottle.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

David Gane

in the

saloon

of the said

David Gane

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

De Lancey Ricall
District Attorney

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Kelly, Edward

DATE:

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377 by contract Dec 2, 1871
ELP

Counsel,

Filed *Dec 180*

Fields, *Arquity B*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Edward Kelly

*own & trans
Dec 3/11*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
(Selling without license.)
III. Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1961, § 13, and
of 1883, Chap. 310, § 5.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL,

Alfred H. ...

I hereby certify that this case be
transferred to the Court of Special
Sessions for trial and final disposition

Just before ... 1893

Witnesses:

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*Dated by ...
Wm. J. ...
3/11*

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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

Edward Kelly

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

Edward Kelly

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS AND WINES WITHOUT A LICENSE, committed as follows:

(III. Revised Statutes, 7th edition, page 1991, Sec. 13.)

The said Edward Kelly

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 21st day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at a time, to one George W. Schmitt, and to

certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

(Laws of 1898, chapter 840, Sec. 5.)

SECOND COUNT—

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

Edward Kelly

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER, WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows:

The said Edward Kelly

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate, known as number 214 North West corner of Fourteenth Street and Spring Place, in the said City.

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wines and beer, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell to

one George W. Schmitt, and to

certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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Kelly, Thomas

DATE:

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Smith, John

DATE:

12/18/91



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Witnesses:

Off Day

Lambert
Officer

A. C. Adams
Champion
136th

Counsel,

Filed *189* day of *Dec*

Pleads *Magnum 21*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Kelly
and
John Smith

[Section 498, Burglary in the Third Degree, Penal Code]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

De Lancey Nicoll

A TRUE BILL.

Quamquam
Bozumpsee

But *Jan 4/92* Foreman.

Handwritten signature

No 1
to 2 *Elder*

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Police Court— 7 District.

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

of No. 15 East 16th Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Clerk being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 15 East 16th Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said, being a four story and

basement brick building
and which was occupied by deponent as a book store under the ground
floor and basement
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY attempted entered by means of forcibly breaking
open a door leading into the basement
of the premises

on the 10 day of December 1899 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Books to of the value of
about One thousand dollars

the property is in deponent's care and custody
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property attempted to be taken, stolen, and carried away by
Thomas Kelly, and John Smith

both with in concert
for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour
of six o'clock P.M. on said date deponent
left the said premises and the doors
and windows leading there to was securely
locked and fastened. That the said property
mentioned in this deponent is performed
by Police Officer William T. Kelly of the
14th Precinct Police that he the officer
saw the defendants in company with

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each other at the said door with a saw
and a brace and bit and found that
there were marks on the door by which
the defendant had tried to force
open the door when the officer came
up the defendant attempted to run
away and the officer arrested them
therefor defendant charged the defendants
with attempting to commit the said
burglary and for saying they had
and dealt with the landlady's

Sporn before me this 4th of
17th day of December 1891
John J. Kelly

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Burglary
Degree

vs.

Dated 1881

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Kelly 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.

Thomas Kelly

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

15 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

15379 East 43rd St. S. H. W.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Errand boy

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

T Kelly

Taken before me this
day of *June*
John J. Kelly
188*8*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

6317 East 45th St. One year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Errand boy

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

John Smith

Taken before me this

day of *July* 19*19*

John Smith

Police Justice.

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

Defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Ten Hundred Dollars, cash and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated Dec 11 1891 John R. Keef Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District. 1530

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
IN THE COMPLAINT OF

Robert E. Jones
of 15 Street 16
1 *Thomas Kelly*
2 *John Smith*

Office of [Signature]

BAILABLE

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

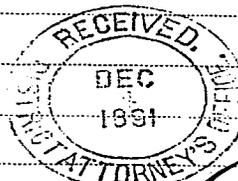
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated *December 11 1901*
Kelly Magistrate.
Day Officer.

Witnesses *Call the office*
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.
1000 Cash *G.S.*
to answer



Win
attor Day

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William F Day
Police Officer

aged _____ years, occupation *Police* of No. *19th Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Robert Jones* and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of *Nov* 11 189*6*,

John S Keel
Police Justice.

(3692)

William F Day

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13 EAST 14TH STREET.

New York,

Jan 4th 1892

Asst. District Atty

Jno. F. McIntyre

Dear Sir

Would state in behalf of Robt. E. Corvan alias Jno. Smith who appears for trial this morning, that he was employed by us for two (2) years, and was an exemplary boy up to the time he associated himself with the companions who have led him to the trouble he is now in, his mother is a respectable woman, and is anxious for you to use your influence to get the Judge to suspend sentence subject to his good behavior until he is 21 years of age. We trust

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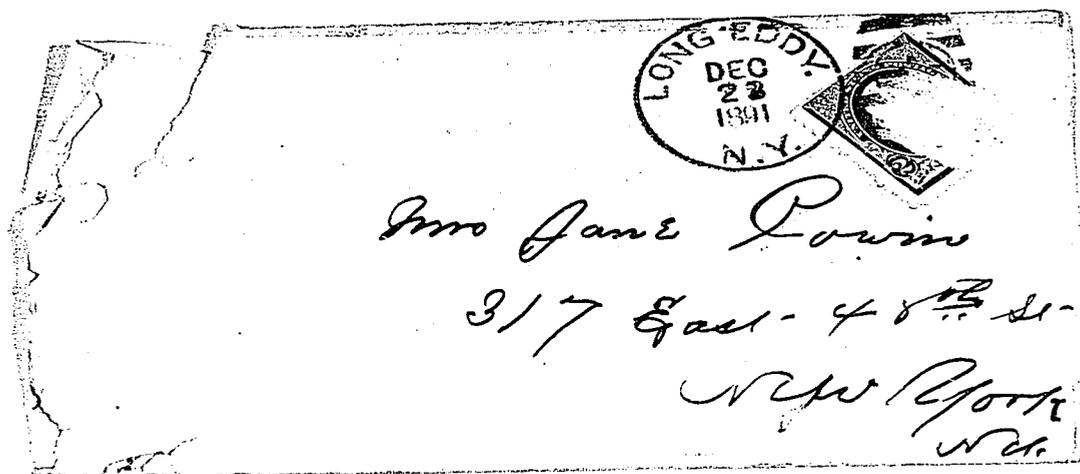
you may be able to do something
for him.

Yours Rec^d
J. She J. Church
A. F. Adams Manager

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Long Eddy Dec 22nd 91
to the Honorable Judge of the Supreme
Court of the State of New York, I have
been informed by Mrs Jane Lawin of
317 East 48th that her son Robert has
been caught at stealing or attempting to steal
now I would say I know Robert Lawin for
seven or eight years and have never known
him to be anything but an honorable upright
and an honest boy and he surely must have
been led in to attempting to steal else he
would never have done it; and I would beg
of you for the sake of his mother to let
him off and I will give him employment
on my farm in the Country where he would
have an opportunity to get in bad company
and I will promise to see that he is taken
care of and brought up as a boy should
hoping that you will be lenient with him. I
am yours Resply. John Davally
Commissioner of Fishery & Game
Sullivan Co Long Eddy N.Y.

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Mrs Jane Rowin

317 East 4th St

New York
N.Y.

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New York Dec 22nd / 891

To whom it may concern

I have known the accused
Robert Cowan for the past five years
and I have always found him a
good, honest Boy and helped his
wedowed Mother all he possibly
could and the only one to help
her at present this is the first
time I ever heard of the Boy doing
wrong and trusting the Court will
be Merciful and restore to Mrs
Cowan her Boy I remain yours
Respectfully

J. F. Murphy
331 E 43rd St City

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Robert Cowan.

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Robert Cowan

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New York Dec 22nd 1891

I have known the
Boy Robert Gowan for
the past four years and
during that time I never
new the boy to do wrong
he was always kind to
his Mother and the
people on this street
had nothing but good
to say of him this is
the first time I have
ever heard of the boy
doing wrong hoping
the jury will make
an exception in his
favor

I remain your
Thomas Gowan
831 East 43 St.

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New York Dec 17th 1891
The Bearer Robert Cowan has been
in my employ for one year and have
always found him a honest and
upright young man

Respectfully
Joseph Schickel
No. 935 East 151st

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Robert Cowan

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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
Thomas Kelly
and
John Smith

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Thomas Kelly and John Smith
of the crime of attempting to commit
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Kelly and John Smith, both*

late of the *18th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
tenth day of *December* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *night* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of
one *Robert E Jones*

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

De Lancy Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Kelly, William

DATE:

12/01/91



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Witnesses:

W. E. [Signature]

Counsel, *W. E. [Signature]*
Filed *Dec 1891*
Plends, *Spizquity*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Kelly

Burglary in the *Second* degree.
[Section 487, Penal Code 1.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

May 17 1891

Dec. 14/91

A TRUE BILL.

(Lancey)

72 Jan 7, 1892

Tried and acquitted

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0236

Police Court - 1st District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Muziata Picciotti
Street, aged 32 years,

of No. 81 Mulberry
occupation Housewife being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 81 Mulberry Street, 6th Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Grocery store

and which was occupied by deponent as a and Husband Grocery store and place of abode
and in which there was at the time a human being, by nam Antonio Picciotti & Francis Picciotti
deponent

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly unblocking a door
leading from the hallway into the back room
adjoining said store

on the 16 day of November 1891 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

with the felonious intent to take steal
carry away therefrom the following property
to wit Goods and lawful money and
wearing apparel all of the value of one
hundred dollars

\$100 -

the property of Antonio Picciotti deponents Husband
and deponent further says, that she has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by
William Kelly (name)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent says that she got up
out of bed to nurse her child and saw
said defendant in the room

Deponent says that said defendant
ran out of the door leading into the hallway

Sworn to before me
This 23 day of Dec-1891
To wit: Muziata Picciotti
Deponent
Justice

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Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

William Kelly 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 Kelly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *W. S.*

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

Answer. *45 Mott St 4 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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
W. Kelly*

Taken before me this *23* day of *Jan* 19*11*
D. J. Kelly
Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Fifteen 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 Jan 23 1891 J. C. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Margaret Rice
81 Mulberry St
William Kelly

Burglary
with intent to steal

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

Dated *Nov 23* 19*11*
B. O. Reilly Magistrate.
O. Rowlett Officer.
6th Precinct.

Witnesses _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.
\$ *15.00* to answer *G. S.*



COMMITTED

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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 Kelly

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

William Kelly

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

The said *William Kelly*

late of the *6th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *night*-time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Antonio Ricciotti*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there a human being within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Antonio Ricciotti*

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

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

He Larence Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Kennedy, Delia

DATE:

12/01/91



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Witnesses:

Four horizontal lines for witness signatures.

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Boyd

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleas,

Dec
Boyd

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Delia Kennedy

Grand Larceny *second* Degree.

[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Boyd
Boyd
Capt & - Dec. 14, 1891. Foremen.
Boyd
True and Acquitted

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(1885)

Police Court— 4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Jennie Buck
of No. 303 West 43 Street, aged 20 years,
occupation none being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 18th day of November 1891 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One Case containing Ladies
gold watch. and lace pins
together of the value of fifty
two dollars.

(\$ 52.00)

the property of deponent

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

(now here) from the fact that at
about the hour of 2 o'clock P.M.
said date said property was lying
in the dressing case in deponent's
bed room in said premises, and
shortly thereafter this deponent who was
employed in said premises as a
domestic, swept said room, and
immediately after she swept said
room deponent discovered that said
property was missing.
deponent further says that there
was no person in said room but
this deponent and deponent's sister

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of November 1891

Police Justice

Lulu Buck. from the time said property was seen last - until it was missed. and that - last July a necklace belonging to a border in said premises mysteriously disappeared. and on the 20th day of November 1891 this defendant admitted that she had said necklace. and returned it - therefore defendant charges this defendant with feloniously taking stealing and carrying away said property and says she may be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me } J. J. Buck
this 21st day of Nov 1891

M. J. Gady
Deputy Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Helia Kennedy

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. *Helia Kennedy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *522 W 41th St. 3 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Domestic*

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

Helia Kennedy

Taken before me this

day of

Nov

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Edw. J. Brady

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Jan 25 1891 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jessie Buck
30.3 W. 43 St
Lelia Kennedy

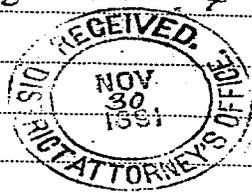
Officer Lanning
Officer Kelly

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Dated *Nov 25* 18*91*

Grady Magistrate.
Jas Mcmin Officer.

22 Precinct.
Witnesses *Lulu Beck*
No. *30 W 43* Street.



No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.
\$ *1000* to answer *9/5*
\$1000. fr. St. High. 27/5/91

Am *9/2*

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Delia Kennedy

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *Delia Kennedy*

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

The said *Delia Kennedy*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand *eight hundred and*
ninety-one at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of
forty dollars and one pin
of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jennie Buck*

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

Wm Lancy Nicoll
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4232

DESCRIPTION:

King, Lee

DATE:

12/14/91



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Nancy S. Charles
off Dublin

This indictment is manifestly the outcome of one of those numerous factional quarrels in which the business interests of this City are unfortunately involved. The complainant Charles who is well known as a leading factor on one side of the belligerents is not within the jurisdiction and his exact whereabouts cannot be ascertained, altho' he is reported to be in Boston. The other witnesses likewise seem to have disappeared.

Mr. L. Van Allen, depts Counsel has day wages in open Court for some disposition, and the only alternative left to the people is to consent to the defendant's discharge on his own recognizance and so recommended by me 2/19/96 Henry D. Anger
James M. Osborne

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Counsel,

Filed 14 day of Dec 1891

Pleads, *not guilty May 12/92*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

See King

W.T.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLI,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

add says May June 6
Quaque W. Thompson

Foreman.

Part 3, March 26, 1896.
On motion of the District Attorney, Defendant is Discharged on his own Recognizance.

Just District
 Justice Court

Wary I Jones
 agent
 Lee King

Charged with
 Fal Assault
 Oct 13-91
 Deputy Hon
 P. L. Livers

Complainant being duly sworn
 deposes & says, examined by
 Mr J. H. Hancock, Asst Dist. Atty
 of State how this occurs, the assault
 took place a few days ago or 3 weeks ago
 tomorrow night about 10 o'clock
 while I was passing 16th Street
 I then I stood in 16th Street
 and waited awhile, and I leaned
 down from the high stoop, and
 intending to go through Pease
 Street, and as soon as I came
 down off of the stoop, a
 couple of Chinamen behind
 my back began to holler and

shook
 you as this one of them (meaning
 dependant?)

A At that time I didn't know him
 but he stood on the sidewalk
 between 16th & 18th; and about
 100 or more were there, and they
 were chasing me like a mad
 dog, and I ran and I yelled
 murder, another Chinaman
 had a pistol but no shot was
 fired, and I ran as far as
 Chatham square, I was not hurt
 then, when a policeman
 of what is his name?

A I don't know, him but he got
 hold of me, and he says stop
 what does this mean, I say
 I have done nothing; but these
 Chinamen want to hit me
 and he says come back
 Mr. J. I. Subject to all the
 conversation he had with the
 policeman?

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 Q. Well when you got back to the
 place with the policemen
 did you see the defendant
 there?

A. Yes and two of them stood in
 front of 183 Matt Street, where they
 chased me from

Q. In other words the police officer
 brought you back from Chatham
 square to 183 Matt Street where they
 chased you from?

A. Yes, and when I came back
 the officer had me in front
 of 183 Matt Street

Q. Now then didn't you see the defendant
 there?

A. Yes sir.

Q. How close was he to you?

A. From me as far as Mr. Price is
 about 3 feet.

Q. What did he do?

A. I saw the collar on his neck in his hand

Q. Did you have any conversation
 with him?

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A man: but he made a mistake
as if to strike me if he got the
chance

Q Did he strike you?
A Yes on the head
Q Was that man any one's hood
made with a blood on face?
A Yes sir

Q And did he hit you again?
A Yes the second time, right here
He swung ^{and} -

Q After he hit you the second time
what did the officer do?

A Just grabbed him, he let me go
Paul grabbed him, and the
officer took the club and drove
the other away

Q About how many other were
there?

A I don't know I don't count them
about a hundred or a hundred ^{and}
fifty

Q Did you see a man called
Chin was there?

at the time no.

Q Did you see a man called ~~John~~
John?

A I saw him here

Q You're no doubt sure that it
was a black face that he had in
his hand when he entered your
house?

A Yes it was a black face it is
round about 8 inches long ^{and}
the handle was as thick as my
thumb, and the end of it was
filled with lead and covered
with leather.

Cap Examin'd by

Wm Jones

Q You must have seen black faces
before?

A Oh yes

Q Did you ever own one?

A Yes

Q You say that this striking was
done by the defendant while
you were in the hands of the

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officer?

Ayes Si

These are the 3 policemen that
were there (pointing to officers
Merlin and Baker)

A I don't remember Baker but I
do remember Merlin.

Is it not true that Mr Baker brought
you back from Astoria square?

A I was not certain, I was nervous
but excited.

At what time of night was this?
A I cannot tell you exactly, I think
about 10 o'clock at night.

After you got back or near 78
matt Street you were very much
excited were you not?

A Yes Si

Should you tell the officer not to
take you over because they
wanted to kill you?

A Yes Si, but the officer said
he wanted protect me.

How did the defendant come

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up to you in front of you or behind
you?

At the front of me.

And how were the officers, were
they facing you or along side of
you?

One of them held me by the
right shoulder, and the other
officer kept the crowd away
from me with his stick.

Now isn't it true that instead
of your being hit with a blow
from the officer struck you
with his stick?

A Yes Sir

Now when you got to the station
house you made your complaint
A Yes Sir

There were 3 Chuvines arrested
A Yes Sir

And you swore to the man the
defendant?

A Yes Sir

Did you say in the station house

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that he struck you with brass
knives?

A. Yes Sir

if you are just as sure of that as
you are of anything else?

A. Yes Sir

if sure of it?

A. Yes Sir

Peter Dlevlin called by
the people being duly sworn
deposed and says

Q You are a police officer attached
to what precinct?

A 6th precinct

Q Where you present on the night
of the 10th of October, when the
affair occurred between the
complainant and defendant?

A Yes Sir

Q Where did you first see the ^{complainant}
on that night?

A I saw him between 7 & 8 o'clock
in full street.

Q That was shown before the assault
occurred?

A Yes Sir

Q Where did you next see him that
night?

A Where officer Baker had had
of him

Q It was officer Baker who brought
him to Chatham square?

a officer Holabau & a Baner
 ofence you present when officers
 J. Holabau & a Baner brought him
 back to number 18?

Ayee su

How many people were following
 a I showed judge 4 to 50 Chuanen
 of you before in front of 18 Matt
 Street?

A yes su in the street

of you having the Chuanen the
 complainants in your charge?

Ayee su

of you see the dependants at that
 time?

A yes su

of you see in front of 18 Matt
 Street all the while that the
 complainant was there?

A after he was in my custody

of he was not given into your custody
 in front of 18 Matt Street?

A yes su all the way up from
 Chatham square.

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By the way

Q You are in the 6th degree is it?

A Yes Sir

Q And Baker who was with
 4th brought him over to you in your
 post?

A Yes Sir

Q In front of what number was
 he given in your charge?

A 4 and 9

Q And you walked from there to 18?

A Yes Sir

Q And you at that time, from the
 time you met him until the
 time you took him away from
 18 see the defendant?

A Yes Sir

Q Now may I ask you what in 18
 what time?

A 5 or 6 minutes

Q And did you then take the children
 to the State house?

A Yes Sir

Q What did you do with him?

Q At the time we arrived there,
 Mr. Jones said he wanted to speak
 to the people and he raised his
 hands.

Q Now what did you see the deputy
 A In the State House
 of I then you didn't see him on the
 street before?

A No sir.

Q Now just describe what occurred
 after this conversation that Jones
 had, where he said he wanted to
 speak to the men?

Myself objected to and was
 to strike it out.

By the Court Strike it out.

Q To whom did you turn Jones
 over?

A He was taken away from us
 by the whole crowd of Chuanen
 Deacons and you who, they all
 came in on all sides of us and
 we crowded them away with
 our night sticks, and when

Spank him again officer Baker
had had a opinion

Q Did you know the defendant?
A No not

Q Did you ever see him before?
A I might have seen him on the
street but never recognized him
before.

Q If you cannot say whether he was
one of the party that night or not
A I cannot say

Q But you remember seeing
him in the station house?
A Yes sir

Q Was he confronted with Charles
Miche Station house?
A Yes sir

Q And what did he say?
A He said that was the man
that struck me.

Q Yes sir
Q Make simply say that, that
man had struck me
A Yes sir

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of what he said?
 He said something about a
 black man ^{and} brass knuckles
 of just try ^{and} put your mind
 I didn't say first of all in the
 station house that he was struck
 and afterwards didn't you hear
 him say that this man struck
 him with a pair of brass
 knuckles?

A ^{man} said that I heard that,
 I heard something about brass
 knuckles ^{and} black man, but
 he didn't know what it was
 He said he didn't know what
 put the thought it was a black
 man

of what officer was it that had
 been of chance when he was in
 front of it?

A officer ^{was} ^{at} ^{the} ^{time}

How during the time you had
 heard of him did anybody
 strike him?

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A not in my presence
of them at that time nobody did
strike him
A. H. S. J.



George P. Baker called as a
 witnesses on the part of the
 people being duly sworn deposes
 and says

Subscribed Examination by Asst. Dist. Atty.
 If you are a police officer attached
 to what precinct?

A 4th precinct

If you remember seeing Mr.
 Jones in Matt Street on the
 night of the 7th of October last?
 Yes Sir

If you will describe the circumstances
 attending your seeing him?

A grand great ballroom, and I
 saw a crowd and I stood in
 New Bowery near Park Row, and
 I saw a man running from
 Matt Street followed by a crowd
 by about 3 to 400 hundred Chinese
 and others

If you when you got him did you
 have a conversation with him?

A Yes I saw but had no conversation

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with him, and am going back
 I met affeei Hallabun
 of you and affeei Halabun
 brought him back to the side
 when to number 9 Matt Street
 Ayessii
 And then you met affeei Devidii
 Ayessii
 Then what did you do with him
 He affeei Devidii took him
 him, and Charles said they
 want to kill me, and when
 and when they got their he tapped
 in front of 16 or 18, and he wanted
 to speak to the men that was
 at the stop, and they all
 crowded in on all sides and
 took him away, and when I
 got chance again I was bleeding
 at the back of the head
 Did you at any time during
 the night see the defendant there
 A 910 only in the Station house
 Did you bring him to the Station

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house?

A witness I brought charges there
 If your experience is the same as
 I believe the first you saw of
 him was in the Station house?
 Ayes Sir, he was taken away from
 Jno Gaskins last in the crowd
 and after I got charges again he
 had his hat off it was missing
 and he had a cut on his head
 and he said he was struck with
 brass knuckles.

If he said that to you on the street
 did he?

Ayes Sir

If and what did he say when he
 got to the Station house?

As he accused the dependant of
 striking him I demand stay there
 I went out

If you remember who brought
 the dependant there?

I do not

If how many other officers were

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then

A few of us altogether.

Cop Examined

Q Sublet Phases was lead by
you or the other officer did you
see anybody strike him?
A Yes he had in a moment off
Q If it was done in front you would
have seen it?

A Yes I was in a position to see it

Q Then if this defendant had
come in front of him and
struck him with a black face
you would have seen it

A Yes Sir

Q And you say at that time that
he said it was struck with
black punches?

A Yes Sir

Q By the Court

Q Do you see any black face or
black punches?

A Yes Sir

Rec'd Cop Ex.

Q Now did you hit anybody with a club?

A I explained to Mr Chaves
Q Did you strike him at the time
with a club?

A Yes I did, that happened while the
I pushed the crowd away with
my stick, and I had Mr
Chaves I did not mean that, I
accidentally struck him on
the eye, and I explained it to him
Q That did not cut him on the
head did it?

A No sir, he was cut on the back
of the head when I got him
Q Now officer Baker are you
prepared to swear that while
this ~~deprived~~ ^{Mr} Chaves was in
your custody that this deper-
dant or anybody else struck
him?

A Not while he was in my custody
nobody struck him.
Respect Ev.

Q. Where was he seen last in the crowd what day or week by # 5

A. After I brought him back he was last seen I don't see him again until I got him and brought him to the station house.

Q. Do you remember answering counsel a minute since that if anybody had struck him in front you could have seen it and that you remember these statements of he was last in the crowd; how could you see it

A. I say where he was in my custody

Q. Was he in your custody when he was last in the crowd?

A. No he could not be

Q. Then as a matter of fact he was not continuously in your custody

A. No sir

Q. And what occurred to him or might have occurred to him

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while he was in the crowd you
don't know?

A 910000

By the time
of how many Chinese matters!
A Between 3 and 500000

Chung Wah, being duly sworn
deposes and says (through an
interpreter

Q Were you in front of 18 Matt
Street on the night of the 10th of
October?

A Yes Sir

Q Where were you on the street or
on the stoop?

A Up a stoop of number 20

Q Did you see the officer being chased
up to Matt Street?

A No I did not see him, I saw him
coming up.

Q Did you see the officers. How close
did you see when the crowd
rushed in and separated Choo
from the officers?

A I saw a big crowd there

Q Did you see the defendant there
at that time?

A Yes I saw him there standing by
number 18.

Q Did you see Mr Choo when

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the officers brought him ⁱⁿ front
of it?

Ayes Sir

And they stood still on the street
didn't they?

Ayes Sir

And you see the defendant there
was ^{he} near the officer or
Charles?

Ayes close to the officer

Which officer was it?

A Defendant tell him it was a
police officer

What did you see the defendant
do to Mr Charles?

A I saw the policeman using his
club, and some Chinaman had
along knife, and as and some
saw him I sawed not to or
what they said and the defendant
hit him and Charles fell down
that all I saw.

And you see him hit him again
A These ^{circumstances} happened this

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him. and the policeman caught
him.

Q of Ex.

Q How did this man come to strike
him, was he behind him or in
front of him?

A In front of him.

Q Was not the policeman along
side of him?

A The policeman was a minute
or so on the other.

Q Where do you live?

A 4 Wagon Street So at and 20
I sleep my cousin's house

Q Had you come here the last
time the case was on?

Q Yes

Q Had any body strike you?
A No sir

Q You were at Number 10 you say

A Number 20. 2 doors away

Q Was it dark?

A No not much dark the gas
was burning?

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Q What time was it?
 A Between 6 & 7 o'clock
 Q You are sure of it?
 A I am not sure
 Q Was it day light?
 A No it was dark

Q What time do you say it was
 A Between 6 & 7 o'clock
 Q Was it not 10 o'clock at night?
 A No.

Q Was it 9 o'clock?
 A No.

Q Was it 8 o'clock?
 A Yes you said 8 o'clock
 Q You are sure of that?
 A Yes Sir

Q Were you there at all?
 A Yes I stood on the stoop
 Q Did you see the policeman?
 A Yes Sir

Q How many policeman were there
 A I don't tell how many.
 Q How many policeman did you
 see there?

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Q I cannot say 5.6 or 7 2013. I
cannot say.

Q If you cannot tell if there were
7.3.5.6. or 7 can you?

A No.

Q Did you ever see the defendant
refer that night?

A Yes sir.

Q How many times

A Oh I don't know.

Q Did you ever speak to him?

A Every day we are good friends

Q You are sure of that?

A Yes sir.

John Chiu being duly sworn
deposes & says (through an
Interpreter)

Where do you live?
A 165 Kester Street.

Were you present in Matt Street
on the night of the 10th of October
A yes Sir

What time of night were you
in Matt Street?

A Between 9th or 10 o'clock.

What number in Matt Street were
you?

A I went to 16 Matt Street, I stood
in front of the door the door
was

of did you see the complainant
there?

A yes Sir

Did you see the defendant there?
A yes Sir

Did you see the defendant strike
the complainant?

A yes I certainly did

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Q Did he hit him with his hand or
something with his hand?

A He had something with his hand
I cannot tell what it was

Q Black or white?

A Dark color.

Q Did you see any of these officers
there?

A I know officers were there but
I could not recognize them

Q How after did you see the
defendants with Mr. Chiles

A There him once, and then he
stepped back and came forward
once again and wanted to
strike him again and the policeman
came and caught him

Q Which policeman?

A His strange face to me I
cannot remember him

Q You have no doubt but that
you saw this black thing in
his hands?

A Certainly I saw something in

his hand

Q How far away from the defendant
were you
when you saw him strike com-
plainant?

A I don't know how far he was in
16 1/2 feet. I was at 18, I didn't
measure how many feet

Q Where were you standing at
the time?

A 18 1/2 feet from in front of the
house.

Q Aye Ex

Q How long have you known
Mr. Chace?

A 3 or 4 years

Q How long do you know the
defendant?

A A little over a year

Q There were a great many people
there were there not?

A Yes lots of them

Q As this defendant came up
in front of Mr. Chace and
struck him?

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Q How did you come to be a witness
here today?

A I knew that the case was coming
up and I came to see about it

Q And did you intend to be a witness
A I didn't intend to be a witness
with the case

Q Who first told you you were
to be a witness?

A When the man called me
outside the

Q And did you tell that man what
you knew about the case?

A No sir to nobody

The further hearing was then
adjourned to Nov 5 2 PM

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss,
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 360 West 14th Street, aged 35 years,
occupation Interpreter being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 10 day of April 1887 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York,

he was ~~violently~~ filiciously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Lee King (number)
who struck a person a violent
blow on the head with a brass-jaw
or dangerous weapon

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 10 day of April 1887

W. S. Charles
[Signature] Police Justice.

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Sec. 192.

First District Police Court,

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Fabrick Duross a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Lee King Defendant with
the offence of Assault

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

We, Lee King Defendant of No. 32
West end 77th St Street; by occupation a Laundry
and Harry Lee King of No. 11 West
Street, by occupation a Restaurant Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake
that the above named Lee King Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 1 District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Five
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 11th
day of October 1891. } Harry Lee King
[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

[Signature]
Police Justice
1891

Sworn to before me, this

Harry Lee King

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *tenant* holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Five* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *One half interest in the Stock*

fixtures and good will of the Restaurant
Situate at No. Elson Wash Street New York
City valued at Six Thousand Dollars

Harry Lee King

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 18

Justice.

Bond executed for
Conservator Price
by

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Keat King

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

China

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

Answer.

3rd Avenue, New York 27 1/2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Lawyer

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

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Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Heffernan
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of ⁵⁰⁰ ~~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 *April 9* 18..... *Ph...* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Dec 6* 1891..... *Ph...* Police Justice

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

Dated..... 18..... Police Justice.

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" 23 10 -
Nov 5th 2.30 P.M.
" 18. 9.30
" 25. 1.30
" 1. 4.30 P.M.
Dec 4. 2. P.M.
" 5. 9.30 a.m

BAILED,
No. 1, by Harry Leeking
Residence 10 Mott Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

The Justice for many
in my absence will hear
and determine the
within case.
D. D. 2 2 2 2
Police Justice

Police Court--- District. 1521

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT

Mary J. Charles
309 D. ex. Hall Avenue
Brooklyn
1. Leetung
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Officer
W. J. Lamb

Dated Nov 11 1893
W. J. Lamb Magistrate.
Kevin Houlikars Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses
Chin Wah 20 Mott St
Loek Chin 165 Hester St
Sam Duck care of Ch. Flanagan
No. Jacob Kopeloff 16 Mott St
No. _____ Street.

RECEIVED
DEC 11 1893
ATTORNEY

Subpoena
W. J. Lamb
to Capt

No. 500 to answer
\$ _____
Nov 5 1893
" _____

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PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND 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.]

(Not found)
SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Jacob Kapflock*
of No. *16* *West* Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the New Criminal Court House on Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, in the City of New York, on the *26* day of *MARCH* 189*6*, at the hour of 10 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York against *Loa King*

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *MARCH* in the year of our Lord 189*6*

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena Server in the office of the District Attorney of the

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

Jacob Kapploch
vs.
Lee King

City and County of New York, ss:

Jefferson R. Reilly being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *192 Elm St.*

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 *25th* day of *March* 189*6* I called at *16 Mott St. New York City*

the alleged *Residence* of *Jacob Kapploch* the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

A Chinaman who has business at the said address 16 Mott St. said that he does not know of any one living or stopping at this house, I inquired in the neighborhood and was informed that there is no American living in that house.

Sworn to before me, this *26* day of *March* 189*6* } *Jefferson R. Reilly*
of *New York* } *Subpoena Server*
Wm. H. Bradford
Com. of Deeds
N.Y.C.

Office hours 9 to 5
If convenient to remain and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney in the Court.
If ill 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.

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jacob Stapploch

vs.

Lee King

Ornament
Offense

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

affidavit of
Jefferson A. Kelly
Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

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PART III.

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SUBPŒNA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To Nancy S. Charles
of No. 368 DeKalb ave Street Brooklyn

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the New Criminal Court House on Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, in the City of New York, on the 3 day of MARCH 1896, at the hour of 10 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York against

Lee King
Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of MARCH
in the year of our Lord 1896

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions.

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.

If in when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's Office.

THE PEOPLE
Harry S. Charles
vs.
Lee King

City and County of New York, ss:

Frank Dowling being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *257-9 Ave*

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 *4th* day of *March* 189*6*,

I called at *360 Be Hall Ave (Brooklyn)*

the alleged *Residence* of *Harry S. Charles*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, ~~and was informed by~~

The house was closed, I inquired in the neighborhood of store keepers and was informed that Harry S. Charles has not been there in two years, I could not get any more information of his whereabouts

Sworn to before me, this *26* day }
of *March* 189*6* }

Frank Dowling Subpoena Server.

Percy N. Poole
County Clerk

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thayer & Child

vs.

Lee King

Offense

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Subpoena

of
Frank W. ...

Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

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District Attorney's Office.

THE COURT

Officer Houlahan
N 6 Precinct
Is retired and
is gone to Europe
Jefferson W. Kirby

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Returned (Inland)
SUBPENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE

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In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Off Houlihan* Street
of No. _____

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the New Criminal Court House on Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, in the City of New York, on the *26* day of *MARCH* 189*6*, at the hour of 10 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York against *Lee King*

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *1896* in the year of our Lord 189*6*

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

The Court Room door, that your attendance may be known. [SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]
If this is Brought to the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

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CITY OF NEW YORK

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PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY.
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SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Chiu Wah*
of No. *70 motu* Street

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the New Criminal Court House on Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, in the City of New York, on the *26* day of *MARCH* 189*6*, at the hour of 10 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York against

Loe King

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *1896* in the year of our Lord 189*6*

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

Chin Wah
vs.
Lee King

If convenient to you, and you prefer, you may state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court. If ill 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.

City and County of New York, ss:

Jefferson P. Reilly being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *192 Elm St.*

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 *25th* day of *March* 189*6* I called at *20 Mott St. New York City*

the alleged *Residence* of *Chin Wah* the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

A. Chinaman ^{said} that *Chin Wah* was gone to *China* a year ago, I inquired of the people in the neighborhood, and was informed that he is gone to *China*

Sworn to before me, this *26* day of *March* 189*6*

Jefferson P. Reilly
Subpoena Server.
Wm. H. Bowditch
Clerk of Deeds
W. Leo

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Chin Wah

VS.

Lee King

Almond
Offense

JOHN B. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Jefferson D. O'Neil
Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

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SUBPCENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Cook Chun*

of No. *165 Hester* Street

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the New Criminal Court House on Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, in the City of New York, on the *26* day of *MARCH* 189*6*, at the hour of 10 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York against

Loan King

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *MARCH* in the year of our Lord 189 *6*

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY.
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Bring this Subpcena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.
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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

Cook-Chin
vs.
Lee King

City and County of New York, ss:

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No.

Jefferson P. O'Reilly being duly
192 Elm St.

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 *25th* day of *March* 189*6*

I called at *165 Hester St. New York City*

the alleged *Residence* of *Cook-Chin*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

Quong Wah Chung who has a laundry at the said residence 165 Hester St said that there is no Chinaman here by the above name the housekeeper of the said house said that she does not of Cook-Chin I inquired in the neighborhood and no one seemed to know of him.

Sworn to before me, this *26* day

of *March* 189*6*,

Jefferson P. O'Reilly
Subpoena Server.
Mary J. Boardwell
Conrad Deeds
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State this entry to the District Attorney, in the Court, 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.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Chuk Chiu

vs.

Lee King

Offense
Assault

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Affiant of

Jefferson W. Peck

Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Lee King

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

Lee King

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

The said

Lee King

late of the City and County of New York, on the tenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Wary S. Charles

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

Lee King

with a certain slugs - shot which he the said

slugs - shot

he

the said

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

Lee King

Wary S. Charles

He Lancelotti Nicoll District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Klahn, Emil

DATE:

12/09/91



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Witnesses:

W. H. Heathcote

From the affidavits filed herein,
among them being that of the
Complainant I do not believe
the defendant guilty of any
crime. The watches were found
by the wife under the belief
that they belonged to the husband.
I therefore recommend the
dismissal of this indictment
Sept 1891.

*Vernon H. Davis,
Aust.*

Counsel,
Filed *9* day of *Dec* 1891
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.
Emil Klahn

Grand Larceny *Second Degree.*
[Sections 528, 537 — Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Dr. Chas. H. ...

A True Bill.

Emmanuel Downing

Part 3, Sec 157 Foreman.

*On receipt of writ,
Atty indict. dis. R.M.*

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The People of New York
by the complaint of

William H. Hearst

vs

Emil Klaber

Affidavit

Court of General Sessions
 The People on my complaint
 against

Emil Klain

State of New York

County of New York } ss. Wm. H. Heathcote

The complainant in the above cause, being duly sworn according to law on his oath & that, that since making the charge against the defendant, Emil Klain, he has been informed in a manner, that he believes it to be true, that the said Emil Klain is not guilty of the charge above made against him. That the said Emil Klain has been in his employ about three weeks prior to the arrest, and that this deponent has found him to be a man of good moral character, and in every respect an industrious and hardworking man. That the property said to have been taken by the said Emil Klain was of little value, and has all been recovered.

Sworn and subscribed

to before me this 14

day of December 1891

at New York City

David Anderson

Notary Public

N. Y. Co.

Wm. H. Heathcote

Court of General Sessions
 The People on complaint
 of William H. Heathcote,

vs
 Emil Klamm

State of New York

County of New York } Ed. Laura A. Klamm,
 of full age being duly sworn according to law
 on her oath saith, that she is the wife of
 Emil Klamm, the defendant in the above cause,
 that on the 24th day of November she the
 said Laura A. Klamm, pawned and pledged for
 the sum of five dollars four certain watches
 said to be the property of William H. Heathcote
 the complainant in above cause, that she did
 not know at that time that the property belonged
 to the said complainant, but that she verily
 believed that the said watches were the property
 of her said husband, the defendant in this cause,
 inasmuch as there were a number of other
 watches lying on his working desk all of which
 she believed to be the property of her husband, that
 she knows that her husband is continually working
 at home on his own watches, and that she did
 not know that the four watches she thus pawned
 belonged to any other man, but her husband.
 This deponent further says that she pawned
 the watches for to buy bread with, and other

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Necessaries, that her husband has been out
of work, and that rent was due and paid and
that for that reason she had not the necessaries
to keep the family over until Saturday the day
of the arrest.

Sworn & subscribed

As before me

Laura H. Chakor

at New York this

14 day of December A.D. 1891

David Anderson

Notary Public

N. Y. Co

Court of General Sessions
 The People on complaint
 of William H. Heathcote

vs

Emil Klalm

State of New York

County of New York } SS. Emil Klalm, of
 full age, being duly sworn according to law
 on his oath saith, that he is the defendant
 in the above cause, that on the 28th day of
 November, he was arrested on a charge made
 against him by William H. Heathcote the complainant
 in this cause, that upon his arrest he was
 informed that he had stolen property belonging
 to the said William H. Heathcote. That this
 deponent now for the sake of establishing the
 truth in this matter saith: that it is true
 that he has taken ~~the~~ property in question
 i.e. four silver watches to his this deponent's
 residence for the sole purpose to repair the
 same and after having ~~to~~ repaired the same,
 to take the same back to the store and replace
 them in their proper places, that it was customary
 for him to take watches home and repair them.
 That while the watches were at his house in
 his workshop and without the knowledge
 or consent of this deponent, they were taken
 away by this deponent's wife and then were

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by her, the said wife of this deponent pawned. That upon his inquiry as to the whereabouts of the watches he, this deponent, was informed by his wife that she had pawned the same. And this deponent further saith, that he has watches of his own in his work shop upon which and with which he continually experiments. That the property of the complainant had no visible marks by which his wife could have distinguished the same from the property of this deponent, the defendant. That upon having been informed by his wife, the said deponent communicated and told his employer, William H. Heathcote, that he the said Ernst Klain, had taken the watches home for the purpose of repairing the same and that he had done so and after the watches had been repaired by him, he the said Ernst Klain, the defendant in the above cause, had pawned the same, for the. And this deponent, now says that he had thus told the circumstances to ~~prop~~ protect and shield his wife. And that he then hoped that his employer, William H. Heathcote, might grant him time to pawn the watches. And this deponent further says that he has been in the employ of the said complainant about 3 weeks before he was arrested. That he has never in his life

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been arrested before now has he ever had any trouble with his employers. That prior to the employment of this deponent by the said William H. Heathcote, he has been out of work for a number of weeks (4 weeks)

sworn & subscribed

to before me at
New York
Jersey City this 14

Emil Klabin

day of December 1891

David Anderson
Notary Public
N. Y. Co.

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Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 40 Park Row Street, aged 50 years,
occupation Jeweler being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28 day of December 1894 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

Four silver watches of the value of Forty dollars

I swear to before me this day

the property of Deponent's customers in his care and charge to be repaired

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 Emil Klaker (name here)

Deponent says that said defendant is in his employ and had said property in his charge - That deponent missed said property and charged defendant with taking the same and he acknowledged and confessed in the presence

Police Justice

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my hearing of William Dunbar of
the 4th Precinct Police Court
Adell that he took said
property and thereafter pledged
the same
Wm. H. Deane

Given by before me
the 29 day of November 1891
J. J. [Signature] Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 30 years, occupation William Dunbar of No. 4th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William H. Leather and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 29 day of Nov 1891 } William Dunbar

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

Emil Klamm 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. *Emil Klamm*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *Hoboken N.J. 6 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Watchmaker*

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 pledged the property in a loan office in Park Row, the tickets are in my pocket book at home

Emil Klamm

Taken before me this

day of _____ 188

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Police Justice

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

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

Dated Nov 29 1891 J. J. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

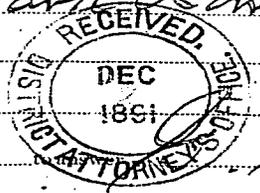
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm H. Beathote
40 Park Row
Emil Klahn

Offence *Drunk*

Dated *Dec 29* 19*19*
D. O. Kelly Magistrate.
Dumbart Officer.
4 Precinct.

Witnesses *William Dumbart*
H. H. Precinct Police Street.
Montgomery Udell
No. *40 Park Row* Street



No. _____ Street.
\$ *1000*

Committed *at*

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

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Emil Klahn

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *Emil Klahn*

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

The said *Emil Klahn*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *28th*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety - one, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*four watches of the value
of ten dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William N. Heathcote*

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

*De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.*

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DESCRIPTION:

Koopmann, Henry

DATE:

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Police Court 3rd District. Affidavit - Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 107 Forsyth Street, aged 37 years, occupation Merchant being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9th day of May 1891 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of Deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

One hundred and fifty dollars, in good and lawful current money of the United States

the property of Deponent

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

here for the reasons following, to wit: In May 1891, Deponent and Respondent took and lived in a furnished room and on the advice of Respondent to Deponent that he (Respondent) would send me by dollar of the said \$150 and I put the balance of said sum in bank to Deponent's credit. Deponent gave Respondent said sum in weekly payments of

Sworn to before me this 11th day of May 1891

Police Justice.

of and seven dollars
 Defendant misused by sending
 said money to Germany, or
 depositing said money in
 bank spent the same
 for his own use and
 purpose, Therefore now
 Defendant charged with
 Defendant with facting
 dealing and converting
 away said money
 by these representative by
 letter and device and may
 that he be dealt with as
 the Law directs, Bank Larkner

Done & before me }
 this 3rd day Dec 1891 }
 J. P. [Signature]
 Clerk Justice

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of taking
One Hundred and
Twenty Dollars
Henry Popmann*

Taken before me this
day of

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated..... *Dec 13 91* 1891..... *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... Police Justice.

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\$ 500, ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

New York, Nov. 1st 1891

Seven Months after date I promise to pay to
the order of J. H. Koopmann

Five Hundred Dollars
at 107 Forsyth St. Franz Lickner,
Value received

No. _____ Due 1st of June 1892.

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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

Henry Koopmann

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse Henry Koopmann of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Henry Koopmann

late of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 16th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the night-time of said day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of seventy-five dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of seventy-five dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seventy-five dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seventy-five dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seventy-five dollars

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of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Franz Lackner then and there being found,

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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Kramer, Ferdinand

DATE:

12/24/91



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Witness:

Albert Stern

Def't has been
in Al. Rec. Hl
Louisiana Pharmacy
Lancaster & then
are two checks
upon which he
forger his
Impress Dept.

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Counsel,

Filed, 25th day of Dec 1891

Pleads, Ferdinand Kramer

25th Dec 1891
THE PEOPLE
vs.
Ferdinand Kramer
Grand LARCENY, in degree
(MISAPPROPRIATION.)
(Sections 528 and 537 of the Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
Dist. 2 - Dec. 31, 1891 District Attorney.
Pleads G. d. 2 - Begree

A TRUE BILL.

Amable B. Dominguez
Foreman.

By: J. T. D.

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Police Court District Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Albert Stern

of No. 399 4th Avenue Street, aged 36 years,
occupation Dry Goods being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 2 day of December 1891 at the City of
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

thirty
dollars good and lawful money of the
United States

the property of deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Fredin and Kraemer

(now here) for the reason that on the said
date defendant was in deponent's employ as
a salesman and collector. Deponent is
informed by Catharine Dumas of 489

Columbus Avenue that on the said date she
paid defendant thirty dollars on account of
a sum of money she did then owe to the

deponent. As defendant did not give or hand
over to deponent the said thirty dollars but
appropriated the same to his own use, deponent

charges the said Kraemer with larceny and
prays that he be held to answer. Deponent is further
informed by Charles Heidelberg Detective Sergeant of that the

said Kraemer admitted to him that he collected the said money.

Albert Stern.

Sworn to before me, this

of December 1891 day

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Catharine Dumas
aged 31 years, occupation Dress Maker of No. 469 Columbus Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Albert Stern and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 19 day of December 1891

Catharine Dumas

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Charles Heidelberg

aged *29* years, occupation *Detective Sergeant* of No.

Central Office

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Albert Stern*

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

Sworn to before me, this *19*
day of *December* 189*1*

Charles Heidelberg

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Ferdinand Kraemer

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 100 East 28th Street. 3 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Seaman

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

Answer. I am not guilty, I collected the
money but I did not pay it to my
bro.

Ferdinand Kraemer

Taken before me this 19
day of September 1897

District Justice.

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

Defendant

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

Dated December 19 1891 *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Albert Stern
399 1/2 Ave
Ferdinand Kraemer

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W. H. ...
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Precinct

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated *December 19* 189*1*

J. ... Magistrate.

Heidelberg Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses *Catharine ...*
No. *469 Columbus Ave* Street.



No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *GS*

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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

Ferdinand Kramer

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
of the CRIME OF *Ferdinand Kramer* Grand LARCENY, in the second degree, committed
as follows:

The said *Ferdinand Kramer*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *3rd*
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*one*, at the City and County aforesaid, being then and there the *clerk*
and servant of *Albert Stern*

and as such *clerk and servant* then and there having in his
possession, custody and control certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said
Albert Stern

the true owner thereof, to wit:

the sum of thirty
dollars in money, lawful money
of the United States of America
and of the value of thirty dollars,

the said *Ferdinand Kramer* afterwards, to wit:
on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
did feloniously appropriate the said *sum of money*

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said *Albert Stern*
of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same goods, chattels and personal
property of the said *Albert Stern*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DATE:

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131 *W. H. L.*

Counsel,

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day of

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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

Meyer Turner

Jan 5/92

DR LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney

Spied & Counted of Assembly

A TRUE BILL.

Euamell W. Downing

City of San Francisco

Foreman

Jan 5/92

Part II
W. L.

Witnesses:

Jacob Portan

A. H. Rosenblum

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The People
v Meyer

Court of General Sessions Part I
 Before Judge Fitzgerald Jan. 5. 1892.
 Indictment for assault in the first degree.
 Jacob Pottar, sworn and examined. I live
 at 19 Division street and lived there on the
 6th of December. I am a salesman and work
 for Mr. Goldstein. I know a man named
 Rosenblau. I was not with him on the 6th
 of December. I saw him about eleven o'clock
 at night in his own house No. 25 Eldridge St.
 on the night of the 6th of December. I was going
 on my way home. Rosenblau was up
 stairs in the house. I called to him to come
 down; that is how the quarrel commenced.
 He did not come down; he said to me
 I should go out; he was looking out of the
 window. When you were calling Rosenblau
 did you see this defendant? I saw him
 and his brother. They were in their own
 house. They said all kinds of names while
 I was calling. He said, "Let that old thing
 alone; she will not come down." He
 thought I was calling for somebody, for some
 young lady. I was calling for Rosenblau.
 The brother of the defendant hit me with
 his fist; and after he struck me this
 defendant ran up stairs to the house
 and came down with a knife. I could
 not tell you what sort of a knife it was.

I saw the knife in his hand; I shouted out, "he stabbed me." Rosenblum was trying to catch him. He struck me with a knife in the back of the head. It was not much of a cut. It bled. I went down to the station house; he ran in the house. I went to the station house and reported that I got stabbed. I got an officer and brought him with me to the house and the officer arrested him there. The door was locked and the defendant would not open it. The officer said, "If you do not let me in, I will break the door open." He says, "you must get a warrant out for me." The officer took the defendant to the station house and I went along. The defendant on the way to the station house said, "My brother done it, it was not me done it."

Cross Examined. Mr. Rosenblum is a friend of mine. When I was going home I wanted to ask if his brother was up in the house. I met both the brothers at Kumer's bar. I got into some altercation. When there was two of them at me I was trying to get away from them if I could. I could not fight very much against two. I did not bruise him nor did I make his nose bleed. I do not know that I nearly broke

his nose. Has his face and all his body covered with blood? I did not see him; he ran away; the officer was trying to catch him. You did not see when you struck him? No sir, it was dark. I don't deny I struck him. Then I halloed, he has got a knife. Mr. Rosenblum was trying to catch him when he struck him in his hand. I am positive about that. Did you say when you were in the Police Court that you were stabbed with a knife? I did. I am positive that it was a knife because Mr. Rosenblum got stabbed with the same thing. This occurred on the 6th of December.

Abraham H. Rosenblum, sworn and examined. I live at 136 Hamilton Avenue, Brooklyn. On the 6th of December I was over in my father's house No. 21 Eldridge Street. I know the last witness on the stand. I have known him ten years. I do not know the defendant. I never saw him before. I saw Potter on the 6th of December pretty near eleven o'clock at 21 Eldridge Street; he was alone. I saw the defendant when I got him arrested. I saw him assault Potter before the fight. I was sitting by my father's window in the front, and Jacob Potter came over and whistled up whether my brother was in? I says, "no", and he went away that was

on a Sunday night. So I said, "Jake, come up." He says, "No, I am going home." So he went up Division street, and in a few minutes time I seen there was a fight. I raised up the window and I seen two of them on one - the defendant and his brother. Jake Pottar halloed out, "Come down." I went down, I tried to make peace. I took this fellow away from the other one, took Jacob aside; this fellow runs up into No. 15, it is in his place I thought it was all gone over. He runs to Jake Pottar and hit him. I do not know what it was, an instrument of some kind, a knife or pick, I could not say which. Pottar halloed out, "I am stabbed." I did not see, it was too dark. I went to work and tried to get hold of that fellow. So he comes to me and he let me have the knife. One goes through here and another one there. (Witness pointing to his hand and arm) I went to assist the complainant and I was stabbed through the hand. Then as soon as he stabbed me I had to let him go, he commenced to run and he ran into a house; the officer came, he was trying to get in, and he

would not open it. Mr. Pottar and I went down to the station house and we reported to the Sergeant at the desk. He said, it would not be regular, that a policeman could not go and take the man out from the room. The roundsman and two other policemen came there to open that door. He said, "Open that door." He says, "What for?" He said, "We want to take you." He says, "Get a warrant." The policeman says, "You have got to open the door right away." One of them jumped through the air shaft about twenty feet down in the cellar and ran away, and the other one they caught him in the house and brought him to the station house. After you saw the defendant strike the complainant did you notice any blood on his head? Yes. We examined his head in the station house and I saw the wound.

By counsel Was it a stab wound or an incised wound? Stabbed with something, I could not say. I did not strike anybody. I only told him to stop fighting, it did not look decent. I saw the brother of the defendant I noticed that he was fighting. I did not notice whether his face was bruised or not. He ran away. I could not see him at all. I did not see the commencement of the

fight.

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Abey Kumar, sworn and examined for the defence testified. I live at 15 Eldridge st. I have never been arrested charged with any offence in my life. I was standing on this night in front of my door 15 Eldridge street and two men were passing by, Pottar and Rosenblum. Pottar was eating a banana; he took the banana skin and threw it on the sidewalk. I said, "Don't do that; somebody is liable to go by and break his neck." He says, "it is none of your business." I said, "I live in that house, you would not like to see me throw a banana skin and you should fall down and break your neck." He walked over to me and hit me and threw me down against the stoop. I got up and two of them got hitting me and somebody saw my brother coming out and he pulled me away and he took me in the house. I stayed in the house and washed the blood off my coat. They hit me in the nose. I was all over with blood. I washed myself and I went away. I saw my brother come over, he pulled me away. Did he have a knife in his hand? No sir. Did he strike any blow to this man

Pottar? No sir. In this fight that you had did Pottar fall any time? Yes, in the gutter. I hit him once and then once he fell against the railing. I was beat. I have the marks yet and my nose was broke too. Have you got the clothing in Court? No sir. I am sorry I did not bring them. You have had them in Court each time the case was on..

Cross Examined. I never saw Pottar and Rosenblum before. Did you hear the complainant Pottar whistle for some one in the house on the 6th of December? Yes sir. Did you see anybody talk to him after he had whistled? No. He was not eating the banana while he was whistling, he had it in his hand. He had two of them, he gave one to Pottar and gave one to the other man. They were walking towards my house; they walked slowly; they did not say anything to me when they passed my house; they were going along about their business. They looked at me but said nothing. I spoke to them first. Did you see any of them or either of them throw a banana peel on the sidewalk? Yes. I said, "Please kick that off the sidewalk!" Is it not a fact that when you asked them to kick

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it off the sidewalk that they walked right along and did not kick it off? No sir they stopped and said "it is none of your business." I said, "Somebody can go by and break their neck. Why didnt you go out and kick it off the sidewalk, I did not think of that that time. I said to Pottar, you would not like to see me throw a banana skin and you should fall down? He did not say anything, but Pottar walked over to me and said, "What right have you got to interfere?" and he hit me on the nose. Rosenblum was standing there. When Pottar hit me I hit him back; we had a tussle on the sidewalk, and the other man came up and attempted to help Pottar. I threw Pottar off the sidewalk into the gutter and then the other man hit me. I was bleeding; all my clothes was full of blood. I did not see any blood on his face, he was not cut at all there was nothing the matter with his head I did not see the other man cut. I dont know who stabbed the other man in the hand. I saw nobody use a knife. I saw no blood on Pottar's head. I was not in the house when my brother was

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arrested; I went out of the door. I went away to some friend Jones and stayed there and he fixed me up a little. I stopped there over night and don't know anything about he got arrested. I remained at the house of my friend all night because I was afraid my father might hit me. I always get hit when I get in a fight. He said I ought not to start it. Did you frequently get in a fight? No sir. Who got the worst of the fight? I got the worst of it. Josephine Becker, sworn and examined. I reside at 19 Eldridge street. I remember the night of this occurrence. I saw the fight; the defendant did not engage in the fight at all. He went and took his brother away from the fight. At the time he came out did he have any knife in his hand? No sir. Did he strike any blow against this complainant? No sir. I was standing on the stoop. I saw the fight. Meyer Kusner came out and took his brother away, and after he took his brother away, one of the men fell down, I could not tell you who it was. Afly Kusner's face and nose were all scratched up. The two men who were on the stand were engaged in the fight.

Cross Examined. I am no relation of the defendant. I know his sisters and his mother. I am on intimate terms with the family. I got a subpoena to come down here this morning. I told the defendant that I saw the fight the night that he was arrested. I told his mother too. I never saw Mr. Pottar or the other man before. My brother was there when the fight was going on. He is about twenty years old; he was standing on the stoop with me when these two men were fighting with Kuren. Did your brother go down to help him? No sir. I did not regard the fight as very serious. I did not hear any man whistle for some one in the house. Did you hear Kuren say, "Don't whistle up there for these girls or those old things"? No sir. I did not. I heard talk about banana peels. He threw a banana skin down and he would not pick it up. The complainant said, People are liable to break their neck. That was before the fight. After that he punched Atty Kuren in the face. Did you see Rosenblum come down stairs from the house? No sir I did not. Did you see them both together when they were walking toward this defendant.

Yes sir, I did. I am sure. I saw them eating bananas; they each had a banana. I saw one of them throw a skin of a banana on the sidewalk, but I could not tell which one. Did you see blood on Pottar's head? No sir. It was a dark night about eleven o'clock. Affy had blood all over his face; he went into the house. I heard the defendant swear that he went to a friend's house and had his face washed. I was there and saw him. He was afraid to stay in his house; he went away and stayed away all night. The defendant took no part in the fight and he had no knife.

Charles Becker, sworn and examined.
I reside at 19 Eldridge street. I am a tin smith. I saw part of this fight. The defendant took no part in the fight; he had no knife in his hand; he did not strike the complainant a blow. I am housekeeper in 19 Eldridge street; on the 6th of December I was standing on the stoop and I saw a fight between two men. Who they were I do not know. I went over to look at it. I saw this young man here come out and pull somebody in the hall. I believed he was his brother - Pottar fell against the

railing. I saw marks on the brother's face; it was all bleeding and his clothes were covered with blood.

Cross Examined. The young lady who testified a while ago is my sister. Do you remember me asking her whether you went over to see the fight and she said, "no, you did not move," do you remember that? That is not so. If she did testify in that way then she testified incorrectly didn't she?

Yes. You saw these two big fellows who testified here for the people pummeling this young man? Yes. You stood there and saw those two men do it? Yes sir.

You did not raise a hand to help him?

No sir. This man at the bar here and his brother are intimate and close friends of your family? Yes, I know them;

we visit each other. While the two were fighting with this Pottar, Rosenblauw pushed him and this Jacob Pottar fell against the railing, a sort of spike sticking up; his head struck the spike.

Rosenblauw fell in the gutter. Abbe got the worst of it until his brother came out and pulled him in. I saw no knife used. I saw no stab wound inflicted on Rosenblauw's hand

I saw no sharp instrument used at all. I saw no blood on Pottar's head. After the brother of Afbe took him in the house Pottar halloed he was stabbed and he ran away. I did not see the defendant arrested. Afbe was taken into the house by the prisoner. I did not see him go out. I don't know where he stayed that night. I saw him in the morning in his father's shop. I talked a little with him but not about the case. His face was all bruised. I asked him how he got it? and he said it was in a fight last night. He did not tell me that he stayed out all that night. He told me he jumped out of the air shaft; he said he was afraid of getting locked up.

Afbe Kumen recalled by Counsel.

When your brother came out and went with you where did you go first in the house. After that where did you go? I went away to the house of Mr. Goodish. My father fetched these clothes into Court just now. The last witness on the stand does not work for my father. I went into the house and washed my face. I did not tell Becker anything about how I got away from there.

Isaac Kaufman, sworn and examined.
 I am in the ladies underwear business. I saw the fight between the complainant and the brother of the defendant that night. He two were fighting the brother first and this one came out and pulled the brother into the house. Did the defendant have a knife in his hand? No sir. Did the defendant use a knife upon the complainant in this case? I did not see any knife, I only saw them fight with their fists.

Cross Examined: I have known the defendant several years; he does not work for me; sometimes I go to his father's shop to get shaved, his father is a barber there. Was quite a number of people present at the fight on the night in question; it was between ten and eleven o'clock. I stood right by it. You saw Rosenblum and Potter fighting with Abbe did you? I seen those two lick the other boy - not this one you did not do anything at all to help the boy? I am not a strong man; the two were licking the boy; his face was all covered with blood. I did not see anybody eating bananas that night. I did not hear anything said about throwing banana peels on the sidewalk. I think one

of the boys fell on the railing, there is
an iron railing there and he fell
against that with his head. I did not
see any blood on his head. I merely saw
the fight, and the little boy was all covered
with blood. I did not hear anybody say he
was stabbed. I merely seen this defendant come
and pull his brother in the house. After
he took his brother in the house I walked away.
When I seen the fight it hurt me that
two men should lick that boy, and I
told the father I seen the whole business.
Meyer. Kernsen, sworn and examined.
I am 18 years old. I reside with my parents
at 15 Eldridge street; my father is a
barber. I was never arrested in my life
before this. Did you stab this complainant
as he relates here today? No sir. Did you
have any knife on that night? No sir.
I did not carry I do not know the day
since I carried a knife; it is about
eight years since I left school. On the
6th of December, Sunday, I was at a wedding
at Pythagoras hall. I came home that
night and went in the house and
picked up a library book and started
reading; a gentleman knocked at the
door and he came in over to me
and said, "your brother has

got a fight outside. I walked outside and seen my brother. I grabbed hold of him and pulled him away and walked with him inside. In about half an hour or so officers came and knocked at the door and I did not know what was going on. I was in the back room at that time. I have a younger brother goes to school. He asked, "Who is there? what do you want?" He says, "I want to go in and examine the house." He said, "you cannot come in here; if you have a warrant all well and good, you can come in." Then I heard what my brother was talking about. I ran in behind and opened the door and let them in. They came in and searched the house and did not find nobody. They arrested me and we went to the station house. When they first came in they did not arrest you as soon as they came in? No, they searched the whole house. And then afterwards they arrested you and another young man and took both of you to the station house and the other man was discharged? Yes sir. What condition was your brother in when you took him over to the house?

He was all full of blood; his face was all scratched and his clothes, his vest and shirt were too; his nose was kind of shaking. I supposed it was broke. I am no doctor.

Cross Examined. I thought my brother's nose was broken, it was all cut and bruised. My father told me he went to a doctor that night. I met my father in Court the next morning. He went to Dr. Yaffee on East Broadway. You stated you were sitting in your house on the night in question and a man came in and told you that your brother was in a fight outside? Yes sir. What is that man's name? I do not know. Is that man in Court? I did not want him. I did not want too many witnesses. You knew you were going to be called for trial and you knew that your liberty was involved to some extent? Yes sir. You knew it was in the discretion of the Court to imprison you? Yes. You did not want too many witnesses to come over and tell the truth in your behalf? I thought it was not necessary. You do not know who that man is? I know that man lives in that house; he is a pedlar.

I don't know his name exactly. I have seen the pedlar twice since this, but I never said a word to him about this case. I never carried a knife of any kind. I did not see anybody lying up against the railing. I did not see anybody in the gutter. I did not see there Miss Becker, her brother or Kaufman. There was a crowd about there. I took my brother into the house; he washed his face. Was there anybody in the house at the time he washed his face? A young woman and two gentlemen; the name of one is Zimmerman and the other I do not know. I don't know who the young lady was. Miss Becker might have been in the room. I did not look around, I was excited. I would not want to swear that Miss Becker was not in the room. I did open the ~~door~~ ~~where~~ the policeman came. My young brother said that he would have to have a warrant. The door was not barred and bolted. I heard the officer threaten to break the door in and I opened it. My brother Abbe went away. I don't know that he went through the air shaft. Did you hear Mr. Becker testify that Abbe told him that he got out of that room by going through

the air shaft. The air shaft is away in the back room. We occupy four rooms, he might have gone out through the door because I found the door open. I was kept in jail all that night. I worked as a barber two years for my father; his place is 124 East Broadway. The night in question my father was at a wedding. I have not been convicted of any crime. I have been arrested for playing ball. I have never been convicted of being drunk and disorderly and have never been in the House of Refuge. I was kept in the Tombs five days because I had no five dollars to pay. My brother, who goes to school, is not here; he was afraid to come. I don't know why I was at the same wedding my father attended. I came home a quarter to eleven o'clock. I don't know what time my father came home. I did not see him at home that night. I did not see him until I was in the station house.

Isaac Migowsky sworn. I live at 16 Market St. and am a clothing cutter. I know the defendant and know other people who know him in the neighborhood. I know his character for peace and quietness; he is a nice boy. I never seen him fighting; he is a good and quiet boy.

~~See also [unclear] and examined. I live~~
 at 27 Orchard St and manufacture boys
 wrists. I know the defendant and know his
 reputation for peace and quietness; he is a
 nice boy. I know him about eight or nine
 years and his whole family; he is a
 good, peaceable and quiet boy. I get
 shaved in his father's shop.

Phillip Silverman sworn. I live at 64
 Main St. Brooklyn and keep a stationary
 store. I know the defendant and know other
 people in the neighborhood who know the
 defendant. I know his general reputation for
 peace and quietness for the last six years.
 I know he is very quiet, peaceable boy
 I have lived in Brooklyn for the last year
 Jacob Pottar recalled by Mr. McIntyre.

On the night of Dec. 5th at about eleven
 o'clock I did not throw any banana peels
 on the sidewalk. I did not that night fall
 against any ^{iron} railing, nor did I fall in
 the gutter. I am sure my head was not
 injured by reason of its coming in con-
 tact with the iron railing. Abbe did not
 say to me that I should not throw banana
 peels on the sidewalk.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty
 of assault ~~and battery~~ in the third degree.

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Testimony in the
Case of
Meyer Korman
filed
per.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE
VS.
MYER KUNEN

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS:

William ZIMMERMAN, being duly sworn says: That deponent is a Rabbi and resides at # 86 Norfolk Street in the City of New York. That deponent was in the room, occupied by Mr. Kunen, on the night of the arrest of Myer Kunen, that he was present when Samuel Morris told the defendant that Abe Kunen was in a fight with two men in the Street, at that time the defendant was reading a book, without a moments delay the defendant got up and went out into the Street, he had no coat on and no knife in his hand at the time he left the room. The defendant was in the Street only a few minutes when he brought his brother Abe in from the Street. Abe was covered with blood and was bruised about the face. Myer Kunen did not leave the room to go to the Street at any time up to the time he went and brought his brother back. I followed him to the Street, and he did not take part in the fight.

Sworn to before me this : *W. Zimmerman*
8th day of Jan. 1892 :

Jacob Oscar Ben...
Notary Public,
N.Y. Co.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE
VS.
MYER KUNEN.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS:

SAMUEL MORRIS, being duly sworn says: He resides at # 15 Eldridge Street in the City of New York. That on the night of the arrest of the above defendant, I came from the Street to the rooms of Mr. Kunen and informed the defendant that his brother was in a fight with two men in the Street, that Myer Kunen went into the Street in his shirt sleeves, he had no weapon in his hands, when I went into the rooms he was reading a book which he put down and went to the street at once, it was a few minutes before he returned with his brother, that ^{the} Kunen was marked and bruised and covered with blood.

Sworn to before me this :
8th day of January 1892. :

Samuel Morris

Jacob Mankin
Notary Public
N.Y. Co.

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REV. W. ZIMMERMAN.
 86 Norfolk St.,
 New York.

רב ווי. זימערמאן.
 86 נורפולק סטריט.
 ניו יארק.

Performs Marriage Ceremonies according to Law.
 פארמאגט נישט און פארמאגט 86

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U. S. COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

The People

Plaintiff

against

Myer Kunen.

Defendant

A F F I D A V I T.

J. Purdy & McLaughlin,
Attorneys for

No. 280 BROADWAY, New York City

Due and timely service of cop of the
within hereby admitted
this day of 18
Attorney.

To.....

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE
VS.
MYER KUNEN

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS:

SAMUEL MORRIS, being duly sworn says: He resides at # 15 Eldridge Street in the City of New York. That on the night of the arrest of the above defendant, I came from the Street to the rooms of Mr. Kunen and informed the defendant that his brother was in a fight with two men in the Street, that Myer Kunen went into the Street in his shirt sleeves, he had no weapon in his hands, when I went into the rooms he was reading a book which he put down and went to the street at once, it was a few minutes before he returned with his brother, that ^{the} Kunen was marked and bruised and covered with blood.

Signature in Hebrew of Samuel Morris
017 (17) 71-2

Sworn to before me this :
8th day of January 1892. :

Jacob Manheim
Notary Public
N.Y. Co.

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

..... being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. Street, in the City of New York; that he is years of age; that on the day of 18, at Number in the City of New York, he served the within on the by leaving a copy thereof with

Sworn to before me this
day of 189 }

W. M. General

The People

Plaintiff

against

Henry ...

Defendant

Attorney

PURDY & McLAUGHLIN,
Attorneys for

No. 280 BROADWAY, New York City

Due and timely service of cop of the
within hereby admitted
this day of 18
Attorney.

To

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Police Court 3 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 19 Division Jacob Potter Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Salesman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 6 day of December 1897 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Meyer Kunen ~~and~~ who stabbed and cut deponent ~~with~~ on the Head with some sharp instrument which the defendant then and there held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 7 day
of Dec 1897

Jacob Potter
P. J. Duffey Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Meyer Kamen

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Russia

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

Answer.

15 Eldridge St 1 1/2 yrs

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Barber

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

Meyer Kamen

Taken before me this
day of

[Signature]
1889
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *Dec 7* 18 *97* *J. H. Keefe* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Dec 8th* 18 *97* *J. H. Keefe* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jacob Pottar
19 Division
Meyer Kuenen

Offence Felony
Assault

Dated Dec 7 1941

Leuffy
Robert Henry
Magistrate.
Officer.

11 Precinct.

Witnesses Abraham H. Rosenblum

No. 136 Hamilton Ave Street.

Brooklyn

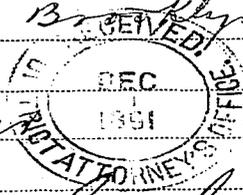
No. Street.

Office

No. Street.

S. 500 G.S.

Dec 7 1941



BAILED.

No. 1, by Leon Sobel
Residence 15 Walker Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against
Meyer Kunen

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

The said *Meyer Kunen*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixth*
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*one*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon
the body of one *Jacob Pottan* in the peace of the said People
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *him* the said
Jacob Pottan with a certain *sharp in-*
strument to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
which the said *Meyer Kunen*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,
with intent *him* the said *Jacob Pottan*
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
Meyer Kunen
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Meyer Kunen*
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said
Jacob Pottan in the peace of the said
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,
and *him* the said *Jacob Pottan*
with a certain *sharp instrument to the*
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
which the said *Meyer Kunen*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully
and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in such case
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their
dignity.

De Lincey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Kwetek, Israel

DATE:

12/01/91



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Counsel,

Filed

day of Dec 1891

Pleas,

Argued

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Israel Kibeteh

Grand Larceny, *Second Degree.*
(From the Person.)
[Sections 828, 831, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

(Signed, Quincy)

Jan 2 - Dec. 8, 1891 Foreman.
Chid and Acquitted

Witnesses:

Witness signature lines

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Police Court— 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Rose Moonshine

of No. 65 Spring Street, aged 38 years,
occupation Keeps fancy goods store being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 25 day of November 189[] at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

A leather purse containing good and lawful money of the United States of the amount and value of Three dollars and seventy nine cents

\$ 3.79

the property of Deponent's Husband

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 Israel Krutik (now here)

Deponent says that said defendant while conversing with her in store No 65 Spring Street in said City placed his hand in the pocket of the dress then worn by her and in which said property was contained. That

Sworn to before me, this [] day of [] 189[]

Police Justice

said defendant was in the act of taking the same when she screamed and said defendant ran out of the store - That defendant ~~was~~ ~~not~~ pursued him and caused his arrest

Rose ^{his} Moorehouse
mark

Sworn to before me
this 25 day of November 1891
J. J. Pease Justice

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Sec. 192-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Israd Krotchek 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. *Israd Krotchek*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *37 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *39 Hester St - 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Glazer*

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*

Israd Krotchek
made

Taken before me this

day of *Nov* 189*7*

J. W. ...

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Jan 25 1891 D. J. C. Buckley Police Justice

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 1- District. 1460

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Rosa Moorshine
65 Spring St
Israel Kretsch

Offence *harassment from person*

2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

BAILED,

No. 1, by *Sydney Kaufman*
Residence *477 Ave B* Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated *Nov 25* 19*91*

D. O. Reilly Magistrate.

John M. Delay Officer.
10 Precinct.

Witnesses *Esther Moorshine*
No. *65 Spring* Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *10.00* to answer *G B*



COMMITTED.

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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

Israel Kwetek

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

Israel Kwetek

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

The said *Israel Kwetek*

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

~~diverse coins~~ *of the sum*
of three dollars and seventy-nine
cents, in money, lawful money
of the United States of America,
(a more particular description
whereof is to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, of the value
of three dollars and seventy-nine cents and one
 Pocketbook of the value of twenty-five cents

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

De Lancy Nicoll,
District Attorney