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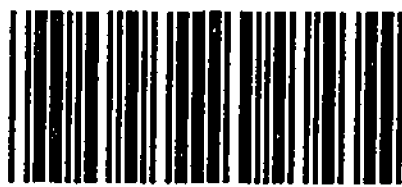
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Larsen, Emannel

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Witnesses:

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Counsel,  
Filed *23* day of *Dec* 188*7*  
Pleads, *Not Guilty Jan 3/88*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*B*  
Enmanuel Larcen  
*Jan 6 1888*  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

(Sections 822 and 885, Penal Code.)

A True Bill.

*Alfred Cammer*

Foreman

*Jan 11 1888*  
Pat II  
Complain sent to Special Sessions

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0011

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*against*

*Emmanuel Sarsen*

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

*Emmanuel Sarsen* —

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Emmanuel Sarsen*.

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

*Emmanuel Sarsen*.

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

**SECOND COUNT.—**

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

*Emmanuel Sarsen* —

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Emmanuel Sarsen*.

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

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

**THIRD COUNT.—**

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

*Emmanuel Sarsen*

(Section 323,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Emmanuel Sarsen.*

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
**District Attorney.**



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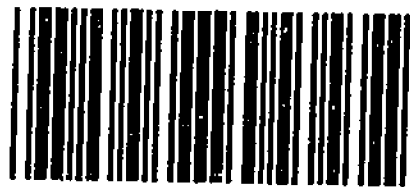
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Lautensack, George

**DATE:**

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VP 113  
Counsel,  
Filed, 19 day of Dec 1887  
Pleads, / Not Guilty (20)

THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
B  
George Santensack  
328 Broome

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
Alfred C. Cannon  
Feb 24/88 Foreman.  
Indictment of James

Witnesses:

The evidence in the  
within case is in-  
sufficient to sustain  
the indictment

Edward Moore

Sept 1887

Apprentice of about 18  
re-  
of indictment

for being off  
with duty

Court of General Sessions

The People

against  
George Santersack

Excise

H. P. Wagner

Depositions:

William J. Morrey,

Patrolman, 11th Precinct.

On the 11th of December, 1887, between nine and ten o'clock in the evening, I arrested the defendant at No. 323 Avenue Street. The place is kept by Joseph Parvitsch. It is a respectable restaurant and boarding house. The front door was closed. I had to go in through the side door. I did not see any liquor sold. There were four boarders in the place. I arrested the defendant, for keeping the place open. He is a waiter.

George Santersack,

127 Christie Street.

On the 11th of December, 1887, I worked as waiter in the restaurant.

home of Joseph Pavlitsch; at No. 328 Browne St. The place was closed all day, except for regular boarders. We had just finished our supper when I was arrested. There were four boarders sitting at a table at the time. No liquor of any kind had been sold on said day, and no one except boarders had been admitted to the place for the purpose of taking their regular meals.

Edward Groce  
Dep. Supt.

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ORIGINAL

0017

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs,

*George Santarosa*

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated *February 24* 1888.

*Edward G. Gause*

Deputy Assistant.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0018

District Attorney's Office,

PEOPLE

vs.

*George Lauterbach*

*Recommended  
for dismissal*

*J. C. Prosser*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0019

Sec. 198-200.

3<sup>rd</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

*George Lutenack*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*328 Broadway Street New York*

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 and demand a trial by Jury*

*George Lutenack*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0020

BAILLED,  
No. 1, by James Davis  
Residence 148 Broadway Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court- 5-2065  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William J. Scheraga  
George J. Scheraga  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence Viol. Peace  
Law

Dated Dec 12 188 7

George J. Scheraga Magistrate.  
William J. Scheraga Officer.  
11 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

RECEIVED  
DEC 15 1887  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.  
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DEC 15 1887  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

Dated Dec 12 188 7 W. J. Scheraga Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 12 188 7 W. J. Scheraga Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0021

Excise Violation-Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 3<sup>d</sup> DISTRICT,

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

William J. Mooney  
of No. 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Prospect Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 11 day  
of December 1887, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

George Lauderbach (now here)  
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 328 Prospect  
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be  
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of  
the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 12 day  
of December 1887

William J. Mooney  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0022

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*Plaintiffs*

*against*

*George Lautensack*

*Defendant.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows :

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

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Lawson, Henry

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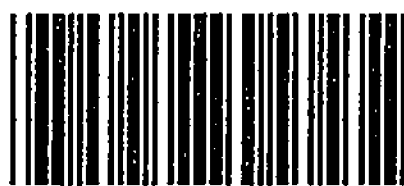
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**Wilson, Charles H.**

**DATE:**

**12/23/87**



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0025

WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Dec 1887

Pleads

2. Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE,

(Section 498, 506, 528, 531, 535)  
Jury in the THIRD DEGREE,

20. 11/10/87  
1. Confession

Henry Lawson

2. and

Charles H. Wilson

Jan 5 1888

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

May 5/88 District Attorney.

Chas. 2. Head of Jury

A True Bill.

Alfred

Foreman.

No. 1. Pleads guilty to 1st

Jan 5 1888 Jan 3/88

1. 5. 1. Three years & 6

2. S. L. Three years.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0026

Police Court 4th District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 415 East 59th Street, aged 47 years,

occupation Nothing at present being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 415 East 59th Street, 19th Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Apartment-dwelling the

2d floor of

which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

and the same was broken into by means of forcibly breaking in the door

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking in the door  
leading from the landing on the 2d floor into the front  
apartments occupied by deponent with some instrument  
unknown,

on the 19th day of December 1887 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Four Gold Rings One Meerschaum Pipe and Cigar  
Holder, Two Bank Books, One Silver Watch, One  
Gold Shirt-Button and One Dred all being  
of the value of fifty dollars \$50.00

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

Henry Lawson and Charles H Wilson  
(both grovelers)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That said premises were securely locked  
and fastened on said day and that at about 10 o'clock P.M.  
deponent was going into his apartments, when he dis-  
covered that some person or persons were holding the door  
on the inside that he pulled on the door when they  
opened it that he deponent saw said defendants  
in his apartments that one then held an uplifted  
club in his hand and threatened deponent with  
it that the defendants then ran out followed by



deponent who shouted "stop thief" that he followed them about 2 blocks when they were caught one by deponent and others the other by the Police Officer (Cornelius Kirby of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Precinct) That when said defendants were brought to the Station House, the Match Cigar Hold and Buttons were found in the possession of the defendant giving the name of Harry Larson, and both had a number of Burglary implements. Deponent positively identifies the two men now here as the two men who Burglariously entered his apartments and stole said property and asks that they be held to answer and dealt with according to law

Sworn before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 1887  
John Thaubert  
San't Official Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated 1887  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1887  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1887  
Police Justice

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
vs.	
Offence—BURGLARY.	
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3	4
Date	1887
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witness.	
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
\$	to answer General Sessions.

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ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*Charles H. Wilson*

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. *Charles H. Wilson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *Brooklyn*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Agent*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*  
*Chas. H. Wilson*

Taken before me this *19th*

day of *December*

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*Samuel C. H. Justice* Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0029

Sec. 198—200.

*Lt. J.*

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*Harry Lawson*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Harry Lawson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*None*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Cauvasser*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty.*

*Harry Lawson*

Taken before me this

day of

*December* 188*8*

*James J. O'Connell*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0030

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

33  
Police Court District.  
2093

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. H. H. H.  
415  
Henry Lawson  
Charles H. Wilson

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Offence Burglary and  
Larceny

Dated December 19th 1887

Magistrate.

Officer.

23d  
Precinct.

Witnesses: Thomas Martin

No. 224 E 57th Street

No. 405 E 57th Street

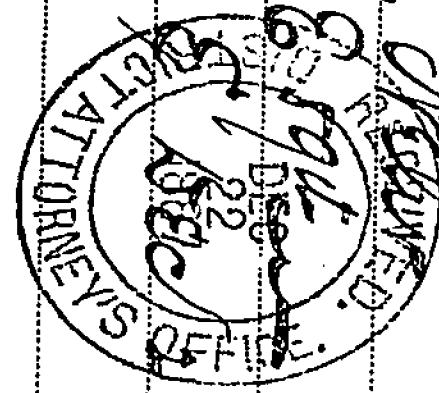
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

Henry Lawson and Charles H. Wilson  
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Fifteen Hundred Dollars, each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of  
the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated December 19 1887  
Samuel C. Hill Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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0031

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 Sawson and  
Charles M. Wilson

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

Henry Sawson and Charles M. Wilson

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

The said Henry Sawson and Charles  
M. Wilson, both —

late of the 19<sup>th</sup> Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, with force and arms, in the  
day time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the  
dwelling house of one John Standish, —

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 John Standish, —

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.



SECOND COUNT.

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

*Henry Sawson and Charles W. Wilson*

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

The said *Henry Sawson and Charles W. Wilson, both* —

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

*value of ten dollars each, one ring of the value of five dollars, one cigar holder of the value of five dollars, two black books of the value of ten cents each, one watch of the value of fifteen dollars, one silk button of the value of five dollars, and one written instrument and evidence of contract, to wit: a certain deed, of the value of five dollars,*

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

in the dwelling house of the said *John Wandert,* —

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

*Handwritten signature*  
District Attorney.

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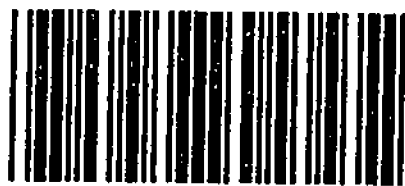
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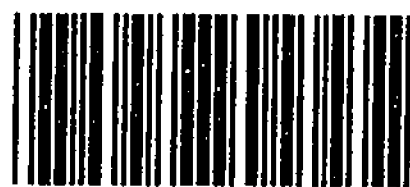
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Ellis, Walter C.

**DATE:**

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Witnesses:

Under the  
decision of the  
General Term  
in the Todd  
case there can  
be no conviction  
in this case -  
The indictment  
was found in 1887  
I did not find it  
- meant to disappear

May 23 '92  
G.S.H.  
A.D.A.

Counsel,

Filed, 14 day of Dec 1887

Pleads, *Chazaly W.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*  
John N. Lee

*B*  
aw

Walter C. Ellis

GAMING HOUSE, &c.  
[Sections 848, 844 and 885 Penal Code.]

*May 23 Dec 1887*  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

*May 23 - From 23, 1892*  
On motion of *John N. Lee*  
Indictment dismissed

A True Bill.

*May 23*  
*G.S.H.*  
Foreman

I.

McGinnis

There were at least fifty  
persons in the office when I was there  
November 17, 1887 - went to office about 12 o'clock -  
they were coming in & going out -

I saw them buying tickets - putting  
in money & taking money. I remained  
there half an hour.  
When I went in I took a small  
ticket out of a box. I filled out a  
printed order to buy 10 shots & I  
signed my name to it - & handed  
it to a man with a reddish beard.  
He read notice & took 10¢  
& about 15 minutes after - I got  
ticket from other clerk.

Black boards - with clock rotations  
marked with number, & names of people  
to Charles & the class of people you saw  
there. Brinkley -

From the Michael J. Hyman - Police Head -  
4<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> -  
of December - I saw further down to see whether  
money was handed over - wrote the  
printed slips - I was in every day  
from 10 minutes to half hour -  
I saw 20 to 50 people there every day.

I saw many men in there & a great  
many numbers - Every five  
minutes I saw transactions  
made - I saw them pay money  
at a glass window where I saw  
a Cashier & never saw any California  
or Nevada money.

I saw many  
men - men  
who looked  
as if they  
had no  
business.

2.

Detective ~~Van~~ <sup>Smith</sup> ~~Smith~~ <sup>Smith</sup> -

Has been in dept. place a good  
many times -

Will describe all <sup>about</sup> the ~~business~~ <sup>business</sup>.

Classes of people meet there -

Saw that no block was delivered.

Confirms his timing to be between  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 15 + Dec 14. -

Was in there during

Saw for d. -

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City and County of New York, ss:

FRANK SANFORD, being duly sworn, deposes and says:  
I reside at 448<sup>West</sup> 58th Street and am in the employ of Schuy-  
ler's Detective Agency of 120 Broadway in this city. I  
have heard read the foregoing affidavit of George O. Van  
Vost<sup>a</sup> Jr. I was present with him at the time of the trans-  
actions with the Standard Stock Company, detailed in his  
affidavit, and confirm his account thereof in every par-  
ticular. Pursuant to instructions from Mr. F. D. Schuyler,  
General Manager of the said agency, I, in company with Mr.  
Van Vost<sup>a</sup>, visited the New Street and Broadway offices of  
the Standard Stock Company, and upon the same occasions as  
those alluded to in his affidavit, similar transactions to  
his were had by me, with the exception that my transaction  
was in each instance that of buying five shares of Reading  
stock instead of selling five shares of Lackawanna stock.  
I noticed the same circumstances detailed in Mr. Van Vost<sup>a</sup>'s  
affidavit as to the method of transacting business, the  
lack of delivery or offer of any stock in pursuance of  
the transactions, the conduct of the business and the set-  
tlement of differences according to the fluctuations in  
the price of the stocks in the Stock Exchange as recorded  
upon the blackboard in the offices of said company.

Sworn to before me  
this 13th day of ~~Dec~~ <sup>Nov</sup>  
ber, 1887.

Frank Sanford

A. D. Parker  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

GAMBLING.

JOHN LEE and WALTER C. ELLIS.

City and County of New York, ss:

ANDREW D. PARKER, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am chief clerk in the office of the District Attorney.

The information in the above entitled case was laid before the Grand Jury of this County during the term of November last, and dismissed by them on the 28th of said month.

The testimony given before said jury by the complainant, officer John McGinniss, a detective attached to the Municipal Police <sup>Force</sup> ~~Court~~, furnished, in my opinion, all the elements of a prima facie case against the defendants for the crime charged in the information, the maintaining of a Gambling establishment (being specifically of the character known as a Bucket shop), and upon said testimony a bill should in my opinion have been found. I have inspected the full stenographic minutes of the said testimony, and find

there is no defect in the case presented by it, *& that the gambling nature of the transaction charged is clearly disclosed.*

Appended hereto are further affidavits of transactions had with said defendants, which furnish further proof of the nature of the establishment maintained by them.

Upon the information herein, and on all these affidavits, I am instructed by the District Attorney to apply for a re-submission of the case to the Grand Jury for this Term.

*Sworn to before me this  
13th day of December, 1887.*

*Andolph L. Schaff*  
COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,  
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

*AD Parker*



City and County of New York, ss:

GEORGE O. VAN VOST<sup>a</sup>, JR., being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at 213 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, and am in the employ of Schuyler's Detective Agency of 120 Broadway in this city. On the 22nd of October last, in accordance with instructions received from Mr. F. D. Schuyler, general manager of the said agency, I visited the premises No. 38 New Street in this city, occupied by a concern called The Standard Stock Company, Limited. I found in the office of said Company at said premises, a large number of persons, a bulletin board, and the various paraphernalia used in what is generally known as a Bucket shop. I approached a person who was apparently in charge of the said premises, and transacting the business carried on there, having previously filled out a printed blank furnished by the establishment, which requested the said alleged Company to sell five shares of Lackawanna stock for my benefit, and handed said blank so filled out to said person, accompanying the same with Five dollars, for which money I got a receipt, in the form hereto annexed, from another person in the place, apparently connected with the said Company. This transaction occurred a little after eleven o'clock. I waited at the said premises until about two o'clock on the same day, when I delivered the said receipt to the same person from whom I had received it. The said receipt was then handed to the cashier, whose name I understand to be Ellis, from whom I received \$2.50, the said stock being declared to have risen a half a point.



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While in said place, I saw various other persons engaged in similar transactions, putting their money in and receiving such contracts and closing them out in the same manner. Such transactions were entirely governed by the prices of the stock as they appeared upon the black-board, being placed there by a young man to whom the variations were called out by the party from whom I received my slip in the first instance. No stocks were received or delivered in my presence, either by myself or any one else, but the transactions were simply giving the differences settled by the fluctuations of the stock market as appeared on the bulletin board above mentioned.

Upon the 24th of October ult. under similar instructions, I again called at the premises of said Standard Stock Co., and in the same manner gave an order to sell five shares of Lackawanna on my account. I closed out on the same day and was paid a few cents, precisely what I do not recollect, as the result of the transaction. The same state of affairs prevailed upon this day in regard to the matter of delivery or offer of stock and in regard to the way in which the transactions were governed and the differences were settled, as upon the 22nd.

Upon the 25th of October ult., under similar instructions, I visited the branch office of the said Stock Company, situated at the White Elephant Saloon on the west side of Broadway, between 30th and 31st Streets, and there made a similar transaction in all respects to those hereinbefore recited. The facts as to the delivery or offer of stock, as to the persons engaged in similar transactions,

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and as to the method in which differences were settled, and the business conducted, are the same in all respects as those relating to the transactions taking place at No. 38 New Street. I have read the accompanying affidavit of Mr. Frank Sanford. I was in company with him on the occasions alluded to in his affidavit when he did business with the said Standard Stock Company, and can confirm his account of the transactions in every respect.

*Sworn to before me this  
13th day of December, 1887*

*Attest*

*Notary Public*

*G. C. Brew Coats Jr.*  
*N.Y. Co.*

Court of General Sessions,  
of the City and County of New York.

The People &c  
against  
John N. Lee and  
Walter C. Ellis

Bucket Shops.

For keeping gambling  
implements.

To John R. Fellows Esq  
District Attorney

Sir:

Please take notice that on Friday next  
January 6<sup>th</sup> 1888 a motion will be made before Hon:  
Henry A. Gildersleeve Judge of this Court in Person  
thereof at the opening of Court on said day that the  
indictment in the above cases against the defendants  
above named be dismissed and the defendants  
discharged therefrom on the ground that there has  
been unnecessary delay in the prosecution of said  
Indictment notwithstanding that the defendants  
have been clamorous for a trial.

Dated January 6<sup>th</sup> 1888.

Howe & Hummel.

of Counsel for defendants.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY 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 .....18 } .....

N. D. General Sessions

The People -

Plaintiff,

against  
John A. Lee and  
Walter C. Ellis.

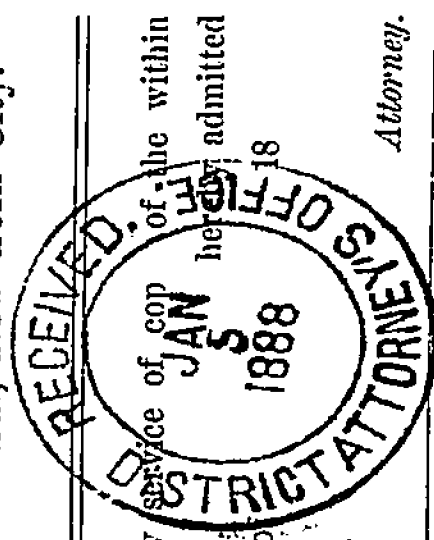
Defendant.

Notice of Motion

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for defendants

87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.



Attorney.

To Hon John R. Feltus

District Attorney

N. Y. City

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

*Walter C. Ellis* 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.

*Walter C. Ellis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Boston, Mass.*

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

Answer.

*646 Fulton St. Since April*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*None*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty-  
and if held I demand  
a trial by jury.*

*Walter C. Ellis*

Taken before me this

day of

*November*  
188*9*

Police Justice.

*J. H. [Signature]*



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*John Lee*  
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. *John Lee*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *36 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Indiana*

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

Answer. *354 West 32<sup>nd</sup> 1 year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty - and  
if held I demand a trial  
by jury.*

*X John U. Lee*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1887

Police Justice.

*J. H. Whitcomb*



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Sec. 151. Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices for the City of New York, by John D. McGinnis  
of No. 300 Mulberry Street, that on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Nov.  
1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

John Doe & Richard Roe whom  
True names are unknown but  
who can be identified  
and keep a room at  
38 New Street in said city  
for gambling in violation  
of Sec 343. Penal Code

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring them  
forthwith before me, at the 1<sup>st</sup> District Police Court, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Nov 1888.

J. H. Smith POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John D. McGinnis

vs

John Doe &  
Richard Roe.

Warrant-General.

Dated Nov 22<sup>nd</sup> 1888.

Magistrate.

Officer.

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

Officer.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, \_\_\_\_\_

Native of \_\_\_\_\_

Age, \_\_\_\_\_

Sex, \_\_\_\_\_

Complexion, \_\_\_\_\_

Color, \_\_\_\_\_

Profession, \_\_\_\_\_

Married, \_\_\_\_\_

Single, \_\_\_\_\_

Read, \_\_\_\_\_

Write, \_\_\_\_\_

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Recommitted and later accordance  
with above order. ASDP

See 13/87

In the case of  
Mary Brown  
that she can be  
subscribed to the  
summons and  
return them

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

Bailed

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
vs. ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Matter C. Ellis

1900 13/87 1944  
Police Court District.

Dated

Mar 23 188

Magistrate

Officer

Prison

Witnesses

No. 1

Street

No. 2

Street

No. 3

Street

No. 4

Street

No. 5

Street

No. 6

Street

No. 7

Street

No. 8

Street

No. 9

Street

No. 10

Street

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

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

Dated Mar 23 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated Mar 23 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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C. G. BURGONNE'S "QUICK" PRINT, 148-150 CENTRE STREET.

Court of General Sessions:

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The People of the State of New York,  
against

John N. Lee.

Indicted for the Misdemeanor of

Keeping a gaming  
house.

I, the undersigned John N. Lee — the above-named Defendant,  
hereby retain, employ and authorize WILLIAM F. HOWE and ABRAHAM H. HUMMEL, Attorneys and  
Counselors at Law, to appear for me, on my behalf and in my place and stead, in the Courts of Oyer  
and Terminer and General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New  
York, in the above-entitled action, and the matter of the indictment now pending against me in said  
Court of General Sessions for the Misdemeanor of Keeping a gaming  
house.

I do hereby expressly authorize my said Attorneys, or either of them, to appear for me in said Courts of  
Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions of the Peace as my duly authorized Attorney and Attorneys for  
that purpose, and to plead for me not guilty to said indictment, and to appear for me on the trial  
thereof in the said Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions, and to proceed with the trial  
thereof in said Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions, in my place and stead, and in  
my absence on the trial of the said indictment, and I hereby expressly waive my right to be personally  
present at said trial.

Dated this 12/15 day of December 1884.

Witness

J. P. Kohler.

John N. Lee

City of New York } ss:  
County of New York

Personally appeared before me John N. Lee to me  
known who being duly sworn says the statements  
herein contained are true and that he does  
appoint the Attorney referred to, to make appearance  
for him.

J. P. Kohler, Not Public  
Officer N. Y. Co. Kings Co.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
City and County of New York, } ss.:

On this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-seven before me personally appeared the within-named John N. Lee  
known to me, and to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the above instru-  
ment, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and  
described.

Court of General Sessions

MISDEMEANOR

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
against

John N. Lee.

Keppiga Gaming  
House.

AUTHORITY TO APPEAR WITH WAIVER

[Section 297, Code of Criminal Procedure].

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for Defendant,



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C. G. BURGONNE'S "QUICK" PRINT, 146-150 CENTRE STREET.

Court of *General Sessions.*

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The People of the State of New York,

against

*Walter C. Ellis.*

Indicted for the Misdemeanor of

*Keeping a  
gaming House.*

I, the undersigned *Walter C. Ellis* the above-named Defendant,  
hereby retain, employ and authorize WILLIAM F. HOWE and ABRAHAM H. HUMMEL, Attorneys and  
Counselors at Law, to appear for me, on my behalf and in my place and stead, in the Courts of Oyer  
and Terminer and General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New  
York, in the above-entitled action, and the matter of the indictment now pending against me in said  
Court of *General Sessions* for the Misdemeanor of *Keeping a gaming*  
*House.*

I do hereby expressly authorize my said Attorneys, or either of them, to appear for me in said Courts of  
Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions of the Peace as my duly authorized Attorney and Attorneys for  
that purpose, and to plead for me not guilty to said indictment, and to appear for me on the trial  
thereof in the said Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions, and to proceed with the trial  
thereof in said Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions, in my place and stead, and in  
my absence on the trial of the said indictment, and I hereby expressly waive my right to be personally  
present at said trial.

Dated this

*14<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*December, 1887*

*Walter C. Ellis*



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STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
City and County of New York, } ss.:

On this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven before me personally appeared the within-named Walter C. Ellis, known to me, and to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and described.

*Hugh Timm*  
*Notary Public for N.Y.*  
*Certified to be a Notary Public*

Court of General Sessions

MISDEMEANOR

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
against

*W. C. Ellis.*

*Keeping a Gaming  
House.*

AUTHORITY TO APPEAR WITH WAIVER

[Section 297, Code of Criminal Procedure].

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for Defendant,



✓  
The evidence in this case  
is precisely the same as  
the evidence which was introduced  
in the case of the the People  
vs Todd tried in this court  
& convicted and subsequently reversed  
by the General Term of the Supreme  
Court & discharged.

Under the decision of the  
General Term in the Todd case  
there can be no conviction in  
this case & I therefore recommend  
a dismissal of the within indictment.

May 23-92

G. F. B.  
R. D. A.

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Lee & Ellis

*[Signature]*

Witnesses see Mr  
Doz Pafos at 10.30  
6th inst.

*[Signature]*

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MEMORANDUM.

Schuyler's Detective Agency,  
3, 5, 7 and 9 Beekman Street,  
DETECTIVE BUSINESS  
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.  
SERVICES RENDERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD.  
Processes and Papers of every kind served in or out of Town.

To Mr. Des Passes  
Acting Asst. Atty.  
Dist. Ct. Office

Dear Sir  
Kindly give them the  
reports of my efforts in People vs.  
This & see case (Docket No. 1) and  
Demetrius McCabe.  
This is all right - deliver  
papers referred to herein  
to the person  
B. J. Des Passes  
Very Truly  
Yours  
A. D. Schuyler  
Sam. Man

Mr. Des Passes  
Acting Asst. Atty.  
Office

EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
4th FLOOR,  
ROOMS 52 AND 53.

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Police Court, District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York }

of No. Police Central Office Street, aged 25 years,

occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1887, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, Walter C. Keller

and John M. Lee both now  
known as the persons of the  
name of John Roe and  
Richard Roe respectively  
named in the annexed  
affidavit.

John D. McGinnis

Sworn to before me  
the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November  
1887

J. H. Kithen

Police Justice



FIRST DISTRICT COURT.

City and County of New York, SS:

John McGinniss being duly sworn deposes and says :  
that he is a detective of the Municipal Police of the  
City of New York; that on November 17th he visited the  
premises No. 38 New Street, known as the Standard Stock  
Company (Limited). He found in said office a large number  
of persons, a bulletin board, and the various parapher-  
nalia used in what is known as a bucket shop. Deponent  
approached a person who was apparently in charge of the  
establishment, and deponent filled out a printed blank  
furnished by the establishment for the purchase of ten  
shares of St. Paul stock, at the price indicated upon the  
black board- 78; and on payment of ten dollars to one of  
the persons, in charge, he received the annexed exhibit,  
marked "A".

Subsequently and on the 22nd of November, on instruc-  
tions from Assistant District Attorney Purdy, he visited  
the same place, and was informed by one of the same per-  
sons that the stock was "wiped out" by a decline in the  
market. Deponent saw, while in said place, various other  
persons engaged in similar transactions, putting their  
money in and receiving such contracts, and that such  
transactions were entirely governed by the prices of  
stock as they appeared upon the black board, being placed  
there by a young man in charge of what is known as the  
"ticker". No stocks were delivered or received in de-



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ponents's presence, but the transactions were simply made and differences settled by the fluctuations of the stock market, as it appeared upon the bulletin board above mentioned.

WHEREFORE, by reason of the premises deponent charges that John Doe, whose real name is unknown to deponent, and Richard Roe, whose name is unknown, but who can be identified by deponent, and divers other persons, to deponent unknown were keeping a room at said 38 New Street, to be used for gambling, in violation of section 343 of the Penal Code.

sworn to before me this

*John D. McGinnis*

*22* day of November, 1887.

*J. M. Withers*  
*Police Justice*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John N. See and  
Walter R. Ellis*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *John N. See and Walter*

*R. Ellis* —

(Sec. 343  
Penal Code) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed  
as follows :

The said *John N. See and Walter*  
*R. Ellis, both* —

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New  
York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth* day of *November*, in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, and on divers other days and  
times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building  
there situate to be used for gambling; 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. (Sec. 344 Penal Code).

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

*John N. See and Walter R. Ellis*

of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND APPA-  
RATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows :

The said *John N. See and Walter*  
*R. Ellis, both* —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain

room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling table, and establishment, and divers cards, chips, devices and apparatus, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow to be used for gambling purposes, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT. (Sec. 385 Penal Code).

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John W. See and Walter C. Ellis* of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *John W. See and Walter C. Ellis, both*

late of the Ward, City and County, aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house, there situate, for *their* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *their* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called *a more particular* in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *John W. See and Walter C. Ellis*

there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

0062

**BOX:**

289

**FOLDER:**

2751

**DESCRIPTION:**

Lee, Mattie

**DATE:**

12/16/87



2751

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0063

Witnesses:

Myrtha Jordan

Officer Evans

Counsel,

Filed

1887

Pleads

Not guilty (19)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Mattie Lee

Feb 8/88

(Indictment dismissed)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Alfred Chambers

Jan 26/88

Foreman

W. S. B. Jan 23/88

19.50

I name the criminal of the  
within indictment

Feb 10 88

John W. Coffey  
Asst. Dist. Atty.

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.  
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0064

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Mattie Lee*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Mattie Lee*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Nest Indies*

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

Answer. *No 134 West 3 Street & about 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *House-keeper*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. The*  
*defendant assaulted me and*  
*I had to defend myself*

*Mattie Lee*

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0065

Police Court

Sec. 151.

Police Court 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices for the City of New York, by Martha Jasper

of No. 125 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, that on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by Mattie Lee

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring her  
forthwith before me, at the 2<sup>d</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 1887

J. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0055

Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martha Parker

vs.

Mattie Lee

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated December 12 1887

Jacob M. Patterson Magistrate

Francis Evans Officer.

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

Francis Evans Officer.

Dated December 12 1887

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_  
188

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

The within named

2<sup>10</sup> P.M. 32. B. West-End's New J. 21 184. W. 3. Street

BAILED,  
No. 1, by Wm. Stannett  
Residence 545 W. 23 Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

W. 23  
Police Court--  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Matthew Cooper  
125 W. 23  
Matthew  
1  
2  
3  
4  
Offence Assault  
Disorderly

Dated Dec 12 188

Matthew  
Magistrate.

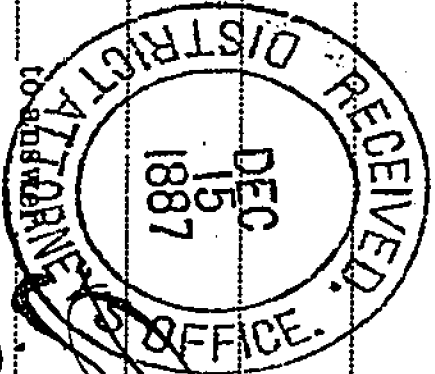
Matthew  
Circuit  
Precinct.

Witnesses  
No. 211 R. 14  
Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street.

No. 500  
Street.



Paul  
Paul

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 12 188 Matthew Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 14 188 Matthew Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0058

Police Court— 2 District.

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

of No. 125 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street,

on Sunday the 11<sup>th</sup> being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
in the year 1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

He was violently **ASSAULTED** and **BEATEN** by Mattie Lee,  
who struck deponent a violent  
blow on the right eye with some  
hard substance she, Mattie, held  
in her hand, thereby wounding deponent  
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 12<sup>th</sup>  
day of December 1887 }

Mattie Jasper

J. M. Plenum Police Justice.

0069

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0070

POLICE COURT 2 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Mattie Lee

On Complaint of

Martha Jasper

For

Assault

Misdemeanor

demand

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~waive~~ <sup>demand</sup> a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and demand a trial at the COURT OF ~~SPECIAL~~ <sup>General</sup> SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated

Dec 12

188

Mattie Lee

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Mattie Lee*

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

*Mattie Lee*

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

The said *Mattie Lee*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *eleventh* day of *December* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Martha Jasper*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *her*, the said *Martha Jasper*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *Martha Jasper* against the form of the statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

0072

**BOX:**

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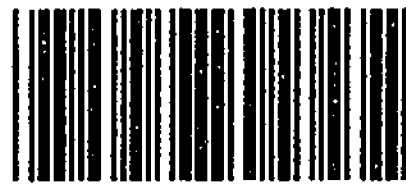
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lenz, Albert

**DATE:**

12/21/87



2751

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0073

WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Dec 1887

Pleads

Not Guilty (22)

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Albert Levy

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final disposition.

Part 2, 1893

Violation of Excise Law.  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and page 1989, Sec. 5.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0074

## **Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*Plaintiffs*

*against*

*Adolf Sauer*  
*Defendant.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said defendant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine* at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one *Rhodes Kern*.

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

### **SECOND COUNT :**

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows :

The said defendant, late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

0075

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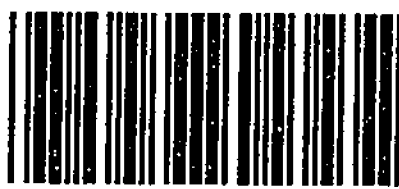
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Leonard, Bernard

**DATE:**

12/21/87



2751

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0076

WITNESSES:

Counsel,

1887

Filed 21 day of Dec

Pleads *Guilty* (123)

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*Bernard Leonard*

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling on Sunday &c.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and  
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

*12 Dec 13 1887*  
*Maury*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Alfred C. Cannon*

Foreman.

*71*  
*Forfeit*  
*2.12.87*



0077

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Demand Lemman* 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.

*Demand Lemman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*23 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

*Sweden*

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

Answer.

*245 E. 37th St / NY*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Banker*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and  
I demand a trial by jury*

*Demand Lemman*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

0078

*Dated* ..... 188 ..... *Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0079

Excise Violation-Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 2 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of Michael Mc Dermott  
the Central Office Police Street,  
No. 4th

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 4th day

of December 1887, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at premises No. 243 - 3rd Avenue Street,  
Bernard Leman (now here)

did then and there SELL, CAUSE, SUFFER and permit to be sold, and GIVEN AWAY under his  
direction or authority strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors,  
to be drunk as a beverage contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Bernard Leman  
may be ~~arrested and~~ dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 5 day }  
of Dec 1887 }

Michael Mc Dermott

John Leman Police Justice.

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

Plaintiffs

against

*Bernard Seaman*

Defendant.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said defendant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one *Richard M. Bennett* —

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT :

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows :

The said defendant, late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.

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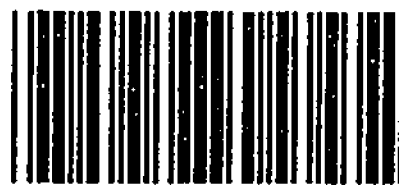
**2751**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Lester, Frederick**

**DATE:**

**12/20/87**



2751

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0082

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of

1887

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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

Frederick Lester

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 88 at Dept of Justice

Wm. J. Connelley

Oct 28<sup>th</sup> 88 at Dept of Justice

Frederick Lester



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0003

Police Court—3 District.

City and County { ss.:  
of New York,

*Gustav Schramm*  
of *the 12<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police* Street, aged *25* years,  
occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 188*7* at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, *at the Corner of Norfolk & Hester streets*  
~~he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by~~ *one Frederick*

*Lester attempted to violently and feloniously*  
*Assault deponent by raising and attempting*  
*to strike deponent with the sharp edge*  
*of an ax, the handle of which was*  
*held in said defendant's hand*

*That said defendant*  
*attempted to assault deponent*  
*as aforesaid while deponent was*  
*in uniform and in the discharge of*  
*his duties as an officer of the*  
*Municipal Police*

*do.*  
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 dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this *15* day  
of *December* 188*7*

*Gustav Schramm*  
*Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0084

Sec. 198-200.

3

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer. Frederick Lester

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. England

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

Answer. 29 Hester Street, New York, 2 1/2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. German

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.

Fred. Lester

Taken before me this

day of December 1887

John J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0085

Police Court--3 District 2086

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Justus J. Schumann  
12th Street

Medford Center

1  
2  
3  
4  
of the People

Offence Attempted  
Felony Assault

Dated Dec. 15 1887

Magistrate  
Officer  
Precinct

No. 2, by  
Residence  
No. 3, by  
Residence  
No. 4, by  
Residence

Witnesses  
Street  
Precinct

Street  
Precinct

Street  
Precinct

Street  
Precinct

Demanded by Thompson  
at Henry's Place  
Hornby Henry  
at Henry's Place

RECEIVED  
DEC 17 1887  
OFFICE OF THE  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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. 15 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec. 15 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0086

Form No. 1.

## THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

This Company TRANSMITS and DELIVERS messages only on conditions limiting its liability, which have been assented to by the sender of the following message. Errors can be guarded against only by repeating a message back to the sending station for comparison, and the company will not hold itself liable for errors or delays in transmission or delivery of Unrepeated Messages, beyond the amount of tolls paid thereon, nor in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after sending the message.

This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE, and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above.

THOS. T. ECKERT, General Manager.

NORVIN GREEN, President.

NUMBER	SENT BY	REC'D BY	CHECK
1504	Mr. Mess	Mr. Green	
Received at <b>255 CHURCH ST.</b> (Old No. 169), N. Y. <span style="float: right;">188</span>			
Dated <u>1504</u> <u>Third Ave</u> <u>my 17</u>			
To <u>Mr. Mess</u>			
<u>Idene D Hummell</u>			
<u>87 Eighty Seven</u> <u>889 Centre</u>			
<u>Impossible to call down today</u>			
<u>be down Saturday morning</u>			
<u>Mrs M Smith</u>			

Form 118

### Western Union Telegraph Co

Pay no Charges to Messenger unless written in ink in Denial

No. 1504 **255 CHURCH ST**  
**DIRECT WIRES**

Charges Mr. Mess  
Idene D Hummell



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0087

Form No. 1.

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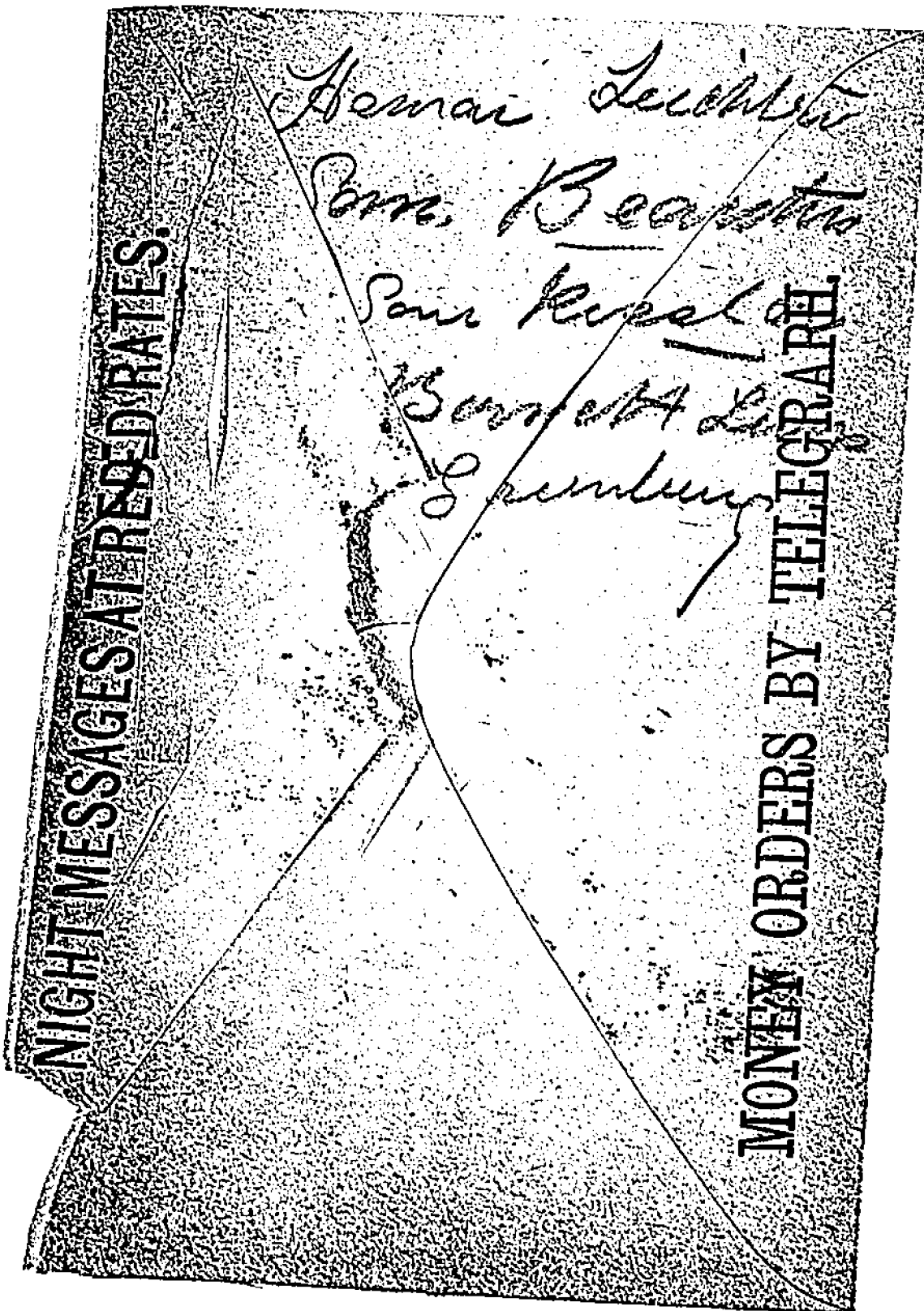
NUMBER SENT BY REC'D BY CHECK

Received at 255 CHURCH ST. (Old No. 169), N. Y.

Dated

To

1504 Third Ave NY 17  
Mr Mess  
I come to Hummell  
87 Eighty seven 889 Centre  
Impossible to call down today  
be down Saturday morning  
Mrs M Smith



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Fredricka Sester*

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

*Fredricka Sester*

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

The said *Fredricka Sester*,

late of the City and County of New York, on the *eleventh* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty*seven*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

*Augustus Schramm*.

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

with a certain *axe* which *she* the said

*Fredricka Sester*,

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a *meat* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *him*, the said *Augustus Schramm*, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *cut*, 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.



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*Second* COUNT. [Sec. 280, N. Y. City Consolidation Act of 1832.]

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

*Frederick Senter*

of the CRIME OF USING PERSONAL VIOLENCE UPON A MEMBER OF THE POLICE FORCE, WHEN IN THE DISCHARGE OF HIS DUTY, WITHOUT JUSTIFIABLE OR EXCUSABLE CAUSE, committed as follows :

The said *Frederick Senter*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterward, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the

City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Augustus Schramm*,

being then and there a member, to wit : a *Schramm* of the

police force of the City of New York, and then and there being in the discharge of his duty as such

*Schramm*, unlawfully did make an assault, and did then and there unlawfully, wilfully and without justifiable or excusable cause, use personal violence upon the said

*Augustus Schramm*, so being in the discharge of his duty as aforesaid, and him the said *Augustus Schramm*,

did then and there unlawfully and wilfully strike, beat, wound and illtreat ; against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

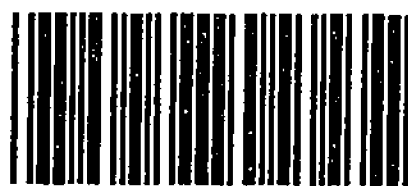
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lester, Louis

**DATE:**

12/16/87



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed, 16 day of Dec 1887

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

PETIT LARCENY.  
[Sections 528, 532. Penal Code.]

Louise Lester

County of Contra Costa, Special  
A. RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Alfred Cannon

Foreman.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0092

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*against*

*Samuel Senter*

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

*— Samuel Senter —*

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Samuel Senter,*

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

*one pair of Lodgings*  
*of the value of one dollar and*  
*thirty five cents,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James Simpson,*

then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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.

*Harold S. Brachman*

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

**2751**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Levin, Louis L.**

**DATE:**

**12/20/87**



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POOR QUALITY  
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Witnesses :

Counsel, *Wm. L. Martin*  
Filed *20* day of *Dec* 188*7*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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*Louis L. Levin*  
*Had a gun on me.*

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Pr May 27/88 District Attorney.*

*I am to say I'd for real*  
*by consent*

A True Bill.

*Alfred C. Martin*

*Foreman*  
*May 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 27<sup>th</sup>*  
*1905*



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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

*Louis L. Levin*

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

*— Louis L. Levin —*

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

The said *Louis L. Levin*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *eleventh* day of *November* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Solomon Lion* —  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *him* the said *Solomon Lion* —  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *Solomon Lion* — against the form of the statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Levy, Michael

**DATE:**

12/07/87



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Counsel,

Filed

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day of

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1887

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Levy

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree, etc.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 531, 535, 536, Penal Code.]

A True Bill.

Alfred W. Lawrence

Foreman.

Geo. W. ...

House of Representatives

Witnesses:

Henry Lee

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Police Court—3<sup>rd</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York;Philomena Buelow  
of No. 223 Seventh Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1887 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and  
person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:One pocket-book containing gold  
and silver money to the amount  
and of the value of three dollarsthe property of deponent and her husband,  
Charles Buelowand that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Michaël Levy, now here,  
from the fact that the deponent  
was walking in Avenue B. near  
5<sup>th</sup> Street she was stopped by  
two young men who pushed  
against deponent. That said property  
was then contained in the pocket  
of the dress then worn upon  
deponent's person. That deponent  
immediately discovered the loss  
of said property and then saw  
the deponent crossing 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
with said pocket-book in his  
hand and in the act of taking  
out the money therefrom

Ms Philomena Buelow

Sworn to before me, this

of December 1887

day

Alfred J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

93 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Michael Levy* 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.

*Michael Levy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*14 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Russia*

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

Answer.

*98 Bayard 2 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I Work In a Crocker's Factory*

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

Answer.

*I am not Guilty of the Charge  
The Pocket-book was handed to  
me by two Boys who are unknown*

*Michael Levy*  
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

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*John J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.



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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Police Court-- 3 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William H. Sullivan*

*223rd Street*

*Richard C. Cury*

*Offence "Larceny"*

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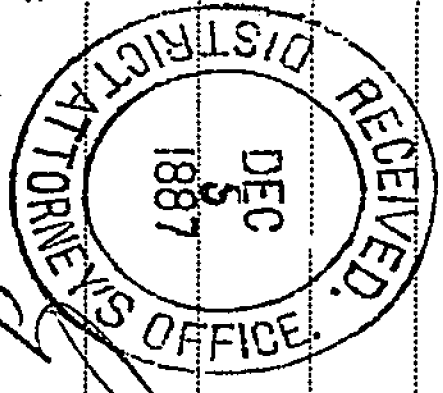
Dated *Dec 2* 1887

*John H. Sullivan* Magistrate.

*John H. Sullivan* Officer.

Witnesses *John H. Sullivan*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
*John H. Sullivan* Street,



No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
*John H. Sullivan* Street,

\$ *1000* to answer *John H. Sullivan*

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

*John H. Sullivan*

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 2* 1887 *John H. Sullivan* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Michael Sany*

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

*— Michael Sany —*

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

The said

*Michael Sany*

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

*one pocket book of the*

*value of one dollar, and the sum*

*of three dollars in money, lawful*

*money of the United States, and*

*of the value of three dollars,*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Michael Sany*—

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

The said *Michael Sany*

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

*one pocket book*

*of the value of one dollar, and the*

*sum of three dollars in money,*

*lawful money of the United*

*States, and of the value of three*

*dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Philomene Rudon,*

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

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

*Michael Sany*—

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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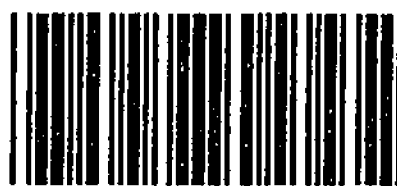
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Levy, Morris

**DATE:**

12/13/87



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Witnesses:

*Appls just offence*  
*Ch of case*  
*see before*

*for*  
*appls before*  
*10 days to*  
*see before*  
*see before*

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Counsel,  
Filed *13* day of *Dec* 1887  
Pleads *Ch of case*

RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*102 Orchard St.*

*Morris Levy*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*see vol 73 p 208*

*At Jan 2073 at 1078 District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*Alfred R. Martin*  
*Part II January 3/88.*

*Pleads guilty*  
*not back off*

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Court of Sessions  
People vs Morris Levy. }

City & County of New York.  
Abraham Levy being duly sworn  
says I am the father of Morris  
Levy - the prisoner who has plead  
ed guilty to the charge of receiving  
stolen goods - I reside at No. 102  
Orchard Street New York City and  
am engaged in business as pedler  
in this City & have been in bus-  
iness for the past 20 years -

My son Morris has always re-  
sided with me - he is 17 years of  
age - & has been working for the  
past 4 years -

He has always been industri-  
ous & obedient - and has never  
<sup>before</sup> been charged with the commission  
of any crime -

Hereto annexed are letters  
which I have received from  
<sup>his</sup> former employers. the letter marked  
A. being from his last employ-  
er at which place he was at  
work, when arrested.

The handkerchiefs which he  
received were kept in his room  
without my knowledge - & were  
restored to the owner -

My family has always been

a good reputation, I have eight children. — as to one of ~~which~~<sup>my</sup> daughters, there are prospects of her getting married, & if sentence is imposed upon said son, the disgrace will & may seriously affect her prospects in that regard.

My son is not naturally of a bad disposition — the commission of this crime was due to bad associates — if sentence be suspended I shall take the utmost precautions to prevent any future criminal act on his part: & respectfully beg that such sentence may be suspended.

Soon to before me

Jan 5<sup>th</sup> 1887 B. Abraham Levy

A. Stern

Notary Public

Long



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35 Faubourg St. Louis  
Offices:  
49 Rue d'Hauteville  
PARIS.  
30. Monmouth Street, E.C.  
LONDON.

Couch & Leung, N.Y.  
Imported & Domestic Cloaks &c.

465 & 467 Broome St.

New York Jan 4 1888

To all whom it may concern:

Morris Levy of 102 Orchard St  
has been in our employ from  
Oct 17/87 to Dec 10/87.

He has been industrious and  
attended faithfully to the duties as-  
signed to him. We were sorry to  
learn that he was complicated  
in the trouble causing his arrest  
as we found him to be honest  
while he was with us

A

Samuel Levy

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PHOTO ENGRAVING CO.  
PHOTO-ENGRAVERS & MERCANTILE PHOTOGRAPHERS.  
66 & 68 READE STREET.

New York, Sept 3, 1882

The Beards Manuier Guy  
has been in our employment  
some months and has been  
found honest and industrious -  
The only reason for his discharge  
being a lack of neatness in his  
personal appearance

Chas. Engle

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ELECTRO-ENGRAVING CO.  
Engravers and Photo-engravers.  
66 and 68 NASSAU STREET,

New York,

April 7 1883

To whom it May Concern  
The bearer Martin  
Lery has been in our employ  
some Months and we have  
found him honest, truthful  
& reliable in every respect and  
take pleasure in recommending  
to other employers

Electro Eng. Co  
J. M. Stanford atty

Exhibit of Testimony

People?

Rey?

City County of New York,

Danna Jones being duly sworn  
says I do business at No.  
231 Walker Street New York City  
I have been engaged in business  
for the past twenty years —  
I know Morris Levy the prisoner  
& know his family. The prisoner  
Morris was formerly employed  
by me — he was employed by me  
for over one year — during the time  
he was so employed (which was in  
the years 1886 & 1887) I always found  
him industrious willing honest  
truthful a boy of good moral  
character — never knew him to  
commit a dishonest act, that  
blatant opportunities to commit  
the same continually offered them-  
selves to him while in my employ  
he having access to money & goods.  
I have known his family for the  
past 20 years — the family is highly  
respectable & have always enjoyed  
a good reputation — and are people of  
good moral character. I did not  
discharge the prisoner from my  
employ until he voluntarily left the  
cause the work was



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too heavy for him  
from to before me  
January 4, 1888

Dramin Jones

Nathaniel Isaacson

Gemmaflectis

New York City

Court of Sessions

People

Levy

City of New York

Solomon Schen being duly sworn  
says I am engaged in business  
dealer in gent's furnishing goods  
at No. 15 Walker Street New  
York City. I am the complain-  
ant in the charge made against  
Maurice Levy. The goods found  
in possession of said Maurice Levy  
were my property - they were  
returned to me - none were  
disposed of. I know the father  
family of the prisoner. I know  
them to be people of good <sup>usual</sup> character  
respectable who have always heretofore  
borne a good reputation -  
I never heard of any criminal  
act on the part of the prisoner  
before the commission of the crime  
for which he has been arrested.  
I have known the family for  
several years. I do not desire  
to have said prisoner imprisoned  
if it can possibly be avoided. And  
respectfully pray that sentence may  
be suspended in his case. believing  
that thereby the future of said prisoner  
may be bettered. The value of the  
articles received by the prisoner



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is about fifteen dollars.  
From before me - Simon Schenck  
Jan 1887.

Matthew Osage  
Barren of streets  
New York City

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

BEING DULY SWORN

*Charles Jackson*  
SAYS I DO BUSINESS AT NO. *78 Bowery* IN THE CITY OF NEW  
YORK, AND AM ONE OF THE FIRM OF *Charles Jackson* AND HAVE  
BEEN ENGAGED IN BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *Clothing*  
FOR THE PAST *fifteen* YEARS. I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY  
AND MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF THE FORMER AND HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY  
FOR THE PAST *five* YEARS. SAID MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF SAID  
SAID FAMILY & CHILDREN OF *Abraham* LEVY HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPU-  
TATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER, AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS  
A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & HE  
HATH ~~BEEN~~ TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION. I NEVER HEARD OF  
ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFORMED OF THE COMMISSION OF  
THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*Subscribed and sworn to*  
*Jan 4. 1888*

*Nathan Isaacson*  
*Carr of deeds*  
*New York City*

*Charles Jackson*

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

*Louis Alexander* BEING DULY SWORN SAYS I DO BUSI-  
NESS AT NO. *104 Recovery* IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK & AM  
ONE OF THE FIRM OF *Alexander & Co* & HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN  
BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *Furniture & Carpets* FOR THE PAST *six* YEARS  
I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY & MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF  
THE FORMER & HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY FOR THE PAST *three* YEARS. SAID  
MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF THE FAMILY & CHILDREN OF LEVY  
HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPUTATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER  
AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF  
A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & HAS TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION  
I NEVER HEARD OF ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFORMED OF  
THE COMMISSION OF THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*From before me  
June 4. 1898  
Nathan Isaacson  
Clerk of deeds  
New York City*

*L. Alexander*

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

*Mayer Goldberg* BEING DULY SWORN  
SAYS I DO BUSINESS AT NO. 109 *Division St.* IN THE CITY OF NEW  
YORK, AND AM ONE OF THE FIRM OF *M. Goldberg & Sons* AND HAVE  
BEEN ENGAGED IN BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *Dry Goods*  
FOR THE PAST 10 YEARS. I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY  
AND MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF THE FORMER AND HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY  
FOR THE PAST 5 YEARS. SAID MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF SAID  
SAID FAMILY & CHILDREN OF *Abraham* LEVY HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPU-  
TATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER, AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS  
A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & HE  
HAS ~~TO~~ TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION. I NEVER HEARD OF  
ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFORMED OF THE COMMISSION OF  
THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*From before me  
June 4, 1883*

*C. J. Smith  
Notary Public  
New York*

*Mayer Goldberg*



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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

*Joel Sammet*

BEING DULY SWORN

SAYS I DO BUSINESS AT NO. *92 E Bway* IN THE CITY OF NEW  
YORK, AND AM ONE OF THE FIRM OF *Rubenstein & Sammet* AND HAVE  
BEEN ENGAGED IN BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *Dry Goods*  
FOR THE PAST *Seven* YEARS. I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY  
AND MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF THE FORMER AND HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY  
FOR THE PAST *Six* YEARS. SAID MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF SAID  
SAID FAMILY & CHILDREN OF *Abraham* LEVY HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPU-  
TATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER, AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS  
A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & ~~HE~~  
HAS ~~BEEN~~ TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION. I NEVER HEARD OF  
ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFORMED OF THE COMMISSION OF  
THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*Given before me  
June 4, 1888.*

*A. J. [unclear]*

*Notary Public  
[unclear]*

*Rubenstein & Sammet,  
Joel Sammet*

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

*James Rubenstein* BEING DULY SWORN  
SAYS I DO BUSINESS AT NO. *11 Canal St.* IN THE CITY OF NEW  
YORK, AND AM ONE OF THE FIRM OF *Mac Rubenstein* AND HAVE  
BEEN ENGAGED IN BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *any goods*  
FOR THE PAST *thirteen* YEARS. I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY  
AND MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF THE FORMER AND HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY  
FOR THE PAST *ten* YEARS. SAID MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF SAID  
SAID FAMILY & CHILDREN OF *Abraham* LEVY HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPU-  
TATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER, AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS  
A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & HE  
HAS ~~BEEN~~ TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION. I NEVER HEARD OF  
ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFORMED OF THE COMMISSION OF  
THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*Given before me  
Jan 4, 1938  
Nathan Isaacs  
Mayor of District  
New York City*



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*Levy 3.*  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK : SS.

*Isaac Wilner* BEING DULY SWORN SAYS I DO BUSI-  
NESS AT NO. *62 E Bway* IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK & AM  
ONE OF THE FIRM OF *Isaac Wilner* & HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN  
BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *Dry Goods* FOR THE PAST *6* YEARS  
I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY & MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF  
THE FORMER & HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY FOR THE PAST *5* YEARS SAID  
MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF THE FAMILY & CHILDREN OF LEVY  
HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPUTATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER  
AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF  
A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & HAS TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION  
I NEVER HEARD OF ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFORMED OF  
THE COMMISSION OF THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*Seen before me* *Isaac Wilner*  
*June 4. 1883*  
*A. J. [unclear]*  
*Notary Public*

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POOR QUALITY  
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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK: SS.

*M. Barit.*  
MESS AT NO. *62 E Bay*

BEING DULY SWORN SAYS I DO BUSI.

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK & AM

ONE OF THE FIRM OF *M. Barit & Co.* & HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN  
BUSINESS AS DEALERS IN *Jewelry* FOR THE PAST *9* YEARS

I AM WELL ACQUAINTED WITH *Abraham* LEVY & MORRIS LEVY THE SON OF  
THE FORMER & HAVE KNOWN SAID FAMILY FOR THE PAST *2* YEARS. SAID  
MORRIS LEVY AS WELL AS THE REST OF THE FAMILY & CHILDREN OF LEVY  
HAVE ALWAYS BORNE A GOOD REPUTATION & HAVE BEEN OF GOOD CHARACTER  
AND THE SAID MORRIS LEVY IS A YOUNG MAN WHO HERETOFORE HAS BEEN OF  
A GOOD MORAL CHARACTER & HAS TO MY KNOWLEDGE BORNE SUCH REPUTATION  
I NEVER HEARD OF ANY DISHONEST ACT ON HIS PART UNTIL INFETTED OF  
THE COMMISSION OF THE OFFENCE TO WHICH HE HAS PLEADED GUILTY.

*Sworn to before me*  
*January 4. 1888*

*M. Barit.*

*After*  
*Notary Public*  
*Levy*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Count of General Penalties

People

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Maris Levy

Affidavits

Affidavits  
Adm. for Penalties  
\$ 227.00 every  
year

Police Court, 1st District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 15 Walker

occupation Merchant

that on or about 5th day of December 1887, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, Morris Levy (now Lee)

Simon Schey Street, aged 42 years,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

and evilfully and knowingly  
received seven six seven hundred and sixty and six pence  
from Alfred Segall (now Lee) who  
is charged with the larceny of  
the aforesaid property from the  
deponent; for the reasons to wit  
That said Segall told the said  
Levy that he said Segall had  
stolen the said property from  
Complainant, deponent therefore  
charged said deponent with  
having evilfully and knowingly  
received the said property he  
well knowing at the time the  
same to have been stolen

Subscribed before me } Simon Schey  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1887 }

James M. Kelly  
Justice

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Morris Levy 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. Morris Levy

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. 102 Orchard St 8 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Grand Boy

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

Answer. I am guilty

Morris Levy

Taken before me this

day of

188

Samuel J. McCall  
Police Justice.



0124

BAILED,  
No. 1, by Arthur Lewis  
Residence 563 Third Ave Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court 1st District. 2035

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Simon O. Lewis  
Thomas Lewis  
1  
2  
3  
4  
Offence Reigning  
John Jones

Dated Dec 18th 1887

Charles H. Smith Magistrate.

Henry H. Smith Officer.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

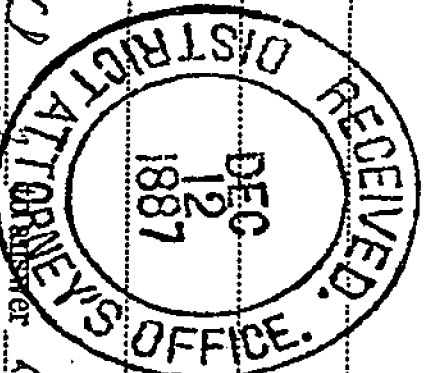
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.



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

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 18th 1887 Sam'l C. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

0125

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Morris Levy*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Morris Levy* —

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

The said *Morris Levy* —

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

*Twenty six handkerchiefs of  
the value of one dollar and  
twenty five cents each,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Simon Schrey* —  
*by one Alfred Seagull, and* —  
by ~~certain~~ *other* persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

*Simon Schrey* —

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

*Morris Levy* —

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2751

**DESCRIPTION:**

Lewis, Mary

**DATE:**

12/22/87



2751

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0127

Witnesses :

Counsel,

Filed, 22 day of Dec, 1887

Pleads, *Chargedly* (23)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

ATTEMPTING SUICIDE.  
[Section 174, Penal Code].

*Mary Lewis*

*Jan 10/88*  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Pr day 9/88*

*ind vacated.*

A True Bill.

*Alvin K. Murray*

Foreman.

*Jan 9/88*  
*J. B. L.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0128

Police Court, / District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 28th Precinct Police Street, aged 34 years,  
occupation Press officer being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 13th day of December 1887, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

Mary Lewis (now Lee) did feloniously attempt to take her own life by committing upon herself an act dangerous to human life to wit, by standing on a bench in a cell of the 50th Precinct Police Station house, and fastening a shawl about her neck and then trying to jump to the cell door and plunging off said bench, and choking herself with suicidal intent.

Sworn to before me and } Jacob Lambrecht  
this 14th day of December 1887

J. H. Wright  
Police Justice



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0129

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Mary Lewis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *440 Greenwich Street. 3 days*

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 may think will tend to your  
exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty I was drunk  
and didn't know what  
I was doing*

*Mary Lewis*  
*Mary Lewis*

Taken before me this

day of December 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0130

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court 1 District. 2089

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
vs. *John J. Quinn*  
25th Street  
1st Avenue  
1st Avenue  
2nd Avenue  
3rd Avenue  
4th Avenue  
Offence *Attempted Suicide*

Dated *December 14* 1887

*Whitcomb* Magistrate.  
*Leahurst* Officer.  
28 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

Dated *December 14* 1887 *J. M. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0131

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Mary Lewis*

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

*Mary Lewis*

of the CRIME of ATTEMPTING SUICIDE, committed as follows:

The said

*Mary Lewis,*

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

*thirtieth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at the City and County aforesaid  
with intent to take *her* own life, did feloniously *take, bind and*  
*fasten about her neck, a certain*  
*hand, and her said neck, with*  
*the hand aforesaid, so tied*  
*bound and fastened, then and*  
*there feloniously did forcibly*  
*and violently press, squeeze,*  
*choke and strangle, —*

the same being an act dangerous to human life, against the form of the statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their  
dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

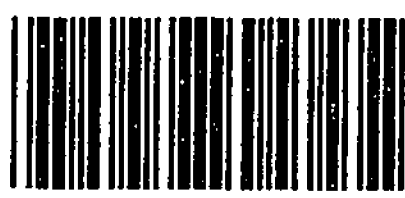
**2751**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Lloyd, James**

**DATE:**

**12/21/87**



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0133

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed, *Dec 1* day of *Dec* 188*7*  
Pleads, *Not Guilty (22)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*

*James Lloyd*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.

(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
(Ill. Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 6)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Assistant*  
I hereby consent that District Attorney.

I hereto to the Court of Special Dis-  
trict Attorney trial and *final*  
trials Bill. *for 1887*

Session, *1887*

*position*

Dated *Dec 13*

Foreman.

*W. Feb 13 9 AM*  
*1887*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0134

## Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*Plaintiffs*

*against*

*James Lloyd*

*Defendant.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows :

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.



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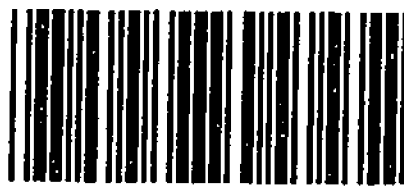
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lockley, Phillip C.

**DATE:**

12/15/87



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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202  
Counsel, 15 Dec 1887  
Filed, Chargill-16  
Pleads, Chargill-16

Madame  
Clark 583 8009137 § 27  
[Section Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Phillip C. Lockley

Dec 22 1887  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Alfred C. Martin*  
Part III December 22/87  
Foreman  
Pleads guilty.  
Fine \$50.

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0137

OFFICIAL CHEMIST  
TO THE  
N. Y. MERCANTILE EXCHANGE.

Office and Laboratory  
JOSEPH F. GEISLER, Ph. C., F.C.S.  
Analytical and Consulting Chemist,  
N. Y. MERCANTILE EXCHANGE BUILDING.

New Series, No. 1413.....

## Certificate of Analysis.

State of New York,  
CITY OF NEW YORK } ss.  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

I, Joseph F. Geisler, a chemist,  
practising in the City of New York, County and State of New York, do hereby certify that I  
have analyzed the sample duly sealed and  
marked 883 D. Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> 1887 #150 South Fifth Ave. N.Y. City, J.J. Sorogan, W.H. Meeter  
received from Mr. J.J. Sorogan N.Y. Or. Dairy Co.  
on Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> 1887.

### THE SAMPLE CONTAINS:

WATER.	-	-	-	8.75	%
ANIMAL AND BUTTER FAT,	-	-	-	86.68	%
CURD,	-	-	-	1.08	%
SALT,	-	-	-	3.49	%
<u>100.00</u>					<u>100</u> %

### ANALYSIS OF THE FAT:

INSOLUBLE FATTY ACIDS,	94.82	%
SOLUBLE " "	39	%
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF THE		
FAT AT 100 deg. F.,	9055	

This sample is composed mainly of animal fat, and was not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It was not produced from milk or cream alone. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter, the product of the dairy, and is in imitation and semblance of butter, produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream from the same.

I further certify that the foregoing is a true statement of the analysis of such sample so made by me as stated.

Respectfully yours,

Joseph F. Geisler  
Chemist.

Dated Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>, 1887.

New York

State of New York,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, } ss.  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

On the 24<sup>th</sup> day of October, in the year  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven, before me, the subscriber  
personally came Joseph F. Geisler, to me well known to be the same  
person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and  
acknowledged that he executed the same.

John Regan  
Notary Public  
of New York Co.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0138

No 883. B

New York, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 1887

*Chloroquine*

Certificate of Analysis.

*J. J. Givier*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0139

STATE OF NEW YORK,

CITY OF New York } S.S.:

COUNTY OF New York

Joseph J. Sorgan being duly sworn, says, that he resides at number Mount Vernon N.Y. Street, in the City of New York, County of Westchester and State of New York, is 30 years of age, and an expert appointed by HON. JOSIAH K. BROWN, the New York State Dairy Commissioner; that, at the times hereinafter mentioned, one Philip C. Lockley was the keeper and proprietor, of a restaurant a place of public entertainment, and had his said restaurant in a room in number 150 South 5th Avenue Street, in the City of New York, County of New York, within this State, and occupied and controlled such room and was in charge of such restaurant; that on the 26th day of September, 1887, deponent went to such Philip C. Lockley's said restaurant and ordered a Cup of tea and some bread and butter; and the said Philip C. Lockley in response thereto in his said restaurant then and there served to deponent as food for deponent and as a part of the said bread & butter so ordered by deponent, who was then a guest and customer of said Philip C. Lockley in his said restaurant, a substance in imitation and semblance of natural butter, produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream of the same, which had been made out of some animal fat or animal or vegetable oils not produced from unadulterated milk or cream from the same and by mixing, compounding with and adding to milk, cream or butter such animal fats or animal or vegetable oils not produced from milk or cream, so as to produce an article, substance and human food in imitation and semblance of natural butter and which had been made in violation of the provisions of Section 7 of Chapter 183 of the Laws of 1885, as amended by Chapter 577 of the Laws of 1886; that a more particular description of such manufactured substance, the ingredients thereof and the amount of the same are unknown to deponent and cannot be stated herein for that reason; that the same was so served by said Philip C. Lockley in the ordinary course of his said business; and said Philip C. Lockley asked, and deponent then and there paid him 5 cents for such tea bread & butter that deponent then and there took from the substance so served to him by said Philip C. Lockley a sample thereof for analysis in the manner required by law; and thereafter, on September 26th, 1887, deponent delivered such sample so taken by him as stated, to one Joseph F. Gilder who was and is known to deponent to have then been, and who since has been and is now, a chemist, practicing as such at number the Mercantile Exchange Street, in the City of New York County of New York, within this State, and deponent caused the said substance to be analyzed by such chemist; that the certificate of such analysis thereof, made by said chemist, is hereto annexed.

Deponent charges that the said Philip C. Lockley against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York, and the statutes in such case made and provided, wrongfully and unlawfully so served such manufactured substance and caused, procured and suffered the same to be so served to deponent, and was thereby guilty of a misdemeanor; and deponent, therefore, asks for a warrant against the said Philip C. Lockley for violation by him of Section 27 of Chapter 183 of the Laws of 1885, as added thereto by Chapter 583 of the Laws of 1887, and that he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me

this

day of

1887

Joseph J. Sorgan  
Police JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0140

Police Court  
Court of 2<sup>d</sup> District  
County of New York

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.  
Philip Q. Lockley

Affidavit:

Joseph J. Morgan  
288 GREENWICH ST.,  
NEW YORK CITY.

Witnesses:

William H. Mecten  
Residence 288 GREENWICH STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY.

Residence Joseph J. Morgan  
Mrs. Lucile Exchange  
Residence Mr. Andrew Morgan

C. D. Morgan  
Counsel  
229 Broadway



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0141

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Philip C. Lockley* 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.

*Philip C. Lockley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*25 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*England*

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

Answer.

*150 South 5th Ave 12 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Keep a restaurant*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and  
I demand a trial by jury*

*Philip C. Lockley*

Taken before me this

day of

*16*  
*John J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0142

Sec. 151.

Police Court 2d District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices for the City of New York, by Joseph J. Sorugan  
of Mount Vernon, N.Y. Street, that on the 26th day of September  
1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, one Philip C. Lockley  
has being the keeper and proprietor of a restaurant at No. 150  
South 5th Avenue in said City unlawfully kept and used in  
his said restaurant and served to the complainant while com-  
plainant was a guest there, a certain manufactured substance  
known as oleomargarine made and colored in imitation and  
semblance of natural butter the product of the dairy and  
not made from unadulterated milk or cream

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring him  
forthwith before me, at the 2d District Police Court, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 14 day of November 1887

POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court 2d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs

Joseph J. Sorugan  
Philip C. Lockley

Warrant-General.

Dated November 14 1887

Samuel S. Duffy Magistrate.

Donald M. Campbell Officer.

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

Donald M. Campbell Officer.

Dated November 16 1887

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 9:40 A.M.

Native of England

Age, 25

Sex, Male

Complexion, \_\_\_\_\_

Color, White

Profession, Restaurant

Married, No

Single, \_\_\_\_\_

Read, No

Write, No

150. S. 5th Avenue

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0143

BAILED  
No. 1, by Charles  
Residence Street  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Street  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Street  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Street

W 2 1890  
Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph J. Morgan  
Charles G. Duckley  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Street  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Street  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Street  
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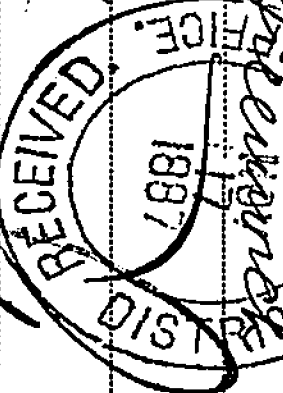
Offence Adulteration of Food

Dated Nov 16 188

Henry Magistrate.  
John Campbell Officer.  
Ornt Precinct.

Witnesses  
Joseph G. Borden  
Wm. M. Patterson  
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Charles

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 One Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Nov 16 188 P. G. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 16 188 P. G. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Phillip C. Lockley

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

— Phillip C. Lockley —

of ~~the crime of~~ a Misdemeanor —

committed as follows:

The said Phillip C. Lockley,

late of the Eighth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-sixth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

being the keeper and proprietor of a certain restaurant there situate, did therein unlawfully use and serve as food for one Joseph J. Sorogan then being a customer, patron and guest of the said Phillip C. Lockley at the said restaurant, a quantity of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same, the said article, substance and compound so sold as aforesaid, being rendered, manufactured and produced out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk or cream from the same, the

said article substance and compound ~~not~~  
having been manufactured prior to, and not  
being in process of manufacture on the sei-  
teenth day of June, in the year of our Lord,  
one thousand, eight hundred and eighty  
seven, (a more particular description of  
which said article, substance and compound  
is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and  
cannot now be given) against the form of the  
statute in such case made and provided  
and against the peace and dignity of the  
said people.

Randolph B. Martine.  
District Attorney.



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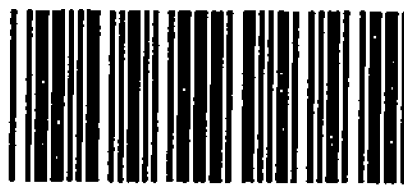
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Long, Edward

**DATE:**

12/13/87



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POOR QUALITY  
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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

13 day of

1887

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

CONCEALED WEAPON.  
(Section 410, Penal Code.)

Edward Long

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

for 20 days

Foreman.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0148

Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Long 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. Edward Long

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 36 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. North Carolina

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

Answer. 144 West 126th Street - 3 Weeks -

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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

Answer. I am not guilty  
Edward Long

Taken before me this

day of March 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court-- District--

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James McLean

vs

Edward Long

Offence

Carrying Dangerous Weapons

Dated Dec 7 188

Magistrate

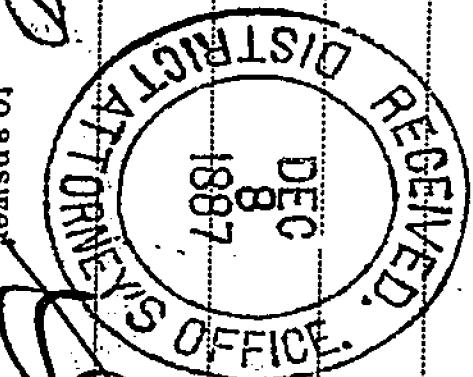
James Thompson Officer

Witnesses  
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No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

Dated Dec 7 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0150

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 5 DISTRICT.

Sworn before me, this  
December 1887 day  
of Daniel Sugan -  
of No. 27 1/2 Avenue Police Street, aged 32 years,  
occupation Police Officer - being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the 5th day of December - 1887

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Edward Long.

nowhere did unlawfully and feloniously  
Carry Concealed upon his person -  
a certain dangerous Weapon -  
Commonly called a - Slung shot. From  
the fact that deponent arrested the said  
Long and found in his possession  
the slung shot here shown. Deponent  
therefore prays that the said Long  
may be held to answer the same

Daniel Sugan

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Edward Song*

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

*Edward Song*

of the CRIME OF CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said

*Edward Song*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29th* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did furtively carry, concealed on his person, a certain instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as *a stung shot*, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

*Edward Song*

of the CRIME OF POSSESSING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said

*Edward Song*

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, feloniously did possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as *a stung shot*,

by him then and there concealed, and furtively carried on his person, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**