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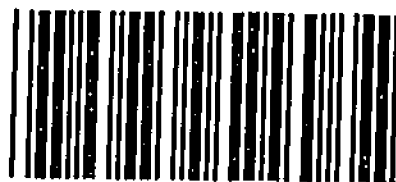
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DESCRIPTION:

Olson, William

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Capt. William
Off Blood

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H. J. Stenroos

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads,

29 day of March 1886
In Equity

THE PEOPLE

vs.

GAMING HOUSE, &c.
[Sections 343, 344 and 385 Penal Code].

William Olson

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. B. B. B.

Foreman

7 Oct. 27 1886

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POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

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

of George N. Shank
the 29th Street Street, being duly sworn, deposes
 and says, that on the 16 day of March 1886
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

William Sloan, was in charge of premises No
 6 West-29 Street; which premises the said William
 Sloan occupies and uses for gambling;
 That, about the hour of 11.10 P.M. on the above date
 deponent went to the above described premises
 and then saw the said William Sloan in charge
 of the establishment and several other persons
 engaged in playing games of chance for money;
 That deponent purchased from the said William
 Sloan a number of checks, which checks are
 commonly used in playing the game of draw-
 poker for the sum of two dollars, and immediately
 thereafter deponent did use said checks in a
 game of draw-poker which he played with
 five other persons in the presence of the said
 William Sloan and, at which game deponent
 lost the sum of five dollars and fifty cents;
 Deponent further says that the said William Sloan
 informed him that he was the proprietor of the
 place and gave him his cards with his name
 and the above address and invited deponent
 to send his friends there.

Wherefore deponent charges the said William Sloan
 with unlawfully keeping and maintaining a
 gambling place and knowingly permitting others
 persons to resort there, to gamble and play at
 cards and games of chance for money.

I have before me this
 27 day of March 1886

George N. Shank
 Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

2d District Police Court.

William Olsen

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. William Olsen

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Sweden

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

Answer. No 6 West 29th Street, 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter and Janitor

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

Answer. I am not guilty.

William Olsen.

I taken before me this

day of

March 1886

Police Justice.

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Police Court-- District.

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

To the Officers of Police, and Patrolmen, of the Police Department of said City, and to each of them:

Whereas, complaint on oath has been made before me one of the Police Justices in the City of New York, by George H. Blum of West 29th Street, that the premises known as No. 6 West 29th Street in said City, are kept and maintained by

William Sloan as a Gambling House and a place of resort for idle and disorderly persons, to gamble and play at cards and games of chance for money in violation of the law, and to the common nuisance of the People of the State of New York, and that in said premises on or about the 16th day of March 1886 said William Sloan did feloniously win and receive from complainant Five dollars in money, at, and by means of a sale of checks used in playing draw poker and playing the game called Faro, and that upon and within said premises may be found and other gambling tables, checks, cards, devices and apparatus used solely for the purpose of gambling, and the discovery of which might tend to establish the truth of said complaint.

These are therefore, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said Officers and Patrolmen, and each of you, to enter the said premises and therein make diligent search for such gambling tools, devices and apparatus, and if such be found to bring the same forthwith before me, or some other Police Justice for said City together with the said William Sloan and all other idle and disorderly persons who may be found and arrested upon and within said premises, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and seal this 16 day of March 1886 at the City of New York.

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

WARRANT - GAMBLING.

George H. Ward
vs.

William Clear

Dated, March 17, 1888

J. G. Dwyer
Magistrate.

Officer.

Defendant

taken and brought before

as within commanded

Disposition

Warrant may be

executed at City Hall

Sub. 17/18 & 19 Dec 1887

Police - Justice

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest

Native of

Age

Color

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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

William Olsen

Five ~~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 *March* 188 *6*

W. J. O'Connell Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *March 18th* 188 *6*

W. J. O'Connell 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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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court 2d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George W. Blunk
29th Precinct
William Wilson

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Dated

March 1st

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Magistrate

Capt. Williams

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No.

Street

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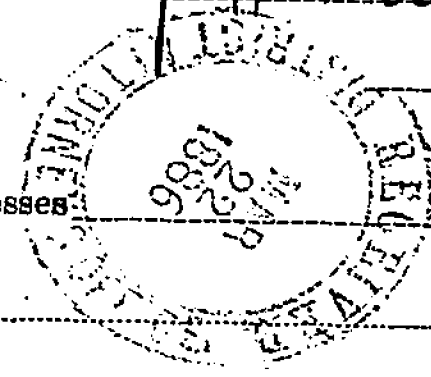
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to answer

Bailed

Office William Gault
Law



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Sec. 192.

2d

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

An information having been laid before
of the City of New York, charging
the offence of

Maurice J. Brown
William Olson
Violation of Gambling laws

a Police Justice
Defendant with

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

We

Met 29th
James J. Harris

and

Street, by occupation a

the above named

shall personally appear before the said Justice at the

during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of

Hundred Dollars.

Street; by occupation a

of No.

927 Sixth Avenue

Cigar Manufacturing

William Olson

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District Police Court in the City of New York,

the sum of

18th

William Olson

March

1886

James J. Harris

Police Justice.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

day of

March

1886

James J. Harris

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Sworn to before me, this
day of March 1888
at New York, Police Justice.

Jerome Silverman
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and
holder within the said County and State, and is worth Five Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of Five hold goods and

personal property situated at No. 927
5th Avenue in said City said
property being of the value of twenty five
hundred and more

Jerome Silverman

Qd District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

ss.

William C. Cline

Taken the 19th day of May 1888

John J. Cline

Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Olson

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

(Sec. 348 Penal Code) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed as follows:

The said

William Olson,

late of the *Twenty-first* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, 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

William Olson

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

The said

William Olson.

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

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room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling table, and establishment, and diver 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

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

The said *William Shaw*

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 *his* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *his* 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 "*draw poker*", 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

William Shaw
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.