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Kelley, James

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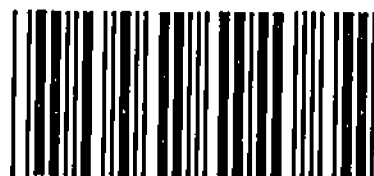
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Murray, Thomas

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Patrick Conway  
Officer Wm. Street

Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Dec 1885

Pleads, Not guilty, ss.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James Kelley

vs.

R

Thomas Murray

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dec. 23/85 District Attorney.  
No. 2 pleads guilty. Not pleas given.  
Rec'd 4/86 Rec'd 4/86

A True Bill

Wm. J. Dundas

Foreman.

Each 5.00 years.

Robbery, 1st degree, [Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code].

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New York Dec 23<sup>rd</sup>,

This boy James Kelly  
has worked for me about  
3 years and I always found  
him to be an honest and <sup>neat</sup> industrious boy and I heard  
of anything against his  
Character yours &c

107 Walker St F. Tandyk  
Top Floor



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City and County of New York, s.

Patrick Murphy

# 156 East 30 St

being duly sworn, says:

I am engaged in business as Livery Stable Keeper  
at # 156 East 30 St

The letter hereto annexed was written by me, and I hereby make oath to the statements  
contained in said letter.

Sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Dec 1885

James W. McLaughlin  
Clerk of the Court

Patrick Murphy

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Mr. [illegible]

I am unqualified to know  
the accused person who is now  
under sentence for the last  
16 years and have known him  
to be a hard working and  
industrious boy and comes from  
respectable parents

Yours truly

lv  
Patrick Murphy  
Mara

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City and County, of New York, s

*Michael Murphy* of *154 E 30 St*

being duly sworn, says:

I am engaged in business as *Livery Stable Keeper*  
at *#154 E 30 St*

The letter hereto annexed was written by me, and I hereby make oath to the statements contained in said letter.

Sworn to before me this

*23* day of *Dec* 188*8* } *Michael Murphy*  
*James W. McLaughlin*  
*Mayor of Dist. V. C.*

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New York

Dec 23

Mr James M. Brady

Dear Sir

I know  
the boy James Kelly since  
he was born and he  
was always a good  
industrious, honest &  
very up to the  
present times

Yours resp

Michael Murphy

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City and County of New York, :

*P. W. Leollum*

# *194 Mulberry St*  
of

being duly sworn, says:

I am engaged in business as *Undertaker*  
at *#194 Mulberry St*

The letter hereto annexed was written by me, and I hereby make oath to the statements contained in said letter.

Sworn to before me this *23<sup>rd</sup>*  
day of *Dec* 188 *5*

*James W. McLaughlin*  
Clerk of the Court

*P. W. Leollum*

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New York Dec 23 1895  
This is to certify that I have  
known the Boy, James Kelly for the  
last 10 or 12 years and during  
that time I have known him  
to be a faithful industrious Boy  
Both for his Parents and for himself  
and during that time I have  
never known him to be  
arrested for any crime during  
that time.

Patrick H. McQuinn  
199 Madison St

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Dec 23-85

Mr James. M. Brady,  
Dear Sir.

I know  
the defendant James  
Kelly since he was  
a little child and he  
has always been, a  
good honest, hard  
working boy up to  
to the present time

Yours res<sup>t</sup>

Thomas M. Lee

2-5-5-Sullivan

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City and County of New York, ss.

Thomas Daly of 419 Third Ave  
being duly sworn, says:

I am engaged in business as Levyage Driver  
and reside at 419 Third Ave

The letter hereto annexed was written by me, and I hereby make oath to the statements  
contained in said letter.

Sworn to before me this

day of Dec 1888

James W. McLaughlin  
Clerk of said N.Y.C.

Thomas Daly  
mark



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post 294.

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New York,

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Dec 24 - 1888

Mr James M. Brady.

Dear Sir.

I know the  
defendant James Kelly for the  
past fifteen years and know  
him to be a good honest  
industrious boy up to the  
present time.

Yours resp  
Thomas X Daly.  
mark

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N. & General Session

The People &c  
at  
James Kelly.

James M. Brad  
Comm. of 1844  
to the People

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St. Patrick's Church.

New York, Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> 1885

Judge Eldersloore

Dear Sir:

I am informed James  
McNally is to be sentenced to day.

He has been a bad boy - his father has done  
his duty as a father. The boy would keep  
with bad company. I would beg of you to send  
him to the Reformatory at Elmira - there he  
may be reformed - at Long Island I am afraid  
he will learn to be worse. I know you will  
desire him to be reformed. Please then  
if you think I am right, grant my request.

Yours truly,  
John F. James.

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Police Court--

District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

Patrick Conway

of No. 61 Front St. Brooklyn Street, Aged 42 Years

Occupation Harness Maker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

14 day of December 1885, at the 10<sup>th</sup> Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One Tobacco bag containing two  
one dollar notes, and about two  
dollar and a half in silver change  
in good and lawful money of the  
United States, the whole being,

of the value of five and a half ——— DOLLARS,  
the property of Deponent

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

James Kelly and Thomas Murray  
(now here) for the following reasons:—  
Deponent was passing through the  
Bowery at about 4 o'clock A.M.,  
and went into an eating saloon  
near No 11 Bowery, and there exhibited  
part of the said money while paying for meals.  
The defendants followed Deponent  
out on the sidewalk and then and  
there they both assaulted Deponent,  
and the said Kelly took the said  
money out of Deponent's inside vest  
pocket. The defendants ran into

day of

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice

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the Lodging house at 11 Bowery. Depo-  
nent immediately followed with Officer Stutt  
ten minutes they were arrested in said  
place by Officer Stutt and depo-  
nent identified them and on searching the said Kelly  
in the station house the said tobacco  
bag was found in his possession con-  
taining a portion of the said property

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS 27 DAY OF 2 1885.

Samuel C. Kelly  
POLICE JUSTICE

Patrick Conway

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

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

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

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—ROBBERY.

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3  
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Dated

1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Stult  
aged 33 years, occupation Police man of No.  
10th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Patrick Conway  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 19  
day of December 188 8 } William Stult

Samuel C. Kelly  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Kelly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *N. Y.*

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

Answer. *204 Mott St. 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Varnisher*

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 never saw the Complainant before he made this charge against me. I came from a christening to the lodging house at 11 Broadway in company with Thomas Murray, and we neither of us saw the Complainant. He said the Complainant first said he was robbed three quarters of an hour before we went in there.*

*James Kelly*

Taken before me this *14*

day of *December*

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*James Kelly* Police Justice.

**Sec. 198—200.**

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

**District Police Court.**

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~~ your name?

*Answer.*

*Question.* How old are you ?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Where were you born ?

*Answer.*

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

*Answer.*

*Question* What is your business or profession?

*Answer.*

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

*Answer.*

I came from a christening with James Kelly about 2.30 or 3 A.M. I went into 11 Bowery to see James Kelly to bed. We were only in the place five or ten minutes when the arrest was made. Neither of us ever saw the complainant before.

Thomas Murray

*Taken before me this*

day of -

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Police Justice.



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

James Kelly and Thomas Murray  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 250 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 14 188 5 Samuel W. Bell 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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Police Court

1408  
3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Conway  
H. D. 1

James Kelly  
Thomas Murray

Robbery  
Offence

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated Dec 14 1885  
O. Reilly Magistrate  
Attorney Officer,  
10 Precinct.

Witnesses Officer Att  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Complainant Committed  
House of Detention Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ 2.50 to answer G. A.

C. H.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

James Kelly  
and  
Thomas Murray

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

James Kelly and Thomas Murray  
of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the First degree, committed as follows:

The said James Kelly and Thomas  
Murray, each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-five, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City  
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Patience Conway,  
in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and  
one bag of the value of ten cents,  
two promissory notes for the  
payment of money of the kind  
known as United States Treasury  
Notes, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied, of the denomination  
and value of one dollar each, and  
five coins of the United States, of  
number, kind and denomination to  
the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the  
value of two dollars and twenty cents,  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Patience Conway,  
from the person of the said Patience Conway, against the will,  
and by violence to the person of the said Patience Conway,  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, each of  
them the said James Kelly and  
Thomas Murray being then and  
there aided by an accomplice  
actually present)

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 W. Martin,  
District Attorney

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Kelly, John J.

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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1885

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

[Section 315, Penal Code]

James J. Chaddick

In May 1878

was charged

with the crime of

murder

of MARTINE, an 20/80

of the District Attorney

A True Bill.

Foreman

Part 1 Thursday 19th

Dec 1885

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Form 9.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.2d  
District Police Court.

Merchant

of No.

Edward P. Hatch aged 53 years  
901 Broadway corner of 20th

street,

about 19th

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

day of

July

1883.

that on the

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

as deponent is informed by one George W.  
Barthol of No. 329 East 125th Street in the  
city of New York one John J. Kelly being

then a Bookkeeper in the employ of  
Lord and Taylor of which firm this  
deponent is a member did with intent  
to defraud and to conceal misappropriation  
by him defendant or by one James  
Dawson of the sum of forty six dollars  
good and lawful money did make a  
false entry in a certain book of accounts  
belonging to and appertaining to the  
business of the said Lord and Taylor  
to wit a certain Book known as the  
Petit Ledger number 13 D, 588, in this,  
that the said defendant, did then  
and there write and enter upon page  
100 of the said Ledger a credit of the  
said sum of forty six dollars, as the  
account of one Emily Dorlor as having  
been paid to the Cashier of said firm  
and entered in and upon the Cash  
Book of said firm on page 124 thereof,  
whereas in fact such payment  
is not entered in and upon said page  
or any other page in said Cash Book  
and said sum of forty six dollars  
has never been paid to or received  
by said firm.

Deponent therefore asks  
that said defendant be arrested and  
dealt with as the law in such case  
made and provided may direct.

Edward P. Hatch

Deposited before me this  
27th day of November 1883

John J. Kelly  
Dee. Nurse

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 22 years, occupation

329 East 125<sup>th</sup>

George W Bartholf  
Bookkeeper

of No.

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Edward P Hatch

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

24<sup>th</sup> November 1888

George W Bartholf

J. Hillwith

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John J. Kelly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty-five years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *107 1/2 St & 4 Ave. About two months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Block*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty**John Kelly*

Taken before me this *11*  
day of *November* 188*8*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 151.

Police Court

2d

District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by *Edward P. Hateli*

of No. *901 Broadway* Street, that on the *19th* day of *July*

188*3*, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, charging one

*John Kelly with forgery in the 3d Degree by having made a false entry in a certain Book of accounts the property of Lord and Taylor said false entry being for the amount of forty six dollars in violation of the Penal Code of the State of New York*

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 *27th* day of *November* 188*3*

*J. H. Smith*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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District Attorney's Office.

Part One

PEOPLE

vs.

John J. Kelly

Dec 17

all served  
pers. by Merritt

Nov 10

Conrad M. M. M.

P.116.

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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 Leopold

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 200 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 9 1883 Smith Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named \_\_\_\_\_

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Kelly  
901 Broadway

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated Nov 15 1883  
Magistrate  
Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses  
No. 901 Broadway Street.

George W. Bartholf

No. 901 Broadway Street.

No. 2009 61 Broadway Street.

to answer  
Emile Dorel 466 Broome St.

466 Broome St.

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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

*John J. Kelly*

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

*John J. Kelly*  
of the CRIME OF *Forgery in the third degree,*

committed as follows:

The said

*John J. Kelly*

late of the *Third* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-

said, on the *nineteenth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*with force and arms, did feloniously*  
*make a certain false entry in a*  
*certain book of accounts belonging*  
*to and appertaining to the business*  
*of a certain partnership then and*  
*there known and designated as,*  
*and doing business under and by*  
*the firm name and style of Lord*  
*and Taylor, to wit: in a certain*  
*book of accounts known as the*  
*Petit Ledger number 13, 14 & 15,*  
*and upon the one hundredth page*  
*of said book of accounts and in*  
*a certain account of the said*  
*according to the practice and*

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custom of the said partnership, denying  
the account of one Emil Doctor  
with said partnership, with intent  
to defraud, which said false entry  
so made as aforesaid, purported  
to set forth and show, and did in  
substance and effect indicate and  
declare that the sum of forty  
six dollars had been duly paid  
to the cashier of the said partnership  
on the said nineteenth day of July  
in the year aforesaid, for and  
on account of the said Emil  
Doctor, and that the fact of  
such payment had been duly  
entered upon the one hundred  
and twenty-fourth page of the  
Cash Book of the retail department  
of the said ~~partnership~~, which  
said false entry is as follows, that is  
to say:

July 19 Pay Cash 124 46.00  
and was and is false in this,  
that the sum of forty six dollars  
had not been duly paid to the  
cashier of the said partnership  
on the said day, year and on account  
of the said Emil Doctor, and the  
fact of such payment had not  
been duly entered upon the said



one hundred and twenty fourth page  
 of the cash book aforesaid, as the  
 the said John J. Kelly then and  
 there well knew: against the form  
 of the statute in such case made and  
 provided, and against the peace and  
 dignity of the said People.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid by this  
 indictment further accuse the said John  
 J. Kelly of the crime of Forgery in the  
 third degree, committed as follows:

The said John J. Kelly, late of the Ward  
 City and County aforesaid, aforesaid, to-wit:  
 on the day and in the year aforesaid, at  
 the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with  
 force and arms, did feloniously make  
 a certain false entry in a certain book  
 of accounts belonging to and appertaining  
 to the business of a certain partnership  
 then and there known and designated as,  
 and doing business in and by the firm  
 name and style of, Bond and Taylor,  
 known as the Petri Ledger Number  
 13, &c. &c., and in a certain account  
 kept therein according to the practice  
 and custom of the said partnership, to  
 wit: upon the one hundredth page thereof,  
 being the account of one Emil Doder,

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with the said partnership, with intent  
 thereby to conceal the taking and  
 misappropriation of the sum of forty  
 six dollars in money, of the value of  
 forty six dollars, of the proper money of  
 the said partnership then lately before  
 honorably stated by some person or  
 persons to the Grand Jury of said midland,  
 which said false entry is as follows, to wit:

July 19	Pay cash	124	146.00
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and was and is false in this, that  
 whereas the same purported to set forth  
 and show, and in substance and effect  
 did indicate and declare, that the sum of  
 forty six dollars had been duly paid to  
 the partner of the said partnership on the  
 said day, for and on account of the said  
 said dollar, and that the fact of such  
 payment had been duly entered upon the one  
 hundred and twenty fourth page of the  
 Cash Book of the retail department of the  
 business of the said partnership, in which  
 and in fact the sum of forty six dollars  
 had not been <sup>duly</sup> paid to the partner of the  
 said partnership on that day, for and  
 on account of the said partnership, and  
 the fact of such payment had not been  
 duly entered upon the one hundred and twenty  
 fourth page of the cash book of said,  
 as the said John J. Kelly then and there  
 well knew, against the form of the Statute  
 in such case made and provided, and against  
 the peace and dignity of the said People.  
 Randolph B. Martin, District Attorney  
 according to the practice and



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2003

DESCRIPTION:

Kirby, Cornelius H.

DATE:

12/17/85



2003

Witnesses:

Patrick Coyne  
Officer N. J. Reap

No 148  
Spindt a

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Dec 1885  
Pléads (Not guilty (H))

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Cornelius H. Kirby

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Henry J. Plunk  
Foreman.  
Jury 4/8/6.  
Fred G. Squibb

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TORN PAGE

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICTMichael J Reapof No. 10th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 30th day of November 1885at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Deponent arrested

Cornelius H. Kirby, now here, charged with felonious assault by stabbing Patrick Coyne ~~who is now lying in~~ Governmen Hospital suffering from said injuries, and unable to appear in court. Deponent took the defendant to the bedside of the said Coyne, who identified the defendant as the man who stabbed him. Deponent asks that the said Kirby be committed to await the result of the said injuries. Michael J Reap

Sworn to before me, this

of December1885

Police Justice

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POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.  
Cornelius H. Kirby

Dated Dec 1 188

Ford Magistrate.

Reck Officer.

Witness,

Disposition Cont. Jail

Reck 10

AFFIDAVIT.

Return of Arrest  
Patrolman

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Police Court— 32 District.City and County { ss.:  
of New York,

of No.

514 East 14th

occupation

Labourer

Street, aged

27 years,

deposes and says, that on

30th

day of

November

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being duly sworn

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Constance Ruby (mother)

who will fully maliciously and feloniously  
cut and stabbed deponent on the left  
hand side of the body with a knife  
which he deponent held in his hand  
in purposeful manner very severely

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 1st day

of

December

188

by

Patrick Capone  
Markey Capone

Police Justice.

TORN PAGE

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

32<sup>1</sup> District Police Court.

*Cornelius H Kirby*

signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being duly examined before the under-  
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.

*Cornelius H Kirby*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*97 Canal Street, 5 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Horse doctor.*

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 C. H. Kirby*

Taken before me this

day of

1881

Police Justice.



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

*Cornelius H. Kirby*

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

Dated *December 7* 188*5* *Chas. J. Connelley* 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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1000. Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1887  
9<sup>th</sup> Am. (Friday)

H/36/32 1387  
Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patner & Co  
514 East 14<sup>th</sup>  
Carmichael & Kirby

Offence: Assault  
(felonious)

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

December 7

188

Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

N. Y.

No.

P. Keenan  
Cor Bayard & Chrystie

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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1000

to answer

g. s.

Q. M.

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There were about  
1000 in the  
city in 1985  
This is to verify that  
Boggs is working from a  
photocopy of the  
file in the  
is not out of danger  
What is the  
possible when it

0475

Gouverneur Hospital  
Nov. 30/85

This is to certify that  
Pat. Coyne who was  
admitted to this hospital  
Nov. 20/85 is suffering from  
a penetrating stab wound  
of lung. The wound is  
a serious one

C. J. Stokes, M.D.  
House Surgeon

TORN PAGE

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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

*Romelius A. Hickey*

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

*Romelius A. Hickey*

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

The said *Romelius*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *five*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Patricia Rourke*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Patricia*, -  
with a certain *knife* -

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Romelius A. Hickey* -  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Romelius*,

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

with a certain *knife* -

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

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THIRD COUNT---

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Randolph B. Martine*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Randolph B. Martine*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body  
of one *Patricia Payne*,

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

in and upon the *breast and side* of *him* the  
said *Patricia*, — did then and there  
feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *stab*, bruise and wound,  
and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict  
upon *him* the said *Patricia*, —  
grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *Patricia*, —  
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace  
of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Klein, Julius

DATE:

12/07/85



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FOLDER:

2003

DESCRIPTION:

Watson, Frank

DATE:

12/07/85



2003



Witnesses:

Upon Examination of  
the Complainant I  
recommend that a  
plea of Petulancery  
be accepted

James F. Hines  
Atk Jan 2 1888

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No 2  
Crawford

Counsel, ( )  
Filed 7 day 6<sup>th</sup> 1888  
Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*James Hines*  
*W. L. and I*  
*Granda Watson*  
Grand Larceny 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
[Sections 628, 63 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dec 18/87 - District Attorney.  
Book plea: PR.

A True Bill.

*R. B. Martine*

Foreman.

Each.

Pen one year

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

Adolph F. Caumont

of No. 173 William  
occupation Merchant

Street, aged 40 years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 27th day of November 188 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the time, the following property viz:

Eleven pairs of white socks  
of the value of \$1.00 each and one  
box of socks and one of the socks  
on. Dollars together of the amount  
and value of forty four dollars  
the property of Adolph F. Caumont

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Julius Klein. (now here)

And a person unknown to deponent  
and not yet ascertained from the  
that at about the hour of 10 o'clock on  
on the said day the deponent and the  
said unknown person came to the  
deponent's place of business and  
above each other and acting in  
concert. And the said deponent  
and the deponent in conversation  
while the said unknown person  
walked around the store looking at  
the different goods. And the deponent  
was in the act of showing the said  
defendant some bindings. Deponent can

Subscribed before me this

188

day

Police Justice

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The said unknown person take the aforesaid velvet and put it in a bag and immediately hid it in the said apartment. Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant with having feloniously taken stolen and carried away the aforesaid velvet.

Adolphus P. Campbell

Sworn to before me  
this 28<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1885

J. H. Smith

John J. Smith

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

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

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

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

vs.

Offence—LARCENY.

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2  
3  
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Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$

to answer

Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 21 DISTRICT.

Adolphe F. Caumont

of No. 173 William Street, aged 40 years, occupation Merchant

being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 12 day of August 1885

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

to the best of my knowledge and belief in the contents in the foregoing complaint as the same appears from the facts that took the aforesaid property from deponents store and the same

Adolphe F. Caumont

I am not guilty of the same  
James H. H. H.

Sworn to before me, this 12 day of August 1885

Police Justice

Taken before me this 12 day of August 1885

Police Justice

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**CORRECTION**

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 21 DISTRICT.

Adolph F. Caumont

of No. 173 William Street, aged 40 years,  
occupation Merchant being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 12 day of August 1885

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

to the best of my knowledge and belief in the  
aforesaid in the foregoing complaint  
as the value of the property taken  
that took the aforesaid  
property from deponents store at the above  
address.

Adolph F. Caumont

Sworn to before me, this

12th day of August

1885

day

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Julius Klein

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.

Julius Klein

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

143 E. 13th St.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Furnier

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 same  
Julius Klein

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



0487

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Frank Watson

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 Frank Watson

Question How old are you?

Answer 29 years old

Question Where were you born?

Answer New York

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

Answer 31 5th St. about one year

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

I am not guilty

Frank Watson

Taken before me this

day of 11 1887

Police Justice.

0488

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 Alfred J. Smith

Guilty thereof, I order that He be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Fifty 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 30th 188

H. A. Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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No 2

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Adolph F. Laumann  
173<sup>rd</sup> William

Julius Klein

Frank H. H. H.

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Offence *Laumann*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

The justice finding  
in 2<sup>nd</sup> Dist Court in  
any amount will please  
hold the defendant  
in within time &  
make the proper  
disposition thereof  
*J. H. H. H.*  
Nov 28 88 P. J.

Dated Nov 28<sup>th</sup> 1888

Magistrate

Mr. Guire Mangin & Mr. C. H. H. H.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

94<sup>th</sup> Nov 28 88  
30<sup>th</sup> Nov 28 88  
*C. H. H. H.*

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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

Julius Klein

and

Frank Watson

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

Julius Klein and Frank Watson

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

The said Julius Klein and Frank Watson, each —

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

seven yards of velvet of the value of four dollars each yard, and one box containing a quantity of coat binding (a more accurate and particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid indicated) of the value of four dollars, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Adolphus Rammont,

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

Randolph P. Martine,

District Attorney

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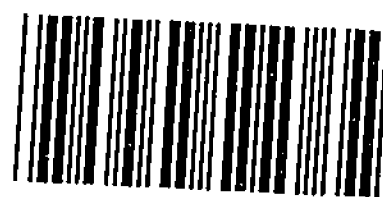
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DESCRIPTION:

Klett, Conrad

DATE:

12/15/85



2003

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Bail fixed at  
\$2500 RBE  
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Witnesses:

Officer Moran

John Farrell

Winifred Farrell

Officer Michael F. Shelley

Geo Lawrence

Henry Hummel

C. Klett

No 124

Josephine

Counsel, Howe & Hummel

Filed 15 day of Dec 188

Pleads Guilty (16)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Conrad Klett

mandated  
[Section 182-193, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Henry F. Pineda

Foreman

May 22  
Discharge left  
in his own reg  
Mar 14/93 RBE

Blond  
B. Lawrence

413 East 14th St

Peter Vollmer

415 East 14th St

For my examination

- dated See Inside

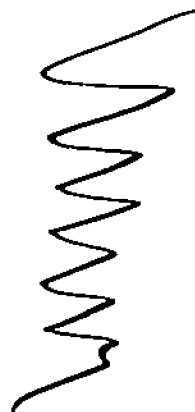

Indictment G.F.D.

April 9th 93 a.d.a



0493

N. Y. General Sessions

The People vs  Horwille  
Conrad Klete 

Please to take notice that we shall  
move this Court before Hon  
Rufus B. Cowing City Judge at  
the Court of General Sessions  
of the Peace to be holden in & for  
the City & County of New York  
on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1885  
at 11 o'clock in the forenoon that  
the above named defendant  
(Indicted for Manslaughter) be admitted  
to Bail & for such further & other  
relief in the premises as may be  
just & proper

Dated Dec 21. 1885.

Yours &c.

Howe & Hummel

To Randolph B. Marlin Esq. for Dep.  
Distric Atty.



0494

W. H. General Sessions  
The People v  
vs.  
Conrad H. H. H.

Notice

To  
Mandolyn B. Martin  
District Atty.

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DIRECTIONS.

☒ The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.

☒ When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

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

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

To Frank Quinn  
of No. 229 East 46th Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the 5 day of APRIL 1893 at the hour of 101/2 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Conrad Klett

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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The Grand Jury calls witnesses in whatever order its Foreman pleases. The Foreman knows best for the public good. If you wait patiently on the day of attendance until your turn comes, it may save you waiting hereafter.

If it is very inconvenient for you to attend on the day designated, let the District Attorney's Officer or Clerk *in the witness room* know this at an early moment.

If you do not obey this Subpoena, or do not explain your absence, the Court will enforce your attendance by attachment, and fine you.

If you are ill when served, send timely notice of that fact to the District Attorney.

If other witnesses in this case are called, *and another case taken up*, you may know—unless otherwise advised—that the Grand Jury do not care to examine you; and you may then retire, *mentioning your withdrawal to the officer or clerk*.

If the Grand Jury adjourn, and you have not been called without explanation, inquire of the Chief Clerk in the District Attorney's office, if you are wanted again and when.

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DIRECTIONS. Cont. 31-

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.  
When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

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

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

To Off. Patrick Moran 192  
of No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of APRIL 1893 at the hour of 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Conrad Klett

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

1885-

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.  
When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

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

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

To Winifred Furrell  
of No. 229 East 46th Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of APRIL 1893 at the hour of 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Conrad Klett

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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## STATE OF NEW YORK

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

## AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the *Coroner's Office*  
 No. *W. Chatham* Street, in the *1st* Ward of the City of  
 New York, in the County of New York, this *7* day of *December*  
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *85* before

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, Coroner,

of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of *Jarick Morris*

now lying dead at

*Ten* Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of  
 good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and  
 sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the  
 said *Jarick Morris* came to his death, do

upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said *Jarick Morris*  
 came to his death by

*Incised and penetrating*  
*wounds of the evening jugular vein and*  
*common carotid artery. That the hands of*  
*Conrad Klett with a pair of shears on*  
*December 1st about 7 PM. He the jury further*  
*state that the said wounds were inflicted in*  
*self-defence and are fully exonerate the same from*  
*from all blame*

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the **CORONER**, have to this Inquisition,  
 set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

## JURORS.

<i>Charles Friedman 57 Catharine st</i>	<i>Jervis Hallahan</i>
<i>Arion Stern 10 Catharine</i>	<i>55 Catharine st</i>
<i>Bernhard Stumm 45 1/2 Catharine</i>	<i>Mr. Joseph</i>
<i>Joseph Levy 7 Catharine st</i>	<i>51 Catharine st</i>
<i>Frederick Kessler</i>	<i>Chas. Callahan</i>
<i>Benjamin Schloffer</i>	<i>40 Catharine st</i>
<i>James Wilson 37 Catharine st</i>	
<i>John J. McNamee</i>	

CORONER, J. S.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

Officer Patrick Moran of the Precinct  
 being sworn says On Dec 11th  
 about 7.30 AM while on duty  
 in East 46th St. I was told  
 that a man had been injured  
 at 229 East 46th St. I went  
 there and found Patrick Henry  
 in a deplorable condition and  
 discovered four wounds on his  
 neck and one on the left  
 arm, he could not speak to  
 me but the prisoner was in  
 the bed room making up and  
 down, he said that he had  
 done the cutting and that  
 he had to do it and done  
 it with a pair of pliers more  
 or less. I remained  
 until the man died and brought  
 the prisoner to the Station House  
 the room had appeared disordered  
 some furniture was broken and  
 one of the windows open, two  
 chairs were overturned and I  
 found blood marks on the  
 carpet, where deceased lay there  
 was a good deal of blood,  
 I took the prisoner before Judge

Taken before me

this

day of

188

in 1882

CORONER.



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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

2

Murray at 574 St. Louis and  
 he was remanded to await the  
 action of the Coroner, I heard  
 that the prisoner was an industrious  
 man and he never had been  
 arrested before, he said that he  
 had done the stabbing in self  
 defence and had been on the  
 fact of going to court where the  
 deceased before he shot and  
 then rushed in the door

Room to before me this

10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1885

John J. Murray

Daniel Murray

Daniel Murray

220 East 46<sup>th</sup> St. On  
 the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1885 the deceased who had been  
 boarding with me and I was  
 and was employed as carriage  
 washer by the American Express Co.  
 he would generally go and lie  
 on the sofa in the front room, the  
 prisoner had a good reputation  
 I heard no quarrel between Murray  
 and the prisoner, the first I  
 heard was from a lady who said  
 that John Murray was drunk, I

Taken before me

this 10<sup>th</sup> day of

1885

CORONER.



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CORONER'S OFFICE. •

TESTIMONY.

went down stairs and met Mr. Kelt the prisoner I asked him where was Pat. he said lying in his bed. I went in to the kitchen door and found Patrick Morris lying with his head down to the pillar, I saw his head with some blood on it. I called for my husband to go for a priest and doctor. Mr. Kelt had something to say about the straw hat I was excited and did not pay much attention at the time. I saw a few chairs overturned in the room, I saw the deceased once under the influence of drink.

Sworn to before me this  
10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1883.

Yours truly, *John J. Quinn*  
John J. Quinn, Justice of the Peace

Officer Michael J. Kelly being sworn says. On Dec 11<sup>th</sup> about 11 o'clock I was sent by the Sergeant to see the prisoner Kelt in a cell he said to me that about 7 o'clock he heard a rap at his door.

Taken before me

this

day of

1883

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

4

where he lived at 26 1/2 St. E. St.  
 he said that they had a fight  
 at the time, Kell has a good  
 reputation regarding sobriety, the  
 murderest man I know about  
 feet 8 or 9 inches in height, I  
 would not call him a powerful  
 man but would say he would  
 weigh about 150 lbs.

Shown to be for me this  
 18th day of December 1885  
 before me  
 J. J. [Signature]  
 Justice

Michael E. Kelly

Taken before me

this day of

188

CORONER.

0503

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

5

Frank Quinn being sworn says, I reside at 227 1<sup>st</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> and a laborer, am cousin of deceased, He boarded with me since last Sept. He was a quiet industrious man who worked at night, & was employed by Am. Exp. Co. He came home in the morning & had breakfast with me. He some times took a few days of leave. On Dec. 1/85 about 7 am. I was called from bed, went down & met the prisoner Klett coming from his door, I asked him where the man was, he said he did not know, I went to his front sitting room & looked through the 2 bedrooms into his kitchen and saw the deceased lying on the bed, arms stretched in the bedroom adjoining the back room & kitchen, I put my hand under his head & saw his face covered with blood, I shouted out "My God he is dying" then went for a priest - doctor & Officer when I returned an Officer was there, & the doctor said the man was dead, Klett was about 2 feet from the deceased,

Taken before me

this day of

Frank Quinn

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CORONER.

Taken before me & before me (the day)  
 of day of December 1885  
 William J. [unclear]  
 District Justice

0504

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

6

George Lawrence being sworn says, I reside at 229 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> St. in same house where homicide occurred, I am a waiter at Windsor Hotel. I have lived in the house <sup>same floor & side with deceased</sup> 9 months. I have not seen Moore. I have not seen the defendant Klett intimated to Mr. Dean 1/15 about 7 am. I heard a woman scream & heard a scuffle <sup>and a fall</sup>. I dressed myself & went down stairs & found the deceased lying across the threshold bet. the front bedroom and the sitting room. the blood flowing over his face & he gasping as if for breath. I raised his head and saw that he was cut on left side of neck about the width of 2 fingers the blood flowed - also a cut on his left eye. I put his head down & saw Mr. Klett standing about 4 feet away from deceased rubbing his hands and exclaiming "This is the end of it!" Two Officers came up one remained with prisoner and the other went in search of the instrument with which the deed was committed, & which he found in the front room.

Taken before me

this

day of

188

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

7

and which was a tailor's shears which  
 was covered with blood, and gave  
 it to the Officer who was with Klett  
 the prisoner was taken to the Station  
 House, the character of defendant is good,

Subscribed before me this 10th day of December 1885 Geo Lawrence

Justice of the Peace

Taken before me  
 this      day of

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CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

J

I Henry Kramer being sworn says & resides at 229 E. 46<sup>th</sup> St. I am a Grassy man in the same house for two years. I have known deceased for since last summer. I have seen him drunk once, last summer. I saw him in my store the morning of the homicide he was then drunk and staggered and bought some rolls. He went out and left the rolls and his key, I opened the hall door for him, because he could not. He was in, I do not know what occurred after. I know the defendant Klett about a year. I have seen him sometimes intoxicated, (about 1/2) he was always peaceable. There was no quarrell with the prisoner & deceased. I have never seen the prisoner incapable of taking care of himself. The deceased weighed about 140 or 150 lbs.

Sworn to before me this } Henry Kramer.  
10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1885

Wm. M. M. Police Justice

Taken before me

this day of

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CORONER.



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## CORONER'S OFFICE.

## TESTIMONY.

9

Henry Klemm  
 at 229 E. 46<sup>th</sup> St. I am a tailor, I am  
 the owner of the house <sup>where</sup> the homicide  
 occurred, I have known the deceased  
 for 8 or 10 weeks. I have known the  
 defendant "Klett" for 17 months.  
 The deceased was quiet & I never knew  
 that he had trouble with anyone. I  
 lived with Mr. Quinn, It is a five  
 story house - 2 families on each floor  
 I live on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor west side, and  
 occupy 4 rooms. I live under Mr.  
 Klett, On Dec 1/85 about a little  
 after 7 A.M., I heard hollering by some  
 person my name, I went out in  
 the hall and to the cellar, I went to  
 the front room and saw Mr. Klett  
 who slurred and cried. The  
 table was up on the door & 2  
 chairs beside. Mr. Klett had  
 3 or 4 wounds on his face, one  
 on each eye brow and one on the  
 chin, and one near the mouth.  
 I went to the bedroom next to the  
 kitchen, I saw a man lying over the  
 bed, his feet on the floor and  
 his head on the cushion. Mr.  
 Klett came in then, I asked her

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

CORONER.



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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

10

Who is that man and she said she did not know, and she took him from the bed. He was covered with blood, and placed him on the floor. A Physician was sent for who pronounced him dead. I do not know the habits or disposition of the deceased. I have never seen the defendant intoxicated or that he quarrelled with any person.

Henry Kuennel

Sworn to before me this  
10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1883  
James G. Police Justice

Taken before me

this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1883

*[Signature]*

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE. •

TESTIMONY.

11

Thomas Farrell being sworn says.  
 I reside at 229, E. 46<sup>th</sup> St. I am waiter  
 at Murray Hill Hotel; I have lived in the  
 house <sup>229 E 46th St</sup> for 8 years - have not known Moore  
 the deceased. The prisoner Klett is sober  
 & peaceable. On Dec 1/85, about 7 am  
 I was in my room about dressing I heard  
 some knocking in the hallway next door  
 to mine & a voice said "Martha"  
 "Karl" - let me in". Then I heard  
 a scuffle and heard a voice say  
 "Kummel". Klett had buried that  
 week one child and had a flu,  
 sick with diphtheria. I went out  
 for shall way and heard a man  
 groaning. Klett came & opened the  
 front door. He said he is in there  
 the body was on the bed his  
 feet on the floor. I asked him  
 why did he do it. - he said I  
 had to kill him because he kicked  
 me on the face. The prisoner seemed  
 rather cool for a murderer.

Thomas Farrell  
 Sworn to before me this  
 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1885  
 Police Justice

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE. •

TESTIMONY.

12

Winifred Farrell. Being sworn says: I reside at 229 E. 46<sup>th</sup> St. I live on 3 floor of premises next to the apartment of Klett. On Dec 1/85 about 7 a.m. I heard voices from the hall outside of my door. I was then in bed. I heard a voice call "Sarah" twice. I thought it was Mr. Linn, it said "Sarah" open the door. I thought that the deceased had made a mistake and went into the wrong door. I thought that he had some link from the sound of his voice. I have not seen Linn introduced. I have known the ~~the~~ prisoner Klett for a year he is of a peaceable disposition. The deceased seemed to push against the door <sup>(the kitchen door)</sup> heard Mr. Klett's voice call Mr. Klemm, & then I heard Klett says something about the shears.

Subscribed before me this Winifred <sup>last</sup> Farrell  
10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1885  
Municipal Office Justice  
Mar 12

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

13

Cecilia Klett being sworn says I reside at 229 2<sup>d</sup> 46<sup>th</sup> St. an wife of defendant. About a week before Dec 1/85 I buried one of my children. On Dec 1/85 my children were sick with diphtheria, I went down stairs to purchase bread, milk & sugar when I went down I saw a man at the house door who seemed to be under the influence of liquor, I went to the milk depot for my milk went back to the house & went to the grocery to get bread & sugar I went upstairs, where I was one flight up when I heard my children cry, I then ran up quickly when I came in the kitchen I looked around & missed my husband & where I had left him in the kitchen I looked in the bedroom & saw a man lying on the bed <sup>his</sup> ~~the~~ head on the bed & feet on the floor, I thought it was my husband I pulled up his head & turned him partly over & then he dropped on the floor, I then went to the hall & halloed for help. I had not seen my husband up to this time.

Taken before me

this day of

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CORONER.

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## CORONER'S OFFICE.

## TESTIMONY.

I went back into the room to look for my husband. I went into the front door & met my husband in the parlor. He was out of breath & could not tell me what had occurred. But said "that man! that man!" he was bleeding from the mouth & had a bruise on his eye, he had a cut on his head. He was completely exhausted holding on to the Dining Room Chair's were up <sup>because they had been used by the</sup> the ~~seats~~ were lying there. My husband is a factor. My husband was waiting my return that morning.

Sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1885

Wm. J. J. J. J. J.

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

CORONER.

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## CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY. 15

~~Officer~~ (Deputy, being sworn)  
 says: Rose Digley, being sworn say,  
 I reside at 229 E 46th St. on 4th floor  
 East side, same floor as deceased ~~house~~  
 I know deceased since 5 Sept 85. He was  
 orderly. On Dec 1/85 about 7 AM,  
 I recognized the voice of deceased  
 saying "Wah Sarah" Open the  
 door. he was then down stairs <sup>on 1st floor</sup> beneath  
 me. He then talked loud, I knocked  
 at Mrs Dime's door and said that  
 I thought the deceased was in  
 trouble. She went down stairs with  
 her husband.

Sworn to before me this  
 10th day of December 1885  
 Henry H. [Signature] Justice

Rose Digley  
 [Signature]

Taken before me

this 7th day of December 1885  
 [Signature]

CORONER.



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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY. 16

John Thomas being sworn says; I reside at 229 E 24th St. I am a waiter at Pabishy House. I live on same floor as Allett the Prisoner. I was in bed on Dec 1/85 about 7 AM. I heard a weighty foot come up stairs, as if the person were intoxicated, I heard the voice say "Wah! Wah! Let me in, when he knocked at the door he was let in. I went to bed again when in about 10 minutes I heard a heavy fall; I said to myself "It is some man beating his wife. I will not interfere." Then heard a voice say "I did it." and some person say "who did you do it. I did not know the deceased or Prisoner."

Sworn to before me this 10th day of Decr 1885  
 John Thomas  
 Police Justice

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

CORONER.



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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

17

Peter ~~A~~ Volmer being sworn says (reside  
at 415 E. 14<sup>th</sup> St. no occupation now  
house owner & I have known the defendant for  
11 or 12 years, have never known him  
to be quarrelsome, have never known him  
to be drunk.

Peter Volmer.

Jacob Dieter being sworn says (reside  
at 931-2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. I have known the  
prisoner to be a sober industrious  
man ever since he came to this  
Country.

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE, 5

TESTIMONY.

18

Conrad Nett being sworn and cautioned  
 by the Coroner as to this right, says I  
 reside at 229 24th St. On Dec 1st  
 about 7 AM I wished to leave my  
 room to go to work. The deceased  
 was on the last step of stairs  
 leading to the hall of where my  
 room is situated. The deceased  
 said "I want to fight with you"  
 I returned to my room & ~~locked~~ locked the  
 door. He forced it open I held it  
 back & cried for help. I said "Help  
 me! Help me!" I called for Mr.  
 Kimmel three times. The deceased  
 forced me to release my hold  
 on the door. I went into the  
 bedroom. The door between the  
 kitchen & bedroom was closed.  
 The deceased followed me. I  
 reached the front room, wanting  
 to open the front door leading into  
 the hall. The deceased had hold of  
 my coat. I ~~threw~~ <sup>tore</sup> myself away  
 & jumped towards the window  
 & called "Police! Murder! Help!"  
 He jumped for me like a dog  
 and he beat me with some thing like  
 an instrument after he had given me

Taken before me

 this 7 day of December 1885  
 My (Wm. W. W.)

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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2 or 3 blows the deceased threatened  
 to throw me out of the window.  
 The ~~saw~~ were lying on a chair  
 close by where I was lying. The  
 deceased picked it up & beat me  
 with it in my fear, not knowing what  
 I was doing, I grabbed the shear.  
 I was all broken down, I was in  
 a reclining position when I used the  
 scissors. While there the deceased  
 gave me one blow. He made a mark  
 on my forehead & discolored my eye.  
 There was also a ~~lump~~ on right side of  
 my head. The deceased had some hard  
~~substance~~ <sup>object</sup> in his hands. When I struck the  
 blows I thought my life was in  
 danger, I had never saw the man  
 before in my life. The landlord then  
 came up stairs & said "Look what  
 trouble I have!" Last Sunday I buried  
 my child and this completely upset  
 me.

Conrad Klett.

Sworn to before me this  
 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1885

Police Justice

Taken before me

this 7 day of December 1885

Mr. [Signature] CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

Dr. Martin / Truold, being sworn,  
 Says: I made an autopsy on  
 the body of the deceased (Patrick  
 Mooney, Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> / 88, about 5 P.M.  
 at the Morgue, external signs  
 were two incised and penetrating  
 wounds of the left side of the  
 neck, each about two inches long  
 between the angle of the jaw  
 and the clavicle, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches  
 from the angle of the jaw, and  
 one inch below it; these wounds  
 severing the left jugular vein  
 and common carotid artery, these  
 entering the windpipe, the other  
 wound extending through the  
 muscles of the neck, to the back  
 of the spinal column; the left  
 upper and lower eyelid was  
 cut in two vertically. Lungs con-  
 gested and ordematoid, cicatrized  
 forcess in the apex of the left lung  
 (consumption) old adhesions in the  
 left side of chest, due to pleurisy,  
 other organs normal, death in  
 my opinion was caused by Shock  
 and Hemorrhage, from two penetrating  
 and incised wounds of the left side  
 of neck and throat severing left  
 jugular vein and common carotid  
 artery and entering <sup>188</sup> trachea,

CORONER.

Dr. Martin Truold M.D.  
 I was sworn to before me  
 this day of <sup>188</sup> / 88  
 at the Morgue

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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

*Donald Klatt*

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

~~four hundred dollars~~ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York until he

~~is released~~ *he released by due course of law*

Dated *December 1* 188 *3* *Wm. J. [Signature]* 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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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court

1391  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Moran  
19 Precinct  
Conrad Clath

Offence  
Homicide

Dated

December 1st 1885

Magistrate.

William  
Daniel Moran Officer.

19 Precinct.

Witnesses

Samuel L. Linn  
22 1/2 East 46 St  
Top Floor

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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Street.

to answer General Sessions.

at Dec 10<sup>th</sup> at 9 1/2 A.M.  
(at 10)



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

*Conrad Klatt* 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.

*Conrad Klatt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*32 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*229 East 46th Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Tailor*

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.*

*Conrad Klatt*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



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District Attorney's Office  
City & County of  
New York.

Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1885

To The District Attorney  
Dear Sir:

In the case of  
the People vs Conrad Klett, the  
Grand Jury having found an  
indictment for Manslaughter, it  
is requested on the part of the  
Jury that the matter should have  
speedy trial.

Respectfully  
Theodore Weston  
Clerk

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The People

vs

Conrad Black

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

**POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.**

**DISTRICT.**

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

of No. The 19th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the First day of December 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Patrick Moorman

was wilfully and feloniously cut &  
stabbed upon his Neck with and  
by means of a certain sharp dan-  
gerous weapon then and there held  
in the hands of Conrad Klatt. Now  
present as deponent is informed and  
believes - that from the injuries so  
received said Noonan has since died  
and deponent asks that said Klatt  
may be held to enable deponent to  
procure testimony to establish the guilt of  
said Klatt - Patrick Moran

Sworn to before me, this

of December 1883

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*Justice*

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## CORONER'S OFFICE.

## TESTIMONY.

Verdict in the Case of Patrick Mooney

"We find that the deceased Patrick Mooney came  
 came to his death by incised and penetrating wounds  
 of the neck severing jugular vein and Common  
 Carotid Artery at the hands of Conrad Klett  
 at 227 E. 46 St. on December 1/85 about  
 7 am. We further state that the  
 said wounds were inflicted in self defense  
 and we fully exonerate the prisoner from all  
 blame.

*Wm. J. Mooney*  
*for the defense*

New York County, N.Y. 1885

Taken before me

this 7 day of

1885

CORONER.

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MEMORANDA.

AGE.			PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE When Reported.
Years.	Months.	Days.			
20			Ireland	2298.4642	Dec 1/85

Culinary work  
 Throat & neck  
 wounds  
 wounds  
 of the throat  
 left jugular vein  
 and common  
 carotid artery  
 and pulmonary  
 arteries. The other  
 vessels in the  
 left thorax  
 eye lid and  
 lower eye lid  
 cut in two vertically  
 between the  
 lower eye lid  
 and the upper  
 lip. The  
 collection in the  
 lower M. at 9 1/2 the

M. J. B. M.

Q. 586

At the Court.

1885

AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

PATRICK MORRIS

whereby it is found that he came to his Death by

Homicide

Stroke and  
 deep cuts

on the breast and  
 hands of the

Right side of the  
 body. The body was  
 found in the  
 street of the  
 city of Dublin on the  
 7th day  
 of December 1885, before

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, Coroner.

At the Court at 9 1/2 the

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MEMORANDA.

AGE.	Years. — Months. — Days.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE When Reported.
		Ireland	2296, 46th St	Dec 1/85

Autopsy made  
showed two incised  
penetrating wounds of the  
upper left side of the  
of the throat even  
left jugular vein  
and common  
Carotid Artery  
and penetrating  
trauma. The other  
non-penetrating wounds  
of the upper left side  
of the upper  
eye lid and  
corner eye lid  
cut in two vertically  
and lacerated  
lunulae at the  
lunulae. Cicatrized process  
in the apex of left  
lung. Old Pleuritic  
adhesions on left side.

Dec 11<sup>th</sup> at 9 1/2 A.M.

M. J. B. M.

No 586

4th Decr.

1885

AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

Patrick Mooney

whereby it is found that he came to  
his Death by

Homicide

Shock and  
Heart disease

Two Incised Penetrating  
Wounds of the

Right side of throat  
severing left jugular vein  
and extending through  
Inquest taken on the 7<sup>th</sup> day  
of December 1885 before

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, Coroner.

At Decr 11<sup>th</sup> at 9 1/2 A.M.

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# DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.

When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

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

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

To Henry Kramer

of No. 229 East 46 Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of May 1893 at the hour of 101/2 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Conrad Klett

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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The Grand Jury calls witnesses in whatever order its Foreman pleases. The Foreman knows best for the public good. If you wait patiently on the day of attendance until your turn comes, it may save you waiting hereafter.

If it is very inconvenient for you to attend on the day designated, let the District Attorney's Officer or Clerk in the witness room know this at an early moment.

If you do not obey this Subpoena, or do not explain your absence, the Court will enforce your attendance by attachment, and fine you.

If you are ill when served, send timely notice of that fact to the District Attorney.

If other witnesses in this case are called, and another case taken up, you may know—unless otherwise advised—that the Grand Jury do not care to examine you; and you may then retire, mentioning your withdrawal to the officer or clerk.

If the Grand Jury adjourn, and you have not been called without explanation, inquire of the Chief Clerk in the District Attorney's office, if you are wanted again and when.

Does not know  
where he is

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Conrad Keltner

City and County of New York, ss:

Jo. H. Shannon being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 217 Mulberry

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

of the City and County of New York. On the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1893

I called at 229 East 116<sup>th</sup> St.

the alleged residence of Harry Kraemer

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

the tenants in the house that he had lived there, but could give me no information as to his present whereabouts

Sworn to before me, this

of

April

day

1893

Jo. H. Shannon  
Subpoena Server.

John J. Buckley  
Comptroller of the City

Count of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the complaint of

vs.

Conrad Hett

Offense

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Jos. W. Shannon

Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

April 5<sup>th</sup> 1913

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## DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.

When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

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

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

To Henry Krummel  
of No. 229 East 46 Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of APRIL 1893 at the hour of 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Conrad Rlett

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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The Grand Jury calls witnesses in whatever order its Foreman pleases. The Foreman knows best for the public good. If you wait patiently on the day of attendance until your turn comes, it may save you waiting hereafter.

If it is very inconvenient for you to attend on the day designated, let the District Attorney's Officer or Clerk in the witness room know this at an early moment.

If you do not obey this Subpoena, or do not explain your absence, the Court will enforce your attendance by attachment, and fine you.

If you are ill when served, send timely notice of that fact to the District Attorney.

If other witnesses in this case are called, and another case taken up, you may know—unless otherwise advised—that the Grand Jury do not care to examine you; and you may then retire, mentioning your withdrawal to the officer or clerk.

If the Grand Jury adjourn, and you have not been called without explanation, inquire of the Chief Clerk in the District Attorney's office, if you are wanted again and when.

Court of General Sessions

Do not know  
his address



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Court of General Sessions

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Conrad K. K. K.

City and County of New York, ss: Jas. A. Shannon being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 217 Mulberry Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 1893 I called at

229 East 46<sup>th</sup> St. the alleged residence of Henry Kuehnel a witness the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

the tenants in the house, that he had been a resident of the above number, but could not give me any information as to his present whereabouts

Sworn to before me, this

of

5<sup>th</sup> day of April 1893  
John J. Buckley  
Comf. Qued. K. K.

Jos. A. Shannon  
Subpoena Server.

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**Court of General Sessions.**

THE PEOPLE, on the complaint of

vs.

Conrad Nicoll

Offense

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

John H. Thompson

Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

April 2, 1893

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DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.

When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

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

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

To *Geo. Lawrence*

of No.

*229 East 46*

Street

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of *APRIL* 189*3* at the hour of 10½ in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

*Conrad Klett*

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 189*3*

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

*At 11 o'clock A.M. to see Mr. Bedford*

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The Grand Jury calls witnesses in whatever order its Foreman pleases. The Foreman knows best for the public good. If you wait patiently on the day of attendance until your turn comes, it may save you waiting hereafter.

If it is very inconvenient for you to attend on the day designated, let the District Attorney's Officer or Clerk *in the witness room* know this at an early moment.

If you do not obey this Subpoena, or do not explain your absence, the Court will enforce your attendance by attachment, and fine you.

If you are ill when served, send timely notice of that fact to the District Attorney.

If other witnesses in this case are called, *and another case taken up*, you may know—unless otherwise advised—that the Grand Jury do not care to examine you; and you may then retire, *mentioning your withdrawal to the officer or clerk*.

If the Grand Jury adjourn, and you have not been called without explanation, inquire of the Chief Clerk in the District Attorney's office, if you are wanted again and when.

Court of General Sessions.

Don't know  
where he is

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## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Conrad Kett

City and County of New York, ss:

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No.

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

of the City and County of New York. On the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1893

I called at

the alleged

a witness

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

the tenants in the house  
that he had been a resident  
of the number, but could give  
me no information as to his  
present whereabouts

Sworn to before me, this

of

day

1893

April

John J. Buckley  
Com of Deeds N.Y.C.

Subpoena Server.

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the complaint of

vs.

Conrad Lett.

Offense

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Jos. H. Shannon

Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

April 3rd 1913

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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

Conrad Klett.

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

Conrad Klett

of the CRIME OF Manslaughter

committed as follows:

The said

Conrad Klett

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

with force and arms, in and upon one Patrick Mooney, then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault, and kill, the said Patrick Mooney, with a certain pair of shears, which he, the said Conrad Klett, in his right hand, then and there had and held, in and upon the neck of him, the said Patrick Mooney, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, stab, cut and wound; giving unto him, the said Patrick Mooney, then and there, with the pair of shears aforesaid, in and upon the neck of him the said Patrick Mooney, one mortal wound of the depth of six inches and of the breadth of one inch, of which said mortal wound he, the said

Patrick Mooney, then and there died.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say, that the said Conrad Klett, him, the said Patrick Mooney, in manner and form and by the means aforesaid, wilfully and feloniously did kill and slay; 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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This Indictment was found in Dec 1885 -  
 Officer Moran of the 19th in 1885 - a note of the  
 20th precinct gives the defendant an excellent  
 character -

Frank Quinn is a Cousin of Patrick  
 Mooney the deceased - Quinn tells me that John  
 Thomas the principal witness is dead - That  
 George Lawrence another witness is in  
 Florida -

The witnesses Henry Krummell and  
 Henry Kramer cannot be found - vide  
 affidavits within - failure to find - witnesses -

The Coroner's  
 Jury found that the defendant acted in  
 self defence & fully exonerated him from all  
 blame - I ask that this Indictment be  
 dismissed - April 12th '93  
 G. P. B.  
 a.s.a.

No 124  
 Counsel, *James B. Martin*  
 Filed 15 day of Dec 1885  
 Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
 vs.  
*Conrad West*  
 [Section 189-193, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
 District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Henry J. Dineen*

Foreman

*Discharge granted*  
*in his own recognizance*  
*May 4/93*

Bail fixed at  
 \$2500.00 R.B.

Witnesses:

Officer Moran  
 John Kane  
 William Kane  
 Officer Michael P. Shelly  
 Geo Lawrence  
 Henry Krummell  
 C. West

*Admitted by Court*  
*4/13/93*  
*Each 14th*

*Peter Volmer*

*4/15/93*  
*For my commission*  
*- dated see inside*  
*Indictment*  
*April 9th '93*  
*a.s.a.*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2003

DESCRIPTION:

Kopp, William

DATE:

12/09/85



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Witnesses:

Catherine Defer

Officer Thompson

C. G. Lowrey

No 46  
H. Fox  
C. J. Thompson  
Counsel, *C. J. Thompson*  
Filed *9* day of *Dec* 188*8*  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

Grand Larceny 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 53 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*F*

*William Hopp*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*2d Dec 4/85* District Attorney.

*Ind. Acquitted.*

A True Bill.

*Benj. S. Dwyer*

Foreman.



0545

Police Court—

5 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No.

72 St 120

occupation

Governess

Street, aged

23

years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

5

day of

December

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at the City of New

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

One gold watch of the value of  
Twenty five dollars and one  
gold chain of the value of  
Thirty dollars together of the  
value of Fifty-five dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

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

William Kopp (now here)

from the following facts to wit—

That at about the hour of ten o'clock  
and thirty minutes said Kopp  
entered deponent's premises where  
said watch and chain was laying upon  
a table in her room, and that  
immediately after said Kopp,  
deponent missed said property. Deponent  
further says that there was no  
other person in her apartment  
from the time she lost said watch  
and chain and until the time  
she missed it, except herself.

Catherine Telfer—

Sworn to before me, this

day

of

188

Catherine Telfer

Police Justice.



0546

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Wm Kopp*

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*8*

Police Justice.

0547

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 Kopf*  
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 5* 188 *5* *Andrew J. [Signature]* 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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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Catharine J. Miller  
72 West 125th St  
William Koppe

Office of the District Attorney

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

188

Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

0549

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 Henry*

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

*William Henry*

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

The said *William Henry*,

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

*one watch of the value of*  
*Twenty five dollars, and*  
*one chain of the value of*  
*thirty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Mathew Bell*,

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

*Samuel B. Martin,*  
*District Attorney*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

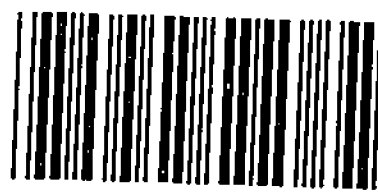
2003

DESCRIPTION:

Krist, Joseph

DATE:

12/23/85



2003

No 226

Witnesses:

John G. Mackey  
Officer Redmond J. Joyce

Also present J. M. L.  
The People

Counsel,

Filed 20<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1887

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

3d. Wash. D.C.  
Joseph Krust

Grand Larceny 2<sup>d</sup> degree  
[Sections 528, 531 Pennl Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Pr Dec 24/87, - District Attorney.

pleads guilty P.C.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. J. Dwyer

Foreman.



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Police Court—

District,

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 1216 73<sup>rd</sup> Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Liquor Business being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 19 day of December 1885 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Three Lace Curtains one  
Table Cloth, one blanket  
One Ladies Dress and two under  
shirts in all of the value  
of thirty dollars  
the property of deponent

Sworn to before me, this 21<sup>st</sup> day  
of Dec 1885

Justice

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

from the fact that this  
deponent has been informed by  
his servant that the said  
deponent has left the said  
premises with the above property  
in his possession and this  
deponent gave chase and  
caught the deponent with  
the above property in his possession  
John H. Mackie

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

4 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

*I did not steal the property it was given to me*

*Joseph Krust*

Taken before me this

day of

1885

Police Justice.

0554

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 Charles J. ...

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 ..... 188

Robert J. ... 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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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Mackey*  
*146 - 3rd Ave*  
*Super Trust*

*Officer of the Court*  
*146 - 3rd Ave*

Dated *Dec 20* 188 *5*  
*Gorman* Magistrate.  
*Force* Officer.  
*18* Precinct.

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

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ *500* to answer *Genl* Sessions.

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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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

*Joseph Smith*

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

*Joseph Smith*

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

The said *Joseph Smith*,

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

*Three face curtains of the value of seven dollars each, one table cloth of the value of five dollars, one blanket of the value of five dollars, one dress of the value of ten dollars, and two undershirts of the value of one dollar each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John F. Macdonald*.

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

*Paul D. Martin*,  
District Attorney