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DESCRIPTION:

Lang, Henry

DATE:

07/13/87



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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed, 13 day of July 1887  
Pleads, \_\_\_\_\_

Grand Larceny, second degree  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Henry Lang*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Edward W. Martine*

Foreman.

*July 14/87*  
*Wm. J. P.*  
*443 of No. 5-1-1*

Witnesses:

*Ex officio*  
*Sept. Price in S.P.*  
*aw also in S. Pen*  
*Perryman*  
*Chay had.*

0495

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 867 7th Avenue Street, aged 37 years,  
occupation Restaurant Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 3 day of July 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One ladies gold watch  
one diamond ring and  
one plated chain all being  
valued at the sum of ten  
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 Henry Lang (now here)

for the reasons following to wit  
the said property was in room  
in premises 361 East 41<sup>st</sup> Street  
and having missed the same  
the said deponent after being  
informed of his rights admitted  
and confesses in open court  
to having taken, stolen and  
carried away the aforesaid  
property.

Thomas Maguire

Sworn to before me, this

day

1888

of Henry Lang 1888 }  
Samuel C. McCall Police Justice.

0496

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Henry Lang*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *341 E 41<sup>st</sup> St. about 1 month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Painter*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*Henry Lang*  
District Police Justice.

*Henry Lang*



0497

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

*Defendant*  
*guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of*  
*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*.....*188*.....*Sam'l C. Kelly* *Police Justice.*

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

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

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

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

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170  
Police Court

1064  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

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Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

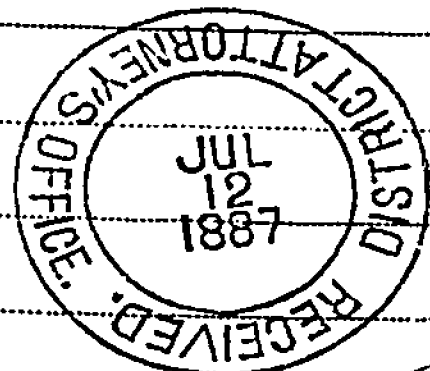
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Street.

\$ 2000 to answer



Committed

0499

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Henry Sana*

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

*Henry Sana*

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

The said *Henry Sana*

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

*one watch of the value of sixty  
dollars, one ring of the value of  
twenty dollars, and one chain of  
the value of ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Thomas Maguire*,

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.

*Charles J. Smith*  
District Attorney.

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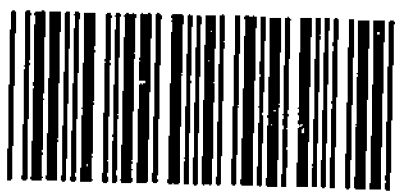
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DESCRIPTION:

Lasker, Abram

DATE:

07/06/87



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Witnesses:

*As the Grand Jury  
found the Defendant  
guilty of the crime of  
murder in the first degree*

*Oct 6, 1907  
G. L. B.  
A.D.A.*

*A. No 20, A  
100X*

Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed, *6* day of *July* 1887  
Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Abram Sacher*  
*Oct 6/07*  
*Discharged by Court*

Grand Larceny, *1st* degree  
(From the Person)  
Sections 528, 530, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*Sept 9 11* District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Emmanuel W. W. W.*

Foreman.  
*W. W. W.*

0502

N. Y. General Sessions

The People, *By* Grand Jurors  
- 110 -  
Abraham Lacker *By*

Please to take notice that we shall move this Court, in Part I thereof, before Hon Rufus B. Conning Judge, for the discharge of the above named defendant, on Wednesday.

September 21, 1887 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. On the ground that the defendant has been imprisoned for over three months, and two terms & more of this Court have elapsed, and the defendant has not been brought to trial, and for such further & other relief in the premises as to the Court shall seem just & proper.

Dated Sept 19, 1887.

*By* Andrew B. Martin }  
Docket Clerk }  
Honor. Edmund Connelley }  
Counsel for People }

0503

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

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

Sworn to before me this  
day of

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N. D. General Sessions

The People &c

Plaintiff,

against

Graham Foster

Defendant.

Notice of Motion

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for defendant.

87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.

Due and timely service of copy of the within

Notice of Motion is hereby admitted

this day of September 18 1891

by H. H. G. Attorney.

To P. P. P. Justice D. G.

by H. H. G. Attorney.



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**PART I.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

**The People of the State of New York.**

To *Elizabeth Trainor*

of No. *7 Varick* Street,

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *7* day of *September* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

GREETING:

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

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

*Check in the Court room*  
*Don't forget*

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JOS. E. MESSENGER, M. D.

18 Varick Street,

OFFICE HOURS: { Until 10 A. M.  
1 to 2.30 P. M.  
5 to 8 P. M. Telephone 351 Spring. NEW YORK.

*My Aug 12/89*  
B. This is to certify  
that Miss Elizabeth  
Trainor of 117  
Varick St, is at  
present in the County,  
she having been sent  
there, in account of  
Nervous Exhaustion  
from work, by my  
suggestion. And that  
she will not return  
for at least some  
months.  
J. E. Messenger.

0506

People

vs.

Abram Lasker

0507

N. Y. Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> 187

Hon Dist. Atty. Martine:

Dear Sir:

I am a poor broken-hearted mother who is suffering intensely at the absence of her little boy her only support who has been arrested wrongfully several months ago and accused of stealing a pocket-book from a lady on Grand St, a crime highly impossible for one who has been so truthful, inductions & dutiful to commit, his employer ~~that~~ many citizens are ready to testify whenever they are wanted to his honesty ~~and~~ incapability of committing a theft, we are poor ~~and~~ aged, very poor, ~~and~~ miss the few dollars <sup>debt</sup> that the boy has earned & brought home weekly, his father is dying by inches for shame ~~and~~ I have made repeated efforts to enlist the interest of persons who know him, ~~and~~ everyone requested me to appeal to you for relief, that you alone can bring his case to a speedy issue for then we are sure he will be discharged, he was taught to be honest & is so, without him we two old people are deprived of the real necessities of life.

Very respectfully

Henrietta Lasker  
11 Suffolk Street  
New York

To Mr Parker

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Res  
v  
Abram Lasker.

*Handwritten signature, possibly "Lasker", written diagonally across the page.*



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Sec. 198-200.

3d

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

*Abram Lasker*

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

*Abram Lasker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*15 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*11 Suffolk Street, New York,*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*I work at making Pants*

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.*

*Abram Lasker*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

3d

1887

*John J. Smith*  
Justice.



0511

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

Abraham Fasser

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

July 3 188

Solomon B. 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 20 3d 992  
Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Elizabeth Trainor  
vs.  
Abraham Lasker

Office Lasker from the

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

Dated July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1887  
John B. Smith Magistrate.  
Stebbins Officer.

Witnesses Mary Tracey  
No. 4 Varick Street.  
Rudolph Hauer  
No. 102 11th Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 500 to answer L.C.

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**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To

*Rudolph Hauer*

of No.

*105 Allen*

Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *6* day of *October* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Abraham Sarker*

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

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

*Personal Service  
Wont he back  
until Monday*

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Abraham Lasker

City and County of New York, ss.:

Abraham Marks

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 435 Grand

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 5 day of Oct. 1887,

I called at No. 102 Allen Street

the alleged

residence

of

Rudolph Hauer

the ~~complainant~~ <sup>witness</sup> herein,

to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by his mother that her son the said Rudolph Hauer is at present at Philadelphia, and will not return until next Sunday

Sworn to before me, this

6

day

of

Oct.

1887

Rudolph L. Scharf

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

Abraham Marks

Subpoena Server.

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

*Elizabeth Grant*

vs.

*Abraham Lasker*

Offense:

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

*Ab. Marko*

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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**SUBPOENA**

*Personal Service*

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To

*Mary Tracy*

of No.

*7 Varick*

Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *6* day of *Oct* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Abraham Parker*

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

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

**PART I.**

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**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To

*Elizabeth Tramor*

of No.

*7 Varick*

Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *6* day of *Oct* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Abraham Parker*

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

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

0517

## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Abraham Lasker

City and County of New York, ss.:

Cornelius Leary

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 27 North Moore  
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 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1887,  
I called at No. 7 Varick Street

the alleged residence of Elizabeth Trainor & Mary Tracy  
the complainant herein, to serve <sup>as witness</sup> ~~them~~ with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by ~~found~~ that  
the building No. 7 Varick Street as well as Nos. 5, 9, 11 & 13  
have been torn down and the families with whom  
the said Elizabeth & Mary formerly resided have  
moved and I was unable to ascertain their  
present whereabouts. I made diligent inquiry  
among the neighbors but could not find any  
one who knows the said Elizabeth Trainor or  
Mary Tracy or where they now reside. I called  
on a previous occasion when the house was  
still standing and was informed that the  
said Elizabeth Trainor the complainant herein  
was away to the country and was very sick  
and they could not tell when she would  
return

Sworn to before me, this 6 day

of

October

1887

Rudolph L. Schaaf

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

Cornelius Leary

Subpoena Server.



Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

*Elizabeth Trainor*

vs.

*Abraham Lasker*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

*Cornelius Leary*

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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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

*Abraham Sarden*

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

*Abraham Sarden*

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

The said

*Abraham Sarden*

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

*Second* day of

*July*

in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

*night* time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one pocket watch of the value*

*of fifty cents, and divers*

*coins, of a number, kind and*

*denomination to the amount*

*of five hundred and twenty, of*

*the value of fifty-two cents,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Elizabeth Trimmer*

on the person of the said

*Elizabeth Trimmer*

, then and there being

found, from the person of the said

*Elizabeth Trimmer*

, 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.

*Richard B. Smith*

District Attorney.

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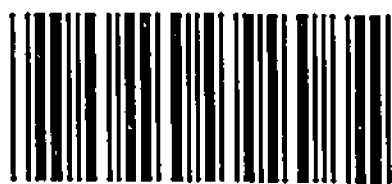
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Lawinsky, Pauline

DATE:

07/07/87



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Witnesses:

No 29  
Counsel,  
Filed 7 day of July 1887  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Pauline Savinsky  
Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
Aug 4, 1887 District Attorney.  
Plead a. 3 days  
A TIME BY  
City Prison 3 days.  
*Amundson*  
Foreman.

42712

0522

Police Court— 34 District.

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

Maria Schumacher  
of No. 5 Avenue B Street, aged 40 years,  
occupation house keeper being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on 27 day of June 1887 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Julius Lawrence (name here),  
who wilfully and feloniously  
stabbed this deponent in  
the left breast and in the  
right arm with a pair of  
shears which the defendant  
then and there held in her hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 29 day  
of June 1887.

Maria Schumacher  
work

Sam'l C. Butler Police Justice.

0523

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

*Pauline Lawinski*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*472 5 Avenue B. over year*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*House Keeper*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Pauline Lawinski*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*David C. Kelly* Police Justice.

0524

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

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

*Dated June 29* 188 *7* *Samuel C. Miller* *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 29 34 972  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James L. Sullivan*  
*Belgian* vs. *Louis J. Sullivan*  
*35 Ave B*

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Offence *35 Ave B*  
*17*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated June 29 1887

*O'Keilly* Magistrate

*McDonnell* Officer.

13 Precinct.

Witnesses *James L. Sullivan*

No. 5 *35 Ave B* Street.

No. 5 *35 Ave B* Street.

No. 5 *35 Ave B* Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 5.00 to answer *9*

Com.

0526

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

THE PEOPLE OF STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Pauline Samardak*

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

The said *Pauline Samardak,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
~~fourteenth~~ day of *June*, — in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~seven~~, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Maria S. Samardak,*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,  
and *her* the said *Maria S. Samardak,*  
with a certain *pair of shears* —  
which the said *Pauline Samardak,*  
in *her* right hand then and there had and held, ~~the same being a deadly and~~  
~~dangerous weapon~~ then and there wilfully and feloniously did cut, stab and wound,  
~~the same being a deadly and~~ *the same being a deadly and*  
~~as were intended to produce the death~~ *as were intended to produce the death*  
with intent *her* the said *Maria S. Samardak,*  
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  
*Pauline Samardak*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Pauline Samardak,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and  
upon the body of the said *Maria S. Samardak,*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make another assault, and *her* the said  
*Maria S. Samardak,*  
with a certain *pair of shears* —  
which the said *Pauline Samardak*

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

*Robert J. Samardak*

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Leipold, Andrew

DATE:

07/15/87



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Witnesses:

I advise the discharge  
of the defendant on  
his own recognizance  
The complainant is not  
convinced, the medical  
evidence adverse to the  
charge and our officers  
report the subsequent  
arrest of the gibbon  
a charge of larceny  
August 1. 1887

Wm. J. Geary  
President M. S. P. C.

I Concur.

A. H. Brady  
W. J. Geary

Counsel,

Filed, 15 day of July 1887  
Pleads, *Christy*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

RAPE.  
(Sections 278 and 218, Penal Code.)

Andrew Leopold

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Andrew Leopold*

Aug 2 1887 Foreman  
discharged on his verbal  
recognizance  
*W. J. Geary*

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-5<sup>th</sup> District Police Court

N.Y. June 14<sup>th</sup> 1887

George Steinert, Cirp Exm by sw.  
Van Cott.

There were no marks violence on  
her person, her hymen was gone and  
her parts would admit of sexual  
intercourse & apparently she had  
sexual intercourse before. She mentioned  
the defendant as being the person  
who first had sexual intercourse <sup>with her</sup>.  
She admitted the defendant had  
sexual intercourse with her  
twice. I couldn't say whether  
she had been stayed with more  
than twice. Several times, she ap-  
peared to have been stayed with  
her parts were healthy and <sup>there was</sup> no  
evidence of any recent intercourse.

Sworn to before me this  
14<sup>th</sup> of June 1887

George Steinert. P.D.

M. J. K. K.

Police Justice.

Delia Fausser, the complaining  
witness sworn says.

I was sent to the defendants house  
for something between one & two

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o'clock on the 5<sup>th</sup> of June & defendant told her to go in & look for them and while in there the defendant came in locked the door & had forcible connection with her. She hollowed & he put his hand over her mouth to prevent the outcry being heard. Defendant kept her in & and from & after an interval of half an hour he had connection with her the second time.

That she never had <sup>sexual</sup> connection with anybody prior to this time & did all in her power to prevent him from having connection with her. & ~~that~~ <sup>her</sup> clothing was wet but not bloody.

That she was never chased out of the house by the defendant and never stole anything from the defendant.

Defendant further says she lived with the defendant's sister, Mrs Becker two weeks and was never out late at night except playing with Mrs Baker's daughter until eight or nine o'clock. My father told me to make this charge against the defendant. I told my father

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About this on the 9<sup>th</sup> of June. I was afraid to tell him before.

Sworn to before me this

14<sup>th</sup> of June 1887

Wm. H. Hild

Carlisle Fairbank

Peace Justice

Defence

Peter Kueser of c/o. 426 West 42<sup>nd</sup> St.  
being duly sworn testified as follows:

Died - Exama - by - Chas. Van Cott

While the complaining witness, my daughter, was home she behaved well. My daughter told me the defendant had sexual intercourse with her when I visited her and found her sick.

Sworn to before me this  
14<sup>th</sup> of June 1887  
Wm. H. Hild

Carlisle Fairbank

Police Justice

Lizzie Becker, the defendant's sister of 142<sup>nd</sup> St & 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue being sworn says:  
The complaining witness was in my employ about two weeks as a nurse girl. Her mother told me she wanted



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me to make her daughter ~~hand~~ work  
as she was too playful and couldn't  
work at home? When I didn't watch  
her she never went. Sometimes  
she was out as late as ten or  
eleven o'clock at night. I didn't  
see her much with boys. She  
wasn't out with boys at ten or  
eleven o'clock at night. I don't  
know she had intercourse with  
any boys. She often had to call her  
from the boys on the street. I  
didn't send her on the 5th of June  
to the defendant's house, but my  
sister-in-law <sup>may have sent her.</sup> She came home and  
showed me a box with jewelry in  
it she said a man sold it to her  
for thirty five cents. She told me  
she got them from a man. I did  
not know she was to my brother,  
the defendant's house until Mr.  
C. Cherry told me.

Sworn to before me this 14th of June 1887

Wm. H. Hilde

Police Justice

Andrew Laboll defendant sworn  
Says I am a Real Estate Agent

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Article at 2474 - 5th Avenue.

The complaining witness came to my house on the 5th of June & was looking for my cash. I chased her out of the house & never had connection in my life with her. I never had her in my bedroom, & never had connection with her. I was never was arrested before. She wasn't in my house more than five minutes. I ~~saw~~<sup>heard</sup> my sister call her away from the boys at night as late as eleven o'clock.

Sworn to before me this

14th of June 1887

Wm. Wilde

Andrew Lipold  
Police Justice

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.Police Court, 5<sup>th</sup> District.of No. *Delia Jaenser*  
*426 West 45<sup>th</sup>* Street, being duly sworn, deposes andsays, that on the *fourth* day of *June* 18*87*

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

Andrew Laebold, now here,  
did feloniously Assault deponee  
and did forcibly ravish deponee  
and have sexual Connection  
with deponee against the  
will and Consent of deponee.

That on the afternoon of  
said day deponee was sent  
to the premises of said Andrew  
at 2474 Eighth Avenue to  
get some clothing. That de-  
ponee went into the bed-  
room, being sent therein for  
said clothing, and was followed  
therein by said Andrew. That  
he then forcibly threw de-  
ponee on the bed in said  
room and lifted deponee's  
clothing and threw himself  
upon deponee's body and by  
force and violence did  
insert his penis into deponee's  
body. That deponee resisted his  
Assault to the utmost of her  
strength, and attempted to cry  
out and he put his hand  
over deponee's mouth and  
prevented deponee's cries.  
That deponee is of the age

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of 15 years. That there were  
no persons present at the  
time except defendant and  
said Andrew.

Sworn to before me this  
12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1871

Justice of the Peace

J. M. P. Attorn.

Attorney at Law

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated... 1871

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

POLICE COURT, 5<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT.

*George Sternut, M.D.*

of No. *148 East 127* Street, aged *55* years,

occupation *Physician* being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 188*7*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *deponent*  
*examined Delia F. Genser, here*  
*present, and found no marks*  
*of violence upon her person,*  
*but found that her hymen*  
*was absent, and that her*  
*parts would admit of several*  
*intercourse.*

*George Sternut M.D.*

Sworn to before me, this

of

*June*

188*7*

*19<sup>th</sup>* day

*Samuel M. Bluetman* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, ss

Andrew Laebold 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

Andrew Laebold

Question How old are you?

Answer

35 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

2474 - 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 2 years.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Agent

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. I demand an examination  
Andrew Laebold

Taken before me this

12<sup>th</sup>

day of

June

1887

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James J. Parsons 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* .....

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

Dated *June 14* 188 .....

*H. A. Hulse*  
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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Justice Welde will  
please hear and  
determine the writ-  
in case in my  
absence.

J. M. Patterson { Police  
Justice

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

147 5th 904  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Delia Jaenser  
426 W. 11th  
Andrew Laeber

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Offence Paper

Dated June 12 1887

Patterson Magistrate.

M. H. ... Officer.

... Precinct.

Witnesses ...

No. 145 ... Street.

J. R. Campbell, M. D.

No. 268 West 12th Street.

Augustus J. Wilson

No. 100 West 23rd Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

Ex. June 14 1887  
at 2 1/2 P. M.

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Sir: This man want to tell  
you, his daughter, Delia  
Touser is sick and in the  
Bellevue Hospital.

He is a German and can't  
speak English.

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Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

A. Laabold

~~E. V. Seery~~

~~J. R. Cherry~~

~~off M. Cherry~~

Complainant

reported sick

and in the Home

Hospital

June 20, 1906

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**DIRECTIONS.**

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of the large brown stone building in Chambers Street, near 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.

**The People of the State of New York.**

To *Delia Fawcett*  
of No. *420 7th St* Street.

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Session Building adjoining the New Court House in the Park, in the City of New York, on the *20* day of *June* instant, at the hour of 10½ in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and to give evidence before the GRAND JURY, touching a certain complaint then and there pending against

*A. Rabold*

And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*against*

*Andrew Singold*

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

*- Andrew Singold -*

of the CRIME OF RAPE, committed as follows:

The said

*Andrew Singold,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven* —, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Delia Zaenker* — then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, and her the said *Delia Zaenker*, then and there, by force and with violence to her the said *Delia Zaenker*, against her will and without her consent, did willfully and feloniously ravish and carnally know, 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

*- Andrew Singold -*

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

The said

*Andrew Singold,*

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 her the said *Delia Zaenker*, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, with intent her the said *Delia Zaenker*, — against her will, and without her consent, by force and violence, to then and there willfully and feloniously ravish and carnally know, 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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~~Court of General Sessions of the Peace~~

~~OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.~~

~~THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK~~

~~against~~

*Frank Rand.*

*Aforesaid,*  
And The Grand Jury ~~of the City and County of New York~~, by this indictment ~~accuse~~  
*Further accuse the said Andrew Sengold*  
of the CRIME OF ABDUCTION, committed as follows:

The said *Andrew Sengold*, —  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*12th* day of *June*, — in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~nine~~, at the City and County aforesaid, did  
feloniously take, receive, harbor, employ and use one *Adia Kauser*,  
who was then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to-wit: of the age of  
*15* years, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, he, the  
said *Andrew Sengold*, not being then and there  
the husband of the said *Adia Kauser*, —  
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace  
of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

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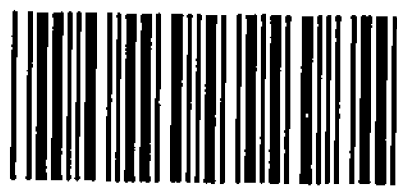
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DESCRIPTION:

Lewis, Emma

DATE:

07/15/87



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Witnesses :

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Counsel, *W. L. Sullivan*  
Filed, *15* day of *July* 188*7*  
Pleads, *Not Guilty Aug. 1*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Emma Lewis*

Grand Larceny *Second* degree  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

*Aug 17/87*  
*Indictment*

A True Bill.

*Emmanuel M. M. M. M.*

Foreman.

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Police Court—X District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.of No. 1590 Third Avenue Lizzie Mundorff Street, aged 32 years,  
occupation Cook being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 10 day of July 1887 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One gold ring containing  
an emerald stone valued  
in the sum of twenty-eight  
dollars \$28.00

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Emma Lewis (now dead)  
from the following facts  
to wit: — That at the time men-  
-tioned Defendant was in the  
employ of Deponent as a ser-  
-vant & was dismissed  
That after Defendant went away  
Deponent missed said ring.  
That Deponent is informed  
by John Mundorff (Deponent's  
brother) that he (John) after  
the time of said larceny found  
said ring in the possession  
of Defendant.

L. Mundorff

Sworn to before me, this

188

day

of July  
1887  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Inspector of No. 1590 Third Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Sigizil Mundorff and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 13  
day of July 1888

John Mundorff  
J. F. Williams  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

*JP* District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

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.

*Not guilty. Complainant's husband gave me the ring on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of this month. (Thursday)*

*Emma Lewis.*

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 Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 3 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 July 13 188 7 A. V. 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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BAILED, ~~Patrick Sullivan~~  
No. 1, by ~~Patrick Sullivan~~  
Residence ~~607 West 42nd Street.~~  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
OF THE COMPLAINT OF

Lippil Munderoff  
vs.  
Emma ~~Lippil~~ <sup>Booris</sup>

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2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Office of Grand Jury

Dated July 13 188  
Kilbath Magistrate.  
O'Simady Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses ~~Lippil Munderoff~~  
No. ~~1067~~ Street.

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

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

\$ 200 to answer

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**PART I.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

☒ If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

☒ Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

*Court of General Sessions of the Peace.*

*Location till  
10<sup>th</sup> inst*

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The People of the State of New York,

To *Off Dormady* *being property, if any, in*  
*this case.*

of No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

GREETING:

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

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year of our Lord 188

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Emma Lewis*

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

*Emma Lewis*

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

The said

*Emma Lewis,*

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

*one finger ring of the value*

*of twenty eight dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Singie Munday,*

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.

*David W. Smith*

District Attorney.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows :

The said

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

by certain persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

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

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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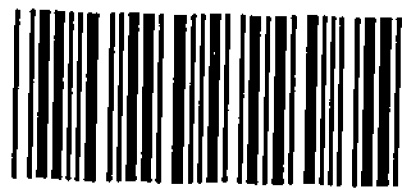
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DESCRIPTION:

Lively, Bernard F.

DATE:

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It appearing from the statement of complainant, hereto annexed, that the defendant on this indictment was not concerned in the larceny of the property stolen, other than only connection with the perpetrator of the crime was accompanying him or permitted for the purpose of keeping the said property, not knowing its ownership, or the source of its possession, & that defendant was at the time extremely under the influence of liquor, I think it practically impossible to show a case on the part of the people, accordingly, recommending that the indictment be dismissed.

A. V. Bird  
221. Athy.

Filed, 6 day of July, 1887  
Pleas, W. J. L. 13.

Filed, 6 day of July, 1888

# THE PEOPLE

**vs.**

Grand Larceny, second degree  
[Sections 528, 581 and 550, Penal Code].

Bernard F. Sively

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

Aug 4/67  
Wm Chas. Byrle & Partners  
District Attorney.

*Yes Mr. McCoy,*  
**A True Bill.**

Ernst von Manteuffel

*Foreman.*

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.of No. 282 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, aged 40 years,

occupation Wine &amp; Liquor dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1887 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 :

Gold watch with gold chain  
attached together of the value of  
three hundred dollars and one  
cloth vest of the value of three dollars  
together of the value of

Three hundred and three dollars  
(\$303.00)

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Bernard T. Lively (nowhere)

and one O'Brien not yet  
arrested, for the reason that at the  
hour of 1.30 O'clock P.M. said date  
deponent left his vest with said watch  
and chain in it hanging on a nail in  
the cellar of said premises while  
deponent was working around said  
cellar and in about two or three minutes  
thereafter deponent was informed by a  
man that was working in said cellar  
with him that some person had taken  
deponent's vest and shortly before deponent  
missed his vest the defendant and  
the said O'Brien not yet arrested, were in

Subscribed before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1887

Police Justice

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deponent's deponent. And deponent is informed by John Simpson pawn broker of No. 171 Battery that the said defendant offered to <sup>in company with an other man</sup> pawn a gold watch and chain at his pawn office. he Simpson told the defendant said watch and chain were stolen and that he would send for an officer when the defendant said he would wait for the officer. he the defendant then in company with said other man ran away. Deponent has since seen said watch and chain so offered to the said Simpson by the said defendant and the said other man and positively identifies them as his property. Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant and the said O'Brien not get arrested with being together and acting in concert with each other and feloniously taking stealing and carrying away the aforesaid property.

Sworn to before me  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June 1883

Jas McElhinney

Wm H. Miller  
Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 41 years, occupation

John Simpson  
Pawn Broker

of No.

171 Bowery

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

James McElhinney

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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John Simpson

Thomas J. Sullivan

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Bernard F. Lively* 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.

*Bernard F. Lively*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years or over*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*299. 18th Avenue about 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Unemployed*

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*

*Bernard F. Lively*

Taken before me this

*29*

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Alfred ant* \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *500* \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Samuel H. [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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No 237 971  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James W. Murray  
382 vs. 7 an.  
Bernard T. Lively

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Office  
of District  
Attorney

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated June 27 1887

Murray Magistrate.

Abraham Hazelton Officer.

John Simpson Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

(Com)

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

Bernard F. Lively

Graffiti Larceny.

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself.

My reasons for making this recommendation are as follows:

I have known the defendant for some two years, & during that time I have always found him honest. I am informed & believe that he is steady & a hard worker. He lives with his <sup>mother's</sup> parents, & is her principal support.

I am informed by the associates of co-defendant O'Brien, & believe, that the property was taken by O'Brien, & that while Lively was under the influence of liquor, & unaware of where the watch came from, the said O'Brien induced him to go with him to the pawnshop with said property, & that defendant was wholly unaware of the fact that said property was stolen. Defendant was in such a state of intoxication at the time of the larceny that his condition induced delirium tremens, for which he was subsequently treated in the City Prison, & for this reason also I believe him to have been incapable of understanding what was going on about him, or of forming any intelligent intent of any kind.

For these reasons I request permission to withdraw my complaint.

Witness: A.D. Parker

John M. McKinney

Dated August 3/07.

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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

Demand F. Sindry

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

Demand F. Sindry

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

The said

Demand F. Sindry

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

one watch of the value of two  
hundred and fifty dollars,  
one chain of the value of fifty  
dollars, and one part of the  
value of three dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James McWhinney

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Bernard X. Sindry*

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *Bernard X. Sindry*

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

*one watch of the value of two hundred and fifty dollars, one chain of the value of fifty dollars, and one vest of the value of three dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*James McElhinney*

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

*James McElhinney*

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

*Bernard X. Sindry*

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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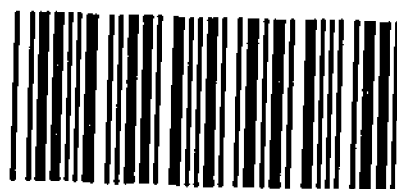
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DESCRIPTION:

Lynch, Samuel

DATE:

07/12/87



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Witnesses :

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\_\_\_\_\_

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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 12 day of July 1887  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

*Not Guilty*  
vs. THE PEOPLE  
vs. *R*  
Samuel Lynch

BIGAMY.  
[Section 298, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
*Aug 9/87 R.B.M.*

A True Bill.  
*Amundson*  
*Aug 9. 1887 Foreman.*  
*Pleas Guilty*  
*S. I. Two years.*

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

POLICE COURT, 3<sup>rd</sup> DISTRICT.

aged 29, *Sullivan*  
of No. 362 West 19<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1885

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

*Samuel Lynch* did unlawfully and feloniously intermarry with *Fanny L. Meserole*. deponents sister and did take said *Fanny* to wife he well knowing at the time that *Sadie W. Lynch* his lawful wife. was then living and in full life. That the ceremony of Marriage between said *Samuel* and said *Fanny L. Meserole*. was duly performed by *Rev. T. G. Deitch* a Minister of the Christian Gospel, and that from and after said Marriage the said *Samuel Lynch* & said *Fanny L. Meserole* did live together as man & wife

Sworn to before me this } *Charles L. Meserole*  
15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1887 }  
*John Gorman*  
Police Justice

*City & County of New York*

*Sadie W. Lynch* residing at No. 120 East 26<sup>th</sup> Street being duly sworn deposes and says that she is the lawful wife of *Samuel Lynch*, that she was married to him on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1882 in the City of New York, that the ceremony

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of Marriage between defendant and  
Sara Samuel was duly performed  
by Rev. Mr. George H. Staughton a  
Minister of the Christian Gospel.  
That from and after said Marriage  
defendant and Sara Samuel did  
live and Cohabit together as  
Man & wife

Sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1884  
John J. Gorman  
Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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Sec. 198—200

2<sup>nd</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

*Samuel Lynch*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*77 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*New York*

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

Answer.

*Coleman House and about 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Speculator*

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

Answer.

Taken before me this

day of

*July*

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*John J. ...*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices for the City of New York, by Charles L. Mercerole

of No. 362 West 19 Street, that on the 25 day of March  
1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Samuel Lynch did feloniously interfere  
with Fanny L. Mercerole, he well knowing at  
the time that Sadie W. Lynch his  
lawful Wife was still living and  
in full life.

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 2 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 1 day of July 1887

John J. [Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court ..... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles L. Meserole*

vs

*Samuel Lynch*

Warrant-General.

Dated *July 1* 1887

*Gorman* Magistrate.

*Wixon* Officer.

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

*William B. Nixon* Officer.

Dated *July 2* 1887

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, *8. P.M.*

Native of *N.S.*

Age, *27*

Sex, *Male*

Complexion, .....

Color, *White*

Profession, *Clerk*

Married, *Yes*

Single, .....

Read, *Yes*

Write, *Yes*

*Coleman House*

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

Dated *May 3* 188 *7* *John Gorman* 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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\$2500 bail for Ex  
July 7<sup>th</sup> 2 PM

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles L. Menzies  
362 W. 19<sup>th</sup> St  
Samuel Lynch

Offence *Bigamy*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated *July 1* 188*9*

*G. J. [Signature]* Magistrate.

*W. J. [Signature]* Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses *James J. [Signature]*

No. *315* Street.

*John J. [Signature]*

*Marie J. Evans, Housekeeper* Street.

*James W. [Signature]*

No. *121 E. 26<sup>th</sup>* Street.

Rev. *John J. [Signature]* to answer

*James G. [Signature]*

*James G. [Signature]*

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Sunday Morning

Dear Sam:-

I received your letter on Tuesday last, I was laid up in bed suffering with a terrible attack in a very delicate spot, I presume you know where, I thought I was going cure, I was in bed all day last Sunday, we started for this place 7 P.M. that night & they sent a carriage for me & I had to be carried out of the Hotel I was in bed 4 days, I got up on Thursday and was on the stage, greatly to their surprise it came to a head on Tuesday

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house, as I could go  
no further and it  
is terrible bad we  
have to-day for  
Louisville one week  
and we have one  
week of right stand  
but I cannot state  
exactly when, will  
write later on & tell  
you if you so desire  
as the American Opera  
Co is right on with  
us & kicking. I think  
I will close now  
cannot think of any-  
thing else to write  
I remain Your Wife  
Fannie

Then I was relieved, I  
had a nice Doctor's  
bill to pay yesterday.  
I was greatly surprised  
to hear from you as  
I never expected to hear  
from you again, I inter-  
ded to go home last  
week as Charlie is  
terribly worried about  
my sickness & these  
people are very mean  
to me. I feel much better  
now only very thin.  
I suppose you took  
very nice ink your  
new overcoat, am glad  
you are getting along  
so nicely, and hope  
it will continue  
so. This week I am  
stopping at a boarding

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Dear Sir,

My dear Sir,

Sir,

I trust you will find letters which remind you of "Pamie" all coming from her stories of my treatment, was all meant - acted for a purpose to lead out your sympathy and the time of an ~~unfortunate~~ I also possess letters which prove she knew I was married long before we ever cohabited together. I was recollect intimate with her before I ever married her for weeks. I have letters which

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Chicago, Monday, 1885.

Charles Muscroe.

Dear Sir. what  
I am about to say to you  
will not surprise <sup>you</sup> no doubt  
now" Charlie when I started  
here on this trip my prospe-  
ct. was everything that a  
man would desire I gave  
up 15 dollars a day to go  
in this scheme. my Partner  
was the man who had the  
Capitail. However when  
Fennis got taken sick. I  
remain here he went on  
ahead. under my instructions  
but not knowing anything

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About the evening when  
he arrived in Madras  
his heart failed him and  
like a dog he turned back  
towards leaving me for  
without a cent it would  
require to much space to tell  
you the nature of business  
that I will mention here but  
I get a capitalist to put  
up money for that I want  
you to do in this in case  
things are average here for  
we stand at the Hotel  
and I do not happen to  
have sufficient money to get  
out with all you come  
on here and take Harry  
with you the occasion  
I can send <sup>my</sup> you for a case  
as otherwise <sup>make</sup> he. Charles  
I do not want her to be  
without a half hour/ten

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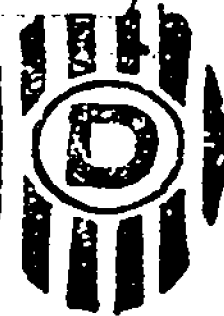
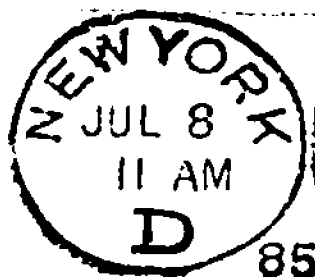
I will now inform  
you that I have  
as all men should have  
their own opinion and  
I would now stand by  
you I am not a  
person who is in  
the world and you  
will know my time  
is coming to an  
end, we will meet  
man to man and  
prepare yourself for  
a time of time only  
to meet you face  
to face



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NEW YORK  
JUL 21  
3 30 PM  
Mr. Charles H. Russell  
of Genl. Taylor  
202 Broadway  
City

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*Charles Meserole*

*Care Lord & Taylor*

*149 E. 38th St.*

*20th Broadway*

*Shipping Department*

*New York City*

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Chicago, ..... 1885.

in a strange place and a  
"mixed" one" I assure you. I  
have not broached this matter  
to her. for I know how she  
will go on and rave. it will  
break her heart. now look at  
it in a common sense light  
lay all scrupulous aside. and  
think of her position. for myself  
I am not interested it is for  
her I speak. she is your sister  
and I am her husband. you  
have a dollar I have nothing  
you will decide with her if  
you write her a nice letter  
and tell her if she want to  
come to new york you will

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She can do so. now she ~~does~~  
has no knowledge of this letter  
and you can keep it from  
her. so now attend yourself  
and lay aside all weeping  
and remain faithful to your  
Fathers words. such was as  
you stated. Charlie look out  
for your sister or I will  
rise up in my grave to you  
certainly. you will not be so  
cruel. as to ~~ignore~~ this letter  
recollect we are all showed  
to "The wall" at some time in  
our lives. but <sup>all</sup> have not the  
courage to face it. I will  
be to "The Front" before ~~any~~  
you look for it. and  
under all circumstance I have  
acted fairly towards you so  
now Sir if you are kindly  
disposed towards Panny and  
Putnam as a Brother should be  
Please to write me your verdict  
you can come yourself if you choose same

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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

*Samuel Szynder*

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

*- Samuel Szynder -*

of the CRIME OF BIGAMY, committed as follows:

The said *Samuel Szynder*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth*  
day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and *eighty two*, at the *City and County*  
*aforesaid*,

did marry one *Sadie Szynder*, and then  
the said *Sadie Szynder*, did then and there have for

*his wife*; and the said *Samuel Szynder*,

afterwards, to wit, on the *twenty fifth* day of *March*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* at the *City*  
*and County aforesaid*,

did feloniously marry and take as *his wife* one *Fanny S.*  
*Meserode* and to the said *Fanny S. Meserode*,  
was then and there married, the said *Sadie Szynder*

being then living and in full life, against the form of the Statute in such case made and  
provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.