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DESCRIPTION:

Mackin, James

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Witnesses:

Alexander G. McCarty  
Off. J. J. J. J.

Counsel,

Filed, 29 day of Sept. 1887  
Pleads, *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*James Mackin*  
*Defendant*

Grand Larceny, second degree  
(From the Person),  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Oct 4/87*

A True Bill.

Chas. H. Lovvick Foreman.

*Oct 11/87*  
*Wm. R. J. J.*

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Court of General Sessions  
City of New York

The People  
- agt -  
James Macklin } Henry

Hon Randolph B. Martin  
Sect. atty.

Dear Sir

Please take notice  
that a motion to discharge will be  
made in the above case - in Part  
2 General Sessions. on Friday the  
30<sup>th</sup> instant at 11 o'clock A.M.

Very Respectfully  
J. H. Stacom  
City for Depts  
116 Beuten St

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Count of General Sherman  
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The People

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James McKeen

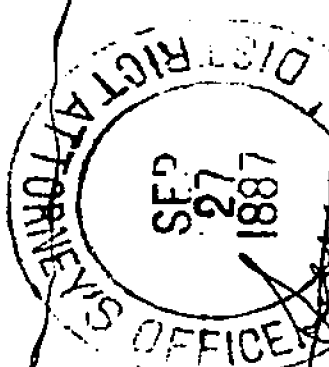
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W. J. McKeen

John S. McKeen

Campbell & Co.

116 Centre St.



Received by the  
District Attorney  
for the People  
of the State of New York  
Sept 27 1887

Robert A. McKeen



The People { Court of General Sessions Part 4  
 James Mackin { Before Recorder Smyth. Oct. 11. 1887  
 Indictment for grand larceny in the 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
 Alexander G. McCully, sworn and ex-  
 amined. I was in New York on the 30<sup>th</sup> of July,  
 it was after twelve o'clock on that day. I was walk-  
 ing up Mester St. in the direction of Broadway.  
 I did not see the defendant until my watch  
 was stolen, I saw him directly after. I was walk-  
 ing down the street and two men ran up  
 alongside of me - that young man (the  
 defendant) was one; the other one I did  
 not identify, and I felt my watch jerk. This  
 is the watch (showing it) It has a steel  
 gilt chain, and they had considerable trouble  
 to break it, so that my attention was attract-  
 ed by a pull on it, and instantly it broke  
 and I saw the boy (the defendant) run  
 away with the watch. The boy now on trial  
 is the boy who snatched my watch and  
 ran. I followed the boy to the police station  
 and the policeman apprehended him;  
 the case was on at the Term, and the  
 Judge gave me back my watch. I was present  
 when the boy was searched; my watch  
 was found on him. Its value was about  
 one hundred and fifty dollars; it was  
 in my pocket as it is now in my  
 vest; the chain was broken and the

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watch was gone. Cross Examined. I am a medical man, I had bought a drug store on Hester st.; it was near that drug store that this occurrence took place, 183; there was a fire there on that occasion and that attracted a crowd; the fire was in the drug store and I was outside of the store I came out through the door because the place was on fire, I wanted to get out pretty quick; there was a great crowd and I was in the jam. It is not possible that I could be mistaken about the boy; there was another man, but I did not see his face, I did not know him; this boy had his side face to me. As soon as I felt the tug at my watch chain my attention was attracted to that boy, the defendant. I saw him running away and he was holding the watch in his hand; he got away from me about eight feet when the officer jumped on him and arrested him.

Cornelius P. Tubbs, sworn and examined testified. I belong to the Tenth precinct and I was on duty on July 30th, and in the neighborhood of twelve o'clock upon that day I was on Hester St. I arrested this boy. There was a fire at 183 Hester St. about a quarter past twelve on this day and

There was a crowd around there and I ran up and I seen this boy with the watch and chain in his hand. I said, "Where did you get that chain?" He says, "I picked it up off the sidewalk." I said, "Who took it?" He said, "The big fellow." I turned round and I knew the big fellow Gervity to be a thief. McEatten could not identify Gervity and he was discharged by Judge Murray; the complainant identified the defendant.

and he was positive in his identification of him. Gervity was discharged because the complainant could not identify him; he got rearrested and he got two years and six months a couple of weeks ago for something else. I don't know any thing about this boy the defendant.

#### The Case for the Defence.

James Mackin, sworn and examined, testified. I live at 133 Mott St. with my mother. I am an errand boy at 484 Eighth Avenue, between 34<sup>th</sup> and 35<sup>th</sup> sts. On this night in question I was going home. The fire was in the neighborhood where I live, just around the corner. I got my wages off my boss and rode down on an Eighth Avenue car. I saw the engines running for the fire, I walked around the corner to see the fire; there



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was a whole crowd of people around the fire beside me, and the policeman was pushing the people right and left. My feet struck something, I looked to see what it was. It was a watch, I had no more than put my hand on it when the officer took it away from me. It is not as the complainant said that I was running away with the watch. I was not running at all; I stayed there. Cross Examined. I swear positively that I did not run. I did not know Gerrity. I am a hard working boy and always work for my living. I know Gerrity to be a common thief around there. I saw him with a whole crowd of people on the corner. I do not talk much with him. I would not be seen with the people who have a bad character. I did not take the man's watch. I never stole anything in my life. I worked in Francis Higgins' furniture store 487 Eighth ave. Gerrity is a big man; he is now in State prison. I know him by sight about two months. I walked away from him and would have nothing to do with him. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. The Court sentenced the defendant to the House of Refuge.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
James MacKinn

filed Sept

1887

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OFFICE OF

Francis T. Higgins,

DEALER IN

Furniture, Carpets, &c.

No. 487 Eighth Avenue

New York

Sept 12 1887

To his Honor Judge of the Court of  
General Session.

I take this liberty of writing  
these few lines in behalf of the boy  
James Mackin who has been in my  
Employ for the past year as Errand  
boy. being a support to his widowed  
mother assisted by his Elder brother  
I can confidently <sup>in speak</sup> in regards to his  
truthfulness and honesty to be beyond  
approach. Trusting there is a mistake  
in his case. I look for an honorable  
discharge. as I am only too willing  
to take him back in my Employ

Yours Respectfully.  
F. T. Higgins



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FRANCIS T HIGGINS,  
CARPETS, FURNITURE, &C.  
487 Eighth Avenue,  
Bet. 34th and 35th Sts. NEW YORK.

To Whom It may

James Madison  
as  
The People  
Concern

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.of No. 467 Van Buren St Brooklyn, aged 52 years,  
occupation Physician

deposes and says, that on the 30th day of July 188 at the City of New

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

One double cased gold watch  
and steel chain together of the  
value of One Hundred and fifty  
Dollars

the property of

Deponent—

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

Michael Serity (both now here) from the fact that at about the hour of twelve o'clock & fifteen minutes mid day while deponent was walking along Foster Street between Mott & Mulberry Streets and while deponent was passing through a crowd the defendant Mackin snatched hold of deponent's watch chain attached to the aforesaid watch and worn in the left hand side pocket of deponent's vest and the defendant Serity did press against the defendant Mackin and they defendants ran away and deponent is informed by Officer Cornelius Smith

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At the 10th Precinct Police that he caught  
the defendant Mackin and found the  
aforesaid watch and chain in the defendant's  
Mackin possession and deponent subsequently  
saw said watch and chain and identified  
the same as the property taken stolen and  
carried away as aforesaid

Sworn to before me this ( )  
1st day of August 1887

Alfred J. McCarthy  
M.D.

Henry Thompson  
Police Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 26 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 15th Precinct Police  
Cornelius Tubbs

~~Street~~, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Alexander G. McRatty

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of August 1888

Cornelius P. Tubbs

Henry Murray

Police Justice.

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Sec. 195-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

10<sup>th</sup>  
District Police Court.

*James Mackin* 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.

Taken before me this

*James Mackin*  
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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

10th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Michael Gerity

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

New York City

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

Answer.

37 Bowery 3 Weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Carrier

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

Michael Gerity

Taken before me at

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

Defendants Mackin

Twenty 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 Aug 15 188

[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

Michael Garity

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

Dated August 5 188

[Signature] Police Justice.

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Police Court

15th 1256 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alexander G. McEachern  
46 Van Buren St.  
James Magick  
Michael S. S. S.

ofence  
from the Court

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated August 15th 1887

Magistrate

Officer.

18th Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

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No. Street.

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No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

4-01 \$2000 each to answer  
by Aug 5th 2/20/86  
No 2 delinquent on  
examination Aug 5th  
No 1 (Com)

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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 Madain*

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

*James Madain*

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

The said *James Madain*.

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

*one watch of the value of one*  
*hundred and fifty dollars,*  
*and one chain of the value*  
*of one dollar,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Alexander F. McPatty*,  
on the person of the said *Alexander F. McPatty*, then and there being  
found, from the person of the said *Alexander F. McPatty*, 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. Martin*

District Attorney.

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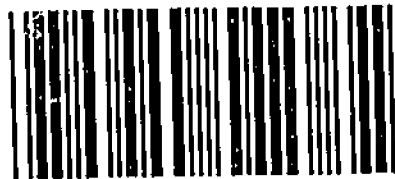
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DESCRIPTION:

Marone, Joseph

DATE:

09/23/87



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Witnesses:

Joseph Mambrea

Upon an examination of the  
evidence in this case I  
am of opinion that no  
crime has been committed.  
I therefore recommend a  
dismissal of this indictment  
N.Y. Sept. 29th. 1887

Vernon M. Davis  
Clerk of the Court

#206 Herman Frank

Counsel, *W*  
Filed, *23* day of *Sept.* 1887  
Pleads, *Not guilty*

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

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

*B*  
Joseph Marone

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Chas. J. O'Connell*  
Foreman.  
*Sept 29/87*  
*Indictment returned*

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## Contratto

Io qui sottoscritto segnato Giuseppe Marrone  
 dichiaro aver ricevuto dai Signori Giuseppe  
 Manfredi e Giuseppe di Leonardo la somma  
 di soldi Cinquantacinque in acconto della som-  
 ma di soldi sessanta, coll'obbligo da parte  
 mia di metterli al lavoro nel Dock Pier  
 N.º 46 North River il giorno di lunedì 15  
 del mese d'agosto 1887.

Nel caso che io mancassi di dar loro il pun-  
 tuale lavoro per il giorno stabilito, o se essi  
 non troveranno il lavoro continuato tutti  
 i giorni per tempo che loro piace di tenere  
 il posto nel Dock Pier N.º 46; mi obbligo non  
 solo restituirli integralmente la somma di  
 soldi Cinquantacinque, ma quanto mi  
 obbligo pagare tutte le spese che occorreranno  
 sul presente contratto, e le giornate che essi per-  
 deranno in corte.

I signori Manfredi e d'Leonardo si obbligano lavorare con-  
 tinuamente e abbandonando di propria volontà il lavoro per-  
 deranno la somma pagata.

New York 9 Agosto 1887.

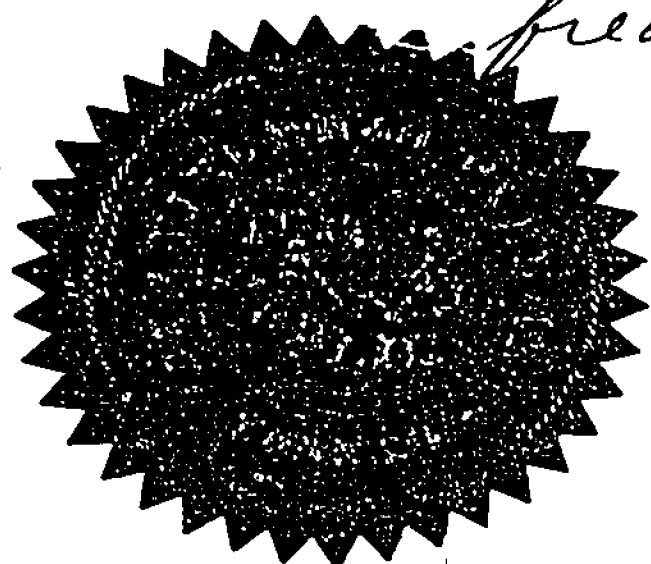
Segno di <sup>per parte</sup> ~~X~~ <sup>Croc</sup> Giuseppe Marrone  
 Segno di <sup>per parte</sup> ~~X~~ <sup>Croc</sup> Giuseppe Manfredi  
 Leonardo Giuseppe



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Before me personally came  
Giuseppe Marone, Giuseppe Man-  
fredi and Giuseppe di Leonardo -  
Vincenzo Palumba

Notary Public  
N. Y. C. N.



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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,of No. 108 Melberry Street, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborerdeposes and says, that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 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:Fifty five dollars good  
and lawful moneythe property of deponent - and Joseph Delanardoand 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 Marone now here,in the manner following - to wit That on  
said day the defendant entered into  
an agreement with deponent and  
said Delanardo by which upon the  
payment of the above sum to the def-  
endant he was to procure steady work  
for deponent & said Delanardo as laborers  
on Pier 46 N River That deponent  
believing such statement to be true gave the  
defendant the aforesaid amount and  
since that time deponent & said Delanardo  
has been able to obtain only an occasional  
days work and no steady work, whereupon  
deponent and Delanardo asked several times  
for the fulfillment of the agreement or the return  
of the money both of which was refused by the  
defendant  
Quiseppe DelanardoSworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1887  
at New York  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

152 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

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*

*Joseph Morone*  
*Mark*

Taken before me this

14th

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Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *Apr 14* 188

*Samuel H. ...* 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--

1513 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Montros  
Joseph Montros

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Ceresa Luozzo  
37 Mulberry 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.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 1000-

to answer

Ex Sep 15<sup>th</sup> 9/22/70  
Baile (Com)

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Contract

I the undersigned Joseph Marnon  
declare to have received of Joseph Manfredi  
and Joseph di Leonardi the sum of 50<sup>00</sup> on  
account of the sum of 60<sup>00</sup> binding myself  
to put them to work Monday the 15<sup>th</sup> day  
of August 1887

In case I should fail to give them  
the work punctually on the day established or  
should they not find the work continual for  
every day for the time they desire to stay at the  
place Rue No 46 I bind myself not only to  
<sup>return</sup> ~~repay~~ the entire amount of 50<sup>00</sup> but  
I bind myself to pay all the <sup>which might come</sup> expenses ~~of~~  
this Contract and the days which they might  
lose in Court

Messrs Manfredi and Leonardi bind  
themselves to work continually and should  
they leave the place by their own free will  
they will lose the money to pay



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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 Marone*

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

*Joseph Marone*

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

The said

*Joseph Marone,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*21st* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at the City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,

*the sum of fifty five*  
*dollars in money, lawful*  
*money of the United States, and*  
*of the value of fifty five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Agnes Montardo*  
and one *Agnes Di Seonardi,*

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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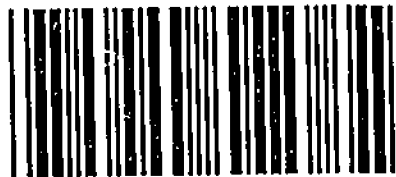
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Martin, George

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Samuel Johnson  
Edward Lubbe

It appearing from the statement of the complainant in this case that the larceny charged in this indictment was committed over seven years ago and that the only evidence against the defendant is the fact that the goods alleged to have been stolen were found in defendant's possession some years after the taking - I recommend that the indictment be dismissed and in this respect the court please not pass.

A. H. Brady

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Counsel,

Filed, day of Sept 1887

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Martin

7<sup>th</sup> Dec 4/87  
Disch'd by the Ct on his own recogn.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. J. R. Forest

Foreman.

Grand Larceny (Receiving stolen goods)  
Section 529, 530, 531  
Penal Code  
(Ill. Revised Statutes)

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,of No. 62 William Street, aged 77 years,  
occupation Retired being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

A case containing two violins  
and three bows of the value of  
two hundred and fifty dollars  
(\$250.00)

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 George Martin (nowhere)

from the fact that on the 13<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1882, deponent  
missed said property from a chest  
in a room in the premises No  
49 Liberty St.

And deponent is informed by Edward  
Dobbs of No 374 Bervy that on the 18<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1887, the aforesaid  
defendant offered to sell him Dobbs  
a case containing two violins and three  
bow which from the description given  
deponent. Deponent fully identified as his  
property and charges the said defendant  
with feloniously taking, stealing and carrying  
away said property.

Edward D. Ford

Sworn to before me, this  
12<sup>th</sup> day of  
October 1882  
at New York  
Police Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged

54

years, occupation

Edward Lubbs  
Virgin & New Market

of No.

374 Broadway

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Daniel Johnson

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

Sworn to before me, this

22

day of

Aug

1887

Edward Lubbs

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

District Police Court.

*George Martin* 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.

*George Martin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*52. years or so*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

*New York*

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

Answer.

*1014 Pacific St Rkn. 14 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*P. picture frame maker*

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*

*Geo Martin*

Taken before me this

day of

*August 1888*

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Edward Tubbs

of No. 374 Broadway Street, aged 54 years,

occupation Violin & bow maker being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 18th day of August 1887

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

arrest of George Martin (now here) for the reason that the said Martin offered to sell him Tubbs a case containing two violins and two bows for one hundred dollars. which he the said Tubbs identifies as the property of Mr Samuel Johnson. which was stolen from the said Johnson about three years ago. And deponent further says that the said Samuel Johnson is not now present to make a complaint Wherefore deponent prays the said George Martin

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice



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may be held. a reasonable time  
to enable defendant to get the aforesaid  
Samuel Johnson the owner of said stolen  
property to come to court to make a confession.

Sworn to before me ) Edward T. Hubbs  
this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1884

Police Justice

Police Court, 12 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Martin

AFRIDA VII.

Dated Aug 19 1884

Wm. G. Gangle Magistrate.

Wm. Gangle Officer.

Witness,

Disposition on  
Excellency 22 Jan.



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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 Smith*  
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 *Aug 22* 188 *[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 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Samuel Johnson*  
*62 Michigan St.*  
*George Martin*

*Offender*  
*Concurrence*  
*felony*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated *Aug 22* 188*7*

*Wm Guigle* Magistrate.

*15* Officer.

Witnesses *Edward Lubbs* Precinct.

No. *374 Brewery* Street.

*James P. Bilo 55 Cedar*

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

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

*500* to answer *Penalty*



*Com*

0700

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

Fugate Martin

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

Fugate Martin —

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

The said

Fugate Martin,

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

Two violins of the value of  
one hundred and twenty-five  
dollars, three violin bows of  
the value of ten dollars each,  
and one case of the value  
of ten dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Samuel Johnson, —

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

*Figoras Martin* —  
of the CRIME OF <sup>goods</sup> ~~CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY~~, committed as follows:

The said *Figoras Martin*,

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,

*Two pictures of the value of*  
*one hundred and twenty five*  
*dollars each, three picture frames*  
*of the value of ten dollars*  
*each, and one pair of the*  
*value of ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Samuel Johnson*.

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

*Samuel Johnson*

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

*Figoras Martin* —

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Martin, Henry

DATE:

09/07/87



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Witnesses:

State Grejensbach  
C. F. Grejensbach

Off Troosheim

14th Prec.

Dep't Ch. ~~Ch.~~  
Very good  
FD

#47  
Brd.

Counsel.

Filed, 7 day of Sept 1887

Pleads, *Charging*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

14. 6 St.  
37 W. 1 St.  
H. W. 1 St.

ABDUCTION.  
[Section 282, Sub. 1, Penal Code.]

Henry Martin

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

12 Sept 9. 1887

A True Bill

reads guilty.

Wm. A. De Forest

Foreman.

Wm. A. De Forest

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

3 District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Kate Tiefenbach

vs.

Henry Martin

BEFORE HON.

Jacob M. Patterson

POLICE JUSTICE,

August 18 1887

APPEARANCES:

For the People,

For the Defence,

Stephen S. Blake

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Official Stenographer.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,

ON COMPLAINT OF

Kate Diefenbach

agst.

Henry Martin

Examination had

August 18 1887

Before

Jacob M. Patterson

Police Justice.

I, Walter L. Ormsby

Stenographer of the

3d

District Police

Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of

the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of

Kate Diefenbach

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated

August 18

1887

Walter L. Ormsby

Stenographer.

Police Justice.



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Police Court  
Third District

The People vs  
Kate Tiefenbach  
Henry Martin

Examination Before Justice Patterson  
August 18 1887

For the Defendant Stephen S. Blake

Kate Tiefenbach the complainant  
being cross examined by defendants  
counsel upon her affidavit deposes  
and says:-

Q How old are you?

A Fourteen

Q When were you fourteen

A On the 9th of June

Q Are either of your parents  
living?

A My father is dead; my mother  
is living

Q Who told you you are fourteen?

A My mother.

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Q. When?

A. She told me all the while. When I was thirteen - last year I was thirteen

Q. Did you have any conversation with defendant about your age?

A. No, Sir.

Q. Did you at any time say you were 16?

A. No, Sir.

Q. Some of that?

A. Yes, Sir.

Q. Did you not say you were 17?

A. No Sir: The other girl said she was 17

Q. Was she with you when you were arrested?

A. No, Sir.

Q. What do you mean by saying that the other girl was 17?

A. The Tuesday before

Q. It was then she said she was 17?

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A Yes Sir

Q Is she in court?

A No Sir

Q What day was it you were with defendant when you were arrested?

A Day before yesterday.

Q Who was with you the other Tuesday?

A Emma

Q How long have you known Emma?

A A good while.

Q How long?

A About a year.

Q You have been going with her all the time?

A - Not always - I only was in company with her a couple of months - 2 months.

Q Do you know what sort of a girl she is?

A Yes Sir

Q Is she a bad girl?

A Yes Sir.

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Q You knew she was a bad girl?

A Yes Sir.

Q When did you first know she was a bad girl?

A When I went with her and all she did

Q What did she do?

A She used to go over to Brooklyn with the fellers

Q Did you go with her at these times?

A Yes Sir

Q Did you go in the room with her?

A No Sir

Q Where would you stay?

A I always staid out - I would take a walk about

Q When did you first do this yourself?

A On an excursion.

Q When?

A On Pfingstmontag - May 31

Q Did you have sexual intercourse with a man on May 31?



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A Yes.

Q How many times on May 31st?

A Only once

Q Where was that?

A On the grass at College Point.

Q Do you know that man's name?

A I could not tell you - I have never seen him before

Q Was you with Emma on that occasion?

A No Sir

Q Who was with you

A Another young lady, Emma Ling.

Q Is she a bad girl?

A Yes.

Q What is Emma's full name?

A Emma Josephs

Q You knew that both these girls were bad girls?

A Yes Sir.

Q You know you are under oath?

A Yes Sir

Q Have you not had sexual intercourse with anybody else?

5 A No Sir; I did not

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Q When did you first discover that Emma was a bad girl?

A - The last week I was with her - the week before last.

Q You have been going with her two months.

A Yes; but she did not do anything wrong - I seen her going with fellows.

The defendant asked me how old I was and I told him I was going on 15

Q On this night of August 9 where did you first see the defendant?

A On Fifth Avenue

Q - You were in company with Emma?

A Yes.

Q He was with another man was he not?

A Yes

Q Did you not follow them first?

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A No sir. We went by: they  
pissed at us. Emma walked  
up and asked what he  
wanted so he said he wanted  
us to have a drink. He  
said she was hungry too.  
So he took us to the restaurant

Q After you had had sexual  
intercourse before, you must  
have known what defendant  
wanted. Why did you not  
go home?

A It was Emma's way.

Q Why did you not go home?

A Because she told me to go  
along

Q You knew at the time that  
Emma was a bad girl?

A Yes.

Q You heard Emma mention  
she was 17?

A Yes.

Q Who was it asked that  
question?

A The friend of Martin.

Q His conversation was while you four were standing together?

A Yes, Sir

Q His friend heard what was said?

A Yes, Sir

Q Did you not say you were 16?

A No Sir I said I was going on fifteen.

Q Was there not a coach there near by when you met this man?

A A Coach was there

Q Did not you girls ask this man to take you in a coach.

A Emma did. She said she wanted to ride home.

Q Was it Emma who first addressed this man?

A She first addressed him.

By the Court

Q - You say they first missed



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at you?

A He first sissed.

Q Who first sissed?

A This man. He sissed and said "Come here" I said

"Emma don't go" She said "Oh he won't do you anything"

Q Did you guys not bring this man to a place and did he not refuse to enter?

A He said "Didn't we know a place and we said no" Then he said to go to Greene street; and Emma said we would be collared. Then Emma asked whether he had a furnished room.

Q Before that did you not go to a place and did they not refuse to go in?

A No.

Q You know the object of going with this man did you not ask him for a dollar?

9 A No.

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Q Did Emma ask?

A Emma did get a dollar  
after. He said he would  
give me a dollar I did  
not ask it.

Q Did you take it?

A Yes Sir

Q You knew what you were  
doing did you not?

A Yes Sir.

Q You went to furnished rooms  
and had sexual intercourse  
with this man?

A Yes Sir

Q You did it voluntarily?

A Yes

Q You made no resistance?

A No Sir.

Q You did it voluntarily?

A Yes.

Q Did you not say to him  
"Let us go up to Harlem  
you can have all the crammings  
you want?"

A- She said the boys and girls

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go in the water together with  
all the cramming you want.

Q You heard that expression did  
you not?

A Yes.

Q When you were arrested did  
you not say this man was  
your uncle?

A Yes.

Q You lied to the officer?

A Yes. He told me to say  
it?

Q How could he do that when  
the officer was present?

A He winked to me and said  
"Tell the officer I am your uncle"  
The officer did not hear it.

Q He told you to say he was  
your uncle and where he  
lived?

A Yes sir

Q Did you make this complaint  
yourself?

A No sir

Q Who told you to make it?

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A Nobody

Q Who brought you to this court?

A The Officer

Q You did not voluntarily and willingly make this complaint against defendant

A No Sir

Q Somebody told you to do it?

A The Officer brought me here and they asked me and I told them

Q The Officer advised you to make this complaint against defendant

A Yes Sir

\$ 3000 Bail to answer

W. L. Crosby

Stenographer

3d Dist Police Court



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District Police Court.

Kate Stiefenbach

vs.

Henry Martin

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT.

August 18 1887

BEFORE HON.

Jacob M. Patterson

Police Justice.

W. J. Cransford

Official Stenographer.

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

POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT.

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Kate Diefenbach

of No.

131 East 7th

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

16th

day of

August

1887

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

and also on the

9th day of August preceding,  
one Henry Martin, (now here),  
not being deponent's husband,  
did unlawfully <sup>and</sup> wilfully, take  
receive, harbor employ and  
use this deponent, then being  
a female under the age of  
sixteen years, to wit of the  
age of fourteen years, for the  
purpose of having sexual  
intercourse, at the premises  
312 4th Street, in violation  
of section 282 of the Penal Code  
of the State of New York as amended  
1884 and 1886. And deponent further charges  
that at said time and place the defendant did  
unlawfully have sexual intercourse with deponent

Sworn to before me this

16th day of August

1887

J. M. Patterson  
Police Justice

Katie Diefenbach.

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

*Henry Martin* 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

*Henry Martin*

Question How old are you?

Answer

*29 years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer

*France*

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

Answer

*312 10th street*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Shoemaker*

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*  
*Henry Martin*

I taken before me this

16

day of

*August*

1887

*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* \_\_\_\_\_

*Henry Martin*

*guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of*  
*Thirty* \_\_\_\_\_ *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* *Aug 18<sup>th</sup>* 188 *7* *J. M. Patterson* *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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Complainant in  
the Custody -  
Protector  
415 Brown St  
Leua Diefenbach  
131. 3 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Street  
near town top flm

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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Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Karl Diefenbach  
Catholic Protector  
Henry Martin

Abduction  
Offence

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

Dated August 16 1887

Patterson Magistrate.

Brookheim Officer.

14 Precinct.

Witnesses Call the Officer

No. S. P. C. C. Street.

No. 100 East 23d Street.

No. E. 2 Aug 18 1887 Street.

\$ 3000 to answer

Complaint

Sealbach

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Court of General Sessions

And in the County of New York

The People, etc }  
 against }  
 Henry Martin }

City and County of New York S.S.

Edwin Hoty being duly sworn says, he lives at No 263 Bowerly in S. in City, and is proprietor of a Restaurant at the same place and has done business there for a period of nine years, that he knows Henry Martin the aboves named defendant for three years, that he the defendant since that time has been at the above place of business, from this deponent, that he knows said Martin to be an honest industrious and moral young man and that he has heard a great many people speak of him as a gentleman of excellent character

Sworn to before me }  
 this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Sep 1857 }

Stephen D. Beatty

Clerk of the Court

City and County of New York S.S.

Edward C Foster being duly sworn says that he resides at No 15 Spring street N. Y. City and is engaged in the shoe manufacturing business at No 263 Bowerly, that he has known

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the defendant for a period of four years  
that his reputation for honesty, industry  
and morality is of the very highest  
order, that he has heard numbers of  
people speak of him in the very highest  
terms

I am to before me this }  
10<sup>th</sup> day of Sep 1887 }

Stephen S. Black

Mayor of New York

City and County of New York s.d.

Francois Favier being duly sworn says  
that he is the proprietor of the Hotel Favier  
at No 103 Clinton Place in said City -  
and has resided there for a period of six  
years last past, that he has known  
the defendant intimately for a period  
of three years, that during that time  
the defendant has been a member of  
The French Colony, that he knows the  
defendant to be a gentleman and an ex-  
cellent young man in every respect -  
that he is a popular and respected mem-  
ber of the French Colony of New York  
and his arrest on the present charge

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and unfortunate position has excited  
universal regret amongst his friends  
in the city.

Sworn to before me this Tuesday  
10th day of April 1857

City and County of New York S. S.

Christian Miller being duly sworn says  
that, he is the proprietor of a Hotel at No  
22 South 5th Avenue in said city, that  
he knows the defendant from childhood  
some twenty years; that he knew him  
in France, and that during all that  
time the defendant's record has been  
of the best - and that he is a per-  
fect gentleman.

Sworn to before me this Christian Miller  
10th day of April 1857

Stephen S. Blake

Clerk of Deeds

N. Y. City

City and County of New York S. S.

Joseph Hibbons being duly sworn says  
that he lives at No 418 East 16th Street  
in said city and for twenty eight  
years last past have been employed  
at F. White & Co's No 114 East 14th St



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in said City, that he knows the defendant  
 and for three years, that he is business  
 Lieutenant, in "The Grand Lodge" and  
 that there is no man in that organiza-  
 tion that has a better character than he  
 is for his business people.

Known to before me this Joseph Thibault  
 10<sup>th</sup> day of Sep 1887  
 Stephen S. Blake  
 Counselor at Law  
 117 St.

Court of General Sessions  
 for the City of New York

People etc

vs  
 Henry Martin

Affairs of

Good Character

BLAKE & SULLIVAN,  
 COUNSELLORS AT LAW,  
 No. 71 CENTRE STREET, N. Y.

Att. Gen. etc

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New York, September 12<sup>th</sup>, 1884.

My dear Judge Smyth,

Mr. Henry Martin is a most excellent young man. I know him now for three years, since he is a Member of the "Bataillon des Gardes Lafayette" as Sergeant. He was always one of the best Members, as honesty and intelligence.

I cannot understand how he could have been guilty of any wrong thing. I am sure the girl must be to blame very severely, or Mr. Martin would not have gone with her.

I am certain it would be pleasing to the entire French Population of N.Y. if you could let him go.

Could you not suspend judgment in his case? All our people would feel for ever grateful to you for it.

In the hope you will do the best for him,

I am, My dear Judge,

Yours very respectfully,

J. M. Sullivan

Commander of the "Garde Lafayette"  
394, 2<sup>nd</sup> St. N.Y.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Henry Martin*

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

*- Henry Martin -*  
of the CRIME OF ABDUCTION, committed as follows:

The said *Henry Martin*,  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*sixteenth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, did  
feloniously take, receive, harbor, employ and use one *Katie Diefendach*,  
who was then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to-wit: of the age of  
*fifteen* years, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, he, the  
said *Henry Martin*, not being then and there  
the husband of the said *Katie Diefendach*,  
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace  
of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2643

DESCRIPTION:

Matthews, Felix

DATE:

09/13/87



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Witnesses:

Jm Ladd

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Counsel,

Filed

13 day of Sept. 1887

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Felix Matthews

Burglary in the Third Degree.

Section 498.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. R. Foreman

Foreman

Sept 14/87

Reads guilty

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John William (now here)

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1/15/20	PAYROLL	50.00	50.00
1/20/20	RECEIVED FROM CUSTOMER	75.00	125.00
1/25/20	PAYROLL	50.00	75.00
2/1/20	CLOSING BALANCE	75.00	75.00

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Dear Sir,

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and arrested <sup>him</sup> therein. Reponius is  
further informed by said informant  
that a quantity of jewelry which de-  
fendant has been missing from his  
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in defendant's possession and in  
his room on Greenwich Street

Sum to Reponius? Wm Ladd  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1887

Police Justice

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

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

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—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

1887

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

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Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 48 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 124 Recruiter Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Ladd

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

Sworn to before me, this 26

day of July 1887

James C. Carter

G. H. Williams  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Delia Matthews* 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.

*Delia Matthews*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*England*

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

Answer.

*103 Greenwich Street, 9 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Messenger.*

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*  
*Delia Matthews*

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* \_\_\_\_\_

*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* July 28 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ *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--

1207 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William and  
John Matthews*  
19 Wall St

*Henry Williams*  
Offense

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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Dated *July 26* 1887

*William Matthews* Magistrate.

*James Bates* Officer.

Witnesses *Captn M. Laughlin*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.

*John Bates* Street.

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

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No. *1016 23rd* Street.

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REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

New York, July 27, 1887

OFFICER *John C. Cullen*

CASE NO. 30414

DATE OF ARREST July 24, 1887

CHARGE

*Grand Larceny*

AGE OF CHILD

*19 years*

RELIGION

*Catholic*

FATHER

*John*

MOTHER

*Mary*

RESIDENCE

*103 Greenbush Street*

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

*John was*

arrested March 20/85 for Burglary, entering premises 71 Broadway with other boys and stealing \$40 worth of cigars. John was

re-arrested August 1885 for

June 1/85 - John was again arrested for

breaking into a fruit stand and Justice O'Reilly 1st Dist Court committed him to

Cathedral Precinct where he remained for

three months. Many friends are respectable

but he is beyond their control and

associates with vicious boys

All which is respectfully submitted,

*John C. Cullen*  
*John C. Cullen*  
*John C. Cullen*

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Count of  
General Larceny  
the People etc  
John Cullen



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Account of  
 Juvenile Delinquents  
 in Prison etc  
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 Felix Matthews

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
 THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
 TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

New York, Aug 27 1887

CASE NO. 30414 OFFICER J. J. Cates  
 DATE OF ARREST July 24, 1887 1st Dist  
 CHARGE grand Larceny  
 AGE OF CHILD 15 years  
 RELIGION Catholic  
 FATHER Felix  
 MOTHER Mary  
 RESIDENCE 13 Avenue St. St.

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT Felix was  
 arrested March 26/85 for Burglary entering  
 premises 71 Broadway with other boys and  
 stealing \$48 worth of Cigars. Felix 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 Recorder Smyth's suspended sentence  
 June 1/85. Boy was again arrested for  
 breaking into a spirit stand and Justice  
 O'Reilly 1<sup>st</sup> Dist Court committed him to  
 Catholic Protective Union where he remained for  
 three months. Boy's parents are ineffectual  
 out of his control and  
 associated with vicious boys.

All which is respectfully submitted,

J. J. Cates  
 Supt

To Dist Attorney

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<u>Report of</u>	
<u>General Standard</u>	
<u>Dr. Raphael</u>	PENAL CODE, §
<u>Dr. Raphael</u>	
<u>Dr. Raphael</u>	

Report of the New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,  
President, &c.,  
100 East 23d Street,  
NEW YORK CITY.

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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

*Edix Matthews*

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

*Edix Matthews*

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

The said *Edix Matthews*,

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fourth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *Store* of one

*William F. Sudd.*

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*William F. Sudd.*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF

LARCENY

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, in the time of the said day, with force and arms,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the of the said

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



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THIRD 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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DESCRIPTION:

May, Celia

DATE:

09/27/87



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Witnesses:

Off. Geo. H. Young, Jr. P.C. & Clerk  
Emma Joseph

Counsel,

Filed 27 day of

1887

Pleads,

Chas. H. Young, Jr. (as plaintiff)  
vs.  
The People (as defendant)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Celia May  
(3 rows)

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.

(Sections 822 and 885, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

P. v. Oct 30 1887

A True Bill.

Chas. H. Young, Jr.

Foreman

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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

*Relia May*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse  
*Relia May*  
of the CRIME OF ABDUCTION, committed as follows:

The said *Relia May*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*sixth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the City and County aforesaid, did  
feloniously take, receive, harbor, employ and use one *Emma Josephine*,  
who was then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to-wit: of the age of  
*nineteen* years, for the purpose of *prostitution* ~~sexual intercourse~~, he, the  
~~said~~  
~~not being then and there~~  
~~the husband of the said~~  
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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Witnesses:

Off. Leo W. Young, Sec. & Clerk  
Emma Joseph

Counsel.

Filed, day of

1887

Pleads,

for the defendant (Sept 30th)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Sp. Jones

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Celia May

(Exposed)

ABDUCTION.  
[Section 282, Sub. 1, Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Pr. 2-10-6-1887  
Pleads guilty

A True Bill.

Filed 10/50

Chas. H. Leontovich  
Foreman.

Oct 6th  
A. H. P.

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3 District Police Court,  
New York, September 11, 1887.

Emma Joseph having been  
produced before me for personal  
inspection, I determined that she  
is under the age of ~~thirteen~~ <sup>fourteen</sup> years.

I am led to this belief  
by the sworn affidavit of  
her father taken on the 19<sup>th</sup>  
instant, and which is hereto  
annexed to the papers in this  
Case - I am further convinced  
of my opinion from the fact  
that the evidence adduced before  
me, showed that the father  
of the girl had been tampered  
with since making his affidavit.

R. J. Deffen  
Police Justice

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

of No. 313 East 72<sup>nd</sup> Solomon Joseph Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

Emma Joseph (now here)

is the daughter of deponent, and is now of the age

of 15 years, and is a bad and ungovernable

child, who refuses to obey the lawful commands of this deponent, and is incorrigible and beyond the control of deponent. • absents herself from home, and associates with vicious persons

Whereupon deponent prays that said Emma Joseph may be

dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct,

Solomon Joseph

Sworn to before me, this 19 day of September 1888

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 3 — District.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Joseph*

*Emma Joseph*

Affidavit—Juvenile Delinquency.

Dated *Sept 19* 188

*Duffy* Justice.

*Rogers* Officer.  
*W. Paul*

Committed to

*Wm. J. [unclear]*  
*Wm. J. [unclear]*  
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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn before me, this

of No.

that on the

New York, in the County of New York,

96 Ave. No. 1 - being duly sworn, deposes and says  
sixth day of September 1887 at the City of

deponent, who is ~~off~~ under the age of sixteen  
years, to wit, of the age of fifteen years  
was an inmate of the House of prostitution  
situated at No. 50 Stanton Street in said City,  
and while there, had sexual intercourse  
with men and the money deponent received  
from said prostitution was given over to Celia  
May, who is the proprietress of said premises.  
That deponent was hired by said Celia May.

Emma Josephs.

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said

Celia May

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law.

to int. section 282  
of the Penal Code of the State of New York as amended.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

September 1887

Police Justice



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Third District Police Court.

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

George H. Young -

of Number 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that, on the sixth day of September 1887 at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York,

one Celia May (now present) did unlawfully  
and wilfully take, receive, employ, harbor, and  
use, one Emma Josephs, being a female  
under the age of sixteen years, to wit, of the age  
of fifteen years, for the purpose of prostitution,  
at premises situated at Number 50 Stanton Street  
in said City, which is a reputed house of prostitution.

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said

Celia May

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

September 1887

Police Justice

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Sec. 198—200.

3rd

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. ss.

*Celia May* 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. *Celia May*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *New York*

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

Answer. *No. 50 Stanton Street And two months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *I keep furnished rooms*

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. Demand an examination*

*Celia May*

Taken before me this *26*

day of *April* 188*7*

Police Justice.



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

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

Dated September 22 1887

[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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BAILED,

No. 1, by

John H. Rappenhagen  
181 Chrystie Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court--

1534 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George H. Young  
100 E. 23rd St  
Celia May

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Offence: Assault  
Section: 287 Penal Code

Dated

Sept 20

1887

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

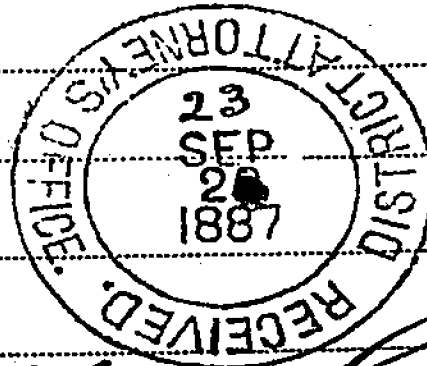
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Street.

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Street.

to answer



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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

3<sup>d</sup>

District Police Court.

of No 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, in said City, being duly sworn says  
that at the premises known as Number 50 Stanton Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887, and on divers  
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Celia May  
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of Prostitution  
and did then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure  
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come  
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said  
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil  
name and fame there to be and remain ~~drinking, dancing, fighting~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving  
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and  
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Celia May  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said  
Celia May  
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1887

W. J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

George Hoffman

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*W J.*  
Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*George Hyman*  
vs.

*Abie May*

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated *Sept. 20* 1887

*Driffy* Justice.

Officer.

Precinct.

WITNESSES :

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3<sup>d</sup> District.CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or 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 George Hymanof No. 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Celia Maydid keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 50 Stanton StreetStreet, in said City, a House of Prostitution

and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

Celia Mayand all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Celia

May and forthwith bring them before me, at the 3<sup>d</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887

P. J. O'Connell  
POLICE JUSTICE.



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Police Court—<sup>33</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*George A. Gorman*

*Celia May*

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated *Sept 20* 188*7*

*Cluffy* Magistrate.

*Adrian* Officer.

*11* Precinct.

The Defendant

*Celia May*

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

*Adrian* Officer.

Dated *Sept 20* 188*7*

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

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

Police Justice.

The within named

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

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*Celia May* 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.

*Celia May*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*New York*

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

Answer.

*50 Stanton Street for two months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*I keep furnished rooms*

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*

*Celia May*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated September 20 188

P. G. Duffy 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,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court--

1554 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Dated

1887

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

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to answer

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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*

*Relia May*

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

*Relia May*

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND  
HOUSE OF ILL FAME, committed as follows:

The said *Relia May*

late of the *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the *ninth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, and on divers other days and times as well  
before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did  
keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women,  
and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day,  
there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-  
disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

*Relia May*

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

**SECOND COUNT.—**

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

*Relia May*

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Relia May*

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

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

THIRD COUNT.—

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

*Relia Mary*

(Section 822,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Relia Mary*

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

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

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*Resentment*

335 May

Counsel,

Filed

188

day of

*Sept*

Pleads,

*Liberty for the people*

*(to withdraw from 337)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.

(Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code.)

*Celia May*

*(3 years)*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Pl. 2 Oct. 3 District Attorney.*

*Pr ver 4/1/87*

*Head guilty*

**A True Bill.**

*Don suspended.*

*Chas. H. Conant*

Foreman

Witnesses:

*Off. George W. S. P.C. + C.A.*

*Emma Joseph*

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The People of the State of New York,

TO John F. Ahearn Esq. Clerk of the 3<sup>d</sup> District Police Court, known commonly as the 'Espan Market' Police Court, New York City, or such other person as may be charged with the Command You, That all business and excuses being laid aside, you appear and attend before me or one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at its Chambers, in the New County Court House, in the City of New York

on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 1884 at 10 1/2 o'clock in the forenoon, to testify and give evidence in a certain action now pending and determined in the said Court, to-wit: the matter of the detention of Celia May, wherein the People of the State of New York are plaintiff and said Celia May is the defendant.

and that you bring with you and produce, at the time and place aforesaid, a certain pleading and proceedings in writing taken in the case of the People of the State of New York vs. John Emma Joseph and George Reppung against Lena Schmidt arrested on or about September 20, 1884 and released by Hon. J. J. Duffy, Police Justice or Magistrate at said Police Court on bail; said pleading and proceedings refer to the 'Abduction' and to the 'Keeping of a disorderly House' case in the part of said Lena Schmidt.

now in your custody, and all other deeds, evidences and writings, which you have in your custody or power, concerning the premises. And for a failure to attend, you will be deemed guilty of a contempt of Court, and liable to pay all loss and damages sustained thereby to the party aggrieved, and forfeit FIFTY DOLLARS in addition thereto.

Witness, Hon. Chas. H. Van Brunt Presiding Justice of the said Supreme Court, New York City, September 23<sup>d</sup> 1884. (sd) James A. Black Clerk.

Attorney for Petitioner  
Celia May  
153 B'way, N.Y.

(Alex. Rosenthal, of Counsel)



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State of New York,

County of .....

} ss:

..... of the .....  
being duly sworn, says, that on the ..... day of ..... A. D. 18.....  
at ..... and ..... he served  
the within Subpœna, *Duces Tecum*, personally on .....

the person named therein as witness by then and there showing to ..... the said  
Subpœna, and delivering to ..... a copy of the same, and paying to .....  
at the same time and place ..... for ..... fees for traveling to and  
from the Court named in said Subpœna, and for ..... attendance thereat.

In the matter  
- of the -  
detention of  
Celina May.

SUBPœNA,  
DUCES TECUM.

Julius Levy  
Catharine Atty.  
153 Bowry,  
N.Y.  
Alex S. Krentzel,  
of Counsel.

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

of No 318 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, in said City, being duly sworn says  
that at the premises known as Number 50 Stanton Street,  
in the City and County of New York, <sup>or about</sup> on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887, and on divers  
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Jane Doe  
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of  
Prostitution and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure  
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come  
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said  
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil  
name and fame there to be and remain ~~drinking, dancing, fighting~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving  
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and  
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Jane Doe  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said  
Jane Doe  
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 16  
day of September 1887

Nathan Levi

[Signature] Police Justice.,

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Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Nathan Levi*

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated *Sept. 16* 188 *7*

*Bruffy* Justice.

Officer.

Precinct.

WITNESSES :

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POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

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

of No. 318 East 9th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that Bella May (now present) is the person of ~~that name~~  
mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the 16 day of September 1887  
hereunto annexed, as found over

Sworn to before me, this 16  
day of September 1887 }

Nathan Levi

W. H. Peck

POLICE JUSTICE.



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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Celia May* 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. *Celia May*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *No 50 Stanton Street And 2 months.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I keep furnished rooms.*

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. If held I demand a trial by jury.*

*Celia May*

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*7*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3 District.

CITY AND COUNTY { *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 Nathan Levi  
of No. 318 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, that on the 9 day of September  
1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Jane Doe  
did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 50 Stanton  
Street, in said City, a House of Prostitution  
and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain ~~drinking, dancing, fighting,~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

Jane Doe  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Jane Doe  
Doe and forthwith bring them before me, at the 3rd 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 16 day of September 1887

W. G. Duffy POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathan Levi

vs.  
Belicia May

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated September 16 1887

Duffy Magistrate.

John L. Adrian Officer.

11<sup>th</sup> Precinct.

The Defendant was

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Adrian Officer.

Dated September 16 1887

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

The within named

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

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

Dated September 16 1887

P. G. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 17 1887

P. G. Duffy Police Justice.

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

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

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Police Justice.



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Police Court-- 3 District. 1516

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathan Levi  
318 East 9th St.  
Melia May

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Offence Kept a  
Womanly House

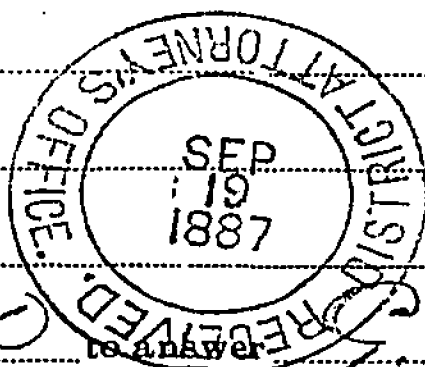
Dated September 16 1887

W. J. P. Magistrate.  
John J. Adrian Officer.

Precinct.  
Witnesses George H. Young  
No. 100 E. 243 Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.



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Bailed

BAILED.

No. 1, by Josephine Rosenthal  
Residence 199 East 10th Street.

No. 2, by  
Residence Street.

No. 3, by  
Residence Street.

No. 4, by  
Residence Street.

Remanded till  
to-morrow morning  
9 o'clock

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. 11

New York, October 1 1887

Hon: Randolph B. Martin  
Dist. Attorney

Sir

By request of Councilor  
Jacob Berthier I have the  
honor to state, that house  
No 51 Stanton St., formerly  
occupied by Celia May, is  
now vacant

Respectfully

Anthony J. Mallin  
Captain  
Per A. D.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

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In the matter of the detention:

of

Celia May  
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Sir:-

You are herewith requested please to produce, upon the hearing of the writs of Habeas Corpus and Certiorari, tomorrow, September 24th, 1887, at 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> O'clock A. M., at said Supreme Court, at its Chambers, in the New County Court House, N. Y. City, the pleadings and proceedings, now in your possession or under your control, in the case of The People of the State of New York exrel. Nathan Levi against Celia May, for keeping a disorderly house, as therein charged on or about September 17 1887, wherein said Celia May was held to bail in the sum of \$500.00 for her appearance at the Court of General Sessions and also the pleadings of the People to vs. Lena Schmidt arrested in the City of New York a few days ago in 38 District Police Court by. And in case of your failure to produce such pleadings and proceedings, upon the said hearing parol evidence or testimony will be offered in behalf of said Celia May, as to the contents of such pleadings and proceedings.

Dated N. Y. September 23, 1887. Yours &c.,

*Julius Levy*

ATTY. For Celia May.

To Office and P. O. address 153 Bowery,  
Randolph B. Martine, Esq., N. Y. City.  
District Attorney.





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Certiorari. - 197.

John Polhemus, Printer and Mfg Stationer, 102 Nassau St., N.Y.

The People of the State of New York  
TO The District Attorney in and for the City  
and County of New York

CERTIORARI  
TO CERTIFY CAUSE OF  
DETENTION.

GREETING:

Command you, That you certify fully and at large to one of the Justices  
of the Supreme Court of the State of New York sitting  
at chambers thereof at the County Court House in the City  
on the 4th day of September, 1887 at high past 10 o'clock in the  
morning of said day  
the day and cause of the imprisonment of Michael Weiss

by you detained; as is said, by whatsoever name the said Michael Weiss

shall be called or charged; and have you then this writ.

Witness, Honorable Charles H. Hankrant, Presiding Judge  
the 23rd day of September, 1887

Charles E. LeBarbier  
Plaintiff's Attorney.

James A. Flack  
Clerk.

35 Broadway  
New York City

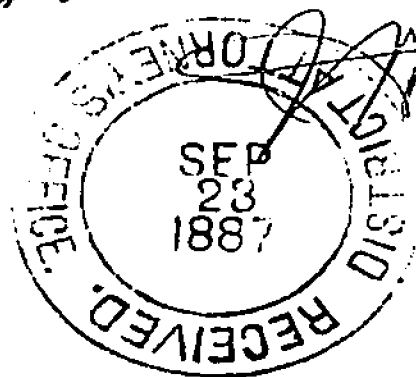
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The within writ is  
hereby allowed.

Dated 23rd September, 1887

Wm. A. B. B. B.



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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*

*Relia May*

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

*Relia May*

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Relia May*

late of the *14th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *seven*, and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

*Relia May*

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

**SECOND COUNT.—**

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

*Relia May*

(Section 335,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Relia May*

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

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

THIRD COUNT.—

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

*Relia Mary*

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Relia Mary*

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

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



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Mayer, William

DATE:

09/29/87



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WITNESSES:

Off. Rott H. Clark

Counsel,

UP pick.

Filed 29 day of Sept. 1887

Pleads Mr. Buckley vs.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

William Mayer

Violation of Excise Law.

[(III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and page 1989, Sec. 5.)  
(Bellington Sunday Lico.)]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. W. Conant's Foreman.

for Letter Paul II  
4 December 1887

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Mayer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *39 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *329. W 50th St. one month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Saloon 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 and  
I demand a trial by Jury  
William Mayer*

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*7*

*John J. McQuinn*  
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Sept 3 1888 John J. Warner Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 2 1887 Wm. J. Farmer Police Justice.

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

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



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BAILED

No. 1, by Israel Lowenstein

Residence 314 W 27 Street.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court 2 District. 1437

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Robert W. Clarke

vs. William Mayer

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
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Violation  
Office  
Ex ore Lam

Dated Sept 5 1887

Gorman Magistrate

Clarke Officer.

45 Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

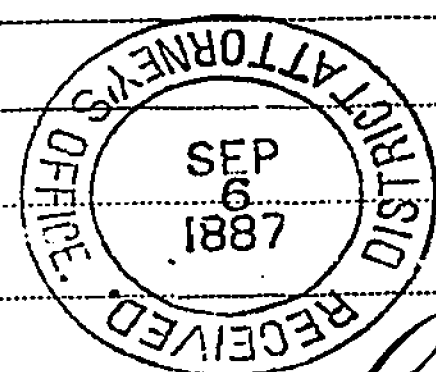
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

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

\$ 100 to answer Gentles

Bailed



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Excise Violation—Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT-

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

Robert W. Clarke

of No.

20th Precinct Police

Street,

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

of September 1887, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

premises No. 329 West 98th Street,

William Mayer (now here)

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 5 day of September 1887.

Robert W. Clarke

Police Justice.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*Plaintiff's*

*against*

*William Mayer*

*Defendant.*

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

The said defendant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven* at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit : One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one

*- Robert W. Clarke -*

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

**SECOND COUNT :**

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

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

McCann, Joseph

DATE:

09/16/87



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Witnesses:

Paul J. Cooper  
Off Thompson

#129 Friends as

Counsel,

Filed

16 day of Sept 1887

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph McCann

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edward D. Forest

Foreman

Sept 19th

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Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York.

of No. 159 Varick Street, aged 35 years,  
occupation Bar tender

deposes and says, that the premises No 159 Varick Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor saloon

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

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly unlocking the padlock  
on the grating leading from the cellar into the  
Cellar of said premises. Then opening the trap door  
leading from the cellar into the saloon. Then opening the  
doors leading from the saloon into the street from the inside  
on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1887 in the Night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money of the United  
States to the amount and of the value of  
three dollars. And one revolving pistol  
of the value of five dollars. Together of the  
value of Eight dollars. (\$8.00)

the property of deponent and James Caranagh. for deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by  
Joseph W. Carr.

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of  
midnight said date deponent locked  
and securely fastened the doors and windows  
of the saloon at said premises and left  
them leaving the above mentioned sum  
of money and pistol in the money  
drawer. And deponent is informed by  
Officer Frank D. Thompson of the 8th  
Precinct Police that at about the hour

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of 4. O'clock Am Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> he discovered  
the doors leading from the street into said  
Saloon open. And when deponent examined said  
premises he found them opened as aforesaid  
and discovered that the aforesaid property  
was missing. And deponent is informed by  
said Officer that Nicholas Cox of no  
170 Varick St gave him the Officer the annexed  
pawn ticket for a revolver telling him that the  
defendant Joseph McEann who is in the habit  
of doing odd jobs around said Saloon had  
given him the said Nicholas Cox said  
pawn ticket.

Deponent has since seen said revolving pistol  
so represented by said ticket and fully identifies  
it as his property.

Wherefore deponent charges the said Joseph  
McEann with burglarious entering said  
premises as aforesaid and feloniously taking  
stealing and carrying away said property.  
Sworn to before me,  
this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1857

Frank H. Cooper

John H. Thomas  
Police Justice

Police Court	District.
THE PEOPLE, &c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF	
Burglary	
Dated	188
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witnesses:	
Committed in default of \$	
Bailed by	Bail.
No.	Street.

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F. SIMON,  
No. 185 Varick Street.

NO. 46714

188 SEP 3 1887 Dols. Cts.

Revoluer

Name, *Robert*

**RATE OF INTEREST.**

On sums of \$100 or under, 3 per cent per month, or any fraction thereof, for first six months, and 2 per cent per month thereafter. On sums over \$100, 2 per cent per month for first six months, and 1 per cent per month thereafter.

**GOOD FOR ONE YEAR ONLY.**

Not accountable for loss or damage by fire. breakage, robbery or moth.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Frank D. Thompson  
aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation Police Officer of No. \_\_\_\_\_

5th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Frank J. Croghan

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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Frank D. Thompson

John J. Croghan

Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

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*

*Joseph W. Carr*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of *April*

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*John J. McQuinn*  
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

*John* 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 *Sept 4* 188 *John J. Homan* 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

1421 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank S. Cooper  
59 Precinct  
Joseph W. Carr

Burglary  
Offence

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated September 4 188

Gorman

Magistrate

Frank S. Thompson

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Officer Thompson

No. Precinct Street.

Nicholas Cox

No. 170 Precinct Street.

No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

Gen L

Calley



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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 McRann*

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

*Joseph McRann* —

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

The said *Joseph McRann*,

late of the — *Eleventh* — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *second* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *saloon* of one

*James Ravanagh*, —

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*James Ravanagh*, —

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Joseph McRann*  
of the CRIME OF *Robt* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said *Joseph McRann.*

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

*one pistol of the value of five  
dollars, and the sum of three  
dollars in money, lawful money  
of the United States, and of the  
value of three dollars.*

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

in the *room* of the said *James Paravanagh.* —

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

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THIRD COUNT—

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

*Joseph McLann* —  
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

*Joseph McLann*.

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 indictment of the value of five*  
*dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*James Lavanagh* —

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

*James Lavanagh* —

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

*Joseph McLann* —

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

McCarthy, Charles

DATE:

09/15/87



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Witnesses:

William H. France

Counsel, *at*  
Filed, *15* day of *Sept* 1887  
Pleads, *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Larceny, *second degree*  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 528, 529, 534, Penal Code].

*Charles McCarthy*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Chas. J. De Forest*

Foreman.

*John J. Connelley*

*J. P. 2 1/2 yrs.*



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The People } Court of General Sessions, Part 7  
Charles McCarthy } Before Judge Cowing.  
September 28. 1887.

Indictment for attempt at grand larceny

William H. Frazer sworn and examined testified: I live No 105 East Seventieth St. and am a builder, I recollect the 8th of Sept. I was in Wall St. that day and saw the defendant there, I should about three o'clock in the day time in this city; he was near me. I was standing in a crowd in Wall st. watching the consolidated Stock Exchange members go by as I had several friends among them, and just as I was going out of the crowd I felt three separate distinct tugs at my watch chain at the left hand side of it. I put my hand around and I grabbed the hand that was on the watch chain; that was the hand of the defendant Charles McCarthy. Have you the watch with you? Yes sir; the watch is on the right hand side. How much is that worth? I got this watch at wholesale. Is it worth ten dollars - show it to the jury? It is decidedly worth more than ten dollars. Is that chain gold? I suppose so. I am not sure, I don't know. Is your chain worth five dollars? I paid more than five dollars for it. He did not get away with my

watch or chain. You caught him before he got away? Yes sir. What did you do with him? I turned him over to the officer at Broadway, Officer Mannery, who is in Court.

Cross Examined. How many people were around where you were standing? It is impossible for me to say. Was there any closer to you than he was? I do not think there was, there might have been on both sides of me. Did you actually find his hand holding your chain? As I turned my hand around, I was standing facing, I was on the South side of Hall St., and pointing towards Broadway I distinctly felt the tug and then I just put my hand around and I caught his hand right at my watch chain. Was anybody else near enough to you to have hold of the chain beside him? No sir. He was the closest one? Yes sir. Did he actually have the chain in his hand? I cannot swear that he had the chain in his hand, I can swear that that hand was so near the chain I felt distinctly the tug at the chain. Did you wait till the third tug? I did not, I ran my hand around as the third tug was being given, I grabbed his hand. I explained to the best of my knowledge how he had the chain.

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Patrick H. Flannery sworn and examined  
I am an officer of the First precinct. On  
the 8th of September were you in Tall St. in this  
city? Yes sir, I was keeping the trucks back.  
Did you see this defendant there? Yes sir.  
Did you arrest him? Yes sir. Was he given  
in your custody by anybody? Given in my  
custody by Mr. Frame, the last witness on the  
stand. I took him to the station house  
first and to the Court the next morning.  
He was committed to answer this charge.  
By Counsel. He was standing there was  
he not? Mr. Frame had hold of him. Did  
the prisoner say anything to you, did you  
hear the complaining witness accuse him  
of attempting to steal his watch? Yes sir.  
What did he say in response? He said  
he was raising his hand up to fix his  
hat, and his hand hit the watch chain.

Charles McCarthy, sworn and exam-  
ined in his own defence testified. How  
old are you? Twenty one years old. Where  
do you live? Corner of James Street and  
Park Row. What is that place? The Star hotel.  
You lodge there? Yes sir. What is your  
business? Peddler. What do you peddle? I  
have been peddling anything there is  
money in, I can prove I am a peddler.  
Tell us something you peddled? Jewels

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I bought them of Charles Goodman and Sons, Broadway. What else did you peddle? Penitentiary pens. Have you ever been arrested for stealing? No sir. I have not. I was in the neighborhood of this parade on the day mentioned by the complainant. I did not have my hand on his chain and did not attempt to take his watch. Cross Examined. I was near him and he caught hold of my hand. I could not exactly say that my hand was very near his body for I was watching the parade. I did not touch his person at all with my hand. I did not touch his chain three times by accident. There was other people standing there besides me - people on the other side and some standing on the same side with me. I am sure I was facing toward the parade. When I saw him first I think I stood about a foot away from him - I did not notice him before he grabbed my hand; he was facing toward the parade. I have been peddling four or five years. I am a shoe laster and learned my trade in Cousins Grand St. I have never been in the State prison or penitentiary. I was not peddling this day. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty with a recommendation to mercy.



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Testimony in the case

Charles McCarthy

filed

Sept.

1887.



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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 105 East 70<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 19 years,  
occupation Butcher being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously <sup>attempted to be</sup> taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One gold watch to which  
was attached a gold chain  
and being together of the value  
of Two hundred and fifty  
Dollars.

the property of

Deponent

has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property <sup>and that this deponent attempted to be taken</sup> was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Charles M. Carthy (mod.

here) for the reason that on said  
day deponent had said property in the  
right hand vest pocket of the vest  
he then had on and to which was  
attached said chain and while standing  
in Wall Street said deponent came  
up to deponent and taking hold of  
said chain attempted to take the  
said property when deponent caught  
said deponent and caused him to  
be arrested and charged him with  
attempting to take steal and carry away  
said property

H. H. Frame.

Sworn to before me this  
8<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887

J. J. Sullivan Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Charles M. McCarthy 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.

Charles M. McCarthy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

Star House Bow Row James St. New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Reader

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  
Charles McCarthy

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 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 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 *Sept 9* 188 *7* \_\_\_\_\_ *J. M. [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-

1470 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 *William A. ...*  
2 *105 East 70th*  
3 *Charles H. ...*  
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*Office of ...*

BAILED,

No. 1, by  
Residence Street.

No. 2, by  
Residence Street,

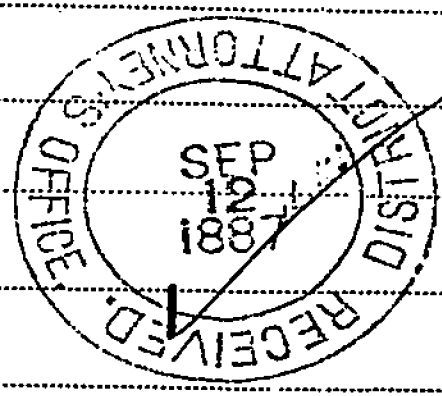
No. 3, by  
Residence Street,

No. 4, by  
Residence Street.

Dated *September 9* 188  
*Thibault* Magistrate.  
*Hammer* Officer.  
*1st* Precinct.

Witnesses  
No. Street.

No. Street.  
No. Street.  
No. Street.



\$ *1000* to answer *GS*

*Committed*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Rhodes Mc Carthy*

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

*Rhodes Mc Carthy -*  
*attempting to commit*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed

as follows :

The said *Rhodes Mc Carthy*

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

*Eight* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

*day* time of the same day, with force and arms, *one watch*

*of the value of two hundred*

*dollars, and one chain of the*

*value of fifty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *William H. Frame,*

on the person of the said *William H. Frame,* then and there being

found, from the person of the said *William H. Frame,* then and there

*attempt to* 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.

*Anthony J. Brannin*

District Attorney.



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