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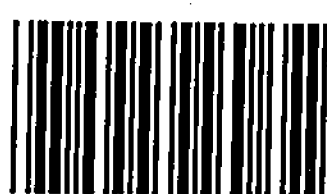
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DESCRIPTION:

Venson, James

DATE:

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Counsel,  
Filed *9* day of *May* 188*3*  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*P*  
*James Watson*

*By*  
*John McKeon*  
JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.  
*Spindle*  
Foreman.  
*Sam Jones*  
*Thomas H. Henth*  
*S. P. Jones*

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and  
Robbery, Stolen Goods

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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 Vanston*

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

*James Vanston*

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

*James Vanston*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, *on the*  
*23rd* ~~on the~~ day of ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- *two*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

*one salmon of the value of*  
*five hundred dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Martin Bates*  
*the younger* 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. *John M. Keon*  
*District Attorney*

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

Police Court 2<sup>d</sup> District 109

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Marine Bates  
491 Broome St.

1 James Vernon  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
5 \_\_\_\_\_  
6 \_\_\_\_\_  
7 \_\_\_\_\_  
8 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Grand Larceny

Dated December 23<sup>d</sup> 1888

Chas. H. Thompson Magistrate.  
George Thompson Officer.  
Henry M. Perkins Clerk.

Witnesses,  
No. 491 Broome Street,  
Charles Reich  
No. 491 Broome Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

DEC 28 1888  
DISTRICT CLERK  
OFFICE

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

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 December 23<sup>d</sup> 1888 J. Murray Bond Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

2d

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James Venson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. No 9 Mulberry St; 20 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Steamboat Engineer

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 was intoxicated and did not realize what I was doing

James Venson

Taken before me this

23d

day of

December

1884

E. J. Murphy

Police Justice.



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

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Martin Bates Junior, 31 years old, merchant*  
of No. *Riverdale* Street, *New York City*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *23* day of *December* 188*2*  
at the *in front of No 491 Broome Street* City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, *in the day time*

the following property, viz:

*One Ladies Seal Skin Sholma*  
*of the value of Five hundred dollars*

Sworn before me this

*23* day of *December* 188*2*

Police Justice.

the property of *said Elizabeth G. Bates and*  
*of deponent, her husband*

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 *James Venson, now here, from*

*the fact that deponent is informed by*  
*Henry M. Roberts that he saw said*  
*James Venson take, steal and carry*  
*away said Sholma from a cab standing*  
*in front of said premises at about noon*  
*on said day*

*Martin Bates Jr.*

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## DISPOSITION

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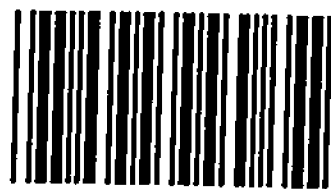
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DESCRIPTION:

Vitzthum, Albert

DATE:

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *7* day of *May* 1883

Pleads *Not Guilty (9)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Albert Vitzthum*

*(Two cases)*

*W. D. 11/2/97*

*Account in the Second Case*

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*John D. 11/2/97*

Foreman.

*Heads Chasault 3 day.  
Per: Ace 11/2/97.*

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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

Albert Vitzeum

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

Albert Vitzeum

of the CRIME OF Assault in the second degree  
committed as follows:

The said Albert Vitzeum

late of the City and County of New York, on the ~~twenty~~ <sup>twenty</sup> day of December  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- ~~two~~ <sup>two</sup>, at  
the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

in and upon the body  
of Louis Sacan in the peace of the said people then  
and there being, feloniously did unlawfully and  
wrongfully make an assault, and with the said  
Louis Sacan with certain metal knuckles then  
and there being in and upon the right hand of  
him the said Albert Vitzeum, the same being  
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily  
harm, then and there feloniously did unlawfully  
and wrongfully beat, strike, cut, bruise and  
wound, thereby inflicting grievous bodily harm  
upon the said Louis Sacan, 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

John McKeon

District Attorney

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Sec. 198-200.

2d

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Albert Fitzthum 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. Albert Fitzthum

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Paris France

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

Answer. 406 E 14th St two mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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

Answer. I did not strike him  
Albert Fitzthum

Taken before me this

28

day of

Dec

188

Police Justice

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BAILED.

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

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

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

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

Police Court 2 District 1043  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Louis Jacob  
421 E 131 St  
Albert Velt Hum  
Offence Simple Assault

Dated Dec 28 1882  
78 01 Barclay Magistrate.  
Huckle Gentry Officer.  
15 Precinct.

Witnesses The officers  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
O. Macaurey  
No. 142-101 St Street \_\_\_\_\_  
and Hugo  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 200 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Dec 28 1882 Bromley Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Police Court— 2d District.

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

Louis Lacue

of No. 421 East 13th Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on the 27 day of December

in the year 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Albert Vitzke-hum  
who wilfully and maliciously struck  
deponent several blows on the head  
and face with ~~some~~ metal knuckles  
then and there run by said defendant  
throwing deponent down and black-  
ening his eye

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 28<sup>th</sup> day  
of Dec 1882

Louis Lacue

B. J. Murphy POLICE JUSTICE.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE,  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW-YORK,  
AGAINST

*Albert Vitzthum*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK, BY THIS  
INDICTMENT, ACCUSE *Albert Vitzthum*, OF THE CRIME OF  
*Carrying Concealed Weapons*  
COMMITTED AS FOLLOWS:

THE SAID *Albert Vitzthum*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the ~~twenty seventh~~ day of *December* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~ at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously,  
knowingly and secretly, did conceal upon his person a certain instrument and weapon  
of the kind known as *a metal knuckler*, with intent then and there  
feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Jurors 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.

*And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment  
further accuse the said Albert Vitzthum of the  
Crime of Carrying Concealed Weapons, committed  
as follows:*

~~And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That~~

The said *Albert Vitzthum* late of the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously, wilfully and  
furtively did possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as *a metal  
knuckler* with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some  
person or persons to the Jurors 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.

*John M. Keane*

**BENJ. K. PHILLIPS**, District Attorney.

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Counsel,  
Filed 4 day of Jan 1883  
Pleads *Not guilty (12)*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*P*  
*Oliver D. Ingram*  
*(2 Cases)*  
*Jan 10*  
INDICTMENT  
CONCEALED WEAPONS.

~~James P. McLean~~  
*John D. McLean*  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*E. H. Smith*  
Foreman.

OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK

# PART I.

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

~~See~~ If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
~~See~~ Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court-  
Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace.**

The People of the State of New York,

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

**GREETING :**

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 12 day of June instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year of Lord 1883.

JOHN McKEON, *District Attorney.*



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James M<sup>e</sup> Sean 22<sup>o</sup>  
John Talasin 30<sup>o</sup> 23<sup>th</sup>  
M<sup>th</sup> and M<sup>th</sup> O. Maccurry 17<sup>th</sup>  
Thomas Raywood 20<sup>th</sup>  
17 Recant M<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>  
George Sauer 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 18<sup>th</sup>

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BAILED.

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

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

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

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

Police Court 2d Districts 1095

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Connelly  
vs.  
Albert Fyfe Hunt

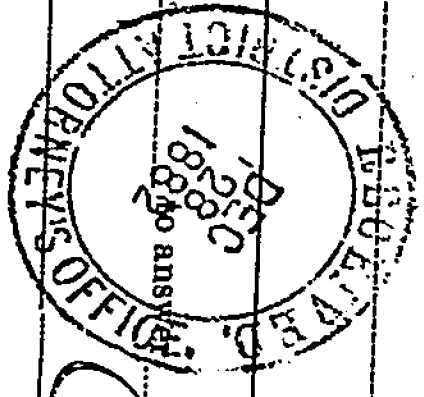
Offence Felony

Dated Dec 28 1882

73 St 73rd Magistrate.  
Wick & Grant Officer.  
15 Precinct.

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

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



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

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

Dated Dec 28 1882 B. A. & Bishop Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

2d

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Albert Fitzthum 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. Albert Fitzthum

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Paris France

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

Answer. 406 E 14th St two mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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

Answer. I am guilty of having the knuckles in my possession but I never used them I carried them to protect myself

Albert Fitzthum

day of

Taken before me this

28

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Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 2d DISTRICT.

Michael Crowley  
of the 15th Precinct Police ~~met~~, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 27th day of December 1882

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, on Mercer Street to

Street with 15th Precinct Station House  
Albert Vitzthum (now here) did unlawfully  
carry concealed about his person a certain  
unlawful weapon now here shown and common  
ly known as metal knuckles with intent  
to use the same against another in  
violation of the statute in such case  
made and provided

Michael Crowley

Sworn to before me, this  
of Dec 1882

28

day

John J. Murphy  
Police Justice.



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*Prase himself*  
TO THE CHIEF CLERK!

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SEND ME THE PAPERS IN THE CASE OF

PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*Albert T. Tamm*

*Louis Ladd*

---

*2 other - viz*  
*Jules Robert*  
*Arthur Tisserand*  
*an implicated*

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**PART I.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace.**

The People of the State of New York,

To Louis Lacue  
of No. 421 E 13 Street,

*John McKee*

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the 16 day of Jan instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of Jan in the year of Lord 188 8

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

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

being duly sworn, deposes and says he

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

on the day of

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Sworn to before me, this

188 day }

Notary Public,

N. Y. Co.