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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Maurice de
and
William
Spencer
Att. D. in and
DELANEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

TRUE BILL
J. J. Mahoney
J. J. Mahoney
J. J. Mahoney
J. J. Mahoney

Specified by deponent
5/10/92
7/10/92

Witness:
Martin Engel

Having this this
Case and the
Spencer's name
acquainted
people not
able to
together
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had
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am
John
June 25 92

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel,
Filed
Pleads

1892

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Maurice ~~Lee~~
and ~~B~~

~~William Eames~~
~~Edward J. [unclear]~~
Chas. G. [unclear]

Defendants on the one hand
DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney

May 20th 1892
Chas. G. [unclear]

A TRUE BILL.

Port. I. May 20th 1892
W. H. Johnson
Foreman.

May 20th 1892

Speed of Jury charged
5 for [unclear]
7 for [unclear]

Witnesses:

Martin Engel

Having tried this
Case and the Jury
Stand firm for
acquittal. And the
people not being
able to measure any
particular testimony
and believe that
Mr. Cameron, Clerk of
Court and most of them
the doctors of
Birmingham upon his
own recognition
of Mr. [unclear] [unclear]
of June 25th 1892 at Court District of [unclear]

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

Third District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Martin Engel
vs.
Maurice Lee
Tom Ennis

BEFORE HON

Wm. J. Ryan
POLICE JUSTICE,

Dec 24 1891

APPEARANCES:

For the People

For the Defence

Robert
Wice

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES

Third District Police Court. Part One

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF
Martin Engel
vs.
Maurice Lee
William Morris

BEFORE HON.
John J. Ryan
POLICE JUSTICE,
Dec 23rd 1891

APPEARANCES: { For the People, J. E. Brodsky
For the Defence, Edmund Price
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New York Dec 20th 1911
 Third District Police
 Court
 Hon. John D. Ryan
 Presiding Justice,
 Martin Engel }
 Francis Lee }
 William Emms }
 Feb. 1912

Appearances,
 John E. Dredger
 For Complainant,
 Edmund Price
 For Defendants

~~~~~  
 Martin Engel being  
 only more defendant  
 deposes and says,  
 Q. Mr Engel, on the  
 day of this occurrence,  
 what day was  
 it?  
 A. June 18<sup>th</sup>

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Q.

Q. At what hour?  
A. Near four o'clock  
afternoon,

Q. Where were you  
assaulted?

A. At McKee's, at  
Hester and Chrystruck's  
N. W. corner

Q. You say it  
was four o'clock—  
are you sure?  
A. Yes, Sir

Q. Had you been  
drinking?

A. Drinking all day  
long? Yes, Sir,

Q. At what hour  
did you commence  
to drink?  
A. I drank a  
few glasses of wine

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Q. in the afternoon  
Had you been in  
that place before  
that day?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. Did you see either  
of these Defendants  
there prior to that  
time?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. What hour was  
it when you were in  
before?

A. Five minutes  
previous

Q. Did you  
have any difficulty  
with the Defendants?

A. No Sir,  
Q. Did you have any  
difficulty with any  
one?

A. No Sir,

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Q. Who was with you when you met me?

A. The first time?

Q. A. Mr Beck?

Q. A. Is he here today?

Q. A. Not that I know of. Who was there besides yourself, and the two Defendants and Beck?

Q. A. Several others. Did you know them?

Q. A. One or two. Were you under the influence of liquor?

Q. A. No Sir, I did not make any remarks to the people I spoke to.

A. I spoke to them,

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Q. Did you use Chile language?

A. No Sir, you did not ~~see~~ recall their Chile names?

Q. Did you speak to Lee the first time?

A. I may have do you know whether you did or did not?

Q. It is some time ago, I was very sick since

Q. There are some occurrences, <sup>that you are not positive</sup> about are you aware of all that occurred, did you say anything to Lee on that occasion

Q. I may have had

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Q. Then the time of day  
Did you say any  
thing to the other  
Defendant?

Q. A. No Sir,  
Did you say any  
thing to the other  
Defendant?

Q. A. No Sir,  
Did you have any  
difficulty with  
or any other person,  
the first time?

Q. A. No Sir  
Did you say "You  
God damn sons of  
bitches, come up here  
and have a drink"  
A. I hardly think I  
did, I will swear  
I did not.

Q. Why do you say  
"hardly think"?

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A. I think I would not say anything like that, I say I did not say so, I know, I did not.

Q. How many people were in that place when you first went in?

A. Six or seven.

Q. Among them was Lee?

A. Yes Sir.

Q. Where was Lee?

A. Standing leaning against Gester Street side of the building.

Q. Did you say any thing to him, invite him to drink?

A. I did, I asked him to have a drink.

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S.

- Q. Did you know him  
A. Not personally.  
Q. Did you ever speak to  
him before?  
A. No Sir,  
Q. He did not speak to  
you?  
A. No Sir,  
Q. Did you use this  
phrase, in a general  
sense, "come over your  
brims, and have a  
drink?"  
A. I suppose I  
said that.  
Q. Did Lee drink  
with you?  
A. No Sir,  
Q. Did you know Mc  
Avery?  
A. No Sir,  
Q. Is it not true that  
Lee refused to drink

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with you?

A. Q. No Sir, Did they anger you?

A. Q. No Sir, Did you make any  
-another remark?

A. Q. No Sir, What did you have  
to drink?

A. Well, they  
I went out within  
two hundred feet of  
the corner of Grand  
St.

Q. How long were  
you in there?

A. I was  
not in any place,  
on the street.

Q. Did you go into  
McManus's place?

A. Q. When?  
That very day?

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Q. Yes Sir, were you there after the first visit to the other place (McKens)

Q. Yes. I am positive how long were you out before you returned?

Q. (5) Thirty minutes. What did you do the second time?

A. I spoke to the bar person there to come and have a drink, I went out to go down town.

Q. What did you do, the second time?

A. I asked them to have a drink, I said to McKen, have a drink and bring his friends.

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Q. Were you assaulted there?

A. Yes, Sir. How long were you in the place before you were assaulted?

Q. (5) Five minutes. Had you said any thing to anyone?

Q. To Mr Lee, what did you say to him?

A. I asked him to have a drink, he said No.

Q. What did you say to that?

A. I said we were there to see him three or four weeks previously at his place of business and he was not in.

Q. Did he strike you for saying that? (11)

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A. Q. What preceded the striking?

A. Q. Did you say anything to him that caused him to strike you?

A. Q. Merely an argument?

Q. What was immediately said by you that caused him to strike you, as you say he did?

A. Q. If I was stating that we were taken to his place, he said he was not in that place anymore, I asked him when he saw a certain man come forward of his name Sullivan

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Q. Was that the cause of the striking, was that all that you said?

A. I suppose, I gave some other words

Q. Was that all that was said by you to him, or he to you, till he struck you?

Q. He were speaking on general matters when he struck me without any provoca-  
-tion

Q. What did he strike you with?

A. A piece of iron

Q. What kind of a piece of iron?

A. Less than a

Q. Foot long  
Where did he

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Q. Strike you?  
 A. On the bridge of my nose  
 Q. Up to that time you had not, say anything to him, you did not strike him or call him vile names?

A. I may have called him some names, I did call him some.

Q. What did you call him?

A. I do not know what I said I called him vile names, I do not know the names I called him.

Q. Why do you not know?

A. Because I

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Q. do not know  
Is it not because  
your condition was  
such that you could  
not remember?

A. I may have drunk

Q. several glasses of wine  
you <sup>know</sup> all that you  
were doing, and all  
that occurred?

A. Q. Yes Sir,  
Did you strike him  
at all?

A. Q. No Sir,  
Did you push his  
head through a  
window?

A. Q. Yes Sir  
After he struck  
you with this piece  
of iron on the nose

Q. did you do anything  
No, I fell into  
another man who struck me

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from the back from behind, in the neck, I turned to see who he was and this man (Emmis) was behind the bar he came out and struck me; this man followed me up and struck me again, then I fell, then he put his foot into my face, this was all in the saloon

Q. How long a time did this occupy?

A. A minute or two  
Q. You say Emmis struck you?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. What with?

A. Something he had in his hands, a piece of wood

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Q. How big was it?

A. A stick of some kind, something he had in his hand.

Q. You say Lee put his body in your face?

A. Yes Sir, not Emms.

Q. How came you to swear "that <sup>the</sup> each of these kicked dependent about his head <sup>and</sup> body"?

A. I did swear that.

Q. They all kicked you?

A. Yes Sir,

Q. Were you thrown out of the store?

A. Not that I know of — I became insensible.

Q. The end of the fighting occurred in the Salvo?

A. Yes Sir,

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0402

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Counsellor Proderka We will rest till another Examination, another day we will finish up -

Court - You must finish tomorrow, we want to get through

Counsellor Price - You have the evidence right here.

Proderka - We have not

Price - Let us see

Proderka - We have nothing here to show his (Engle's) certifications when he got to the Hospital

Price - I am here ready to go on, I will not contradict the Doctor at all, who is the other witness?

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Q. Mrs Schwartz  
Court. He had better go  
on

Witness for the Defence

Lewis's Brother being  
very sorry, deposes  
and says, I live at  
19 Derby Street, I  
am in the jewelry  
business

Q. Do you know any  
thing of this occurrence?

Q. Yes Sir, on the  
day in question I  
was in Grand Street  
and came through  
to Chryet Street.

Q. Did you go into  
this shop?

Q. Yes Sir, the day  
What time of the day

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Q. 1

Q. A. What time of day?

A. It might have been between four and five o'clock.

Q. Did you see him there about two or three minutes, whose place is it?

A. I do not know his name.

Q. You saw Engel go into this place?

A. Yes Sir, what happened?

Q. A. He looked around and made a remark, he ~~said~~ said "You brum, what will you have, he said you ever ~~see~~ have something, his friend got him out

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Q. Q.

and he was away  
ten or fifteen minutes,  
the bartender would  
not give him drink,  
he said he would  
shut the Shebang up,  
that he would shut  
the god damn Shebang  
up "This man who  
was with him, who  
got him out, he came  
back in about ten or  
fifteen minutes, he  
Engel called them  
all a lot of Irish  
of bitches and cock  
suckers, and he made  
for Lee and hit Lee,  
then they had a  
Clinged and fell  
on the floor, then they  
got out on the side  
walk, and he (Engel)

Q. Q.

0406

Q & A

Fell against the hub of the wheel of a wagon; and they barkley washed his face, that is all the name of it.

Q. ~~Was Engel turned by~~ See with an iron bar

A. No Sir, Cross Amintion

Q. What is your business?

A. A Dealer, I attend all Auction Sales, genuine Auction Sales at Canal St and two or three other streets, No 160 Canal St, and all over yard Alanders in Grand Street

Q. Where in Grand St

Q & A

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Q A few doors from the corner of Grand and Brown Sts,

Q Who was at No. Canal St

Q Did you buy from any one else?

Q Where did you carry your jewelry?

A. About me, I deal in diamonds, gold and watches

Q How long do you live in New York?

A. Two years, I was a shipping clerk before I was in the jewelry business, I was with Appenauer, he was in the shipping business

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Q/A

Q. Have you a partner?  
 A. I have no partner  
 Q. Are you ever engaged  
 on the horse track?  
 A. I can do as I  
 like with my own  
 money — no never  
 in my life

Q. When you  
 buy do you buy on  
 credit or cash?

Q. I buy on 30 days  
 Q. Do you receive  
 bills from the  
 people you deal with

A. When I get  
 cash I do not care  
 who I sell to

Q. Why do you ask  
 these questions?

A. Because it is  
 material to his line of  
 business (Q 57)

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Q. 5.

Q. Do you go by any other name?

Q. "Major" O'Brien, since 1887, if I understand you, your business has been that of a speculator?

Q. From 1883, I said, between 1883 and 1884, that has been my business, I buy 'inredeemed' pledges.

Q. When was the assault?

Q. It was a very fine Anne day, the latter end of the month from the 18th to the 20th.

Q. Can you give us the date?

Q. It may have been the

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Q. 19th What is the best recollection you have?

A. Yes Sir, Do you know what you did on that day?

A. I had my breakfast and dinner, I went to buy some sundry clothing, I followed a man who owed me twelve dollars L, before he went down South.

Q. Where did he live before he went down South?

Q. I do not know where did he go to on that day?

A. I followed him into a tournament

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D.P.

House he clipped at  
Hester and Chrystie Streets  
that was my first  
visit to that place,  
I never met any  
of these people before  
Q. How long were  
you there when Engel  
came in?

Q. ~~Half an hour~~ Did he invite you  
to drink?

A. Got me, he  
called him,

Q. Do you know who  
were there besides  
Engel and his friend

A. No, Lee was  
there and a couple  
of other fellows

Q. How long did  
you remain there?

A. Altogether half an

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Q. & A.

Q. Now what did you  
do there?

A. Watching this  
man, who owed me  
the twelve dollars, I  
inspected, he went  
into the tournament  
house.

Q. Did you take  
a drink?

A. I took a  
cigar and kept look-  
ing for my man.

Q. Do you know  
who the man was  
with Engel?

A. Q. Yes Sir, he  
told me what the  
Engel said the first  
time?

A. He said "Come  
up you come and  
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Q. He called them a lot of cockroaches  
Did any one resent that?

A. Some one said they would not have a drink, Engel had a drink

Q. His friend took him out?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. How close were you to Engel?

A. Not further than I am now,

Q. You did not talk to him?

A. No Sir, I did not know the man

Q. You saw Engel go in?

A. As if he had a

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Id

Q. "load" or  
Q. Did he run up  
against you?

A. No, he said  
nothing to me, his  
friend took him out,  
as he was making  
things too hot, he had  
to use force to get  
him out, he advised  
him to get out, he  
got him by the arm  
and forced him out

Q. Did he catch him  
(Engel) by the arm  
and coat him out?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. How many doors are  
there to this place? (4<sup>th</sup>  
Recess)

A. I cannot  
tell

Q. Do you know

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J.P.

Q.

Do you know which door they came in?

A.  
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The big door, what may be called the main door facing the corner?

A.Q.

Yes Sir,

He did not come in through <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ door which is either on Hester or Chrystie Streets?

A.

I never looked, I do not know

Q.

You are positive they came in the ~~main~~ <sup>main</sup> door?

A.

I had my back to them, I will not be positive, he was in the Saloon two (2) minutes after I was there, I had my back to him at the

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time, I thought he came in the main entrance.

Q. After he left how long was it till he returned?

A. Ten or fifteen minutes; fifteen minutes was the shortest; he (Engel) came in with a rush through the main door and made for Lee; Lee was away over, towards the Chrythe Street side, about eight or nine feet away from the entrance; he said "You son of a bitch are you here", and he made for him (Lee); he struck him (Lee) and the glass was broken

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(D.A.)

Q. Where did he strike Lee?

A. The glass was broken, and they had a tussle on the floor and outside to the

Q. Who had the fight with him, Lee or Emis?

A. With Lee they were fighting in the store?

Q. What did they do?

A. He said when he came in "you sons of bitches"; they fought in the middle of the floor till they got out side and this man Lee tossed him (Engel) ~~over~~ over, and

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J.F.

Engel fell against the bot of the wheel of the wagon.

Q.

Do you know whether his (Engel's) face was against the bot of the wheel of the wagon

A.

Right against the wheel.

Q.

Then when he got away from the wheel he was covered with blood?

A.

Yes Sir, full of blood, Engel started back and the bartender got him washed and put him in a chair; Emms had a towel in his hand; I thought he (Emms) would die

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- Q. Of fight, you were in this place all the time and you knew them?
- A. I know them from going backwards and forwards.
- Q. How long do you know him?
- A. I do not know him.
- Q. Did you talk to him before this occurrence?
- A. No Sir, I never met him before, I was never in the Accus before.
- Q. Were you watching your man?
- A. Yes Sir.
- Q. Why did you pay

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more attention to the  
fight than I fear  
mean?

A. I enjoyed it,  
that is all.

Q. You said that  
Mr. Emms came from  
behind the bar with  
a towel?

A. After he (Engel)  
fell against the wheel  
he staggered into the  
barroom and fell  
down.

Q. Did Mr. Emms  
take a club and beat  
Engel?

A. No, he looked  
as if he were going  
to die of fright. I  
did not see him  
use a club.

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J.S.

Q. Could he have used one, and you not see it?

A. No, I did not see anyone but Lee and Engel.

Q. Did you remain there till the ambulance came?

A. No, I left him in the middle of the floor, in a chair wiping his face,

Sworn to before me  
this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Dec 1891

Police Justice

Advised to Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1891

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Examination resumed  
Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1891

Robert Stewart, being  
very young, deposes  
that, I am a medical  
student

Q. Did you ever see  
Martin Engel?

A. Yes Sir, in  
McKees saloon June

Q. 18/1891 What was your  
occupation then?

A. Ambulance Surgeon  
of Gouverneur Hospital,  
I went in answer to

Q. a call. You went to  
McKees place?

A. Yes Sir, corner of  
Chrystie and Hester streets

Q. About what hour

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Q of the day and you get there?  
A About four twenty o'clock, I arrived at four twenty five (4:25) o'clock

Q Will you state where you found him and what you did?

A He was sitting in a chair in the front part of the Saloon at a table, and he had a compound fracture of the nasal bone, and a fracture of the bone of the upper jaw, I dressed his wounds and put him in the ambulance and took him to Hospital,

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H.O.

Q. Was any one attending him when you saw him?

A. No Sir, he appeared to have a very bad lacerated nose and his face was bloody.

Cross Examination

Q. Did you see this gentleman Ermy's attending to him?

A. No Sir, you say you found Ermy in the back barroom?

Q. And you have stated the condition of his face, can you state the condition he was in as to obriety?

H.O.

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H.P.

A. He was under the influence of liquor, he was drunk.

Q. What kind of language did he use?

A. The language was very foul.

Q. It is necessary to give the language, the words he used?

A. The more, when he was brought into the Hospital, he snoring in the Saloon.

Q. When you arrived there, there were lady nurses present?

A. Q. Yes Sir, In their presence did he use vile and abusive language?

Objected to -

H.P.

H.P.

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H.D.

Q. Will you kindly give us the language he used?

A. He was cursing and several times told them to go and "fuck themselves". He tore his bandages off, he was very angry.

Q. You say he was blackguardish and abusive?

A. Yes Sir,

Q. Directly. What was his condition in the court-staloon as to consciousness?

A. He was pretty well recovered, he was surprised I cannot say whether it was before what he had taken.

H.D.

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H.B.  
~~44~~

Q. What was his con-  
-dition as to con-  
-sciousness in the ~~street~~

A. He seemed to be  
under the influence  
of liquor.

Q. How can you  
tell that he was?

A. That is expert  
testimony.

Q. You are not  
an expert?

A. I considered  
that I was able to  
know whether he was  
drunk.

Q. Why did you say  
he was drunk?

A. I should say  
he was drunk because  
of the condition of the  
pupils of his eyes, the  
way he walked and

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H. H.

Q. His actions  
He looked like a  
man who had been  
terribly beaten?

Q. A. Yes Sir,  
How long did he  
remain in the  
Hospital?

Q. From June  
18<sup>th</sup> to July 5<sup>th</sup>

Q. How many days  
was he unconscious  
there?

Q. I cannot say  
Do you know  
how many days  
after he got there,  
were the people per-  
mitted to see him

Q. Yes Sir,  
Did you attend  
him every day?

H. H.

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H.C.

Q. The house surgeon does that, I attend-  
ed him when he came

Q. Who attended Mr Engel at the Hospital

Q. Dr Harshure and Dr James Kelly later  
Dr Harshure is now in Dayton N.J. I left on the 5th of Oct, I live at 146 West 99th

Sporn & before me  
this 24th day of Dec 1891

Price Justice

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H.P.

Dr William Denobae  
being duly sworn  
deposes and says,  
I am a Physician  
and Surgeon at  
Government Hospital

Q. Do you know  
Martin Engel?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. Did you see him in  
Dome last?

A. Yes Sir, on  
the 18th of June in  
the Hospital between  
five and six o'clock  
evening, What was

Q. his condition?

A. He was brought  
in an Ambulance,  
taken to the Operating  
Room, he had a  
bandage on his head

H.P. H.P.

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H.P.

He was rather  
nervous, he had to  
be held by the Doctors  
and employees and  
he used language  
very unbecoming a  
gentleman.

Q.

Is that  
all you can say  
about his condition?

A.

I thought he  
was intoxicated, he  
seemed to be in  
pretty fair condition,  
his nose was broken.

Q.

What was his con-  
dition?

A.

He had a  
compound fracture  
of the nasal bone,  
and a simple fracture  
of the upper jaw, the  
House Surgeon made

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Q. a thorough examination of his body. Did you assist Dr. Verboven in treating him (Engel)?

Q. Yes Sir, during the time he was in Hospital

Q. What was his condition when you saw him on the 28th of June?

Q. I thought he was conscious, which will you swear he was; Was he or was he not?

Q. He was conscious in my opinion  
Cross Examination

Q. Are there any lady

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Nurses there when  
he (Engel) went in

Q. Did he use vile <sup>and</sup>  
abusive language?

Q. Yes Sir,  
Did he tell them  
to go "fuck themselves"?

Q. Yes Sir,  
Did he tear the  
bandages off in your  
presence?

Q. No Sir,  
Refused. Did he have  
his eye and head  
bandaged?

Q. That was  
attended to in the  
operating room,  
Dr Kelly operated on  
him.

Q. What operation?  
Did he perform?

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Q. He removed the bones of the nose and partly reinserted them again;

A.

As a plastic operation for the removal of the bones of the nose. Do that

Q.

a painful operation?

Q.

What depends on the patients

Q.

Was he under the influence of morphine or ether?

Q.

Got that I know of You will

Q.

not say he was not?

Q.

I do not think an anesthetic was given

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District Police Court

*M. Engel*

*M. L. Bell*

*Wm. Emms*

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT

*David B. 1889*

BEFORE HIM

*John D. Gann*

Police Justice

*A. J. Tracy*

Official Stenographer

*John P. Bell*

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

Third District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Arthur Engel  
vs.  
Maurice Lee  
John Emis

BEFORE HON

John D. Ryan  
POLICE JUSTICE,  
Dec 24 1891

APPEARANCES:

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Shorn before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

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Graham Cohen of the  
11 Pitt St aged  
seventeen years,  
Court. Do you know  
the nature of an  
oath?

Q. No Sir,  
Did you ever go  
to school?

Q. I think I don't  
know what will become  
of you, if you  
swear, a lie on the  
Bible?

Q. I do not  
know

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Q. Do you know Mr Engel?

A. No Sir,

Q. Did you see any trouble in June last in McKee's place?

A. I saw many people standing on the corner, I saw a man lying on the door.

Q. Where was the door?

A. On the floor in the saloon, he was cut side of the street and his head was cut side and his body in the saloon I saw a man from inside kicked him

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Q. with his feet  
Do you know who  
the man was?

A. No, Sir,  
What else?

Q. The man wanted  
to get up and a  
man came out and  
the bartender came  
out and took him in  
the saloon and  
closed up the doors,  
the bartender took him  
in, they pulled in the  
big doors and took off  
the small doors and  
put in the big doors  
and closed up so  
no one could  
look in.

Q. Before that  
the summer doors  
were up?

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Q.

Yes Sir, Did you see any thing in the saloon?

A.

No Sir, I was on the <sup>other</sup> corner attending to my business I was the length of a block away, about fifty or a hundred were there

Q.

Here there five hundred people there?

A.

About fifty (50)

Q.

people were there you left your stand?

A.

No Sir, you were a block away?

A.

Not a whole block, across from the saloon, I was

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on this corner and the Falcon is on the other corner,

Q. About one hundred feet?

A. I do not know, from one side of the street to the other, there were a lot of people looking there.

Q. The bar tender came out and took him in?

A. Not that fellow, another fellow

Q. Did he lifted him up and took him in?

Q. Yes, Sir, Do you know where that was?

A. This summer, June or July, I do

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not know which mouth  
it was, I cannot tell  
whether it <sup>was</sup> mine or my

Q. What made you  
first look that way?

A. I saw people  
looking and running

Q. The people got there  
before you saw any  
thing?

A. Yes Sir, I was  
by the stand, I saw  
a lot of people

I was before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

Police Justice

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Joseph Chelvey of No  
201 Elizabeth St,  
being duly sworn  
deposes and says

Q. Did you see any  
trouble at the corner  
of Hester and Chrysted St,  
A. No Sir, because  
I change at twelve  
and six o'clock  
sworn to before me }  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

Police Justice

Frank Quice being  
duly sworn, deposes  
and says

Q. Where do you live?  
A. 325 East 90<sup>th</sup> St

Q. Where did you live  
in Amm West?

A. 359 Cherry St

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Q. Did you ever live or work at 4276 Chrystie Street?

A. I worked there. Do you remember seeing this man Engel last June?

Q. Did you see any trouble at McKee's on the 18th of June?

A. Nothing but the Ambulance, I know nothing but that, I know nothing before that.

Sworn to before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

Percy Justice

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Q. Charles Gennett of  
 No 76 Chrystie St,  
 being duly sworn  
 deposes and says,  
 Did you, on the  
 18th of June last  
 see Engel (Complainant)  
 at McKee's place?

A. I am a man  
 but why the man  
 was I cannot say

Q. State what you  
 saw there?

A. I did not see  
 anything, I was sit-  
 ting at my cigar  
 table, I saw nothing,  
 I saw people look  
 out of the windows,  
 I saw the ambulance

coming  
 sworn to before me }  
 this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891 }  
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Walter Rindling being  
July 18th. Deposes  
says, I live at 170  
Wester St, Did you

Q.

on the 18th of June  
last see Mr Engel  
at McKears place?

A.

I do not know  
Engel, I only saw  
a fight in the  
corner of the saloon,  
I was sitting in my  
store and looked at  
them, they struck the  
man out and under  
the express wagon, a  
lady came and put  
a pail of water over  
him, then a man  
came from the saloon,  
then they took him  
in again, then they

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Took the Summer doors  
off and put the other  
doors on, then a man  
hollered inside, and  
half an hour afterwards  
the Policeman came,  
he was there ten  
minutes then the  
ambulance came and  
the doctor stopped  
there about half an  
hour; there was a big  
crowd outside,

Q

Can  
you tell who the  
man was that  
threw Engel out in  
the street under the  
express wagon?

A.

I did not see the  
man's face, I saw  
he had a white apron

Sworn to before me  
this 24 day of Dec 1891  
J. H. Rice Justice

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Dr. J. E. Kelly being only sworn, deposes and says I am a Physician, and reside at 16 East 29<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. On the 18<sup>th</sup> or 19<sup>th</sup> of June last did you treat the Complainant?

A. Yes Sir, at the General Hospital about nine or ten o'clock on the evening of June 18<sup>th</sup> last.

Q. Did you make a thorough examination of him?

A. Yes Sir, I found the front part of his skull was broken and the bone of his nose into little bits, and portions thrown behind the nose, he also had

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- Q. an injury to the ribs, What was the injury to his ribs?
- A. I did not pay enough of attention to that, because of the comparative insignificance of it.
- Q. Was he injured in any other parts besides his ribs and face?
- A. I do not remember my attention being called to any other parts.
- Q. Did you notice his arms?
- A. I did not notice them.
- Q. What was his condition as to con-

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Q. enormeness? He was  
like a man who  
was collapsed, in  
a quiet, calm  
tempor.

Q. Could you  
tell if the injuries  
you have described  
were the result of a  
fall?

Q. If the fall  
was a considerable  
fall, they could,  
unless it was a very  
high fall, they could  
not.

Cross Examination  
Q. If he fell and struck  
the hub of a wheel, if  
thrown against it,  
what then?

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Q.

If he were taken  
a distance and  
pitched — a considerable  
distance — I think a  
man would not have  
the power to throw him,  
I should <sup>think</sup> his weight  
would be about one  
hundred and seventy  
pounds.

Sworn to before me }  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891 }

Police Justice

Dredger. That is the  
case for the people

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Charles Wilson, being  
duy impu, deposer <sup>and</sup>  
daye, and <sup>and</sup> general Manager  
of the <sup>and</sup> ~~General~~ <sup>and</sup> Hospital,

Q. Do you remember  
Mr Engel being  
brought there?

A. Yes Sir,  
Do you remember  
what his condition  
was as to sobriety?

A. He was suffering

Q. From alcoholism,  
Would you class  
him as a person  
who was drunk?

A. Yes Sir,  
Do you know what  
kind of language  
he used?

A. Very bad

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Q. Was it vile and filthy?  
 A. All kinds, in the presence of the two Nurses (Women)  
 Cross Examination

Q. When did he use that language?

A. When he was brought into the Hospital

Q. How long did you see him?  
 A. About five (5) minutes, I did not examine him.

Q. Was his face covered with blood?

A. It was in bandages, here his

Q. Here his

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Q eyes bandaged? I do

Q not remember

Q All you saw was  
in his transit from  
the ambulance to the  
Operating Room?

Q Yes Sir, I  
gave orders to have  
him brought to the  
room, I told the  
men to take him  
to the operating room

Q Why do you say he  
was drunk?

Q He acted  
that way, he swore  
and cursed and  
everything else; tried  
to raise himself to  
get away

Q You sub-  
sequently discover-  
ed his injuries? 68

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Q I heard of them  
Will you give me  
now that he was  
drunk?

Q Yes Sir,  
That his actions  
were caused by  
drunkenness?

Q Yes Sir,  
Did you smell  
Liquor on him?

Q I  
was not close enough  
to detect

Q I will ask now,  
did you ever, in the  
whole course of your  
life, hear a sober man  
use the vile and  
filthy language in  
presence of ladies

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What he used?

Q. Do you know that he knew he was in the presence of ladies?

Q. Yes Sir, the judges were there, if his eyes were bandaged he could not see.

Q. I think they were not bandaged.

Subscribed before me  
This 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 1891

Police Justice

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James Maconey being  
duly sworn, deposes and  
says, I live at 318  
Merrill St. I am a  
Truck Driver.

Q. How long  
have you been in  
that business?

A. Fourteen years (14)

Q. Are you personally  
acquainted with Mr  
Engel?

A. I never saw  
him before the accident  
occurred.

Q. Do you  
know Curtis and Lee?

A. I know Curtis,  
but not Lee.

Q. Were you in the  
barroom this day?

A. Yes sir,

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Q Here you there when Mr Engel went in?

A Yes Sir, Describe now all that occurred in that place?

Q When Engel came in, he found the both doors open, and said he could lick any son of a Bitch in the North Ward, Come you boys and have a drink, Mr Lee refused to have a drink, and Engel tried to pull Lee to the bar, Engel said, I will make you drink, I have plenty of money, Engel said to you now who I am

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I can fuck you  
 and make you suck  
 my dick, Engel was  
 not able to hold the  
 glass of Dietrich Water  
 to his lips, the man  
 put it to his lips,  
 then he started at  
 Lee, and again and  
 he got at him and  
 said he would take  
 him out and fuck,  
 then his friend pulled  
 him out, they were  
 away about twenty  
 minutes and came  
 in through the side  
 door. Lee was stand-  
 ing at the door,  
 Engel said "you cock  
 sucking son of bitch",  
 and he grabbed Lee,  
 and put Lees head

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Through the window,  
then he (Lee) got hold  
of King and pushed  
him to the sidewalk  
and Engel fell,  
then when getting up  
Engel struck his  
head against the  
wheel of the truck  
then he fell into the  
doors, then the bar-  
tender came and  
assisted King in,  
and put him in  
a chair.

Q. Did the bar  
keeper strike him at  
all?

Q. Did Mr. Lee take a  
piece of iron and  
strike Engel?  
A. No, Sir.

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Q

Did the barkeeper take a piece of wood and hit high Engel?  
No Sir

Q

Cross Examination

Q

How many chairs and tables are in that room?

Q

Ten chairs and one table, there are a couple in the back room

Q

The saloon is partitioned off?

Q

Respect, I want to know how many tables are in the large room?

Q  
A

One  
How many chairs  
About four

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Q. Who were there besides yourself, the barkeeper and Lee?

A. Some man standing at the window - a stout man.

Q. You did not know the man?

A. No, I never saw him till yesterday here, I am not driving now, I am sick with rheumatism, I work at anything I can get.

Q. Are you not a cleaner in McKeon's place?

A. No, I attend bar there occasionally.

Q. How long have you been attending

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Q. Saw for McKee's?  
About 6:15 (6)

Q. meek You say you  
saw blood on Lee's  
head?

A. Q. Yes Sir,  
Did ~~you~~ examine  
his head?

A. Q. No Sir,  
How do you know  
that?

A. Q. I saw it  
You say that was  
caused by his being  
thrown against a  
window?

A. Q. Yes Sir,  
What did he fall  
against?

A. The glass in  
the partition, dividing  
the backroom from

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Q. The Saloon, Mr Lee was not standing against the wall?

A. He was at the bar when Mr Engel pushed him through the window

Q. When Mr O'Brien said there was no blood on Lee, he was mistaken?

Q. You say Mr Engel got out in front of the Saloon?

A. He and Lee had hold of each other, I followed them, and Engel fell in front of the door, in getting up, he fell against the truck

Q. What was the distance between

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Q. The place where he fell  
and where the brick  
was? About ten (10)  
feet he fell in  
getting up.

Sworn to before me  
This 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891  
Police Justice

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Samuel Lynch being duly sworn, deposes and says, I live at 69 Washington St. I am Tax Collector for Mr. McManus (Grand St)

Q.

Mr. Engel, was he in your place on the 18th of June last?

A.

I know he was there, that he had been there; our place is on Grand Street,

Q.

What time was he there?

A.

He was there twice

Q.

The second time, what time was it?

A.

Between three (3) and four (4) o'clock to me he appeared

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Q.

intoxicated, he drank in  
every place

Did he make any  
reference to anyone  
in the other Saloon?  
(McKeon)

A.

Yes Sir, the  
first time he came  
in with Deek, and  
both appeared to have  
been drinking, Engel  
called for a pint of  
Wine; I told him the  
bottle was \$1.45-4; Deek  
paid for the Wine, I  
advised him to go  
home; about a quarter  
of an hour after Mr  
Engel returned alone,  
and seemed then  
to be in a worse  
condition than when  
he left our place

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He asked me if I were a friend of his; he said "I am going down to lick Lee, he is after insulting me, I advised him to go home and have a sleep, he went out, about an hour afterwards I was told he was assaulted

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Cross Examination

Q You do not know in what direction he went from your place?

A He went in the direction of Chrytic Street

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Q.

What was the shortest period of time, between the first and second visit he made to your place?

A.

I will not be positive, about 30 minutes, I should judge.

Q.

How long did he remain there the second time?

A.

About five or ten minutes.

Q.

Between the first and second time, a period of 40 minutes elapsed?

A.

Probably that, the second time he came back, he seemed to have been drinking more

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Q.

His condition was not better?

Q

There was one joint of wire between ~~you~~<sup>us</sup> three?

Shown to before me }  
This 24th day of Dec 1891 }

Police Justice

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Morris Lee  
July 1870 deposes Aug

Q. Do you remember  
the difficulty that  
occurred between you  
and Mr Engel?

Q. Prior to that time  
had you known him?

Q. Had you ever been  
introduced to him?

Q. Where did you see  
him that day?

A. 73 Chuyette St, at  
Myers, I was  
there first

Q. State  
what occurred?

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The gentleman (Angel)  
 Shoved in both opening-  
 ing doors and said  
 he could lick any  
 son of bitch in the  
 house, I paid no  
 attention to him;  
 he said come your  
 bonus, and have a  
 drink, I said nothing  
 there, he turned to me,  
 I made a motion,  
 and he caught me  
 by the collar, I told  
 him I did not care  
 to drink, he said  
 come you son of  
 a bitch, I will  
 make you drink, I  
 said who are you,  
 he said his name was  
 Angel, I said mine  
 is Lee I will not

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Drink with you, then  
he said "Altho",  
you ever my prick,  
he said I will burst  
up the place, then  
I turned and went  
to the inside room away  
from him; then he  
came back about 20  
minutes and grabbed  
me by the neck and  
struck me in <sup>the nose</sup> face  
with his head and  
pushed me against  
the partition; I struck  
him on the way to  
the door; we struggled  
and we came in <sup>and</sup>  
he fell on the floor  
Q. He said you  
struck him with a  
piece of iron is  
that true?

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A. No Sir  
Cross Examination

Q. Did you strike him at all?

A. Yes Sir.

Q. How many times?

A. About three blows.

Q. Where did you strike him?

A. In the chest under the chin.

Q. Did you throw him out of the door?

A. Yes Sir, Where did he fall, did you notice?

A. He went towards the truck and struck himself, I followed him with my eyes, I walked right out when

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He came in the store  
and went through  
Christy St some

Q. Did you see  
he was injured?

A. No Sir, I saw  
blood on my hair

Q. You say you  
never saw Engel before

A. Yes Sir,

Sworn to before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

Police Justice

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William Morris being  
only sworn deposes that

Q. Where do you  
live?

A. No 108 Denver,  
I am a bartender for  
C. P. McKeon.

Q. Do you remember  
Mr Engel going in there  
in June last?

A. Q. Yes Sir,  
Did you strike him  
on that <sup>day</sup> at all with  
a piece of wood, or  
your hand or with  
anything?

Q. No Sir,  
Did you assist  
him when he came  
in?

A. Yes Sir I wiped  
his face with a

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Q. Now, you never met him before?

A. No, Sir,

Cross Examination

Q. Who were in the place when Mr Engel went in?

A. Mr Lee and other

gentlemen

Q. Engel was in your place twice?

A. Yes, Sir, he returned about 15 or 20 minutes.

Q. Do you have summer doors?

A. Yes, Sir, I took them off to keep the crowd from looking in.

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Q. Did you notice who struck Engel?

A. Mr Lee, with his fist, he might have struck him two or three blows in my presence.

Q. Did you send for an ambulance?

A. Q. No Sir, Engel

Q. You placed him in a chair?

A. Q. Yes Sir, and bathed his face

Q. Was a man named Patrick Lee there?

A. Q. No Sir, there was Mr Allen there

Q. Was Mr Allen there then? Not that time, but in the early part

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Q. of the day Have you ever been in prison?

A. Yes Sir,  
Q. For how long?

A. Three months,  
for giving beer to a minor

Sworn to before me }  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891 }

J. J. Justice

Mr. Price - That is our case

Recall of Mr. Engel

Q. Did you hear the testimony of Mr. Lee?

A. With reference to what

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You said when you went into his place, is that true?

A. Q. No Sir, Did you use any of the language attributed to you?

A. Q. No Sir, Did you tell Lynch you were going to lick Lee?

A. Q. No Sir, On that you were going to lick that son of a bitch?

A. Q. No Sir, I was only in McManuses a few minutes

Q. Did you use any of that language

A. I used words to Mr Lee, I may have called him

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Q. Some names, Did you see that language - that you would "take him out and f--- him?"

A. Yes, Sir, Recross

Q. A gentleman, by the name of Dick, was with you, what became of him?

A. He went home, he left me in Chryotic Street

Q. Did you subpoena him?

A. I could not find him here, I went there this morn-

Q. ing Have you seen him since that?

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A. Q. Yes Sir, several times  
Have you ever brought  
him here?

A. Q. No Sir,  
Does it not strike  
you that he would be  
a good witness to  
testify in regard to  
your society?

A. Yes Sir,  
I was before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

Police Justice

Price - We have here  
one thing in this case,  
we have proved the  
innocence of these  
two Defendants, I  
never in all my  
experience have known  
a case with so much

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fifth, used by one man,  
a man who would  
use such language  
ought to be classed  
with the dogs; if he  
(Lee) would permit  
a drunken loafer to  
go into his place and  
use the vile, filthy  
language, as testified  
to by Mr Lee, I do  
not so well of the  
fellow Lee as I did  
before, because if he  
permitted a man to  
use the language  
Engel did, and not  
knock him down, he  
is not worthy the name  
of American citizen; if  
any man should  
use the language  
Engel did, I do not

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Knew what I should  
 be tempted to do to  
 him, Engel said, he  
 was not drunk;  
 possibly he was ~~not~~  
 under the influence of  
 liquor, but that he  
 knew everything he  
 said and did, I do  
 not believe I am  
 stretching anything—  
 without any cause,  
 without any provocation,  
 after a little spar—a  
 banding of words, he  
 Engel says Lee took  
 up a piece of iron  
 nearly a foot long, and  
 inflicted the injuries  
 Engel says he did;  
 the physicians say  
 the language of Engel  
 was awful; they never  
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Heard the like from  
mortal man in their  
lives in presence of  
women, Counsel for  
Complainant will tell  
Gen Engels eyes were  
bandaged, he was leastly  
intoxicated, according to  
his own witnesses and  
he cannot contradict  
them. I ask you  
to dismiss this case  
Droderky. I will not  
attempt to discuss  
the testimony, the object  
is to ascertain if there  
is probable cause to  
hold these men, the  
only question is whether  
you can hold these  
men for committing  
this assault or whether  
there is probable cause

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1011

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To hold these men,  
I insist that they  
must be held

Price - You are mistaken  
in the Law; Probable  
Cause requires that you  
must be satisfied a  
Crime has been  
committed, and that  
probable cause pre-  
supposes they committed  
a Crime - There can  
be no probable cause  
till you find a Crime,  
then you have prob-  
-able Cause - that the  
man charged with the  
Crime did it, then you  
can hold - that is the  
Law.

Court - One thousand dollars  
Dail each to answer,

0487

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Part 2.

Dist. Police Court.

Martin Engel

vs.

William Davis

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT  
Dec 24 1891

BEFORE HON.  
John J. Ryan

Police Justice.  
M. J. Keary

Official Stenographer.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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144. E. 60  
July 5th 91.

Dr Engle

Mr Engel is now all  
right. he is out of all danger  
and will be discharged today.  
Sincerely Yours in haste  
J.W. Wallace M.D.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court

District

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 173 Ludlow Street, aged 46 years, occupation Public dealer being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 18 day of June 1891 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Maurice Lee, (alias William Essie) Patrick Lee, and Martin Allen that said Maurice Lee struck deponent with an Iron Bar across the forehead cutting deponent's face and nose that said Patrick Lee then struck deponent with his clenched fist on the back of the head and then said William Essie struck deponent on the head with some blunt instrument he then held in his hand and then said Maurice Lee again struck deponent on the head with some blunt instrument he then held in his hand knocking deponent down and when lying prostrated said Martin Allen and each of said defendants kicked deponent about the head face and body

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him grievous bodily harm, and without any justification on the part of the said assailant. That in such assault & battery as aforesaid deponent's forehead bone was broken, his nose broken and deponent was severely injured. Therefore 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 19 day of June 1891. Martin Engel Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0490

3 District Police Court.

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Maurice Lee* 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. *Maurice Lee*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *33 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *No 33 Madison St. One year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Painter*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty  
Maurice Lee*

Taken before me this 19 day of *Sept* 19*19*  
*John H. Ryan*  
Police Justice

0491

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

District Police Court.

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*William Ennis* 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 Ennis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Montreal, Canada*

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

Answer.

*No 98 Perry Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Porter*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*William Ennis*

Taken before me this  
day of

*John H. [Signature]*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0492

Sec. 192

3 District Police Court

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

An information having been laid before John J. Ryan a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging Maurice Lee Defendant with the offence of Felonious Assault

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

We, Maurice Lee Defendant of No. 33 Madison

and John Cottu Street; by occupation a Bar Keeper of No. 183 1/2 Cherry

Street, by occupation a Metal Dealer Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named Maurice Lee Defendant

shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the District Police Court in the City of New York, during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Fifty Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 12 day of July 1891

Maurice Lee John Cottu POLICE JUSTICE.

0493

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*John Cotten*

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

*Situated 183 1/2 Cherry St valued at Six thousand Dollars clear*

*John Cotten*

Sworn to before me, this *12* day of *March* 188*7*  
*John W. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Undertaking to appear during the Examination.*

vs.

Taken the ..... day of ..... 188

Justice,

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 192.

3 District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John J. Ryan a Police Justice  
of the City of New York, charging William Ennis Defendant with  
the offence of assault

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

William Ennis Defendant of No. \_\_\_\_\_

Street; by occupation a \_\_\_\_\_  
and Charles A. Kohl of No. 311 Morris Avenue Newark N.J.

Street, by occupation a Liquor Dealer Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that  
the above named William Ennis Defendant  
shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the 3 District Police Court in the City of New York,  
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Twenty  
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 7 day of July 1897.  
John J. Ryan POLICE JUSTICE.  
William Ennis  
Chas A Kohl

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0495

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles A. Kohl*

Sworn to before me, this  
day of *July*  
*1881*  
Police Justice.

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a ~~resident and~~ *free* holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *a house and lot*

*of land located at No 711 East 9th Street with an interest of six thousand dollars free and clear of all encumbrances*

*Chas A Kohl*

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Taken the *188* day of *July* 1881

Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0495

At of New York }  
County of New York } ss  
State of New York }  
Charles W. Kern of the City of New York do-  
solemnly swear that I know the deceased William Ernis  
party mentioned in accompanying certificate & that I  
know the above mentioned William Ernis to be dead  
and buried.  
Sworn to before me this  
15th day of May 1892  
Notary Public 95.

Form No. 51.

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NEW YORK, May 19, 1892

A Transcript from the Records of the Deaths Reported to the Health Department of the City of New York.

COUNTY OF NEW YORK. STATE OF NEW YORK. CITY OF NEW YORK.  
CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF DEATH

William Ernis

No. of Certificate, 17819

This is to certify that I, M. J. B. Messemmer, Coroner, in and for the City and County of New York, have, this 17th day of May, 1892, viewed the body of deceased found at Calvary in the 7th Ward of said city and county; that I have held an inquest upon the said body, and that the verdict of the jurors is that he came to his death by

M. J. B. Messemmer, Coroner.

I hereby certify that I have viewed the body of the deceased, and from said evidence, that said man died on the 17th day of May, 1892, at 3 P. M., and that the cause of his death was Pneumonia Pulmonalis

Place of Burial, Calvary  
Date of Burial, May 18, 1892  
Undertaker, Thos. Ryan  
Residence, 77 E. Broadway  
Y. A. Conway, M. D. Medical Attendant at Inquest.

| Date of Record | Indirect cause of Death | Direct cause of Death | Class of Dwelling (A house occupied by more than two families) | Last place of Residence | Place of Death     | Mother's Birthplace | Mother's Name | Father's Birthplace | Father's Name | How long resident in New York City | How long in U.S. if foreign born | Place of Birth | Occupation | Single, Married or Widowed | Color | Age      | Name     | Date of Death |
|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|------------|----------------------------|-------|----------|----------|---------------|
| May 18, 1892   |                         | Pneumonia             |                                                                | 25 Bowery               | Manhattan Hospital | Ireland             | Mary Ernis    | Ireland             | William Ernis | "                                  | 11 years                         | Canada         | Printer    | Single                     | W     | 39 years | Wm Ernis | May 17, 1892  |

A True Copy.

C. Goldman

Chief Clerk.

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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0497

Charles We Kern of the City of New York do =  
 solemnly swear that I know the deceased William Ernie's  
 party mentioned in accompanying certificate & that I  
 know the above mentioned William Ernie to be dead  
 and buried.  
 sworn to before me this }  
 19th day of May 1892 }  
 Charles W. Kern }  
 Notary Public }  
 City of New York }

Form No. 51.

258

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**CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF DEATH**

No. of Certificate,

17819

William Ernie

This is to certify that I, M. J. B. Messener, Coroner, in and for the City and County of New York, have, this 17th day of May, 1892, viewed the body of deceased found at Louvreman in the 7 Ward of said city and county; that I have held an inquest upon the said body, and that the verdict of the jurors is that he came to his death by

M. J. B. Messener Coroner.

I hereby certify that I have viewed the body of the deceased, and from 24 and evidence, that said man died on the 17th day of May, 1892, at 11 P. M., and that the cause of his death was

Phtisis Pulmonalis

Place of Burial, Calvary  
 Date of Burial, May 18/92  
 Undertaker, Wm. A. Conway M. D.  
 Residence, 6 Broadway Medical Attendant at Inquest.

| Date of Death | Name          | Age      | Color | Single, Married or Widowed | Occupation | Place of Birth | How long in U.S. If foreign born. | How long resident in New York City. | Father's Name | Father's Birthplace | Mother's Name | Mother's Birthplace | Place of Death     | Last place of Residence | Class of Dwelling (A tenement being a house occupied by more than two families) | Direct cause of Death | Indirect cause of Death | Date of Record |
|---------------|---------------|----------|-------|----------------------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| May 14, 1892  | William Ernie | 39 years | W     | Single                     | Bookbinder | Canada         | 11 years                          | "                                   | William Ernie | Ireland             | Mary Ernie    | Ireland             | Louvreman Hospital | 25 Broadway             |                                                                                 | Phtisis               |                         | May 18, 1892   |

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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*Certificate of Tax  
State of Iowa.*

*Filed into papers  
Apr May 20 1892.*

*Handwritten notes and signatures at the bottom of the page, including names like "C. H. ...", "J. H. ...", and "W. H. ...".*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0499

POLICE COURT - 3 DISTRICT.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on

the 23 day of June in the year of our Lord 1881

of No. James McManis Street, in the City of New York,

and No. Charles H. Kohl Street, in the said City,

personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said

the sum of James McManis Hundred Dollars,

and the said Charles H. Kohl Hundred Dollars,

separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the condition following, viz:

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, That if the person first above recognized shall personally appear at the ~~next~~ next Police Court SESSIONS of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, and then and there Testify and give such evidence, in behalf of the People of the State of New York, as he may know concerning an Offence or said to have been lately committed in the City of New York and said by

William Morris

And do not depart thence without leave of the Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the }  
day and year first above written. } James McManis  
Charles H. Kohl

John Ryan Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0500

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*Charles A Kohl*

the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says that he is a free holder in said City, and is worth Two Hundred Dollars, over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of

house and lot located at No 711 East 9th Street worth not less than Six thousand dollars free and clear of all encumbrances

*Chas A Kohl*

day of June 1887  
Sworn before me at Police Justice

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New York Sessions,

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Recognizance to Testify.

Magistrate

Filed 188 day of

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0501

POLICE COURT— 3 DISTRICT.  
CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on

the 23 day of June in the year of our Lord 1891

Lizzie Harkins  
of No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, in the City of New York,

and Charles H. Kohl  
of No. 311 Morris Ave Street, in the said City,

personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said

Lizzie Harkins  
the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars,

and the said Charles H. Kohl  
the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars,

separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the condition following, viz:

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, That if the person first above recognized shall personally appear at the next 3rd West 10th St Court SESSIONS of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, and then and there Testify and give such evidence, in behalf of the People of the State of New York, as he may know concerning an offence or said to have been lately committed in the City of New York aforesaid by

William O'Connell

And do not depart thence without leave of the Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the }  
day and year first above written. }

Lizzie Harkins  
Chas H Kohl

John Ryan Police Justice.

0502

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles H. Kohl*

the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says that he is a *free* holder in said City, and is worth *Two* Hundred Dollars, over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of

*a house and lot of land located at No 711 East 9th Street worth not less than Six thousand dollars free and clear of all incumbrance*

*Chas H Kohl*

Sworn before me this *11th* day of *April* 1881.  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Recognition to Testify.

Magistrate

831

day of

Filed

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

POLICE COURT— 3 DISTRICT,  
CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on  
the 22 day of June in the year of our Lord 1911

of No. 251 West 105<sup>th</sup> Street, in the City of New York,  
and

of No. 1578 First Avenue Street, in the said City,  
personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and  
acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said

Thomas McKen  
the sum of One Hundred Dollars,  
and the said

James J. Caravanagh  
the sum of One Hundred Dollars,  
separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective  
goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the  
condition following, viz:

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, That if the person first above recognized shall personally  
appear at the next COURT OF 3<sup>rd</sup> Dist. Police Court SESSIONS of the Peace, to be holden in and  
for the City and County of New York, and then and there Testify and give such evidence, in behalf of  
the People of the State of New York, as he may know concerning an Offence William  
said to have been lately committed in the City of New York aforesaid by Ernest and Maurice Lee

And do not depart thence without leave of the Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to  
remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the }  
day and year first above written. }

John Ryan Police Justice.  
Thomas McKen  
James J. Caravanagh

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0504

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn before me this  
day of June 1887  
*John P. Ryan*  
Police Justice.

the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says that he is a James J. Caranagh holder in  
said City, and is worth Two Hundred Dollars,

over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of

Stocks, Trade and fixtures in  
the liquor store at 524 First  
Avenue worth not less than  
Ten thousand dollars over  
and above all debts and  
encumbrances

James J. Caranagh

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Recognizance to Testify.

23.

Magistrate

Filed

day of

0505

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT,

James Mullane  
of No. 260 1/2 Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1891  
at the City of New York in the County of New York

Maurice Lee (now here) is the  
person of that name mentioned  
in the annexed affidavit, and he  
is the person charged with having  
assaulted me Martin Engel, in  
company with one William Erwin on  
the 18th day of June 1891 from the  
effects of such assault the said  
Martin Engel is now confined in  
Gorham's Hospital, and unable to  
appear in Court. Deponent further says  
that he took the said Maurice Lee to Court

Sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1891

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Hospital. but the said Engel's face and eyes were bandaged in such a manner that he could not see the defendant, Lee. but the said Engel, told defendant in a rambling sort of way, that he was assaulted by Maurice Lee, and the other Lee. Wherefore defendant prays that the said Maurice Lee, may be held to await the result of the injuries of the said Martin Engel.

James Mullane

District

Police Court--

AFIDAVIT

THE PEOPLE,  
ON THE COMPLAINT

Served to Robert Lee  
at his 24th St. N. W. D.C.  
John Ryan  
Police Justice

vs.

Dated

Magistrate

Officer

Witness

Disposition

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0507

Police Court, 3 District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 11<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, aged William J. Morney years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1891, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, Martin Engel was

feloniously assaulted and beaten in  
the saloon in the north west corner of  
Chrystie and Hester Sts. and now lies in  
Governor Hospital, in a dangerous  
condition and unable to appear in  
Court, as shown by the certificate hereto  
annexed, and deponent has reason to  
believe and does believe the aforesaid  
assault was committed by William  
Euris (now here) and one Maurice  
Lee not yet arrested. From the fact  
that deponent is informed by several  
citizens that they saw the aforesaid  
Maurice Lee strike the said Martin  
Engel with some blunt instrument and  
knock him through the doors of said  
saloon, and that the said Engel fell  
in the sidewalk on Chrystie street and  
that the said Maurice Lee (not yet  
arrested) and the said William Euris  
(now here) came out of said saloon and  
picked up the said Martin Engel from  
the sidewalk, and carried him into said  
saloon. Wherefore deponent prays the  
said William Euris may be held to answer  
the result of the injuries of the said Martin  
Engel.

Deponent further says that at the time of  
such assault James Morney, Thomas  
McKen and Lizzie Harkin (all now  
here) were present and witnessed the assault  
and are all important and necessary  
witnesses. Deponent therefore prays that the  
said James Morney, Thomas McKen and

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Lizzie Hartman. May be ordered to find surety for their appearance. and in default of such surety be committed to the House of Detention for women

Swoan to before me } William J. Mooney  
this 22<sup>nd</sup> of June 1891  
John Ryan  
Police Justice

It appearing 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_  
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.

113 B District.  
Police Court-

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
William Emme Lee  
Offence, *Larceny*

Dated June 22 1891  
Magistrate.  
Ryan  
Officer.  
Mooney  
Clerk.

Witnesses, James Mooney  
Thomas M. Ken. Street,  
and Lizzie Hartman  
Committed to the  
House of Detention in  
default of \$100 bail to testify  
Street.

To answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions  
June 26 - 2 PM  
M. Ken. Street. Hartman. Ed. Mooney. Street

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0509

*The Magistrate's Office  
of the 3rd District, City  
of New York, please  
confirm my answer this  
Please sign and return  
The sitting of the  
John Gray  
Chief Justice*

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

113/121-3  
Police Court...

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Dennis  
Maurice Lee

Offence Assault  
Felony

Dated June 24 1891

Magistrate

William H. Money, Officer  
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Witnesses  
James Murray

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Lippi Hawkins

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
Maurice Lee

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
John Gray

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Maurice Lee

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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

*John Ryan*

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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Police Court... District...

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martin Campbell  
123...  
Maurice Lee  
William Ernie  
Delonious  
Assault

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Maurice Lee  
William Ernie  
Delonious  
Assault

Officer

No. 1, by

Chas. A. Kell

Residence

311 Morris Avenue  
Newark, N.J.

No. 2, by

Chas. A. Kell

Residence

311 Morris Avenue  
Newark, N.J.

No. 3, by

278 Summit Ave  
Newark, N.J.

Residence

278 Summit Ave  
Newark, N.J.

No. 4, by

Street

Residence

Street

Magistrate  
Mullane  
11/17

1891

Witnesses

No.

Street

No.

Street

No.

Street

No.

Street

1000 Cash

Bailed



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 Maurice Lee

and William Ernie

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and they 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 Dec 24 18 91 John Ryan Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 25 18 91 John Ryan 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 18 Police Justice.

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GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Gouverneur Slip and East River.

L. F. DONOHUE, M. D., House Surgeon. New York, June 26 1891

To Whom It May Concern  
This is to certify that Martin Engel is still at this Hospital. His condition is fair

Wm H Steers  
Acting House Surgeon

GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Gouverneur Slip and East River.

L. F. DONOHUE, M. D., House Surgeon. New York, June 26 1891

To whom it may concern:  
Martin Engel will be unable to appear in court for some time

L. F. Donohue  
House Surgeon.

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ORIGINAL

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GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Gouverneur Slip and East River.

L. F. DONOHUE, M. D.,  
House Surgeon.

New York,

June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897

To whom it may concern;  
This is to  
certify that Martin  
Engel will be unable  
to appear in court  
today and that his  
condition is serious.

L. F. Donohue  
House Surgeon

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Department of Public Charities and Correction,  
Gouverneur Slip and East River.

NEW YORK, *June 25* 189 /

To Whom It May Concern

This is to certify that Martin Engle is still at this Hospital  
He is improving rapidly  
is not in danger of death

Wm H Steers M.D.  
Acting House Surgeon

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Department of Public Charities and Correction,  
Gouverneur Slip and East River.

NEW YORK, June 28 1891

To Whom It May Concern.

This is to certify that Martin  
Engle is still at this Hospital.

His condition is good, & he  
will in all probability recover.

Wm H Steers.  
Acting House Surgeon.

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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

Maurice Lee and  
William Ennis

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
Maurice Lee and William Ennis  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Maurice Lee and William Ennis, both  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 18<sup>th</sup>  
day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-one, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon  
the body of one Martin Engel in the peace of the said People  
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~him~~ the said  
Martin Engel with a certain iron bar  
and also with a certain blunt instrument  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown  
which the said Maurice Lee and William Ennis  
in their right hands then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and  
wound,

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

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
Maurice Lee and William Ennis  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Maurice Lee and William Ennis, both  
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day, and in the year aforesaid,  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said  
Martin Engel in the peace of the said  
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,  
and ~~him~~ the said Martin Engel

with a certain iron bar, and also with a certain blunt instru-  
ment to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown  
which the said Maurice Lee and William Ennis  
in their right hands then and there had and held, the same being a weapons and  
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully  
and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their  
dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Maurice Lee and William Ennis* of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Maurice Lee and William Ennis, both*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said *Martin Engel* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault and *hem* the said *Martin Engel* with a certain *iron bar*

which *they* the said *Maurice Lee and William Ennis* in *their* right hands then and there had and held, in and upon the *head and face* of *him* the said *Martin Engel* then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, ~~stab, cut~~ bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Martin Engel*

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4359

**DESCRIPTION:**

Leek, Talmage W.

**DATE:**

04/19/92



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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*John X*  
Counsel,  
Filed *19* day of *April* 189*2*  
Plenty *of* *Myself*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
# *P*  
Damage to Deck  
*of the* *boat* *of* *John X*  
*of the* *port* *of* *St. Louis*  
*of the* *port* *of* *St. Louis*

DE LANCEY NICOLL  
District Attorney  
Pen one *1892*  
Pen one *1892*  
A TRUE BILL.  
*John X*  
Foreman.

*John X*  
*John X*  
*John X*  
*John X*

Witnesses:  
*Anna R. Clark*  
*Anna R. Clark*

*of address that*  
*of the* *port* *of* *St. Louis*  
*of the* *port* *of* *St. Louis*

Recommended to accept same of  
file of all at attorney's office  
one copy as to evidence  
as with him  
Act of 1892 for N. O. O'Brien  
*John X*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Anna R. Clark

Anna Sabulka

I appear that  
Mr. Redford - Grants  
to put the case  
off for the Mary  
head & Mrs. ...  
that the case was put  
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West Agency of Apples  
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Master of P  
May 12/92 P

I recommend the case to  
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one copy as the complaint  
was not heard  
at 5th 1912 for M. Osborne  
subject

204.

*[Signature]*

Counsel,

Filed 19 April 1897

Plaintiff  
*[Signature]*

THE PEOPLE

vs. # I

Damage to Book

*[Handwritten notes]*

of the ...

DE LANCEY NICOLL  
District Attorney

Pen one M888

A TRUE BILL.

*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

*[Handwritten notes and signatures]*

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court 2nd District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 121 West 32<sup>nd</sup> Street, aged 42 years, occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 8 day of April 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Salmag W. Leas (now known by the name of Salmag W. Leas) who pointed a loaded Revolving pistol at the body of deponent

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 8 day of April 1882 Anna K. Clark  
[Signature] Police Justice.



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1000 by April 11<sup>th</sup> 2.00 M.

The presiding magistrate is authorized to hear and determine this case in my absence, and to accept bail.

Police Justice.

BAILED,  
 No. 1, by See You Friday  
 Residence 417-N-42 Street.  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court... District 418

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

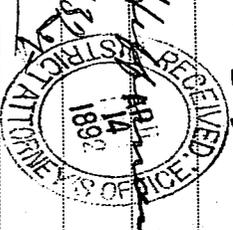
Anna P. Clark  
James P. Lewis

Office

Dated April 8 1892  
Heaven Magistrate.

Heaven Officer.

Witnesses Beck Monroe  
121 West 32<sup>nd</sup> St  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.



No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 \$ 1500 to answer 500

Ann Burke  
April 11 1892

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 Fifteen 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 8 1892 W. S. Gady Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Defendant to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
 Dated April 12 1892 W. S. Gady 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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

Yalmage W. Deek

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

Yalmage W. Deek

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

The said Yalmage W. Deek

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Anna R. Clark in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against her the said Anna R. Clark a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Yalmage W. Deek in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge with intent her the said Anna R. Clark thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Yalmage W. Deek

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

The said Yalmage W. Deek

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Anna R. Clark in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against her the said Anna R. Clark

a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said

Yalmage W. Deek

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge, 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:

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lengo, Salvatore

**DATE:**

04/19/92



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*Lo Duca*  
*X*

Counsel,  
Filed *19* day of *April* 189*2*  
Plends *M. J. ...*

THE PEOPLE  
*Salvatore Longo*  
Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Firearms.)  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part 2 Apr 25, 92 B.S.W.  
Part April 28, 92 U.S.D.  
A TRUE BILL.

*W. W. Deham*  
Foreman.

*Part 3 May 9, 92*  
*Witnesses (found not guilty)*  
*Witnesses committed*  
*Witnesses committed*  
*May 20, 92*

Witnesses:  
*John Terence*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

*210*  
*Leander*

Counsel,

Filed *19* day of *April* 189*2*

Pleads,

*M. J. [unclear]*

THE PEOPLE

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Firearms.)  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

*40 [unclear]*  
*19 [unclear]*  
*Salvatore Longo*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part 2 April 25, 92  
Part April 28, 92

A TRUE BILL.

*W. H. [unclear]*  
Foreman.

*Part 3 May 9, 92*  
*Foreman convicted*  
*Foreman convicted*  
*May 11, 92*  
*May 20, 92*

Witnesses:

*John [unclear]*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

COURT of GENERAL SESSIONS of the PEACE  
In and for THE CITY and COUNTY of NEW YORK.

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THE PEOPLE ETC.,  
Plaintiff  
  
-Against-  
  
SALVATOR LUONGO  
Defendant  
-----x

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:  
:HON FRED. B. SMYTHE  
:  
: PRESIDING JUDGE  
:  
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The Petition of the undersigned petitioners respectfully shows to this Court:-

THAT the defendant herein was convicted of assault in the Second Degree on the 9th day of May inst.

THAT they and each of them have known said defendant for several years and have always known him to be a peaceable honest and industrious man, and law abiding citizen, and to their several knowledge he has never been arrested before.

THAT he has a wife and two young children who are dependent upon him for their support and maintenance.

W H E R E F O R E your petitioners respectfully ask this Honorable Court, that in passing sentence upon the said defendant to exercise as much leniency as may be deemed just and proper under the circumstances.

| NAMES.             | ADDRESSES.      |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| M. A. Daly         | 233 Broadway    |
| R. J. Duffy        | 233 Broadway    |
| Wm. J. M. Laughlin | 186 Hester St   |
| Thomas Smith Jr    | 220 Centre St   |
| Thomas J. Haney    | 130 Mulberry St |



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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

NEW YORK COUNTY.

THE PEOPLE ETC.,  
Plaintiff

-Against-

SALVATOR LUONGO  
Defendant

PETITION FOR LENIENCY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS  
NEW YORK COUNTY.

THE PEOPLE ETC.,  
Plaintiff

-Against-

SALVATOR LUONGO  
Defendant

PETITION FOR LENIENCY.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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 :  
 The People of the State of New York, :  
 :  
 against : Before  
 : Hon. Fred'k Smyth,  
 : and a Jury.  
 :  
 Salvatore Lengo. :  
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Indictment filed April 19, 1892.

Indicted for assault in the second degree.

New York, May 9, 1892.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People,

Assistant District-Atty. Vernon M. Davis;

For the Defendant,

L. E. DeBarbier, Esq.

JOHN DEVINE, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a truckman. On the 12th. of October 1891  
 I saw this defendant Lengo at about 9 o'clock in the  
 evening right where I live, 106 Mulberry St. I came  
 home with my horse and truck at 9 o'clock in the evening  
 and pulled up where I was to stop. I started to take  
 my blankets and put them away for the evening. This  
 man and another came from the other corner. They were  
 intoxicated. They happened to drop a lighted cigar or  
 a cigar-holder in front of my horses' head. I says: "Look  
 out that the horse doesn't stand on you". This man  
 Lengo immediately gave my horse a kick in the stomach and  
 I says: "If you kick my horse again I will kick you". The

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first thing I knew he pulled out a pistol, and calling me a vile name said he would kill me. I am positive that I saw the pistol in his hand and that it was pointed at me. He said: "I will kill you". I ran down Canal Street and he after me. He did not fire at me while we were running. I finally got back to my horses where they were standing on the sidewalk. I saw the defendant afterwards in custody of a police officer. He did not say anything to me and I said nothing to him.

Cross-examination:

I was present at the conversation between the police officer and the defendant. I do not remember him saying anything except calling me some vile names. This occurred at about 9 o'clock in the evening. There was no other provocation than that which I have stated, to cause this defendant to aim the pistol at me. I had removed all of my things from the truck at the time these two men came along. I had no quarrel with them other than I have stated. I am not positive whether it was a lighted cigar or a cigar-holder which these men threw in front of my horse.

WILLIAM J. PETERMAN, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer. I arrested this defendant on the 12th. of October 1891 in the evening about 9 o'clock. I was standing on the corner of Bowery and Canal St. when a boy came up and told me something. In

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consequence of what he told me I went down Canal Street and met this defendant and arrested him. I saw he had his right hand in his pocket. I pulled his hand out of the pocket and found a revolver, which I now produce. There were five chambers in the revolver and they were all fully loaded. I took him to the Station House, made a complaint against him and he was held.

Cross-examination:

The Sergeant took his pedigree. He answered all the questions without hesitation.

DEFENSE:

SALVATORE LENGO, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I live at 137 Baxter Street. I am a carpenter by occupation. I have been in this country for ten years. I do not understand the English language. I am a married man. The complainant accused me on the night in question of having a row with him, but it was not true. I was walking along and a cigar dropped out of my hand as I passed the complainant's horse. He called me a vile name and said: "If you don't go away I will break your head with this bar". He had a heavy iron bar in his hand. He then struck me a blow and knocked me down. I got up and I went towards Canal St. in order to get into Baxter Street. There I met the officer and he arrested me.

Cross-examination:

The revolver which is shown me was found on

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me. I did not aim it at the complainant. I did not pull the trigger at all. I have never carried a revolver and I do not know anything about the use of this revolver. I could not say whether it is a self-cocking revolver or not.

The Jury returned a verdict of guilty of assault in the second degree.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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 person. I could not see it in a self-coming  
 review.

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Indictment filed Apr. 19-1892.  
 Abstract of testimony on  
 COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

THE PEOPLE &c.  
 against  
 SALVATOR LENGGO

Abstract of testimony on  
 trial New York, May 9th  
 1892.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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To the Honorable Frederick Smyth  
Recorder

The undersigned beg leave to petition  
Your Honor for clemency in the case  
of the People against Salvatore Longo.  
We know him to be a peaceful  
law-abiding citizen, who has  
never been arrested before.

He is a man of family, dependent  
upon him for support, and we pray  
Your Honor for such consideration as  
may be proper.

New York 19<sup>th</sup> May 1892 -

Caesar Loforte. 242. Mott St.  
Frank Ruocco 162 Mott St  
Emanuele Landino 153 Mott St.  
Agnese Genovese 243. Elizabeth Street  
Lorcia Nongelo 60 Baxter St  
Frank Lallo 357 Broome St  
Domènico Antonio 352 Broome St  
Giuseppe Chantano 183 Mott St.  
Luca Manzella 198 Mott St

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Nicola Motta 195 Mott St  
Giuseppe Galgano 217 Mott St  
Giuseppe Rita 217 Mott St  
Francesca Carbone Corallo St 57  
Vincenzo Clemente 198 Mott St  
Seigi Pastiglione 200 Mott St  
Giuseppe Roberti 196 Mott St  
Vito Beccia 196 Mott St  
Michele Mastrobento 196 Mott St  
Pasquale Mastrobento 196 Mott St  
Pasquale Mastrobento 1970 Mulberry St  
Vito Pelletier 16 Spring St  
St. Benedetto 195 Mulberry St  
Angelo Paolo 8 Spring St  
Giuseppe Finello 8 Spring St  
~~Giuseppe Pelletier 1970 Mulberry St~~  
Michele Girato 217 Mott St  
Francesca Picchi nona 280 Mott St  
Nocco Marasco 280 Mott St  
Michele Scuzio 218 Mott St  
Nocco Pepe 218 Mott St  
Motto Marchese 228 Thompson St  
Giuseppe Tarocco 220 Mott St  
Gennaro De Feis 253 Mott St  
Michel Votino 197 Mott St  
Gennaro Votino 17 Maria St  
Alfonso Cartasciello 41 Spring St  
Galgano Proco 155 Elisabeth St  
Gennaro Mirante 134 Elizabeth St  
Vincenzo Di Palo 198 Mott St  
Domenico Clemente 71 Mulberry St  
Nicola Martuccio 200 Mott St

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Salvatore Caporale 195 Mont St  
J. Palmieri 173 Mont  
Giacinto A. Indelli 362 Broome str

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

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

John Devine  
of No. 106 Mulberry Street, aged 37 years,  
occupation Truckman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 12 day of October 1891 (at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED ~~and BEATEN~~ by Salvator Lergo

(Frankie) who wilfully and maliciously pointed and aimed a pistol loaded with powder and ball at deponent he said deponent making use of the Expression "Son of a bitch I will kill you" That deponent ran away and said deponent pursued him with said pistol in his hand - Deponent says that said act was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 13 day }  
of Oct 1891 } John Devine

J. C. Reilly Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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District Police Court.

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Salvatore Lengo* 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.

*Salvatore Lengo*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Italy*

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

Answer.

*195 Mulberry St one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Bankkeeper*

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*

*his  
Salvatore Lengo  
made*

Taken before me this  
day of *Oct*

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*1911*

*P. J. McLaughlin*  
Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

BAILED

No. 1, by Apple Switzer  
 Residence 36 Madison Street

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

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

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

Witnesses Officer  
 No. James Aikens Street \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank 9 Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. Jan Adams Street \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank 9 Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 1000 to answer.

Committee

Dated Oct 13 1891  
 Magistrate D.O. Reilly  
 Officer Mrs. Stummam  
 Precinct 6

THE PEOPLE, etc.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
John Dwyer  
John Williams  
Signature of mag

Offence Assault  
Felony

Police Court... District 13/6

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 1000 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 Oct 13 1891 D.O. Reilly Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named \_\_\_\_\_  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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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

*Salvatore Lengo*

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

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

The said *Salvatore Lengo*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *12th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *John Devine* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John Devine* a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *Salvatore Lengo* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge <sup>aim, point & present with intent to</sup> with intent *him* the said *John Devine* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *Salvatore Lengo*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Devine* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *John Devine*

a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *Salvatore Lengo*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge <sup>aim, point & present with intent to</sup> 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4359

**DESCRIPTION:**

Lennig, Maurice

**DATE:**

04/28/92



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel,  
Filed *28* day of *April* 1892

Pleads,

*1118*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

*B*

*Notation of Trade mark law.  
[Section 4, Small Coals]*

*Maurice Lemig*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

A TRUE BILL.

*W. H. Deham*  
*Foreman.*

*28 April 1892*

*Charles Chubb*

*Fred J. S.*

Witnesses:  
*James J. Sturtevant*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

347. L

Counsel,  
Filed *L* 28  
Day of *April* 189*2*

Pleads,  
*1116*

*Violation of Trademark Law*  
[Section 364, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Maurice Leming*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

A TRUE BILL.

*W. H. Deham*  
Foreman.

*28 April 1892*

*Frank Chubb*

*Fred J. S.*

Witnesses

*David J. Steinhilber*

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

Police Court, 3 District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

David J. Steinhart  
of No. 313 Bowery Street, aged 30 years,  
occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 22 day of January 1892, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, Francis Jennings (now  
here) did knowingly affix to an

article of merchandise the genuine  
trademark of another without the  
latters consent in violation of  
Section 364 of the Penal Code.  
Deponent further says: that he is  
a member of the firm of Steinhart  
Brothers and Company copartners  
in trade carrying on business at  
the above address in selling liquors  
that among the articles of merchan-  
dise said firm deals in is a  
brand of Brandy known as "Arnold  
Moravian Company" which said  
firm buys in bulk and then  
places it in bottles and then  
affixes to said bottle a label  
which is the property of said  
firm and which contains a  
trademark used by said firm.  
That said genuine label is hereto  
annexed and marked "Exhibit A"  
That there is also affixed to said  
bottle a leaden cap upon which  
is stamped the trade mark of said  
firm which is the property of  
said firm. Deponent is informed  
by Bernard Clark (now here) that  
on said day he purchased one  
dozen bottle of Brandy from the  
defendant out of which is here  
shown, which is affixed the  
genuine label containing said  
trade mark the property of said

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court, District.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No.

occupation

that on the

day of

York, in the County of New York,

Street, aged

years,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

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firm. That said bottle also has affixed the cap aforesaid containing said trade mark the property of said firm. That said label and cap were so affixed without the authority and consent of said firm and was so affixed with intent to deceive the public. That deponent has probable cause to suspect that said trademarks were so affixed by the defendant for the reasons that the defendant is a liquor dealer in the City of New York. That the defendant's brother was formerly employed by said firm; that the defendant's brother now stands charged with larceny in stealing genuine labels of said firm and deponent further states that the defendant has acknowledged to deponent that he did affix said trademark to the bottle aforesaid.

Sworn to before me } DeWitt Steinhilber  
this 7<sup>th</sup> March, 1895 }

D. W. Steinhilber  
Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Bernard Clark*  
aged *47* years, occupation *liquor dealer* of No. *108 Ken Avenue* *Brooklyn* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *David J. Steinhaus* and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *7* day of *March* 189*0* } *Bernard Clark*

*J. D. Smith*  
Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

(1885)

3 District Police Court.

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Maurice Leming 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. Maurice Leming

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 43 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 111 East 3rd St 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Cheesman

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

Maurice Leming

Taken before me this 1st day of Feb 1892  
Police Justice. J. P. [Signature]

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

POLICE COURT 3 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

On complaint of  
For

*David J. Steinhart*  
*vs.*  
*Mary Loring*  
*Demand*

*Maurice Loring*

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~waive~~ demand a trial by Jury on this complaint, and demand a trial at the COURT OF ~~SPECIAL~~ SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in for the City and County of New York.

Dated *Feb 5* 189*2*

*Maurice Loring*

Police Justice.

Sec. 151.

Police Court 3 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 *David J. Steinhart* of No. *313 Bowers* Street, that on the *27* day of *January* 18*92* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *Mary Loring* did

*knowingly affix to an article of merchandise the genuine trade mark of another to wit the firm of Steinhart Brothers and Company without the latter consent*

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to answer the said complaint.

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring *him* forthwith before me, at the *3* 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

*7* day of *March* 18*92*  
*J. H. Smith* POLICE JUSTICE.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 151.

Police Court 3 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 David J. Steinhart of No. 313 Bowery Street, that on the 27 day of January 1892 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Max Leubing did

knowingly affix to an article of merchandise the genuine trade mark of another to wit the firm of Steinhart Brothers and Company without the latter consent

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to answer the said complaint.

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 3<sup>rd</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 9 day of March 1892  
J. H. Smith POLICE JUSTICE.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-General.

Dated ..... 188

..... Magistrate.

..... Officer.

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

..... Officer.

Dated ..... 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

*[Signature]*  
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

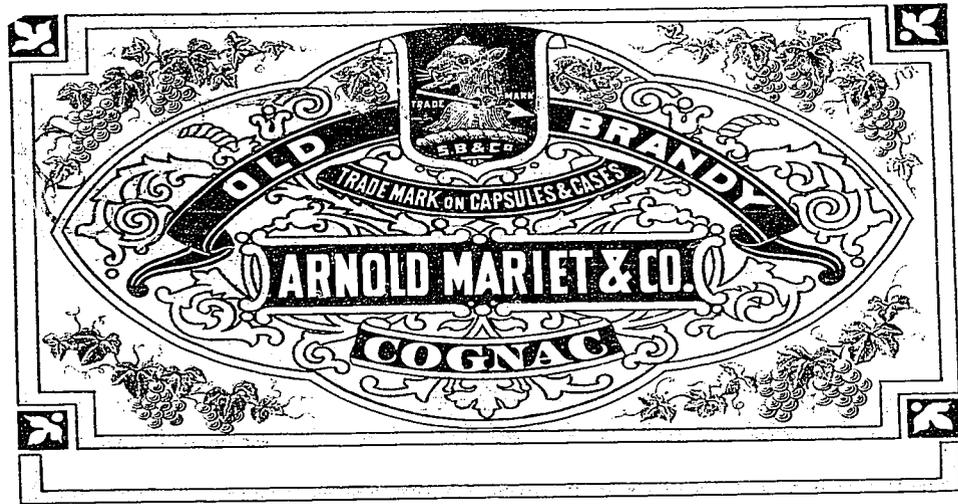
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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED

No. 1, by Wm. H. Apple  
 Residence 115 E 4th St  
 Street

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

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

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

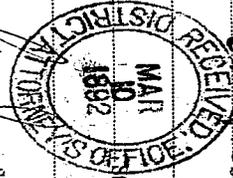
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 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
David H. Thompson  
 313 Broadway  
Maxwell  
 3  
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 Offense Violate Trade Mark

Dated Feb 2 189

Magistrate  
Wm. H. Apple  
 Officer  
Edmund T. Kelly  
 Precinct

Witnesses  
Arnold Clark  
 No. 108 West Ave Brooklyn  
 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 Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 3 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, Feb 2 189 Wm. H. Apple Police Justice.

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

Dated, Feb 2 189 Wm. H. Apple Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

(455)

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Maurice Deming*

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

indictment accuse

*Maurice Deming*

of the crime of

committed as follows:

The said

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

*twentieth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid,

*without the consent of Benjamin Deming, Jr.,*  
*Morris Deming, Henry Deming, David*

*Deming and Adolph Deming, partners*  
*in trade there and there then carrying on*

*business in and by the firm, name and*  
*style of Deming Brothers and Company,*

*and without the consent of any one of*  
*the said partners, did and did*

*and remained of all to one Deming*  
*brother, certain articles of merchandise, to*  
*the undue benefit of said brother,*

