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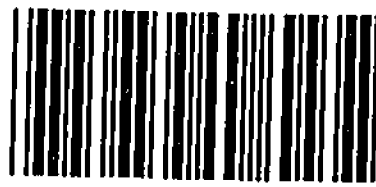
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hamilton, Richard

**DATE:**

08/07/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

7

day of

Aug 1885

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Richard Hamilton*

*Witnesses*

Grand Larceny, First Degree,  
(DWELLING HOUSE)  
[Sections 528, 530, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*John O. Scott,*

Foreman.

*James G. Lamy*  
*S. P. Anderson*

0765

Police Court First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

of No. 197 Elizabeth Street, aged 57 years,  
occupation Expressman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 29 day of July 1885 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

One Double Case Silver Watch  
of the value of thirty dollars

the property of

deponent

and that this deponent

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

(nowhere) from the fact that said  
watch was in the pocket of deponent's  
vest which was hanging on a  
hook in deponent's Bed room.  
Deponent is informed by Bridget  
Hamilton his wife that said  
defendant admitted to her that  
he took said watch and pawned  
it and he gave her the pawn  
ticket which ticket she gave  
to deponent.

Wherefore deponent  
charges said defendant with

Sworn to before me this

188

day

Police Justice

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Referring by taking Stealing and  
Carrying away said property

Sworn to before me  
this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1885  
SOLLY D. SMITH  
Police Justice

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

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

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

vs.

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Dated

1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer

Seasons.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK { ss

First District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am guilty  
Richard Hamilton  
mark

Taken before me this

day of July 1887

Justice.

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

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

Dated *July 31* 188 *Solomon Smith* Police Justice.

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

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

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

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

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

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BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court *Just* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Cornelius Hamilton*  
*197 Elizabeth*

*Richard Hamilton*

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4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *July 31* 188

*Smith* Magistrate

*John Sullivan* Officer.

*14* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$ *500* to answer *G. S.*

*bon*

0770

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Richard Hamilton*

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

*Richard Hamilton*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the FIRST degree, committed as follows,

The said *Richard Hamilton*,

late of the *Southern* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty-ninth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three* in the night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

*one watch of the value of*  
*thirty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Ramondino*  
*Hamilton*,  
in the dwelling-house of the said *Ramondino Hamilton*,

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

*Randolph B. Martinez,*  
*District Attorney*

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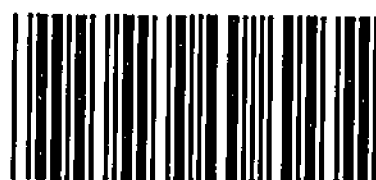
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hamilton, Susie

**DATE:**

08/18/85



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194. B J.D.D.

Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 18 day of Aug 1880  
Pleads Not Guilty (M)

Witnesses:

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Grand Larceny 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 58 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs. R  
Susie Hamilton

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. O. Scott  
Aug 19/83 Foreman.  
Pleads Guilty  
Leave me alone.

0773

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 45 Horatio Street, aged 31 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 14 day of May 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One double  
blanket of the value of twenty  
dollars, one double blanket of the  
value of seven dollars, one single  
blanket of the value of one dollar  
and fifty cents, one spread or  
table cloth and one chair, all  
of the total value of thirty one  
dollars (31\$)

the property of

Mrs Emma Weeks, in  
charge of deponent.

and that this deponent

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

here) under the following cir-  
cumstances, the defendant being  
in the employ of the said Mrs  
Emma Weeks as a domestic or  
house servant, took the above  
articles, while the said Mrs Emma  
Weeks was confined to her bed by  
serious illness, on the above date  
and divers other dates corresponding  
with the dates of the attached prison  
tickets, and on being arrested she  
the defendant admitted having taken  
the same, wherefore deponent prays, the  
defendant be dealt <sup>with</sup> as the law directs

Mary Cornell

Sworn to before me, this

14

day

of

1885

James J. McLaughlin  
Police Justice

0774

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

*Dessie Hamilton*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*23 Years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Scotland*

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

Answer.

*544 West 45th (1 day)*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Domestic*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty, I will  
redeem the pawned article  
as I agreed with the lady.  
Dessie Hamilton  
mark*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

0775

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Harry Connell*  
*45 vs. Hobart*  
*Jessie Hamilton*

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

Dated *Aug 14* 188 *3*

*M. J. Connell* Magistrate.

*James* Officer.

*9* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

*500-* to answer *G. Parsons*

*(Conn)*

Offence *Grand Larceny*

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

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

Dated *Aug 14* 188 *3* *James* 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.



0776

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Susie Hamilton*

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

*Susie Hamilton*

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

The said *Susie Hamilton*,

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

*one blanket of the value of twenty dollars, one other blanket of the value of seven dollars, one other blanket of the value of one dollar, and fifty cents, one bed-spread of the value of five dollars, one table cloth of the value of two dollars, and one sheet of the value of one dollar,*  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Emma Weeks*,

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

*Randolph B. Martinie,*  
*District Attorney.*



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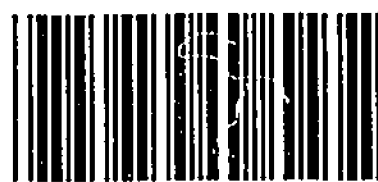
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Harder, Charles

**DATE:**

08/11/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 11 day of Aug 1885  
Pleads \_\_\_\_\_

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Charles Clarder

Grand Larceny 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 581, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

Wm O'Neil  
Aug 12/85 Foreman.  
Charles Clarder  
S. P. Two 72's.

0779

Police Court—

First

District,

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Minnie Winters

of No.

48 Chrystie

Street, aged 34 years,

occupation

Housekeeper

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

1st

day of

August

1885

at the City of New

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

Two pair of gold earrings and one gold breast pin two gold rings and one gold ladies chain and locket altogether of the value of fifty five dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

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

Charles Barber (now here) from the fact that deponent missed the aforesaid property from a bureau drawer in her room and deponent is informed by Officer Thomas Lyons of the 6th Precinct Police that he found six pawn tickets in the defendant's possession representing the aforesaid property and deponent went to the pawn office where said property had been pawned and identified said property represented by the said tickets found in the defendant's possession as the property taken stolen and carried away as aforesaid

Minnie Winters

of

Sworn to before me, this

1885

day

J. J. Jones

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas Lyons*  
aged *26* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No.

*6th Precinct Place* Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Winnie Winter*

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

*7th*  
*August* 188*3*

*Thomas Lyons*  
*to go. w. y.*  
Police Justice.

0781

Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Charles Harder

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Chicago

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

Answer.

No home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter

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

Answer.

I am guilty

Ch. Harder

Taken before me this

day of

March 1887

Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

of the 6th Precinct Police, aged 24 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 6th day of August 1885  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested

Charles Harder (nowhere)  
on suspicion of having committed  
a larceny and deponent asks  
that he be committed in order  
to give deponent an opportunity  
to get the necessary evidence

Thomas Lyons

Sworn to before me this  
August 1885 day

Police Justice.

0783

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Bender

AFFIDAVIT.

Supervisor of Jail

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Dated

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Et. g. du  
August 17, 930 AM

Disposition,

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Police Court, ✓ 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Harder vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

*Indictment of Lacey*

Dated August 6 188

W. J. M. M. Magistrate.

Thomas H. M. Officer.

Witness, \_\_\_\_\_

Ex. 9. M.  
August 7, 9.30 AM

Disposition, \_\_\_\_\_

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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 Charles

Warden  
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. he legally discharged therefrom

Dated August 7<sup>th</sup> 1885 see page 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.

0786

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

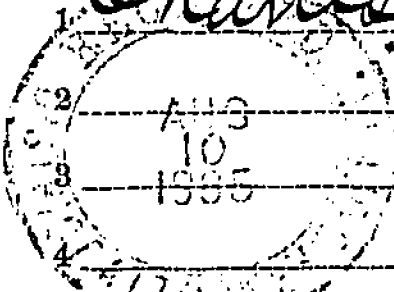
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Minnie Winter  
48 Chrysler St.  
Charles Harder



Office Grand Jurors

Dated August 7<sup>th</sup> 1885

Thos Lyons Magistrate

Officer.

6 Precinct.

Witnesses Call the officer

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

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

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

Committed to answer G.S.



0787

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Charles Stander,*

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

*Charles Stander,*

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

The said *Charles Stander,*

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

*four earrings of the value of*  
*eight dollars each, one breast-pin*  
*of the value of six dollars, two*  
*rings of the value of five dollars*  
*each, one chain of the value of*  
*ten dollars, and one pocket of the*  
*value of ten dollars, —*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William Winters,*

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

*Randolph B. Martin,*  
*District Attorney.*

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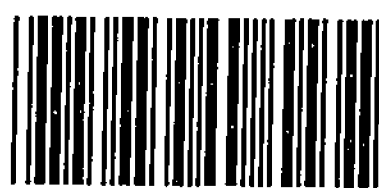
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DESCRIPTION:

Hare, William F.

DATE:

08/21/85



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*[Signature]*

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Aug 1888 ✓

Pleads

*Spotzquely*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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*William F. Stone*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Sept 9/88* District Attorney.

*Quincy & Co. requested*

A True Bill.

*John O. Hart*  
Foreman.

*Sept 9*

Witnesses:

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*William F. Hare* 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 F. Hare*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*39 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Pennsylvania*

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

Answer.

*271 West 12th Street*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Watchman*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty I did it in self defense*

*Wm F Hare*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

0791

Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 149 Chatham Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation Canvasser being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

William J. Hare now present  
that said William did wilfully  
and maliciously cut and stab  
deponent upon his head and face  
with and by means of a certain  
knife and sharp dangerous weapon  
which he Hare then held in his hand

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that he 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

day

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Edmund J. Pagan  
Police Justice

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Police Court, 855 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

on the complaint of

Edwin J. Regan  
149 Chatham  
William F. Hare

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Offence—Felonious Assault & Battery

Dated August 17 1885

Wm. Murray Magistrate.  
William Cashwood Officer.

Qu Clerk.

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$ 1000 — to answer General Sessions.

(Don)

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

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

Dated August 17 1885. Henry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885. \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1885. \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



0793

Police Court District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 149 Chatham Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation Carver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

William J. Hare now present  
that said William did wilfully  
and maliciously cut and stab  
repeated upon his head and face  
with and by means of a certain  
knife and sharp dangerous weapon  
which he Hare then held in his hand

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that he 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

day

188

Edmund J. Pagan  
Police Justice

0794

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*William T. Stone*

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

*William T. Stone*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *William T. Stone*,

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

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

with intent *in* the said *Edwin T. Reagen*,  
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  
*William T. Stone*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *William T. Stone*,

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

with a certain *knife*

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

*Randolph B. Markine*  
District Attorney

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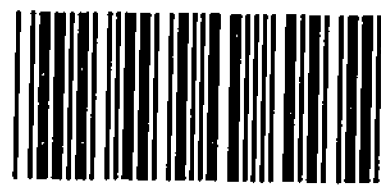
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Counsel,  
Filed 6 day of Aug 1885  
Pleads, W. J. Kelly

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Terence Clarkin  
[Sections 218, 219, 220 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Angelo  
Foreman  
Spec. Foreman  
S. P. H. De Vries

Witnesses:

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The People  
vs.  
Terence Hartin } Court of General Sessions. Part F.  
Before Judge Gildersleeve. August 10. 1883.

Indictment for assault in the second degree  
Catherine A. O'Leary sworn. I am 11  
years old and live in Williamsbridge. I have  
only got a father, no mother. I recollect Monday  
the 27<sup>th</sup> July, I was at home, I recollect seeing  
the defendant. He came into my house and  
asked me for a drink of water. I told him I  
had no water in the house, I was going out  
for some. He would not let me go out, and  
he sat down on a chair, and then he took  
me upon his knee, and then he opened  
his own pants, and then he opened my  
drawers; he laid down and then put his  
hand on my stomach. I told him to let  
me go or I would get some more after  
him. Then he let me go when I told him that  
I told him to go on out, I wanted to go out  
to play. He would not go out. He stood there  
in spite of me and said he wanted me  
to go to bed; he would give me a penny  
if I would go to bed. I said, "No". He said  
"here is two cents if you will come to bed."  
I said, "No, I don't want any." He was in  
the house from seven to half past eight  
o'clock. All this time he was trying to have  
me go to bed with him and I would not



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go. I told him I would call somebody if he did not leave me alone. He put his hand on my stomach, unbuttoned my drawers, put me on his lap and kissed me. I did not want to kiss him. He put his mouth right up to my mouth in spite of me. I told him to stop and he would not do it. My father was at work and I was alone in the house. Had you ever seen the defendant before? I saw him one day; he talked to me, and he told me one Saturday he would come around to my house and give me some candy. I says, I did not want any candy. Cross examined. I only saw him once before but did not know his name. He lived on the ground floor. I was in the inside room, I was not sitting on the stoop. I have no mother. I am the only one who takes care of the house when papa is out. The defendant never boarded in my house. There is only one other family living in the house; their name is Lunkigan. The people were upstairs that morning. He stayed there an hour and a half. I did not see any of the people during that time. I play with the little girls around there till my papa comes home. I was going to halloo for the people every minute, but he said, "Don't halloo", and he was not going out at all.



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Jane Moore sworn. I live on the other side of the track, the two houses facing each other near where this little girl lives. I recollect seeing the prisoner on Monday the 27<sup>th</sup> of July, the day this trouble occurred. He was boarding with me before. I saw him coming down from the gate just on the other side of the track. I was cooking the dinner and was looking out of the back window. I thought there was something up, the man being around so early. Of course I had a bad opinion of the man, I watched him, I did not see him go in there, I saw his heel back inside of the door. I watched him at the window; he was up fifteen minutes. I saw him coming out and saw him coming back again and sitting down near a tree. He saw I was watching him. I called over the little girl and asked Katie what the man was doing; she came to me, the girl was excited; her heart was beating fast, she could not tell me the words right, she was crying; she told me what the man had done to her; she complained of assaulting her by unbuttoning her drawers; she told me every thing about that right away. Cross Examined. I am a married woman and the mother of five children. I know the defendant back and forth a couple of years.

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He only lived with me two or three months I had no trouble with him. He was always drawing a little trouble in the house. I did not want to keep him and I turned him out of the house. I never liked him. There is a German family living in the house with me; they were home that morning. I called the little child and asked her questions and she told me what he had done. I made the alarm right away to get him arrested on the spot. I had boulders who worked for Mr. Dewdney the contractor. I don't know why the other men left; they were strangers to me. I have two children living; they are home with me now. I stood about an hour and a quarter at that window until he came out again. I watched him. I did not see him going in but I saw him coming out. The girl's mother is dead; she is living with her father. My oldest boy is 13 going on 14 years old; he was <sup>not</sup> home that morning; he goes to work at seven o'clock. I saw the defendant at 8 1/2 o'clock in the morning. The little girl got excited. The defendant passed the pump to go into this house; there is always a cup or a glass at the pump. I got a Kettle of water at the pump that morning, and it was not broken.

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### The case for the defence.

Terence Harkin sworn and examined.  
I live Williamsbridge and am living there between two and three years. I work in the water works with Mr. Stormer and Mr. Derby and am working at the present time with Mr. Sullivan at the new water works. I am a decent, respectable man - never brought before Judge or Court house in my life. I remember the 27<sup>th</sup> of July; on that day two weeks it was a very warm day. I remember when I was arrested I remember being at the door of the house where this little girl lives. I did not go in. It being a warm day they were very scarce of water around there. The pump that supplies the water at Williamsbridge was broken the day before that. It was broken Saturday night. I did not know whether or not they had fixed it Sunday. This was Monday between 9 and 10 o'clock. I was going along the road and saw this girl stopping at the ~~door~~ of a three story frame house. There is another house next to it, and this old lady was at this time at her own house. I said to this little girl, "If you please can I have a drink of water?" She said, "yes, you can." She got up off the chair to walk back for the water. I sat down on the chair. She said there was no water in the house, and

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she was going out for the water I said, "Never mind." I got off the chair, giving her three cents and walking away about my business. Did you put your hand on her person? No sir, I would not be guilty of such a crime as that. How old are you? I am over forty seven years of age. I know Mrs. Moore the witness by sight. I boarded with her for some time. I had no trouble with her; she had six or eight boarders; herself and husband used to get provisions from the butcher and the baker for two weeks, and when the two weeks would be up when they got the boarders money they would pay. They did not pay the butcher and the baker and we paid our board and then left. Then they had a spite against us for doing that. I never had trouble with man or woman before. Cross Examined. I never have been married. The pump was out of order on Saturday night. I did not go out Sunday. I did not pass by the pump that day. I get \$1.25 a day. I found the child so agreeable that I gave her three cents and walked away. I was in the act of going by the house; she was sitting on a chair by the door. I was dry and I asked her if I could get a drink of water; she went back to the house.



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Then she said she had no water in the house, she was going out for water. I said, "never mind going out for the water, I am going away; she came up as far as my knee. I gave her three cents and walked away about my business. I was not working that because it was too warm to go to work. I did not like to remain about the place and walked away about my business. It would look bad for me to stop in the house and let the little girl go after water. In case anything was lost or anything happened I would be blamed for it. I did not go in a very great hurry. After I left this house I did not go home for about two hours. After having my dinner at half past twelve, I was sitting at the door with a couple of men when the officer rode up to the house on horseback and enquired for my name. The officer said, "Come over here, I want you." He asked me did I insult a little girl? "Come on down with me." I said, "I will." I never had a word with Mrs. Moore in my life. I paid her every cent I owed her when I left. The officer asked me did I insult a girl about the bridge today? I said, "No, I did not." We were going down

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the bridge and we met her father coming right up, and he asked the officer did he see that man? Yes, says the officer, here is the man. We went away down and the little girl and Mrs. Moore and a couple more were standing below at the bridge. Mrs. Moore was like a man making a speech at election day. Then the officer asked the little girl's father, would she make a charge against him? Yes, says the old man. I walked with the officer down as far as Hermon. Mrs. Moore was talking so loud I did not know what she was saying. I walked alongside of the officer to the station house. The officer passed me by half an hour before that. If I thought I was guilty do you think I would stand my ground. I am not guilty gentlemen of the jury no more than one of you. I am a decent man. I was not further than inside the door of the house where the girl was. Henry Leary sworn. This little girl is my child, she will be twelve years next April; my wife died two years ago, and this girl takes care of my house. When I came home to dinner I heard what occurred; she told me about it before the policeman came to the door. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of assault in the second degree.



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Testimony in the  
case of  
Jerome Hartin  
filed Aug. 1,  
1883.

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Police Court—6<sup>th</sup> District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

school girl

of No.

Catherine A. O'Leary, 11 years old,  
Williams Bridge Back of Hepok.  
New York City Street,

Monday the 27<sup>th</sup>

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

day of July

in the year 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at Williams Bridge

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Terence

Harkin, now here, who entered  
the house where deponent was sitting  
gave her three cuffs and  
asked deponent to go to bed  
with him, opened his pantaloons and  
exposed his private parts, and unbutton  
deponent's drawers and put his hand  
upon deponent's stomach and on her  
private parts. Deponent asked said  
Harkin to let her alone, and, when  
he placed his hand upon her person,  
she deponent threatened to call a man  
who was at the corner near by.  
Said Harkin thereupon went out  
of the house and away. Deponent  
says that said assault was  
committed

with the felonious intent to ~~take the life of deponent~~ or to do her 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~~ bound to answer  
for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this

27<sup>th</sup> day

of

July

1885

Catherine A. O'Leary

[Signature]

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

Terence Hartin 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. Terence Hartin

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 46 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. Williams Bridge N.Y.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I am not guilty. I was passing the house and was very thirsty. I saw the little girl sitting on a rocking chair inside the open door. I asked her for a drink of water. She started to get it; but, finding that she had to go out of doors for it, I did not let her go. I gave her three cents and went away. This is all that occurred

Terence <sup>his</sup> Hartin  
mark

Taken before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1885

J. J. Conroy

Police Justice

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

Hartman

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

Dated July 27 188 5

Wm. A. Rusk

Police Justice.

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

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

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

Police Justice.

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

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

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

Police Justice.

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\$1000 to be paid  
July 27. 9<sup>00</sup> AM.

The present Magistrate  
here in my absence  
is hereby authorized  
to proceed with the  
examination herein  
and Overy  
A.J.

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Catherine O'Leary  
Williams Bridge  
Buck of Dept  
Serence Hartkin

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Offence - Disorderly  
in 2<sup>nd</sup> degree

Dated July 27<sup>th</sup> 1885

Power Magistrate

Charles Lenz Officer.

34<sup>th</sup> Precinct.

Witnesses June 7<sup>th</sup> Moore

No. Williams Bridge - Street.

Orlando Jenkins

No. 100 E 23<sup>rd</sup> Street,

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

\$ 1000 to answer

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Serence Stedman*

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the second degree,*

committed as follows:

The said *Serence Stedman,*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-  
said, on the *Twenty seventh* day of *July*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
*with force and arms, in and upon*  
*one Catherine A. Deary, then and*  
*there being, feloniously did make*  
*an assault, with intent then the*  
*said Catherine A. Deary, against*  
*her will, and by force and violence,*  
*to then and there unlawfully and*  
*feloniously restrain and carnally*  
*abuse, against the form of the*  
*Statute in such case made and*  
*provided, and against the peace of*  
*the People of the State of New York,*  
*and their dignity;*

*Charles J. Martin,*

*District Attorney,*



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Harper, Nellie

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130-13 J.B. a. p.

Counsel,

Filed 11 day of Aug 1885

Pls. J. B. P.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Nellie Harper  
Grand Larceny, 1st Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 530, 531 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

True Bill.

Foreman,  
Aug 19/13  
Decided by Jury

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**PART I.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace,

The People of the State of New York,

To

*Belinda Widdersheim*

of No.

*410 W. 36*

Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *19* day of *August* instant, at the hour of *10* in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against

*N. Harper*

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *August* in the year of our Lord 188<sup>5</sup>.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

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## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Nellie Harper

City and County of New York, ss.:

Edward Wood

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 410 W. 36 St. in the City of New York. I am a Police Officer attached to the 29<sup>th</sup> Precinct. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885, I called at

the alleged residence of Belinda Widdersheim the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by her former boarding mistress that she had not seen her since the night after the trouble with this defendant, and did not know where she is or where she can be found. I also called at the 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Hotel where she was formerly employ and was informed there that the said Belinda Widdersheim had been discharged & had left. I could gain no information as to her present whereabouts.

Edward Wood

Sworn to before me, this 20 day

of

August 1885  
Rudolph L. Scharf  
Com. of Deeds

Subpoena Server.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People, &c.

vs.

*Vellie Harper*

OFFENCE

RAMONNE E. MARTIN  
District Attorney.



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Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Clinda Widdersheim  
of No. 410 West 36<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 25 years,  
occupation Servant being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
And Person of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz:

Good and Lawful money  
to the Amount of One dollar and  
thirty eight cents and a book  
Collectively of the Value of  
One dollar and fifty cents

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

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

deponent about 11 O'clock  
PM was passing along West 21<sup>st</sup>  
Street when the defendant accosted  
deponent and asked her for five cents  
that deponent was about giving  
the defendant what she asked when  
she Nellie snatched said property  
from deponent's hand and ran away  
with the same but threw it from  
her in her flight

Clinda Widdersheim

Sworn to before me, this  
day of August 1885

John Downey  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Nellie Harper  
Maid

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

\_\_\_\_\_ *Mellie Harper* \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty thereof, I order that she be held to answer the same and she 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 she give such bail.

Dated *August 7* 188 *5* \_\_\_\_\_ *Henry Murray* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court

822 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Belinda Widdersheim*  
410 W. 36

*Nellie Parker*

*Nellie Harper*

Offence *from person*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

ALL  
Dated August 7 1885

*Edward Wood* Magistrate. Officer.

Witnesses

No.

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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

Nellie Stanger

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

Nellie Stanger  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said Nellie Stanger,

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

one promissory note for the payment  
of money, of the kind known as United  
States Treasury Notes, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied, of the  
denomination and value of one dollar,  
silver coins, of a number, kind and  
denomination to the Grand Jury  
aforesaid unknown, of the value of  
one dollar and *thirty eight* cents,  
and one book of the value of  
*twelve* cents, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Edw. Widdershine*,  
on the person of the said *Edw. Widdershine*, —  
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Edw. Widdershine*,  
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made  
and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

*Randolph B. Martin*,  
District Attorney.



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Henderson, John

**DATE:**

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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Aug 1885

Pleads Not guilty 19/1

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Henderson

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. O. Scott,

Foreman.

Grand Jurors of

Petito Larceny

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Grand Larceny 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 58 1, 550, Penal Code].

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The People  
vs.  
John Henderson.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.  
Before Judge Gildersleeve.

August 21, 1895.

Indictment for grand larceny in the second degree.

William Frazee sworn. I am Superintendent of the stables 86 & 88 Worster Street; on the 14th of August I had in my possession a chestnut horse of the value of one hundred dollars; there was a young man between eleven and twelve o'clock named Holden came and wanted to hire a horse for Mr Scott a printer at 460 Hudson Street, I sent the horse with a boy in our employ to Mr Scott and on the way there Holden took the horse away from the boy, I saw Holden follow the horse up, I ascertained that Scott did not send for the horse, I next saw the horse about four o'clock that afternoon at the 59th Street Police Station, I saw the prisoner and asked him where he got that horse? He said David Holden gave it to him to fetch uptown. I did not know the prisoner but I know now he is the brother of David Holden and his name is Joseph Holden. The only time I saw the defendant was at the Station House.

George V. Craft sworn. I live in 153 East 110th Street. I recollect the 14th of August, I saw the prisoner in company with another man whom I supposed to be his brother; they had a chestnut horse with them; the other man came and asked me would I buy this horse, the defendant was not there at that moment, I says, yes; he put the harness on the horse and drove him a while, he asked me thirty dollars for the horse and the defendant was there at the time the price was asked, I offered him

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\$12.50; they turned and held a conversation between themselves to see if they were willing to sell him; they said, well, put him in harness and I could have him, I put the horse in harness and drove him and wanted to get a policeman, I drove him two or three blocks up the Boulevard, I sent for a policeman and drove back to my stable, the policeman was there and he made the arrest, I went to the Station House with the horse and the defendant, I did not see the owner at the Station House, I did not hold much conversation with the prisoner, I suspected the horse was stolen.

Cross Examined. I offered him \$12.50 for the horse, I thought it was too cheap, I sent a boy for a policeman, whose name I do not know. I said to the defendant, this horse is stolen; he said, I don't know anything about it and that he was hired by a man to bring him uptown; the policeman arrested him, I am in the wagon business. When I got back to the stable the other man had got away in the meantime.

#### The Case for the Defence.

Joseph Holden sworn and examined. I gave the name of Henderson when I was arrested because I did not want to have my name in the paper; my mother is in court, I gave the right name of my brother who was with me on this occasion. I saw him on the corner of Bleecker and Worster Streets and he asked me if I would take a horse uptown, I told him I did not think I would be able to; he said, if you take it up I am going to sell the horse to a friend of mine and after I sell it I will give you a

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couple of dollars for bringing it up there. After I got there he saw the gentleman who was on the witness stand and asked him if he wanted to buy a horse; he said if the horse suited him he would give him \$12.50, I helped this gentleman to harness the horse and I got in the wagon and drove around; after we got back he (my brother) ran away and this gentleman had me arrested. All the conversation I heard between my brother and this gentleman was that he would give him \$12.50 if the horse suited him. I had no knowledge that the horse was stolen, my brother is older than I and did not live with me, he has been a sort of wayward youth, I was arrested once before for being in a fight and was bailed one thousand dollars to keep the peace for six months, that is the only time I was in trouble, I am twenty-one years of age.

Cross Examined. I live in No. 17 Cottage Place and my name is Joseph Holden, I gave the name of John Henderson to the Magistrate because I did not want to disgrace my mother by having the name in the papers, I do not know what became of my brother, I have not seen him since. I did not give the false address 135 Spring Street in order to prevent the police getting my brother David Holden does not live at 17 Cottage Place.

Mary Holden sworn. I live at No. 17 Cottage Place, the defendant is my boy and I have an older son, my eldest son has been married eleven years and has not lived with me; the defendant works and behaves himself and he is my whole support.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny.



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Testimony in the  
case of  
John Henderson.

filed Aug. 1883.

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Police Court—H District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }William Foyeof No. 43 JaneStreet, aged 46 years,occupation Superintendent of Express Business being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 14 day of August 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:A Chestnut horse of the value  
of one hundred dollars \$100.00

the property of

E. M. Shaw & Co. of de-  
ponent

and that this deponent

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

from the following facts to-wit:—

That deponent entrusted the above  
described horse to the charge of  
James Dillon at the time mentioned.That said Dillon subsequently in-  
formed deponent that said horse  
had been taken from him <sup>by an unknown person</sup> and  
that he (Dillon) afterwards saw  
said horse in the possession  
of deponentWilliam FoyeSworn to before me, this 15 dayof August 1886

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Dillon  
aged 15 years, occupation Enameling boy of No.

222 Spring Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1886 } James P. Allen

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Henderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

135 Spring Street. 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Letter Printer

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

Answer.

Not guilty. Another man named David Holde promised to give me two to drive the horse along 4<sup>th</sup> Street. He ran away & I was arrested with the horse.

John Henderson.

Taken before me this 15

day of August 1905

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated August 15 1885  Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court-- 842 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Taylor  
43 Lane

John Henderson

17  
1885

Dated August 16 1886

Duffy Magistrate.

Reifer Officer.

28 Precinct.

Witnesses Geo V. Kraft

No. 152 110 Street.

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

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

\$ 1000 to answer 6 Sessions.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*John Henderson*

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

*John Henderson*

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

The said *John Henderson*,

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

*one horse to the value of one hundred dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Ellis W. Brown*,

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

0033

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Henderson

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

The said John Henderson,

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

one horse of the value of

one hundred dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Ellis W. Evans,

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

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

John Henderson

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

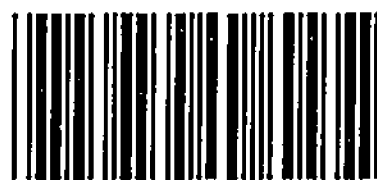
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Higgins, John

**DATE:**

08/17/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Aug 1885  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I

John Higgins

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John O. Hart,  
Aug 18/85 Foreman  
J. P. Lead Aug 3/85  
S. P. Two 7/85.

[Sections 498, 506, 528, 531 & 550]  
Burglary in the Third Degree.



0836

Police Court Second District.

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

of No. 5 Lafayette Place Street, aged 42 years,  
occupation Tailor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 5 Lafayette Place Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a a two story frame  
Building, and the first floor of  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Tailor's store  
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking  
the lock of the door leading from  
the hallway into said store

on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Five coats, five pants, five vests  
one boys suit and one man's suit  
altogether of the value and amounting  
to ninety two dollars

the property of Deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

John Higgins (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: On said date about the hour  
of 12 o'clock, noon, deponent securely locked  
and fastened the doors leading into said store.  
On the following morning about the hour of  
7 o'clock deponent found that said store  
was burglariously entered as already described  
and also found the afore-described property  
missing. Subsequently deponent was informed  
by officer James Kilkeny of the 15<sup>th</sup>

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Receives Police that about the hour of 11:30 o'clock p.m. he arrested said defendant in the stable of said premises lying under a wagon where he does not belong and where he had no business, and said officer found one coat in a box about six feet away where said defendant was lying - That defendant has seen said coat and fully identifies the same as part of said property stolen from his possession

Sworn to before me  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885 } Louis B. Bess.  
Agum H. B. Bess  
Police Justice

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

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 39 years, occupation Police officer of No.

15th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Louis Bloss

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

Sworn to before me, this 10  
day of August 1885

James Kilkenney  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

*2nd* District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*John Higgins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*London England*

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

Answer.

*80 Wooster Street Eng four years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Truck driver*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty.*

*John Higgins*

Taken before me this

*10*

day of *June* 188*5*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Louis Bliss*  
5 Lafayette Place  
vs.  
*John Higgins*

Offence *Carrying*

Dated *August 10* 188*5*

*James Kilkenney* Officer.

Witnesses *James Kilkenney*  
*15th Precinct*

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

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

\$ *1000.00* to answer *for*

*(Done)*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ 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

*John Higgins* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *One Hundred Dollars* of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *August 10* 188*5*. *James V. Murray* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*5*.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named *John Higgins* guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*5*.  
Police Justice.



0841

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John Higgins*

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

*John Higgins*

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

The said *John Higgins*,

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one

*Samuel Glass.*

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

*Samuel Glass.*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*John Higgins*  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY *in the second degree*, committed as follows:

The said

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

*seven coats of the value of nine dollars*  
*each, seven vests of the value of*  
*two dollars each, and seven pairs*  
*of trousers of the value of four*  
*dollars each pair,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Louis Glass,*

in the *store* of the said *Louis Glass.*

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

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THIRD COUNT—

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

*John Higgins*—

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

The said

*John Higgins.*

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

*one coat of the value of nine dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*James Bloss*—

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

*James Bloss.*

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

*John Higgins*—

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1864

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hill, James D.

**DATE:**

08/11/85



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117 B M. Aug 1885

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 11

day of

Aug 1885

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

James D. Hill

~~THAT~~

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

[Sections 188 Pen. Code.]

A True Bill.

John O. Hart  
Foreman

77 August 21-1885



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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, <sup>SS</sup>

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge*  
*J. B Hill,*

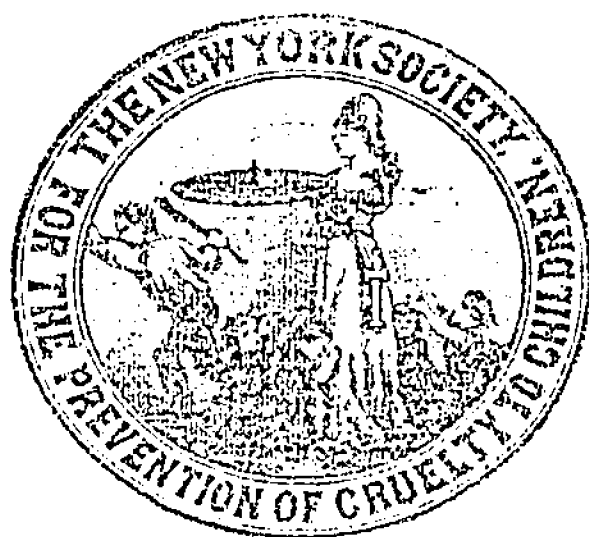
Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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*The New York Society for the  
Prevention of Cruelty to Children*

100 EAST 23D ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, *Aug 10* <sup>*th*</sup> 1885

*Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the  
City and County of New York.*

*The People  
against  
James B. Hill*

*Notice of Prosecution.*

*To the District Attorney of the  
City and County of New York,*

*Sir: This Society is interested in the prosecution of  
the above defendant, and is familiar with the facts of the  
case. It respectfully requests that before sending the papers  
to the Grand Jury, fixing the day of trial, consenting to  
any postponement thereof, or to any reduction of bail,  
or final disposition of the charge, you will duly notify me as  
its President and Counsel, so that I may confer with you  
in regard thereto. This request is made pursuant to the  
statute (Laws of 1875, Chapter 130, Section 3), and in  
furtherance of the ends of Justice.*

*I have the honor to remain, with great respect,*

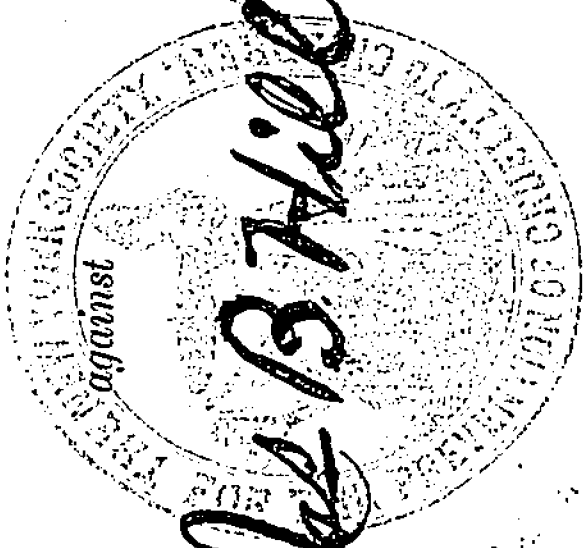
*Elbridge T. Gerry,*

*President, &c.*

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**N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS.**

THE PEOPLE



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

*See also 287. Juvenile*

**NOTICE OF PROSECUTION**

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,  
*President, &c.*

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

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

Dated *August 9<sup>th</sup>* 188 *3* *Benny Harrison* Police Justice.

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

Dated *August 9<sup>th</sup>* 188 *3* *Benny Harrison* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Carrie Abrahams  
403 E. Houston  
vs.  
James B. Hill

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

\$

to answer

Bailed



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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Carrie Abraham

of No. 403 - E Houston Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, James B. Hill

Now present - did without the  
consent of deponent's father or Mother  
licit deponent, who is about 15  
years old into a house of  
assignation for the purpose  
of prostitution or sexual intercourse  
that said Hill accosted deponent  
on the public street and by the promise  
of money induced deponent to accompany  
him to a house of assignation in West 4<sup>th</sup>  
Street but was refused a room by the proprietress  
of said house - Carrie Abraham

Sworn to before me, this

of

188

5<sup>th</sup>

day

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1885

John Munro

Police Justice.

0052

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

of No. 31 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, James B Hill

the defendant came to deponent's residence and asked for a private room, at the time he was accompanied by the girl Carrie Abrahams. That deponent suspecting his purpose refused him and told him that under no circumstance could he have a private room while the girl was in his company. That deponent then sent for an officer and had him taken into custody Emma White

Sworn to before me, this

of

1885

day

James B Hill

James B Hill

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POLICE COURT 2 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of

For

*Carrie Abrahams*  
*Misdemeanor*  
*demand*

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

Dated

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*3<sup>rd</sup>*

*J. D. Hill*

*Ben. Kennedy* Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

George T. Lesson  
of No. the 15th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1885

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

James B Hill the defendant  
in the house 31 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
at the instance of Emma  
White the proprietress of said  
house This deponent further  
says that said house is a house  
of assignation as deponent is  
informed and verily believes

George T. Lesson

Sworn to before me, this

of

August

1885

day

John J. Lawrence  
Justice.

0855

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James D. Still

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment  
accuse James D. Still

of the CRIME OF Abduction, —

committed as follows :

The said James D. Still,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fifteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, did feloniously take one Maria Abraham, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, the said Maria Abraham being then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to wit : of the age of fifteen years, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

Randolph B. Watkins,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1864

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hunt, William J.

**DATE:**

08/17/85



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Wm. J. Valentino.

Permy King. Ch. B.

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Aug 1885

Pleads,

Not guilty (A)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

William J. Hunt

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Permy J. H. District Attorney.  
Ind. & acquitted.

A True Bill.

John C. Hunt.

Foreman

Witnesses:

0058

POLICE COURT \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of Edward Grosjean  
For Violation of Law

Edward Hickey

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

Dated May 2 188 5

Edward Hickey  
Mark

see journey Police Justice.

0859

Excise Violation-Selling Without License.

POLICE COURT-

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

of No.

14th Street

Engene D. Grosjean

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 1st day of August 1885, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

No. 108 10th Street, Edward Hussey (now here)

did then and THERE SELL, CAUSE, suffer and permit to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxication liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid WITHOUT HAVING A PROPER LICENSE THEREFOR contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

did then and there sell to Depo-  
nent one glass of lager beer for  
which Depo-  
nent paid five cents.  
Depo-  
nent did then and there drink  
said Beer

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

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day of August 1885

de jorum

Edward Hussey

Engene D. Grosjean

Police Justice.

0860

County of Westchester  
Town of Cortlandt } ss:  
James McBride  
being duly sworn says, that he resides in the County  
of Westchester that the name of Andrew White  
purporting to be signed to the above warrant, is the handwriting of said Andrew White  
who is one of the Justices of the Peace of the City and County of New York  
in the County of Westchester by whom the above warrant was issued.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this  
10th day of August 1885  
John D. Taylor Justice of the Peace  
James McBride

Sec. 157, Code Crim. Pro.

WARRANT FOR DETENTION

ALBANY: J. B. LEECH, PRINTED BY THE ALBANY PRESS, 1885.

0861

The within named

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

Dated.....188

Police Justice.

been brought before me under this warrant, is  
for examination to the Sheriff of the  
within named

This Warrant may be executed in the County of  
Westchester  
Valid at Peekskill N.Y. this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August  
1885  
John W. P. after  
Justice of the Peace.

0062

Sec. 151.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*  
OF NEW YORK, } *of New York, or 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 *James Walsh*  
of No. *117. 9th Ave* Street, that on the *8* day of *August*,  
188*8* at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently **Assaulted and Beaten** by *William J. McLeary*  
*Harry Hunt*

**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 *9* 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 *10* day of *August* 188*8*

*Andrew White* POLICE JUSTICE.



0063

POLICE COURT, S DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Walsh  
vs.  
William J. Fitt  
Warrant

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated August 10 1888

C. White Magistrate.

Officer.

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

John Scanlon Officer.

Dated Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 1888

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Arthur J. Smith Police Justice.

## REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, .....

Native of .....

Age, .....

Sex .....

Complexion, .....

Color .....

Profession, .....

Married .....

Single, .....

Read, .....

Write, .....

0864

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

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

Dated *Aug 11* 188 *Charles J. Hunt* 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.

0065

BAILED,

No. 1, by

*Horris Cassidy*

Residence

*Croton Landing*

No. 2, by

*Westchester Co. and*

Residence

*Peter Kelly*  
*Croton Landing*

No. 3, by

*Westchester Co.*

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

W.  
Police Court

837  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Walsh*  
*617 23. 9th ave.*  
*William J. Hunt*

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Offence

Dated

188

Magistrate

Officer.

19 Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

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to answer

General

0866

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

District Police Court.

*William J. Hunt* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h ☐ right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against *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 h ☐ waiver cannot be used  
against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William J. Hunt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *W.S.*

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

Answer. *Boten. Mutchers Co. N.Y.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labourer*

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 struck the Complainant  
and demand a trial by Jury  
W. J. Hunt*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice

0867

Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 617 9th Avenue Street, aged 35 years,  
occupation Conductor being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on the 10 day of August 1888 at the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, Williamsburg

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by our brother Hunt  
who struck deponent a violent blow  
with his clenched fist upon deponent's  
head.

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 the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 10  
day of August 1888,  
Andrew White Police Justice.

James Walsh

Police Court, 5 District.

*THE PEOPLE, &c.,*

on the complaint of

on the complaint of  
James Walsh

1885

## Offence-Assault & Battery

*Dated*

August 10, 188

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Wm White *Magistrate.*

*Magistrate.*

Officer.

*Clerk.*

**Witnesses,**

**No.**

**Street**

No.

Street

No.

Street

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to answer

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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.

1898

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

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

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

Dated.....188.....



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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*

*William J. Hunt*

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

*William J. Hunt*

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

The said *William J. Hunt*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Eighth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *James Walsh*, in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and *in* the said *James Walsh*, did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *James Walsh*, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

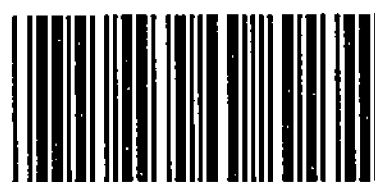
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hurley, Martin

**DATE:**

08/19/85



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19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1880

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vs.

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Martin Shawley

*D r Apr 14/86*

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ind. of ac. killed.

# A True Bill.

Am O'Fallon

*Foreman.*

Abraham Lincoln

11/21/68  
G. L. B.

0072

Sec. 198-200.

121 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Martin Hurley* 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

*Martin Hurley*

Question How old are you?

Answer

*22 years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer

*Ireland*

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

Answer

*97 Sherman St., 2 years, 9 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*I drive a horse and cart*

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 Martin Hurley*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice

0073

Police Court—1<sup>st</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 45 Washington Street, aged 36 years,  
occupation Carnegie being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

A Pocket Book containing Gold  
and lawful money to the amount  
and of the value of two and  $\frac{50}{100}$   
dollars \$ 2  $\frac{50}{100}$

the property of deponent

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

from the fact that deponent saw said  
deponent taking stealing and carrying  
away said property from the Pocket Book  
of the Pantalone then of there room by  
deponent as a part of his bodily clothing  
while deponent was in the yard of No. 105  
Greenwich Street where deponent stable  
at about 1.30, o'clock P.M. on said  
day.

John H. Ready  
mark

Sworn to before me, this  
of August 1888

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Police Justice.



0074

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Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

John Ready  
75 Washington  
Martin Hurley

Offence—LARCENY.

Mulder person

Dated August 17 1885  
Henry Ford Magistrate.  
O'Hara Officer.

Witnesses,  
No. Street,

No. Street,  
Bailed by Patrick Karamay

No. 113 Greenwich Street,  
\$ 300 to answer General Sessions.

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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

Martin Hurley

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

One Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated August 17 1885

Police Justice.

Martin Hurley

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated August 17 1885

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 1885 Police Justice.



0875

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Martin Shurley

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Martin Shurley \_\_\_\_\_  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said Martin Shurley, \_\_\_\_\_

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
fifteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-five, in the day time of the said day, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, one pocket book of the  
value of fifty cents, one promissory note  
for the payment of money of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes,  
being then and there due and unpaid,  
of the denomination and value of two  
dollars, one other promissory note for  
the payment of money of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes  
being then and there due and unpaid,  
of the denomination and value of  
one dollar, and divers coins of a number,  
kind and denomination to the Grand  
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of  
two dollars and fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John Reedy, \_\_\_\_\_  
on the person of the said John Reedy, \_\_\_\_\_  
then and there being found, from the person of the said John Reedy, \_\_\_\_\_  
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made  
and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney.

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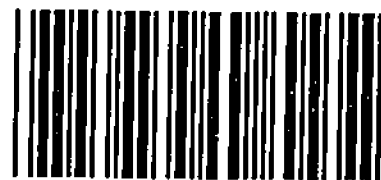
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DESCRIPTION:

Hussey, Edward

DATE:

08/10/85



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1888  
Apr 3/88

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 10<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1888

Pleads Not guilty - (M)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Edward Dlussey  
108 Bowery  
Aug 1. 1888

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
[III, R. S., (7 Ed), page 1881, S. 18, and Laws of 1888, Chap. 340, S. 51.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Ordered to N. Y. Court of  
Circuit and Terminals for trial

A True Bill.

Nov 19/88

Ordered to Court of General Session  
for trial Nov 24, 1888

By the Court  
Wm. O. Smith  
Foreman.

From 26/88  
plead guilty - fine \$1.

0078

Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Edward Hussey* 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.

*Edward Hussey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*28*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*419 - 29<sup>th</sup> St 2 mo*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Barber*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty - I demand a trial by jury*  
*Edward Hussey*  
*Mark*

Taken before me this

*2nd*

day of

*August* 188

Police Justice.

0879

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

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

*Myr* Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 *Aug 2* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated *Aug 2* \_\_\_\_\_ 188 *Myr* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

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

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court

808 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Engelhard Grossman

vs. 31 Edward Huey

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Dated

August 2

1885

Magistrate

Grossman Officer.

31 Precinct.

Witnesses

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Street.

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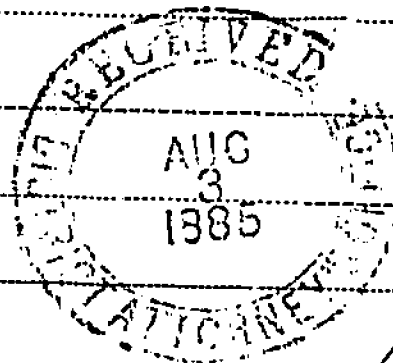
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Street,

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to answer

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Edward Durrant*

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

*Edward Durrant*

(III. Revised Statutes, [7th edition] p. 1981 Section 18).

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS AND WINES WITHOUT A LICENSE, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Durrant*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *five*, at the City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at a time, to *one Eugene D. Fitzgerald, and to* certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

(Laws of 1883, chapter 840, section 5.)

SECOND COUNT:

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

*Edward Durrant*

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Durrant*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate known as number

*one hundred and eight Bowery,*

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wines and beer, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell to

*one Eugene D. Fitzgerald, and to*

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, 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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(Laws of 1883, chapter 840, section 5.) THIRD COUNT:

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

*Edward Shussey*

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER, WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Shussey*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate, known as number

*one hundred and eight Bowery,*

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wine and beer, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away to *one Eugene D. Grossman and to*

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**