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Kalt, Joseph

DATE:

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Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Sept. 1886

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph B. Hall

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

CONCEALED WEAPON.  
(Section 410, Penal Code.)

A True Bill.

Wm. M. McClellan  
Oct 6/86  
Foreman.

Chas. J. McQuinn

No 149

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Joseph Kolch*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Switzerland*

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

Answer. *537 W 47th St 2 days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Joseph B. Hall*

Taken before me this

day of *August* 188*8*

*James J. Sullivan*  
Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Michael J. Burke

the 22<sup>d</sup> Precinct Police  
of No. 22<sup>d</sup> Precinct Police Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,

occupation \_\_\_\_\_ being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

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

Reple Kolt (now here) exercising disorderly  
that after bringing him to the Station  
House he department found concealed  
upon the person of him said defendant  
the Metal Knuckles (now here shown)  
with intent to use the same in violation  
of section 410 of the Penal Code  
of the State of New York

Michael J. Burke

Sworn to before me, this  
of August 1886 day

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 Leopold

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 8 1888 Myron 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

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael J. Burke  
22 Precinct  
Joseph Kalk

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Dated

August 30 1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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Street.

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to answer

G.B.

Lea

No 149

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Joseph R. Holt*

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

*Joseph R. Holt* —

of the CRIME OF CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said

*Joseph R. Holt*, —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did furtively carry, concealed on his person, a certain instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as "*metal rammer*". —

with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**SECOND COUNT:**

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

*Joseph R. Holt*, —

of the CRIME OF POSSESSING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said

*Joseph R. Holt*, —

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, feloniously did possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as "*metal rammer*". —

*by him* then and there concealed, and furtively carried on his person, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**



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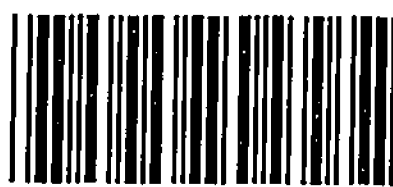
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DESCRIPTION:

Kelly, John

DATE:

09/23/86



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Witnesses:

H. Armstrong

H. P. O'Brien, Jr.

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of

1886

Pleads

Indignity

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Kelly

et al.

Grand Jurors

Grand Jurors

Grand Jurors

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Esq. District Attorney.

Pleads guilty

A True Bill.

S. J. Looft

W. H. Macle

Foreman.

No 248

Grand Larceny in the 2nd degree, (MONEY.) (Sec. 538 and 539, Penal Code.)

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Police Court District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 377 Fourth Avenue Street, aged 40 years, occupation Stewart being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 18th day of September 1888

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

A gold watch, a gold scarf pin. And about twenty four Dollars lawful money Collectively of the value of One hundred and fifty four dollars

the property of Deponent who at the time was under the influence of liquor 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 Kelly & Michael Leonard now present. And other persons now arrested all acting in collusion — That about a quarter past eleven O'clock P.M. on said day deponent was passing along East 8th Street when the defendants Kelly accosted him and invited him to drink. That he took hold of deponent's coat collar and while he still pressed deponent to go drink or smoke, a number of persons came up who surrounded deponent & Kelly still holding his coat collar and rifled deponent's pockets taking from his breast pockets the watch and money & also the pin from his scarf. That deponent is informed by Officer Philbin of the precinct that he arrested the defendant Leonard seeing him among the crowd that was around deponent.

Sworn to before me, this 19th day of September 1888  
of New York  
Blanch Monroville  
Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Martin A. Philbin*  
aged *25* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *the 1st Precinct*

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Henry Armstrong*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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*Sept 19*  
*Martin A. Philbin*

*Henry Armstrong*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-202.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

*John Kelly* 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

*John Kelly*

Taken before me this 19

1888

Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Michael Leonard*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*17 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*321 East 21st Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I attend a Wagon*

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*

*Michael Leonard*

Taken before me this

188

Police Justice



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

*John Kelly & Michael Leonard*

guilty thereof, I order that ~~they~~ be held to answer the same and ~~they~~ be admitted to bail in the sum of  
No 1 1500 — Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of  
the City Prison of the City of New York, until ~~they~~ give such bail.

Dated Sept 19 188 *Wm. H. 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 *Michael Leonard*

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

Dated Sept 19 188 *Wm. H. Murray* 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

Henry Armstrong  
377 vs. 4 ave  
John Kelly  
Michael Leonard

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

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Street.

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Street.

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to answer

No. 2 discharged  
not identified  
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**Grand Jury Room.**

PEOPLE

vs.

*John Kelly*  
*et al*

*Indictment*  
*Grand Jury*  
*Jan 1777*  
*OK*



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District Attorney's Office.

*Part over*

PEOPLE

*John Kelly*  
~~*Michael James*~~

*Wednesday Jan<sup>26</sup>*

*Issued Jan<sup>21</sup>*

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District Attorney's Office.

*Part Two*

PEOPLE

vs.

*John Kelly*  
*Jan'y 31*  
*As entered*  
*Jan'y 26*

*p 29*

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

An indictment having been found on the 28 day of Sept  
1886 in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging John Kelly

with the crime of Grand Larceny 2<sup>d</sup> degree

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named John  
Kelly and bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York,

New York City, the 28 day of Sept 1886

By order of the Court,

[Signature]  
Clerk of Court.

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*John Kelly*

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

*Sept 28* 188 *6*

The officer executing this process will make his  
return to the Court forthwith.



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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 Henry*

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

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE *First* DEGREE, committed as follows:  
The said *John Henry*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*eighteenth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,  
in the *midday* time of the same day, *one*  
promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the  
kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value  
of twenty dollars *—*; *two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being  
then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the  
denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *four* promissory  
note *A* for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as  
United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars  
*each*; *two* promissory note *A* for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomina-  
tion of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *two* promissory notes for  
the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United  
States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*;  
*one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),  
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *—*; *two*  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and  
there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *four* promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatis-  
fied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *—* divers coins, of a number, kind and  
denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *five dollars*,  
*one watch of the value of one hundred*  
*dollar*, and *one ready gin of the*  
*value of thirty dollars.*

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Henry Armstrong*  
on the person of the said *Henry Armstrong*, then and there being  
found, from the person of the said *Henry Armstrong*, 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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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Kelly, Joseph

DATE:

09/10/86



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Witnesses:

D. W. Dowling

D. Dowling

Appl. McNamee, S. A. B.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of

1886

THE PEOPLE

19. 4 new witnesses for

Joseph Kelly

Brigadier in the Third Degree.

[Sections 498, 506, 528 & 532.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Esq. 147 1/2 District Attorney.

New York C.T.

A True Bill.

Robert Macclary

Foreman

Sept 14

Ren: One year.

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0930

Police Court—2 District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:

of No. 171 Macdougall Street, aged 42 years,  
 occupation Saloon-keeper being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that the premises No. 8 South Avenue Street,  
 in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick building  
the first or store floor of  
 and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor-saloon  
 and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly turning the front light  
over the door which opened from said store into the  
avenue and entering through the opening so made

on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886 in the night time, and the  
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Gold and lawful money of the United States  
to the amount and of the value of  
One dollar

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

Joseph Kelly (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is informed by Thomas  
Dowling deponent's son that about the hundredth  
or the above date he looked into deponent's saloon and  
above described saloon and went away that about the  
hour of 8 o'clock on the same date he returned and found  
that deponent's concealed register the bar and the above  
described money missing from the drawer in the back  
of the bar that the deponent admitted and confessed  
to him in the presence of Officer William McNamee of the



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9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> of June that he had entered the above described  
Saloon in the manner above described.

Subscribed before me

this 14 day of August 1886

J. W. E. Secretary

John Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

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 20 years, occupation Bar-tender of No.

5 - 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John R. Dowling

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 18 day of August 1886, L. Dowling

J. Henryford  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

*Joseph Kelly* 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.

*Joseph Kelly*

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*6*

*James J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 18 188 .

J. 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 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

1237 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. W. Darling  
vs.  
Joseph Kelly

Office

Dated

1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

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Street.

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Street.

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Notes

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Joseph H. H. H.*

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

*Joseph H. H. H.*

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

The said *Joseph H. H. H.*

late of the *Ward* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *10th* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *residence* of one

*John W. H. H.*

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

*John W. H. H.*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Joseph Kelly*  
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY.—

committed as follows:

The said *Joseph Kelly*

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,

*did enter, with intent to steal, and*  
*did feloniously steal, take and carry away*  
*from the person of one*  
*the sum of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*John W. Dandridge*  
in the *dwelling* of the said

*John W. Dandridge*—

there situate, then and there being found, *in the dwelling* 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. Brant*  
*Attorney*

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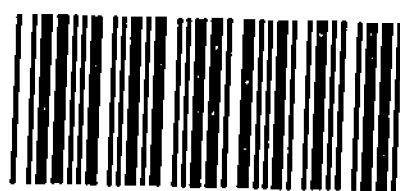
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DESCRIPTION:

Kendall, George H.

DATE:

09/17/86



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Witnesses:

G. Perotti

Off Warrner, 6th B

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1886

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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

George H. Kendall

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Mr. Carver, District Attorney.

Ind. & Accepted.

A True Bill.

Hand Macleay

Everyman

No 153

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Police Court—11<sup>th</sup> District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 4 Mulberry Street,

Sunday being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on 29<sup>th</sup> the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August

in the year 188 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by George Henry

Stoddall (now known) did  
feloniously cut and stab  
deponent four times in  
the right leg and once in  
the left leg, with the  
blade of a knife which he  
then held in his hand  
and said assault was  
committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

of

30 day

August 1886

Guisepe Perrotto  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *George Henry Stendall*

Question How old are you?

Answer *23 years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *England*

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

Answer *41 Mulberry St. Mount*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Ice cream freezer*

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 being beaten by the complainant and three others, I was cut in the hand and thinking my life was in danger I used the knife. It happened in a stall beer air in Mulberry Street.*

*G H Kendall*

Taken before me this *23* day of *August* 190*7*

Police Justice.

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

St. Russell  
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 May 30 1886 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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MAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court

1348  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Giuseppe Perotti*  
*44 Noulberry*  
*George H. Tindall*

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Dated

*August 30* 188 *6*

*Duffy* Magistrate.

*Wanner* Officer.

*6* Precinct.

Witnesses

*Dr. Stuart Allen*

No.

*34*

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

*1000*

to answer

*G. S.*

*No 153*

*CM*

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Hours: { 9-10.30 A. M.  
7- 8.30 P. M.

B- This is to certify that  
Joseph Perotti is suffering from  
three incised wounds of right  
thigh and one of left thigh; they  
are very painful but not serious  
Stanton Allen, M.D.

Hours: { 9-9 A. M.  
5-6.30 P. M.

0945

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Figoraz St. Wendell*

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

*Figoraz St. Wendell*

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

The said *Figoraz St. Wendell*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*Twenty-ninth* 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 *Figuerre Perrotto*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *Figuerre Perrotto*,  
with a certain *knife* -

which the said *Figoraz St. Wendell*  
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 *him* the said *Figuerre Perrotto*,  
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  
*Figoraz St. Wendell*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Figoraz St. Wendell*

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 *Figuerre Perrotto*,  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault, and *him* the said  
*Figuerre Perrotto*,  
with a certain *knife* -

which *he* the said *Figoraz St. Wendell*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a  
*misdeemeanor* 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. B. B. B.*  
*Attorney*

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BOX:

230

FOLDER:

2258

DESCRIPTION:

Kennedy, James

DATE:

09/08/86



2258



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Witnesses:

*W. McCarthy*

Counsel,  
Filed *17* day of *Sept* 188*6*  
Pleads, *voluntarily*

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*James Kennedy*

*Return to the 2nd Degree.*  
*Sections 498, 506, 522 & 532.*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*In April 16/86*  
*pleads P.R.*  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. Macca*  
*For*  
*One year.*  
*Part 2.*  
*Sept 17*  
*S.S.P.*

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**PART 2.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD 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 *Mary Stuart*

of No. *419 E. 15* 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 *16* day of *Sept.* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against

*James Kennedy,*  
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 *Sept.* in the year of our Lord, 188*6*.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*



0949

## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Kennedy

City and County of New York, ss.: *George B. Banger*

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *339 E. 22 St.*Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the *9* day of *Sept.* 188*6*,I called at *No. 415 East 15 Street*the alleged residence of *Mary Stuart*

the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the housekeeper that the said Stuart has moved but she does not know where to, and none of the tenants seem to know where she can be found. I also inquired at 424 East 20 St. of Mrs Blake the mother of the said Mary Stuart but was informed by her that she does not know where her daughter resides.

Sworn to before me, this

*16* day

of

*Sept.*, 188*6*

*Rudolph L. Schauf*  
*Court of Deeds*

*Geo. B. Banger*  
 Subpoena Server.

0950

**Court of General Sessions.**

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

*May Stuart*

vs.

*James Kennedy*

Offense

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

*District Attorney.*

*Affidavit of*

*Geo. B. Bauser*

*Subpoena Server.*

**Failure to Find Witness.**



0951

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Kennedy

City and County of New York, ss:

Thomas J. McCarthy

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the 18th Precinct,

in the City of New York. On the 16 day of September 1886

I called at No 424 East 20th Street

the alleged residence of Mrs Blake the Mother of Mary Stuart

the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by Mrs Blake

that she does not know where her daughter has moved to, from 415 East 15 Street and that she does not know where she can be found.

Thomas J. McCarthy

Sworn to before me, this

16

day

of

Sept 16, 1886  
Randolph L. Scharf  
Court of Oaths

0952

**Court of General Sessions.**

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

*Mary Stuart*

vs.

*James Kennedy*

Offense:

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

*District Attorney.*

*Affidavit of Police Officer*

*Thos. J. McCarthy*

*Precinct.*

**Failure to Find Witness.**

0953

Police Court—4 District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:of No. 415 East 15<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 29 years,occupation Housekeeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 415 East 15<sup>th</sup> Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling houseand which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Mary Stuartwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening  
a window leading from a  
fire escape in the rear of said  
house to deponent's apartments  
thereinon the 7 day of July 1886 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Two coats & two vests of the  
combined value of twenty-  
dollars.\$20.00  
\$20.00the property of Alexander Stuart & in charge 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 byJames Kennedy (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: That after the time  
of said Burglary the above de-  
scribed property was returned  
to deponent by the mother of  
defendant. That defendant  
has admitted in the presence  
of deponent that he & defendant  
did commit said Burglary.  
Mary Stuart



0954

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

James Kennedy being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h is right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against h im; that the statement is designed to  
enable h im if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h im  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h is waiver cannot be used  
against h im 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. I committed the  
burglary. But complainant has  
got her property back.

J. Kennedy

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice



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

*guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of*  
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 14 *188* 6 *my name* 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.

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Police Court-4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Stuart  
415 E 15  
1 James Kennedy  
2  
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Offence Assault

Dated August 14 1888

James Magistrate.

Mc Clintock Officer.

William Miller Precinct.

Witnesses 415 E 15 Street.

Mrs. Bleich

No. 415 E 15 Street.

Billy Foster

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

\$ 1000 to answer S.S.

CML

No 19

0957

**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 Kennedy*

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

*James Kennedy*

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

The said *James Kennedy*

late of the *Eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *July*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, about the  
hour of *twelve* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

*Alexander Stuart*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some  
human being, to wit: *one Mary Stuart*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels  
and personal property of the said *Alexander Stuart*

in the said dwelling house 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

*James Kennedy*  
*Defendant*  
of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ LARCENY, ~~IN THE~~

~~DEGREE~~, committed as follows:

The said

*James Kennedy*  
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 *day* time of the said day, with force and arms,

*two coats of the value of seven  
dollars each, and two coats of  
the value of three dollars each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Alexander Stuart*

in the dwelling house of the said

*Alexander Stuart*

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. Mather,*  
*District Attorney*



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2258

DESCRIPTION:

Kenyon, Frederick M.

DATE:

09/16/86



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Witnesses:

E. J. Gery  
Martha Mackman  
Rachel Jackson  
Deft's first offence  
L. M. Gery second  
that the deft be  
sent to the penitentiary

me

May Payesdager.  
150. 50 cents fine  
HAK

Counsel,

Filed 16 day of Sept 1886

Plends

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Frederick M. Kanyon

(2.0000)

[Section 202, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Chas. 5th.

District Attorney.

Plends Guilty

A True Bill.

Ed. R. R. 50  
H. M. MacLean

Foreman

W. J. R. Martine

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TORN PAGE

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

of No. 235 East 105th being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
on the Eighth day of September 1886 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York,

that Martha Naehman  
now present is the daughter  
of deponent, - was born on  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1870  
and was fifteen years old  
on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October  
1885.

Dore Naehman

Sworn before me this  
8<sup>th</sup> day of September  
1886

Police Justice.

Saml. W. Kelly

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TORN PAGE

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF



Dated,

1886

Justice.

Officer.

Disposition



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Fifth

District Police Court.

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

Rachel Jackson 15 years old

of Number 256 Pearl Street Brooklyn being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the <sup>or about</sup> ninth day of August 1886, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York, between the hours of  
two and three o'clock in the afternoon deponent  
was sitting in company with one Martha  
Nachman now present in the Harlem Pavilion  
situate at the foot of East 116<sup>th</sup> Street, where  
one Frederick Kempton now present, did then  
and there ask deponent to go into the  
Ladies' Toilet Room to try on a pair of skates  
and did invite deponent into his said  
Kempton's private office through a secret door  
leading from said Ladies' Toilet Room into  
said office. When deponent was in said  
office, the said Kempton did put his hand  
up deponent's clothes and upon deponent's  
thigh, and did try to unbutton deponent's  
drawers and did ask deponent to  
let him have sexual intercourse with  
her, and did say to deponent:—

~~Wherefore the complainant prays that the said~~

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

~~Seen to before me, this~~

~~day of~~

188

(over)

Police Justice

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POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & CO.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.



DATED 188

Magistrate

Clerk

Officer

Witnesses:

S. Pelham Jenkins, Supt.,  
100 East 23d Street

Disposition,

STILES & GASK, STEAM PRINTERS, 77 EIGHTH AVENUE, NEW YORK.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Martha Nachman  
aged 14 years, occupation none of No.  
235 East 105th Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that She has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles E. Knoll  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 14<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1886 } Martha Nachman

Sam'l C. Bull  
Police Justice.



0966

## District Police Court.

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

of Number

deposes and says, that on the

day of

being duly sworn,

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at the

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

"Will you let me have a piece of your today?" Defendant said. Kempson's effort and did say: "I will scream if you dare to touch me"

Thereupon said Kempson, brought said Martha Bachman into said office. Defendant did see said Kempson put his hands up said Martha's clothes and hold her upon his lap, and afterwards push and throw her upon the lounge and then and there open his pants and lie upon said Martha whose clothing was up and legs exposed, and the said Kempson did then and there have sexual intercourse with said Martha

Wherefore the complainant prays that she said

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

September

1886

Rachel Jackson

James C. Kelly  
Police Justice



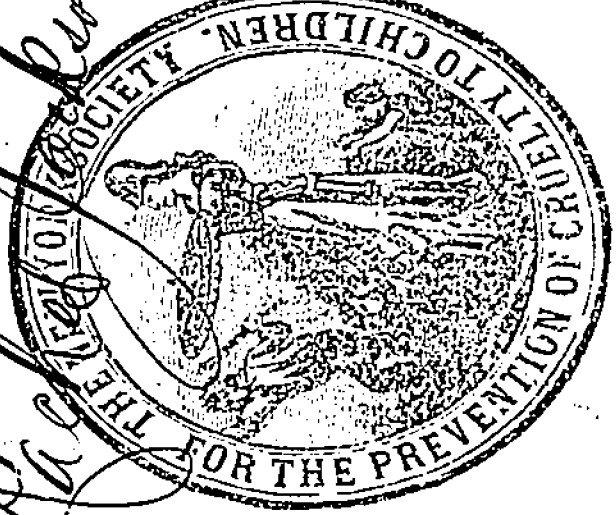
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POLICE COURT DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & CO.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

*Richard J. Jenkins*



DATED *24 Oct* 188*8*

*W. J. Jenkins* Magistrate.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

*S. Pelham Jenkins, Supt.,*

*100 East 23d Street*

Disposition,

TORN PAGE

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Fifth District Police Court.

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

Charles E. Knoll

of Number 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the Third day of September 1886, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent was in-  
formed by one Martha Nachman, and  
has just cause to believe and does believe  
that one Fred Kenyon, did unlawfully  
and feloniously, <sup>or about</sup> on the Ninth day of  
August 1886, take a certain female  
under the age of sixteen years, to  
wit, the said Martha Nachman, being  
of the age of fourteen years, in a certain  
place, called and known as the Harlem  
Beach Family Bathing Grounds, situate at  
the foot of East 116<sup>th</sup> Street, for the purpose  
of prostitution <sup>or sexual intercourse</sup> and did then and there, on  
the aforesaid day, have sexual intercourse  
with the said Martha Nachman in  
violation of Section 282 of the Penal Code  
as amended by Chapter 31 Laws 1886

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said Fred Kenyon

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

Sworn to before me, this

4<sup>th</sup>

day of September 1886

Charles E. Knoll

Samuel C. Hill

Police Justice

TORN PAGE

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POLICE COURT 5 DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & Co.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN  
Below is a true and correct copy of the original record.

DATED Sept 14 188

McClellan

Magistrate

Clerk

Office

Witnesses:

S. Williams Jenkins, Supt.,

100 East 23d St.

Disposition

STILES & SONS, STEAM PRINTERS, 27 SOUTH AVENUE, NEW YORK



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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE  
IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The People

v.

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

Frederick M. Kenyon.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE.

The prisoner who is 21 years old and gives his business as a "manager," is indicted for the abduction of Martha Nachman, <sup>15</sup>~~14~~ years of age, of 235 East 105 Street, on August 9th, 1886, for the purpose of sexual intercourse. The prisoner is known to the Police, having previously been the manager of the Neilson Hall Skating Rink on 15th Street between 3rd Avenue and Irving Place, where repeated complaints were made not only as to the character of the girls who frequented the skating rink performances, but also as to his own conduct in regard to them. He was also the manager of several other skating rinks, and finally of the Harlem Pavilion, a sort of bathing establishment, known as the Harlem Beach Family Bathing Grounds, at the foot of 116th Street, and which was a place of resort by young girls and boys for bathing purposes. Connected with the "Ladies' Toilet" was a secret panel door in the lower part of the <sup>IV</sup>~~A~~ partition, which opened into his own apartments. His plan was to communicate by this door with the girls in the ladies' toilet, induce them to enter his room, and then by force and persuasion induce them to have sexual intercourse with him. He was discovered after a great deal of trouble and after several complaints made by the officers of The New York Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Children, and then arrested and indicted for the offence in question. The facts appear



in the evidence.

EVIDENCE.

MARTHA NACHMAN: - Is 15 years of age, and was in the habit of going to the Harlem Beach Baths. On or about the afternoon of August 9th, about 3 o'clock, she went there with a girl named Rachel Jackson, and as witness was sitting at a table in the Pavilion, looking at the people bathing, the prisoner came out and said to Rachel Jackson, "It is low tide; come into the Ladies' Toilet and I will let you in." Then Rachel went by the private door which adjoins the ladies' toilet, into Kenyon's room. This ladies toilet room is papered, but the part covering the door is loose and can be easily pushed aside. Rachel went into this room and stayed about 15 or 20 minutes, and then the prisoner came out and said it was high tide and beckoned witness to come in his room, and witness went in the ladies' toilet, and prisoner let witness in through the partition into his room. A man named Charlie and Rachel were in the room. When witness got in the prisoner tried a pair of skates on her, and the skates were a little too small, and the prisoner slipped them off. Prisoner put his hand up witness' clothes. Witness was sitting on his lap. After the prisoner had tried the skates on witness, the prisoner put her on the bed, which had a white spread over it and a blanket and two pillows, and in the presence of Rachel and Charlie, he had sexual intercourse with her. The girl named Mamie Donnelly came into the room and saw witness on the prisoner's knee. Witness saw a number of other girls who she knew were in the habit of going into this room with the prisoner, whose names she will mention.

DORA NACHMAN: - 235 East 105 Street, is the mother of the witness Martha Nachman, and knows the age of the girl. She was born October 10, 1870, in Pakush, Posen, Germany, a couple of months after the opening of the Franco-Prussian War in 1870.

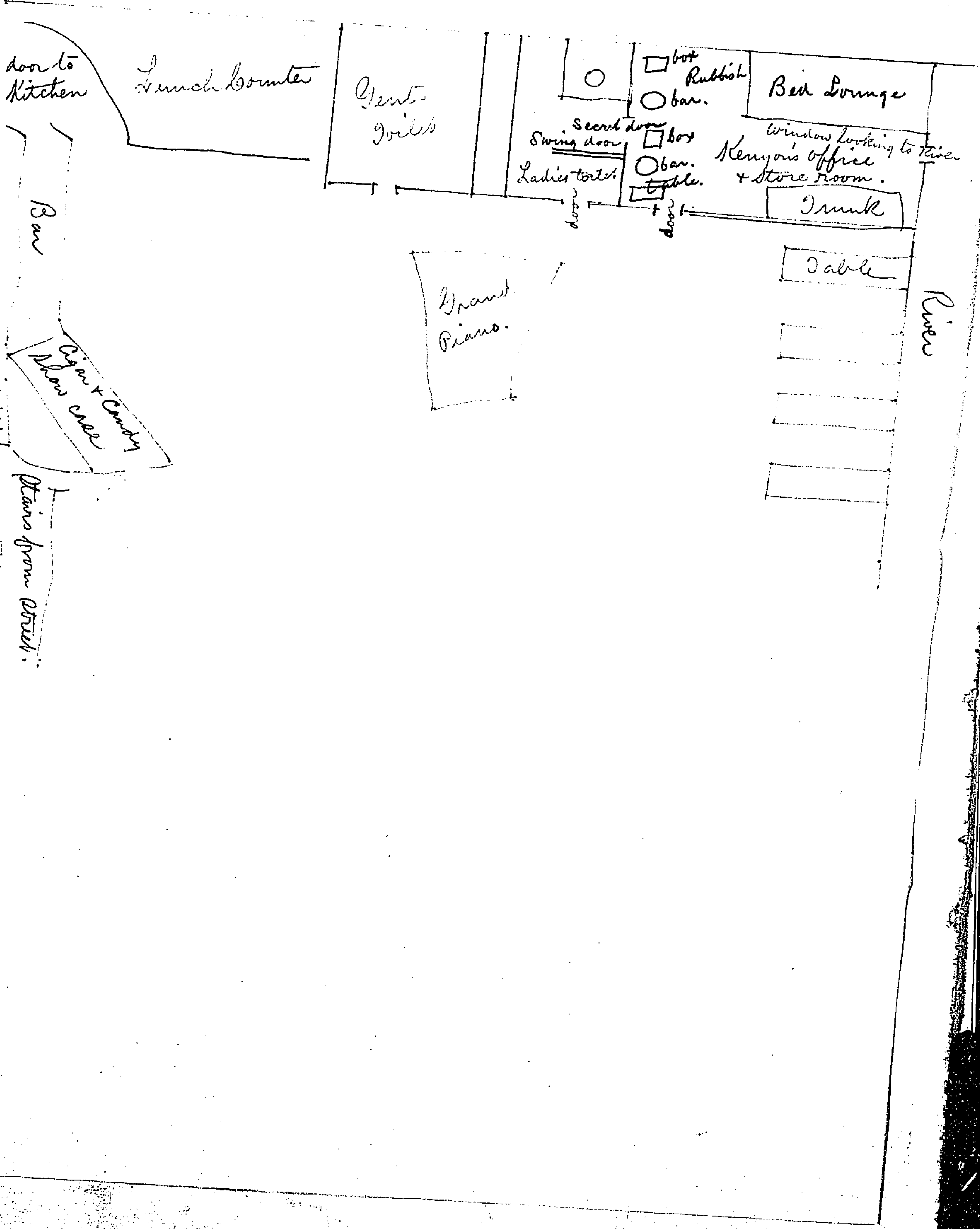
RACHEL JACKSON: - Resides at 256 Pearl Street, Brooklyn, and is 15 years of age. On August 9, 1886, between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, witness was sitting in company with Martha Nachman in the Harlem Pavilion, foot of East 116 Street, when the prisoner asked witness to come into the ladies' toilet room and try on a pair of skates, and invited witness into his private room through a secret door leading from the ladies' toilet into his office. There the prisoner put his hand up witness' clothes and upon witness' thigh, and tried to unbutton her drawers, and asked her to let him have sexual intercourse with her, and said to her, "Won't you let me have a piece to-day?" Witness resisted and said "I will scream if you dare to insult me." Whereupon prisoner then brought Martha Nachman into his office, and witness saw him put his hand up Martha's clothes and hold her on his lap, and afterwards push and throw her upon the lounge, and open his pants and lie upon Martha, whose clothing was pulled up and her legs exposed; and prisoner then and there in witness' presence had sexual intercourse with Martha. Witness never had anything to do with any man excepting some time ago at a pic-nic at Sultzers Park, when she allowed a man to have connection with her. This was about 3 months ago. ~~REDACTED~~ This is the only time she ever had anything to do with any man, until the prisoner succeeded. Knows quite a number of other girls with whom prisoner

had intercourse besides Martha Nachman.

OFFICER KNOLL: - Is an officer of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. On September 5, 1886, accompanied by Officer Barclay of the Society, Stenographer Lyons and Mr. Rosenwald, a reporter, witness visited the Harlem Pavilion and inspected the ladies' toilet. It was a small room, about 6 x 5 feet, with a swinging door hiding the seat as the outer door is opened. There was a secret door in the lower part of the partition, between the swinging door and the seat of the closet. The pieces of wall paper were firmly tacked on, and witness was informed by the girl at the soda fountain that the secret door had been nailed up some three weeks ago, immediately after the Morning Journal article exposing the prisoner's conduct. This secret door consisted of a couple of boards fastened together and fastened with a bolt in the prisoner's office. It opened into the office not on hinges but coming out altogether. When not in use, barrels, boxes &c. were placed against it. At first witness could not gain entrance into the prisoner's room, but after a while he tried again and found that the spring latch could be reached from the outside by pushing back the curtain. Witness found traces of the boards that had been nailed fast. The board had been removed. The prisoner's office consists of a room 6 x 11, and was scantily furnished with an old table, trunk, bed lounge in one corner, with some bedding not clean on it, and a number of boxes, barrels &c. ranged along the partition where the secret door had been. The following is the plan of the premises:

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**N.Y. GENERAL SESSIONS**

**THE PEOPLE**

**AGAINST**

*Frederick M.  
Kenyon.  
(abduction of Martha  
Kachman)*

PENAL CODE, §

**BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.**

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE  
IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The People

v.

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

Frederick M. Kenyon.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE.

The prisoner who is 21 years old and gives his business as a "manager," is indicted for the abduction of Rachel Jackson, 15 years of age, of 256 Pearl Street, Brooklyn, on August 9th, 1886, for the purpose of sexual intercourse. The prisoner is known to the Police, having previously been the manager of the Neilson Hall Skating Rink on 15th Street between 3rd Avenue and Irving Place, where repeated complaints were made not only as to the character of the girls who frequented the skating rink performances, but also as to his own conduct in regard to them. He was also the manager of several other skating rinks, and finally of the Harlem Pavilion, a sort of bathing establishment, known as the Harlem Beach Family Bathing Grounds, at the foot of 116th Street, and which was a place of resort by young girls and boys for bathing purposes. Connected with the "Ladies' Toilet" was a secret panel door in the lower part of the partition, which opened into his own apartments. His plan was to communicate by this door with the girls in the ladies' toilet, induce them to enter his room, and then by force and persuasion induce them to have sexual intercourse with him. He was discovered after a great deal of trouble and after several complaints made by the Officers of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and then arrest-

ed and indicted for the offence in question. The facts appear in the evidence.

RACHEL JACKSON: - Resides at 256 Pearl Street, Brooklyn, and is 15 years of age. On August 9, 1886, between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, witness was sitting in company with Martha Nachman in the Harlem Pavilion, foot of East 116 Street, when the prisoner asked witness to come into the ladies' toilet room and try on a pair of skates, and invited witness into his private room through a secret door leading from the ladies' toilet into his office. There the prisoner put his hand up witness' clothes and upon witness' thigh, and tried to unbutton her drawers, and asked her to let him have sexual intercourse with her, and said to her, "Won't you let me have a piece to-day?" Witness resisted and said "I will scream if you dare to insult me." Whereupon prisoner then brought Martha Nachman into his office, and witness saw him put his hand up Martha's clothes and hold her on his lap, and afterwards push and throw her upon the lounge, and open his pantaloons and lie upon Martha, whose clothing was pulled up and her legs exposed; and prisoner then and there in witness' presence had sexual intercourse with Martha. Witness never had anything do to with any man excepting some time ago at a pic-nic at Sultzers Park, when she allowed a man to have connection with her. This was about 3 months ago. ~~REDACTED~~ This is the only time she ever had anything to do with any man, until the prisoner succeeded. Knows quite a number of other girls with whom prisoner had intercourse besides Martha Nachman.

RACHEL JACKSON: - Wife of John H. Jackson who is in the em-

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ployment of the Brooklyn Bridge. Resides at 256 Pearl Street, Brooklyn. Witness knows the age of her daughter and will testify definitely in regard thereto.

MARTHA NACHMAN: - Is 14 years of age, and was in the habit of going to the Harlem Beach Baths. On or about the afternoon of August 9th, 1886, about 3 o'clock she went there with a girl named Rachel Jackson, and as witness was sitting at a table in the Pavilion, looking at the people bathing, the prisoner came out and said to Rachel Jackson, "It is low tide; come into the Ladies' Toilet and I will let you in." Then Rachel went by the private door which adjoins the ladies' toilet, into Kenyon's room. This ladies toilet room is papered, but the part covering the door is loose and can be easily pushed aside. Rachel went into this room and stayed about 15 or 20 minutes, and then the prisoner came out and said it was low tide and beckoned witness to come in his room, and witness went in the ladies' toilet, and prisoner let witness in through the partition into his room. A man named Charlie and Rachel were in the room. When witness got in the prisoner tried a pair of skates on her, and the skates were a little too small, and the prisoner slipped them off. Prisoner put his hand up witness' clothes. Witness was sitting on his lap. After the prisoner had tried the skates on witness, the prisoner put her on the bed, which had a white spread over it and a blanket and two pillows, and in the presence of Rachel and Charlie, he had sexual intercourse with her. The girl named Mamie Donnelly came into the room and saw witness on the prisoner's knee. Witness saw a number of other girls who she knew were in the habit of going into this room with the prisoner, whose names she will mention.



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OFFICER KNOLL: - Is an officer of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. On September 5, 1886, accompanied by Officer Barclay of the Society, Stenographer Lyons and Mr. Rosenwald, a reporter, witness visited the Harlem Pavilion and inspected the ladies' toilet. It was a small room, about 6 x 5 feet, with a swinging door hiding the seat as the outer door is opened. There was a secret door in the lower part of the partition, between the swinging door and the seat of the closet. The pieces of wall paper were firmly tacked on, and witness was informed by the girl at the soda fountain that the secret door had been nailed up some three weeks ago, immediately after the Morning Journal article exposing the prisoner's conduct. This secret door consisted of a couple of boards fastened together and fastened with a bolt in the prisoner's office. It opened into the office not on hinges but coming out altogether. When not in use, barrels, boxes &c. were placed against it. At first witness could not gain entrance into the prisoner's room, but after a while he tried again and found that the spring latch could be reached from the outside by pushing back the curtain. Witness found traces of the boards that had been nailed fast. The board had been removed. The prisoner's office consists of a room 6 x 11, and was scantily furnished with an old table, trunk, bed lounge in one corner, with some bedding not clean on it, and a number of boxes, barrels &c. ranged along the partition where the secret door had been. The following is the plan of the premises:

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# N.Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE

AGAINST

Frederick M.  
Kenyon.  
(abduction of Rachel  
Jackson)

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BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

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5th  
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,  
ON COMPLAINT OF  
*Martha Machman*  
agst.  
*Frederick M. Newson*

Examination had *September 17th 1886*  
Before *Hon. Daniel O'Reilly*, Police Justice.

I, *James A. Lyon* Stenographer of the *5th* District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of *Martha Machman*, *Rachel Jackson* and *Dora Machman* as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated *September 18th* 1886.

*Daniel O'Reilly*  
Police Justice.

*James A. Lyon*  
Official Stenographer.  
*No. 154 East 57th St.*  
*N.Y. City*

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Fifth District Police Court

New York September 7<sup>th</sup> 1886

The People on Complaint of

Martha Nachman

Against

Frederick Kenyon

Appearances for the People

Appearances for the Defense - Marcus  
Beyersdorfer and Daniel M. Lancott.

Martha Nachman the complain-  
ing witness, being duly sworn,  
testified as follows:

Cross-Examination by Mr. Beyersdorfer  
Where do you live?

L.

A.

No 235 East 105<sup>th</sup> St.

L.

Is your Father living?

A.

No Sir.

L.

Is he dead?

A.

Yes Sir.

L.

How long is your dead?

A.

Going on 8 months.

L.

Do you go to school?

A.

No Sir, I have been away  
from school for two years.

L.

Where did you go to school?

A.

At 79<sup>th</sup> St. (I)



Q. How long did you go to 79<sup>th</sup> St.

A. About two or three years.

Q. Where did you go to school before that?

A. In 125<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. How long did you go to that school?

A. About 4 years. I guess.

Q. And where before that?

A. 115<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. How long did you go there?

A. About two years.

Q. How long have you been living in New York?

A. 14 years.

Q. Where were you born?

A. In Germany.

Q. What part of Germany?

A. I don't know.

Q. Do you remember the first school that you went to?

A. Henry St. school.

Q. Was it a public school?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You are sure that is the school?

you want too?

A. I aint positive.

Q. Where else did you go to school before you went to Henry St.?

A. I think we used to live in 5-8<sup>th</sup> St. and I think I went to 5-7<sup>th</sup> St. school, when I was 7 years old, but I aint sure about it.

Q. How many schools have you been too?

A. Five I think.

Q. How long did you go to school?

A. Until I was 13 years old.

Q. How many years did you attend each school?

A. I do not know.

Q. How long were you in Henry St. school?

A. I don't remember.

Q. You don't remember?

A. No sir.

Q. Well about how long?

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A. I have no idea.

Q. Was it a year.

A. I don't know

Q. You remember that you went to Henry St. school?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Do you know how long you attended any of the schools you mentioned?

A. I went to 125<sup>th</sup> St. school about 3 years. That was the longest school I went to. I lived in 117 St. 8 years number 180.

Q. How came you to leave school?

A. I don't know.

Q. Don't you know?

A. I was sick before I left school, and I did not go back.

Q. Were you dismissed from any of the schools?

A. No sir.

Q. Sure of that?

A. No sir, I was not.

Q. Where does your mother live now?

A. No. 235 East 105<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. How long has she lived there?

A. Three or four days.

Q. What do you occupy, a house or flat?

A. The top floor of a private house.

Q. Who else besides you occupies that floor?

A. My mother, my sister, and brother.

Q. Is that the only brother you have?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Have you any other sisters?

A. No sir.

Q. How old is your brother?

A. Young on 12 years.

Q. And your sister how old is she?

A. 19 going on 20.

Q. Where did your mother live before she moved to 105<sup>th</sup> St.?

A. 107<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. What business was your mother carrying on?

A. She had charge of the flat. (S-)



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Q. How long did you live there?

A. About a year.

Q. What number in 107 St.?

A. It was 1707 Lexington Ave.

Q. Corner of 107<sup>th</sup> St.?

A. No sir in the middle of the block

Q. Between 106 - and 107 Sts.?

A. No sir, between 107 - 108 Sts.

Q. Your mother lived there how long?

A. About a year.

Q. Where did she live before that?

A. No. 303 East 84<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. How long did she live there?

A. About 3 years.

Q. Where did she live before that?

A. In 82<sup>nd</sup> St. but I don't know the number.

Q. Whereabouts in 82 St.

Q. Between First Ave. and the Boulevard.

Q. How long did she live there?

A. About a year, or 7 or 8 months.

Q. Where did she live before that?

A. 125<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. What part of the St.

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A. Over the Tailors between Lat. and Third Aves.

Q. Don't you know the number?

A. No sir.

Q. How long did you live there?

A. Not very long. Papa was sick in there, and got the consumption and we moved away.

Q. Did you live there a year?

A. I could not say, I have no idea how long we lived there.

Q. And where did you live before that?

A. 117 <sup>th</sup> St.

Q. How long did you live there?

A. We lived 7 years in one house, over Mr. Fullers grocery store.

Q. What was the number?

A. I do not remember the number.

Q. Whereabouts?

A. Between Lat. and Third Aves.

Q. Do you remember where your mother lived, before that, in 117 <sup>th</sup> St.?

A. I have no idea. (7)

Q. Who supported the family since your father died?

A. They all work, my sister works in Sterns', has charge of the embroidery counter.

Q. Sterns in 23<sup>rd</sup> St.

A. Yes sir.

Q. When did you leave school?

A. When I was 13 years old.

Q. Can you remember how long it is since you left school?

A. Going on two years, I guess.

Q. How do you fix the time as being two years, were you employed anywhere after you left school?

A. Yes sir.

Q. How soon after that?

A. I was home about a year.

Q. And then you want to work?

A. Yes sir, after Papa was taken sick I want to work.

Q. But you remained home a year after you left school?

A. Yes sir.

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Q. After that year expired where did you go to work?

A. To Grosses.

Q. Where is that?

A. Number 19 Walker St.

Q. Is he in business now?

A. Yes sir.

Q. At the same place?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What is his business?

A. The Lace business.

Q. What were you doing there?

A. I was learning how to trim lace caps - He was a good friend of ours.

Q. How long were you with him?

A. About two or three months.

Q. Where did you go after that?

A. No place then I was home.

Q. No place except ~~Grosses~~ Grosses?

A. No sir.

Q. You never followed the cap trade after that?

A. No sir.

Q. Where you discharged by Grosses?



A. No sir.

Q. Why did you leave?

A. Because I did not like the place very well - Mr. Gross is a good friend of ours though. I think he is some relation <sup>to</sup> ~~of~~ my mother.

Q. How long since you were employed there?

A. About 3 months ago.

Q. What month was it that you left Grosses?

A. I think the last part of May.

Q. You are sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You are sure it was the last part of May you left Grosses?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You were home from the last part of May?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Until now?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What were you doing at Rome?

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A. Nothing at all, except helping mother with the house work.

Q. How do you spend your evenings do you go out?

A. I don't go out very much.

Q. Is your mother married again?

A. No sir.

Q. After you left Lysses, how did you spend your evenings?

A. I went out sometimes to take a walk.

Q. How many times, did you go out in the evenings, to take a walk, how often a week?

A. About three times a week.

Q. Did you go out on any particular days?

A. Once in a while I used to go out, I don't recollect what days.

Q. Where did you used to go to?

A. I went around to 85<sup>th</sup> St. to see the girls.

Q. 85<sup>th</sup> St.

A. Yes sir.

Q. Whereabouts in 85<sup>th</sup> St. (11)

A. Between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Aves.

Q. Who did you go to see there?

A. I know a ~~great~~ good many girls around there.

Q. In 85<sup>th</sup> St. near 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, was it?

A. Yes sir

Q. Did you go to see the number of girls, or any particular girl?

A. No particular girl.

Q. You want to see a number of them?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Where did you use to meet, did you have a club?

A. No sir.

Q. How did you come to see this number of girls?

A. They all lived in that neighborhood.

Q. Who did you go to see please mention some of their names?

A. I know Bertie Mason, and Addie Pick.

Q. Where does Bertie Mason live?

A. Next to the school house in 85<sup>th</sup> St.  
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Q. Who else did you see there?

A. Addie Pick.

Q. Where did you say Bertie Mason lives?

A. Next to the school house in 86<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. What number?

A. I do not know.

Q. Where does Addie Pick live?

A. On the other side of the St. over the liquor store.

Q. The same St.?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Who else used you see around there?

A. Sarah Levin.

Q. Where does she live?

A. In 83<sup>rd</sup> St.

Q. She was not one of the girls you used to see in 86<sup>th</sup> St.?

A. She used to come around there.

Q. Where did you meet those girls?

A. In the St.

Q. What house?

A. Nobody's house.



Q. All the girls used to meet there?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What used you to do in the St.?

A. Skate by the school-house.

Q. On the side-walk by the school house?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Is that all you used to do?

A. Sometimes we would walk up and down the Ave.

Q. How often did you use to see Bertie Mason and Addie Pick?

A. Sometimes I went around there without my hat on.

Q. What did you do in 85<sup>th</sup> St.?

A. I walked up and down.

Q. With whom?

A. Sometimes some other girls were there.

Q. Who were they?

A. I do not remember.

Q. You don't remember?

A. No sir.

Q. Where was the circumstances that you have mentioned, and that you went to see the girls in 8<sup>th</sup> St., and without a Rat?

A. That was last year in May, I think, I never went out in the winter, it was only in the summer I used to go out.

Q. The summer of 1885?

A. Yes sir.

Q. That was what you did last year in May?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What did you do since May 1886?

A. I used to go with Lizzie Marr.

Q. Where does she live?

A. In 109<sup>th</sup> St. and Madison Ave.

Q. Was it in the summer of 1886 that you went with her?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Who else did you go with?

A. Atlanta Spencer.

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Q. Where does she live?

A. In 108<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. Do you know the number?

A. It is over from Lex. Ave, the first flat from Lex. Ave.

Q. Did you visit her at her house?

A. Only once.

Q. You used to go with her very frequently?

A. She used to come and take a walk with me.

Q. How else did you spend your evenings in the summer of 1886?

A. I used to go to the beach with Lizzie Marr.

Q. What beach?

A. Harlem beach.

Q. What do you mean by the beach?

A. I used to go to the beach with Addie Vanvort.

Q. Where did she live?

A. 109<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. What number?

A. Number 70.

Q. Who else did you go with? (16)

A. Lottie Kahler.

Q. Where does she live?

A. In 109<sup>th</sup> St. near Madison Ave. the first flat from Madison Ave.

Q. Who else used you go with?

A. I had all around that neighborhood that I knew - O yes I knew Maggie Lavery. Where does she live?

A. Three doors from Atlanta's Spencer's House in 108<sup>th</sup> St.

Q. These are all the girls you went with?

A. I went with Lillie Henry.

Q. Where does she live?

A. 128<sup>th</sup> St. near Madison Ave.

Q. These girls are the only four girls with whom you went to the bath?

A. Yes sir, I went once with Atlanta Spencer.

Q. Do you swim?

A. I never went in bathing I used to go there and sit in the pavilion.



Q. How often did you visit the pavilion?

A. About 15 or 20 times.

Q. Each time in company with some of the young ladies that you have mentioned?

A. Yes sir.

Q. How did you get acquainted with these girls?

A. I got acquainted with Lizzie Marr through the other girls.

Q. They were all well behaved girls?

A. Addie Vanvorten, and Lizzie Henry were nice girls, and Atlanta Spencer.

Q. How many of these girls did you visit at their houses?

A. I went to Lizzie Marr's house about 10 times.

Q. The rest you did not visit?

A. I was in Atlanta Spencer's house once.

Q. Most of these girls you became acquainted with in the st. (18)

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A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you go every night since May, to the beach?

A. No sir.

Q. Where did you spend your evenings besides going to the beach?

A. In the Area-way with mother.

Q. Those places you have mentioned are the only places you want to?

A. I want to one picnic at Sultzer with Lizzie Marr.

Q. When was that?

A. In July.

Q. What picnic was it?

A. It was a Cuban picnic.

Q. You went there with Lizzie Marr?

A. Yes sir.

Q. How long did you stay there?

A. I think until about 11.30 P. M.

Q. Who did you go home with?

A. With nobody. Lizzie Marr took a car.

Q. No gentleman seen you home?

A. No sir.

Q. Were you in the company of any gentle-

-man that night?

A. No sir.

Q. Had you been drinking anything?

A. No sir, I don't drink any kind of liquor.

Q. Did you drink any soda-water?

A. No sir.

Q. Did you have any ice-cream?

A. No sir.

Q. Did you dance with any gentleman?

A. No sir. I cannot dance.

Q. You went to the picnic with your mother's permission?

A. No sir without it.

Q. Did you go to the bath with her permission?

A. No sir, I went there without it.

Q. During the months of May, June, July, and August, the only places that you went to in the evening was this bathing establishment and the Cuban picnic?

A. I was not at the beach in the month of July or August.

Q. You didn't go there in May or June?

A. No sir.

Q. In July you did?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And in August?

Q. Yes sir, about the second week in August.

Q. During the months of July and August you went there to the bath?

A. Yes sir.

Q. That is the only place you spent your evenings?

A. Yes sir, and by the door.

Q. You are positive about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. During the months of July and August you went to the bath?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And other times you spent the nights home?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You are sure about that?

A. Yes sir.



Q. Every night?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you ever go out with young gentlemen?

A. No sir.

Q. No gentlemen, whatsoever?

A. No sir.

Q. Have you any gentlemen friends or acquaintances?

A. No sir.

Q. Have you none at the beach?

A. No sir. I don't know anybody there.

Q. Did you go out with any gentleman whose acquaintance you had made on the beach?

A. No sir.

Q. Are you sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You spent every night at home?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Are you sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You did not go out at all in the months of July and August?

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A. Yes sir.

Q. You are sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Do you remember the occasion when your mother came to the beach with an officer?

A. It was not my mother did that.

Q. Who did that?

A. I don't know mamma said she didn't.

Q. Do you remember that occasion?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Did the officer take you out of there?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Had you been away from home several days?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Then it was not true, that you were home ~~several~~ evening except the nights you were at the beach?

A. Two days, before the officer came there.

Q. You were not arrested at the time you remained from home several days - didn't you go

to the beach before you were arrested by the officer?

A. Yes sir, I went there with Addie Vanvorden.

Q. Had you been away from home several nights, when the officer took you out of the ~~beach~~ place

A. Yes sir, The night before that I was in Mrs Curtis's house

Q. How long ago is that?

A. I don't remember the very month now.

Q. What made it take you so long to find out where you stopped that night?

A. I never thought of it.

Q. When you answer all these questions you know that you are under oath?

A. Yes sir.

Q. It took you a long time to find that out - were you away from home only one night?

A. I was away two nights.

Q. And why did you say a little

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while ago that you were only away one night?

A. Because I just remember it now.

Q. Where did you spend those two nights, that you were away from home?

A. In Mrs. Curtis's house.

Q. Where is that?

A. No. 1709 Lat Ave.

Q. You are sure you were only two nights away from home?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Positive about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And they were the only two nights you were away from home in July or August?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You are sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. When were you away for two nights, about what time was that? what time of the month?

A. About the 15<sup>th</sup> of July. (25)-



Q. How do you fix the time as being the 15<sup>th</sup> of July?

A. It was the middle of the month I know, I think it was on a Wednesday.

Q. It was in July?

A. Yes sir. I am sure of that.

Q. You are sure it was the 15<sup>th</sup> of July?

A. I know it was in July.

Q. About the middle of the month?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Was it the night of the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> that you remained away - might it not be the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>?

A. I could not say.

Q. It was two nights after each other?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And the officer came to the bath after you?

A. That was about a week after that - Mamma came to Mrs. Curtiss and took me home.

Q. Where does Mrs. Lurtis live?

A. No. 1709 Lexington Ave. next door to our house

Q. And the officer came and brought you home?

A. A man came to visit mamma.

Q. Did the officer take you out of the bath?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you go there after that?

A. No sir, not since.

Q. You are sure about that?

A. No sir, I did not.

Q. I thought you said you went there since?

A. I said I went there before that.

Q. Before what?

A. Before I was arrested?

Q. After you were arrested you never went there?

A. Before that mamma had some friend of ours —

(Examination interrupted)

Q. You say about the 15<sup>th</sup> of July you remained out two nights?

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A. Yes sir.

Q. And the officer took you out of the bath and brought you home?

A. Yes sir.

Q. After that did you go there?

A. No sir.

Q. Are you sure about that?

A. Yes sir, I am very sure.

Q. And you have not been there since that occasion?

A. No sir.

Q. Since the middle of July?

A. I think I did but I aint sure.

Q. How often after that?

A. Two afternoons.

Q. You are sure you only went there only after the 15<sup>th</sup> of July?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Had you ven to keep out of there, frequently?

A. Mamma told me

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Q. Did any of the attaches of the place tell you that?

A. I don't remember.

Q. They may have told you so?

A. I don't remember.

Q. You are sure this was about the middle of July; that you remained out two nights?

A. Yes sir.

Q. So you know when the 4<sup>th</sup> of July was?

A. Yes sir.

Q. How long after the 4<sup>th</sup> of July was it, that your mother sent the policeman after you, 10 or 11 days after that?

A. I think so.

Q. You are sure you only went there twice after your mother sent for you?

A. I aint sure, I better not say yes.

Q. How many times are you sure that you visited there, after the officer brought you,



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from there?

A. I don't know.

Q. Do you know anything that transpired after the 10<sup>th</sup> of July, that can fix the number of times you were there after that?

A. No sir.

Q. You cannot remember anything that occurred after the 13<sup>th</sup> of July to fix the number of times you were there?

A. No sir. I don't remember

Q. You are sure about that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You don't require any thinking about that?

A. (No answer.)

Q. You have a pretty good memory, where were you on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July?

A. I was home all day

Q. You <sup>have</sup> ~~have~~ a pretty good recollection before the 4<sup>th</sup> of July have you? (30)

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A. I don't know.

Q. Do you remember anything important that occurred since the 4<sup>th</sup> of July?

A. No sir.

Q. Is that your signature to this affidavit, to this complaint?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Can you read?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Have you read this affidavit?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Was it read to you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Do you know what it contains?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Do you know the time of the day?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What is in this affidavit, please recite what you stated to the Court, at the time you made this complaint?

By the Court—

Ask her anything you want.

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to, about the affidavit, but don't ask her to recite what is in it.

Q. Do you remember this gentleman Justice O'Reilly?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What did you relate to him tell the story that you told him on that day?

A. Objected to by Mr. Jenkins, and objection sustained.

Q. This is the complaint, this paper that you made against Kempton?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And you related the circumstance to the Justice?

A. Yes sir.

Q. This paper was read to you when you signed the affidavit?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And you swore to it?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What did you say?

A. I said I went there one

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afternoon with Rachael Jackson,  
and I was sitting on the Pavilion  
looking at the people bathing, -  
I was in the Pavilion, above  
water, and Fred. Kenyon came  
and said to Rachael Jackson  
something, and then Rachael  
Jackson staid with me about  
10 minutes, and went in the  
ladies toilet, she staid in there  
about 15 or 20 minutes and  
Kenyon came out and said it  
was high tide, and beckoned  
me to come in his room and  
I went in the ladies toilet,  
and he let me in through  
the partition in the wall -  
He opened the partition - a  
man name Charlie and Rachael  
were in the room - When  
I got in, Kenyon tried a  
pair of skates on me and  
the skates were a little too  
small and I slipped them  
off my feet, and Kenyon (33)



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put his hand up my clothes -  
I was sitting on his lap about  
10 minutes before that - after  
I tried the skates on he knocked  
me on the bed.

Q. What then, was he dressed?

A. Yes sir

Q. Were you dressed?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What took place then, did he  
take your shoes off?

A. No sir

Q. Did he take any of your clothes  
off?

A. No sir.

Q. Did you have all your clothes  
on?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What kind of a bed was it?

A. A lounge I think.

Q. Had it a back to it, or was  
it a couch?

A. There was a white spread  
over it, and a blanket, I  
think, and two pillows

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one pillow.

Q. Well, go on, did he do anything to you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What did he do, did he have connection with you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. What after that — had you been kissing him before that, or caressing him?

A. No sir.

Q. Or he you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Were you not kissing and caressing him?

A. No sir.

Q. Did he kiss you on the bed?

A. No sir.

Q. Was Rachael, ~~and~~ Charlie there then?

A. Yes sir.

Q. While he was doing that?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Charlie was there too, you say?

A. Yes sir.

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Q. Whose Charlie?

A. I don't know his last name, I have seen him there, at the bath.

Q. What was Charlie doing there?

A. Nothing.

Q. How did you know his name was Charlie?

A. That is what all the girls called him?

By the Court —

Give a description of this man Charlie!

A. He has a light mustache, kinder stout, not very stout.

Q. How tall, about?

A. About as tall as Officer Egan.

Q. How old is he?

A. I don't know.

Q. Well, about how old?

A. About 32 or 33.

Q. What was the color of his hair?

A. Light hair

Q. Had he a mustache

A. Yes sir, he was a nice looking

man.

Q. Did he have a full face?

A. Yes sir.

Q. By Mr. Byersdorfer—

Q. Did you have any conversation with him?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Did he tell you his name was Charlie?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you speak to him frequently?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Well, what after that happened?

A. I was in the room, and I fixed my hair, and so did Rachael Jackson, and Rachael had a ~~piece~~<sup>bag</sup> of candy which Charlie gave her, and then we went out the same way we came in.

Q. Well, what after that?

A. We staid around the Pavilion about an hour afterwards and Maria Daly was there too - Rachael Jackson went home before I did.



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Q. Who did you report this to?

A. I did not tell first of it, I don't know how it was known.

Q. You did not tell anybody concerning it?

A. Yes sir, I told Officer Knoll about it when he called - I had to tell the truth.

Q. You say when you were lying on the bed, that he was lying with you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. On top of you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you have your legs expanded?  
(No answer)

Q. Did you have your legs expanded?

A. No sir - straight.

Q. Was he in between your <sup>legs?</sup> ~~feet~~?

A. No sir.

Q. What did you do with your hands?

A. I had them down straight. (38)

Q. And kept them quiet?

A. I asked Fred. to get off me, but he would not do it.

Q. Did he insert ~~you~~<sup>his</sup> person into you?

A. No sir.

Q. Sure about that?

A. No sir.

Q. So you know what insertion of the person means?

A. Yes sir.

Q. It is private parts?

A. No sir.

Q. Was it inside of you at all?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You said a minute ago it was not?

A. I did not understand you then.

Q. Was it in far?

A. No sir.

Q. How did you know it was not in far, did you feel a sensation?

(No Answer)

By the Court —

Do you know what a sensation is?

A. I do not know what it is.

By Mr. Byersdorfer —

Q. Did you see Charlie after that?

A. Yes sir, he was outside.

Q. Charlie was in the room all the time you were in there?

A. Not all the time.

Q. Not during this occurrence?

A. He just went out.

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Q When did he go out was it before or after you were on the bed?

A After.

Q How long were you on the bed when he went out?

A About three or five minutes.

Q How long were you on the bed entirely with Kenyon?

A Not one minute.

Q Did you go skating after that?

A No sir, I never went into a skating rink Mr Kenyon had.

Q After this occurrence took place in that room did you dance?

A No sir.

Q How long did you stay at the bath after that?

A About an hour and a half.

Q You say you know a man named Charlie?

A Yes sir.

Q Who told you his name was Charlie?



Q I heard the other girls call him that and I called him that also.

Q Were you acquainted ~~at~~ with him before that other occurrence?

A Yes sir.

Q And you never went out with him?

A No sir.

Q Sure about that?

A Yes sir; I did go out once with him and Rachel Jackson.

Q Where did you go with him?

A I went I think it was to 16<sup>th</sup> Street and 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue.

Q What did you do there?

A He took us into a room and I didn't do anything.

Q What do you mean by that?

A I didn't do anything out of the way, nothing bad.

Q What is out of the way didn't you stay all night with him?

A Yes; but he didn't stay all night

- Rachel Jackson and I did.  
 Q How long did he stay?  
 A About an hour.  
 Q What room did you leave?  
 A A room on 16<sup>th</sup> Street and 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue.  
 I think the lady's name was Mrs.  
 Rachel Jackson knows it.  
 Q Did he pay you?  
 A No sir.  
 Q Did he give you any money at all?  
 A No sir.  
 Q Didn't he give you ten dollars?  
 A No sir.  
 Q Are you sure about that?  
 A Yes; I am sure he did not.  
 Q Did you tell anybody you received  
 ten dollars from him?  
 A No sir.  
 Q Didn't you take ten dollars from him?  
 A No sir.  
 Q Sure about that?  
 A No sir; I didn't

Q Were you accused of it before this occurrence of taking ten dollars from him?

A No sir.

Q Didn't you return ten dollars to him?

A He never offered me ten dollars.

Q Did you return him ten dollars?

A I did; he had a lot of money in his pocket and some of the money was lying on the lounge, I didn't know whose it was.

Q Was that after he went away?

A No sir, he was there.

Q When did you return it to him?

A The same evening.

Q How long after that?

A About half an hour.

Q You knew this money was not yours?

A Yes sir, I did.

Q Did you ever have connection with any other man?

A No sir.

Q Sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know what the word connection means?

A Yes sir.

Q What does it mean?

(No answer)

Q No body else had connection with you?

A No sir.

Q Are you sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q When did you go to 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and 16<sup>th</sup> Street?

A It was a Sunday and the Monday after-noon after that I was with Kenyon, Charlie didn't stay there all night he got mad and went away.

Q What kind of a house is it?

A I guess it is a disorderly house.

Q And the following day this occurrence took place between you and Kenyon?



A Yes sir.

Q Then you stated a little while ago that you were out only two nights in July, you didn't include the night you were with Charlie or when you stayed at Mr. Curtis?

A I don't remember.

Q Do you remember now how many nights you stayed out all night except the nights in Curtis and the one night you were with Charlie?

A I don't remember.

Q Do you remember any other nights except these three nights?

A No.

Q Were you away from home about two weeks?

A Last week a lady next to us I was there Sunday and Monday before the arrest and also Tuesday and Mama came there and saw me there and did not say anything to me.

Q This occurrence with Charlie in this house in 16<sup>th</sup> Street, this took place after the officer took you out of the place in 116<sup>th</sup> Street?

A No sir, I don't think so.

Q Are you sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q You are sure it was after the officer brought you out of this place that you only visited it once after that?

A I don't know wheather it was before or after I was arrested, I ain't sure.

Q You mean the arrest of the 15<sup>th</sup> of July?

A Yes sir.

Q How do you know this is a bad house on 16<sup>th</sup> Street and 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue?

A The evening I was there; there was a room next door, with a door which had a little hole in it the back of it and we looked in there and saw a lady and a man in there, Kenyon looked in,

and Rachel looked in, and I looked in, and I saw a lady and man in there.

Q What did you see in there?

A A lady and a man, had conversation in there.

Q What time of the night was that?

A About 12 O'clock.

Q And Charlie was there yet?

A Yes sir.

Q What time did he leave?

A I don't remember.

Q Are you sure he left there?

A Yes sir.

Q What time did you and Rachel leave there?

A We slept there all night and Rachel locked the room.

Q You say Charlie had gone out?

A Yes sir.

Q And you could have gone out?

A Yes sir.

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Q You had seen all this that night  
in the adjoining room?

A Yes sir.

Q When did you leave there?

A Next morning about 9 o'clock.

Q Where were you last night?

A 23<sup>rd</sup> Street and 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

Q At the society rooms?

A Yes sir.

Q You say you never told anybody  
about this until you told officer  
Knoll?

A No sir.

Q Do you know who sent officer Knoll  
to you?

A No sir.

Q Was the conversation in the court or at  
your house?

A Down stairs.

Q Your mother brought you in here?

A I was arrested by a detective and I  
had to go to court from Mrs Curtis.



Q When was that?

A Thursday after noon.

Q The day you swore to the papers?

A No sir.

Q You were arrested at the instance of your mother a day or two before you swore to this complaint?

A Yes sir.

Q Are you sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q That is the first time you mentioned between you and Kenyon?

A Yes sir.

Q Weren't you told that if you told concerning Kenyon and other men that you would not be sent to the House of Correction or to the House of the Good Shepherd?

A No sir.

Q Weren't you told you were to be sent up until you were 21 years of age?

A No sir.

Q Was that not told you when you were arrested?

A Nothing was told me.

Q Weren't you told you were to be sent to the Juvenile Asylum?

A Yes sir.

Q How were arrested by the society officer?

A No sir.

Q Did you know where you were going when you were arrested?

A Yes, I knew I was coming here.

Q How did you come to make this statement concerning Denyow, who asked you about it?

A Mr. Knoll.

Q He did?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you remember the question he put to you?

A No sir.

Q He said something did he?

A Yes sir.

Q He said something?

A Yes sir.

Q What did he say to you concerning Kenyon, if you can remember?

A I don't remember.

Q Would you have made this complaint against Kenyon if you had not been arrested?

A I don't know; no sir.

Q Do you go to any Sunday school?

A I used too.

Q What persuasion are you?

A I am a Jewess.

Q Did you ever go to the synagogue?

A Yes sir, I used too.

Q Where was it?

A At 116<sup>th</sup> Street.

Q Did you ever read the bible?

A No sir.

Q You don't know anything concerning it?

A No sir.

Q You never had any religious training?

A No sir.

Q Do you know the difference between a Jew and a Gentile?

A No sir.

Q Does your mother keep a bible?

A Yes sir.

Q Is there any in your house?

A I never saw one.

Q Do you know the nature of an oath?

A No sir.

Q Are you sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q In what manner was the oath administered to you when you signed your name to this paper?

A Mr. Knoll told me.

Q Asked you if you knew it was true?  
( No answer )

By the Court

Q Do you know the nature of an oath?



A No sir.

Q Did you go to the Sunday school?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know what you were taught there?

A No sir, it was about five years ago.

Q Do you know what it is to tell the truth?

A Yes sir.

Q Were you never taught anything in Sunday school. Suppose you swore on the bible and you did not, what do you expect would become of you?

A I don't know.

Adjourned to Wednesday- September 8<sup>th</sup>  
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New York, September 8<sup>th</sup> 1886

Cross-examination- Mathew Nachman  
a complaining witness recalled.

## Cross Examination (continued)

By Mr. Bayersdorfer.

Q You say you would not?

A Yes sir.

Q What synagogue did you go too?

A The one on 116<sup>th</sup> Street.

Q When was that?

A About four years ago.

Q Haven't you been there since?

A Once in a while I went to 65<sup>th</sup> Street.

Q Can you read hebrew?

A No sir.

Q Do you know what God's name is in hebrew?

A No sir.

Q Do you believe in God?

A Yes sir.

Q When you say you don't know what would become of you when you swore to day was untrue; what do you

mean by that?

A I do know.

Q Your understanding is much better now than it was yesterday?

A Yes sir.

Q How came you to know today and you testified yesterday you did not know?

A I didn't know yesterday what I was saying.

Q Was it explained to you since last night?

A No sir.

Q What do I mean by explained you?

A Repeated.

Q Do you know what punishment you would get if you testified falsely?

A Yes sir.

Q Did anybody tell you that since you testified here yesterday?

A Mr Jenkins asked me if I knew what it meant an oath and I said yes; I did not know first off because I got nerves and I did not know what I was saying.

Q But when Mr Jenkins asked you you did know?

A Yes sir.

Q You say you now understand what it is to swear falsely?

A Yes sir.

Q What would be your punishment were you to swear falsely before the court now?

A You would not go to heaven when you die.

Q Is that what you understand?

A Yes sir.

Q Is that the idea of the Jewish religion that people that do anything wrong in this world will not go to heaven?



( The answer )

Q You don't profess to be a Jewess?

A I went to different Protestant Sunday schools.

Q You did?

A Yes sir.

Q When?

A Once in a while.

Q Very often?

A I often went.

Q Did you receive any teachings there?

A No sir; I generally went with the girls.

Q You went more for pass time?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know what particular religion it was?

A No sir.

Q You did not go there to become a Protestant?

A No sir.

Q Your father was a Hebrew?

A Yes sir.

Q Your mother also?

A Yes sir.

Q Were you sent by either of them to the Protestant Sunday school?

A No sir.

Q You never received any teachings there?

A No sir.

Q You were never told there if you did anything wrong in this world if you testified falsely, you would not go to heaven?

A No sir.

Q Who told you if you testified falsely here, or did wrong in this world that you would not go to heaven?

A I heard it.

Q You don't know who told you

A No sir.

Q Is there any other punishment if you swore falsely or told what is untrue?

A I would get put away.

Q Where too?

A I don't know where.

Q You know what an oath is?

A Yes sir.

Q What is it?

A If you swear to say something and take your oath on it to tell the truth.

Q Who called you in the room with Kenyon?

A Kenyon did.

Q I thought you said Rachel did?

A No sir.

Q You are sure Kenyon did?

A Yes sir.

Q Did you tell the Justice at the time the complaint that Charlie was in the room?

A Yes sir.

Q You saw him there?

A Yes sir.

Q Did Kenyon unbutton your draws?

A Yes sir.

Q Did he pull you on his lap first?

A Yes sir.

Q And Rachel Jackson said your legs were exposed. Were your drawers off?

A No sir.

Q How long did you stay in the room altogether?

A About 15 or 20 minutes.

Q When Kingon, as you stated was on top of you where were his hands do you remember?

A I don't remember.

Q His hands were not on your mouth?

A No sir.

Q You could have bit him if you wanted to on the face or the arm?

A I don't know.

Q You did not try to bite him?

A No sir.

Q What did you say to him when he



was in the act of doing this to you?

A I told him to stop.

Q How often did you tell him to stop?

A Twice.

Q In a loud tone of voice?

A Yes sir.

Q Did you scream or "holler"?

A No sir.

Q Didn't you cry afterwards?

A No sir.

Q You didn't "holler" or scream?

A No sir.

Q How do you know your age?

A When my aunt was here on a visit she told me I was 15 years, going on 16.

Q When was your aunt here?

A Last winter I believe.

Q That is the only way you know your age?

A Yes sir.

Q Didn't you tell people that you were

16 or 17 years of age?

A I never told that to anybody.

Q Did you ever tell anybody you were 14?

A Yes sir.

Q Why did you tell that you were 14 when your aunt told you last winter that you were 15 going on 16?

A My mama says I was 14 and my oldest sister said I was 15 going on 16 and my aunt said I was 15 going on 16.

Q What age did you tell people you were?

A 14 going 15.

Q That is the only way you know your age?

A Yes sir.

Q Is there any record kept in the bible in your house concerning your birthday?

A I never saw it.

Q You have a brother?

A Yes sir.

Q Is he older than you?

A No sir.

Q Is he younger than you?

A Yes sir.

Q How old is he?

A 11 going on 12.

Q When is his birthday?

A In August.

Q What year?

A I don't know.

Q When is your birthday?

A The 11<sup>th</sup> of October.

Q Sure about that?

A No sir.

Q Who told you that?

A Mama.

Q Are you sure your mother told you you were born on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October?

A Yes sir.

Q Did she tell you the year?

A 1870.

Q Who told you that?

A Mama.

Q Your mother told you that?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know what part of Germany you were born in?

A No sir.

Q Or the name of the place?

A No sir.

Q Do you know when you arrived in this country?

A I have been to Germany when I was 4 years old and came back again. I was there one year.

Q You don't know when you came back?

A No sir.

Q How do you know you were 4 years old when you were away to Europe?

A I didn't say I was sure, I say I think I was 4



Q Who did you go with?

A Mama my sister and brother.

Q You have a sister also?

A Yes sir.

Q How old is your sister?

A Going on 20.

Q What is her name?

A Bertha.

Q Is that the one that works in  
Sterns?

A Yes sir.

Q Give us the names of the young ladies  
you were in the habit of going with,  
and will you give us the names of  
the young gentlemen you went ~~in~~ with?

A I never did go with young gentle-  
men.

Q You never spoke with any young  
gentle-men?

A I spoke to them but I didn't go  
with them.

Q What is the name of the young

gentlemen you used to go with?

A I didn't go with any.

Q What ones did you speak to?

A I don't know the names now I know some of their first names.

Q Haven't you been attending picnics with some of these people?

A No sir.

Q Refresh your memory and let me know as you testified yesterday you didn't go to any picnic but the Cabin picnic and you didn't go with anybody except Charlie and Mr Kenyon. I ask you this question to see if you can refresh your memory perhaps you can give me a different answer. Didn't you go to different picnics with different people except to these you have testified to?

A No sir.

Q You sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q If anybody would come here on the island and say you did would they testify falsely?

Objected to by Mr Jenkins as improper

Objection sustained

Q I want to ask you this question you had a good sleep? you testified yesterday you were not told by anybody connected with the Pavilion or bathing establishment not to come there, is that true or were you told not to come there?

A One Sunday George at the door told me not to come there anymore.

Q Since George told you that that evening have you been there since?

A No sir.

Q Are you sure about that?

A I am't sure about that.

Rachel Jackson, a witness for the people  
being being duly sworn testified as follows.

Cross Examination by Mr Bayard

Q Do you know the nature of an oath?

A I was told it yesterday.

Q Do you remember what you were told?

A Yes sir.

Q What were you told?

A That I should tell the truth and if I did not I would be put up.

Q Who told you that?

A One of the men.

Q Do you remember what was said to you - did you kiss the bible?

A Yes sir.

Q What was said when you kissed the bible - what remark was made - was anything said to you?

A I forgot that.



Q You say you live in Brooklyn?

A Yes sir.

Q What number and Street?

A Number 256 Pearl Street.

Q Do you go to school?

A I was going to school Monday but my aunt told me I was wanted here.

Q You were spending your vacation with whom?

A My grand father.

Q Where does he live?

A At 120<sup>th</sup> Street and 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue.

Q The only time you came to New York is when you came to your grand father?

A Yes sir.

Q Have you been there before?

A Yes sir.

Q When you come to see your grand father where did you go to?

A To the bath.

Q That is the down stairs part - the lower part of the building?

A Yes sir.

B And the pavillion is up stairs?

A Yes sir.

B Where did you more frequently go to the bath or to the pavillion?

A I went up stairs first and then down stairs.

B You can swim?

A Yes sir.

B You got a medal for it?

A No sir, that is for skating.

B You are a champion skater, are you not?

A No sir.

B Where did you get it?

A In a race.

B Where?

A At the Olympian Club.

B Where is that?

A It used to be Mr. Hall's in 124<sup>th</sup> Street he was the manager.

B You used to go there pretty often?

A I used to when I was here sometimes in the afternoon.

B How long did it take you to become a champion skater?

A I used to skate before the rink was open - I skated in the street.

B How often did you go to Wall's rink?

A Once in a while.

B How many times?

A I couldn't say.

B How what period of time?

A The rink opened at 2.30 P.M. and I staid until it was closed - until 5.30 P.M. when it was out.

B During what months did you go there?

A In the winter.

B Last winter?

A No sir; in the winter of 1885.

B You didn't go to school then?

A Sometimes I staid home from school. Not every afternoon but once in a while I staid home to go to the

rink.

Q Did your mother give you permission to do that?

A Yes sir. I always asked her. It was very seldom, we slid away when the rink opened and I went in the afternoon. I didn't go to school then.

Q When was that - the winter before last?

A When Mrs. Hall first had the rink.

Q How long ago is that?

A The winter before last - the first part of the season.

Q You attended to the skating rink and not to school?

A I did not go to school then.

Q You did go to school before that?

A Yes sir.

Q That is the first skating rink you went to?

A Yes sir.

Q And the winter before last is the first



time you went to Hall's?

A Yes sir.

B Did you didn't go to school?

A No sir.

B How long that time you went to the rink through the entire season?

A Yes sir.

B Who brought you to the skating rink?

A I went there myself.

B What young men did you go there with?

A None at all.

B When did you commence to go with young men?

A About five weeks ago.

B Where was that?

A In my grand-father's place. It is more than five weeks ago - I was in Brooklyn six or seven weeks ago.

B What are the names of the young men you went with then?

A I used to speak to them but I never

Q. went out with them.

Q. You never did?

A. No sir.

Q. You never spent all night with any of them?

A. Yes sir, the night I went to this 10<sup>th</sup> Street house with "Charlie" and Martha.

Q. Who did he ask to go there?

A. Martha and I.

Q. How did he ask you to go there?

A. I told him I couldn't get in the house after nine o'clock and he persisted in my staying and I went with him and Martha. He got out of the car at 14<sup>th</sup> Street and "Charlie" brought us to the house and said he would get us a room and we would stay all night.

Q. How late in the night did you start to go there?

A. About eleven o'clock.

Q It was after nine o'clock?

A Yes sir.

Q How did you come to stay out until 11 o'clock?

A Lizzie Mather, Ada Van Houten and some others. I don't recollect their names and Martha Mackman and I were there. They were making so much noise that Mr. Hengen told Lizzie Mather to go down stairs - she was raising a racket and she went and got angry. After a while one of the girls went down and told her to go up. I don't know what time it was - It was about a quarter to ten o'clock and it was too late to go home. I told Martha I couldn't go home as I was not allowed in after nine o'clock and that I had no key. "Charlie" heard it and told us he would get us a room and we went with him and got the room. He tried to entice me

to something bad and I went to  
 scream and he put his hand over my  
 mouth. He asked me if I knew any-  
 thing about a ten dollar bill and  
 some change which was taken out of  
 his pocket. I told him if he thought  
 I had it, he could search me. Then  
 he accused Martha of it and said she  
 couldn't leave him until she gave him  
 the money. Then Martha took the \$10.  
 out of her shoe and the change out of  
 her pocket book which she had in  
 her pocket.

Q What did he do with Martha then?

A He tried to do the same thing to her  
 and he couldn't get any satisfaction  
 and he said he was going home. I asked  
 him where he lived and he said in  
 9<sup>th</sup> Street - He thought for a moment  
 and then said 9<sup>th</sup> Street.

Q You are fifteen years old you swear to  
 that?



A Yes sir.

Q What made you ask him where he lived?

A I just asked him - I wanted to know - it was for no purpose.

Q What did he want to do to you - do you know?

A Yes.

Q What?

A Something bad.

Q What is that - what do he try to do - you were undressed?

A No sir.

Q Was Martha undressed?

A No sir.

Q There was a bed in the room?

A Yes sir.

Q What did he try to do?

(Objected to by Mr. Jenkins)

Q Do you know what bad means?

A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever do anything bad?

A Yes sir; once.

Q Where.

A At a picnic one night in Luther's Park, there was a man there, I don't know his name. He said to me that I came there quite often and I told him I came there very seldom. He told me any time I wanted tickets to go there to go with him and he would show me where to get them. He brought me in a ball bag in a knemont horse and did something to me.

Q What did he do to you?

A Something bad.

Q When was that, was it before you went to Hall's suite?

A No sir.

Q When was that?

A About three months ago - when the picnics first commenced.

Q You go to picnics quite frequently?

A Very seldom.

Q Once in a while?

A I can't any more.

Q What picnics did you go to with Martha?

A I never went with her until one day I met her in the pavillion with Lizzie Maher.

Q Who did you go to the picnics with generally?

A Sometimes alone and twice with a girl named Lizzie Curran.

Q Where does she live?

A I don't know the number - it is in 121<sup>st</sup> Street.

Q East 121<sup>st</sup> Street?

A Yes sir

Q You and her used to go to picnics together?

A Yes; but she wasn't there that night.

Q That is about three months ago?

A Yes sir; I only went to two picnics

- with her - to the society picnic her father belonged to - to the association.
- Q You went to the rest alone?
- A Yes sir.
- Q How often?
- A About three times.
- Q Where did you used to go to?
- A To Subzer.
- Q How late would you stay there?
- A Nine o'clock. This night it was about a quarter past ten.
- Q Who did you go home with?
- A Alone.
- Q What did you do there?
- A Walked around and danced.
- Q Did you drink lager beer?
- A No sir.
- Q Who used you dance with?
- A Some girls.
- Q And young gentlemen?
- A I never did.
- Q At any of those picnics?



A He sir, gentlemen used to ask me  
and I said "no".

Q Did you speak of the occurrence that  
happened that night three months  
ago to anybody?

A He sir, I told Mr Knoll about it.

Q Mr Knoll told you to stay away  
from the pavillion?

A Not that I know of.

Q Will you swear to that?

A He put me down stairs one day -  
he told me to go down stairs.

Q Did the attaché tell you to get  
away?

A One fellow did. My sister and I  
went there and he told us to go down  
stairs and not to come in the pavill-  
ion at all.

Q When was that - how long ago  
is that?

A About three weeks.

Q Did you see Martha and Henry

do anything together?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you remember when that was - was it before they told you to keep away or was it afterwards?

A Before.

Q What did they do?

A Martha was lying on the sofa.

Q Did you call Martha in the room?

A No sir.

Q How did you come to go in the room?

A Henry told me he wanted to try on a pair of skates.

Q What did he say to Martha?

A That he wanted to try on a pair of skates and if they fitted her she could have them - Martha told me that. (Stricken out by order of the court)

Q What did he tell Martha in your presence?

A Nothing in my presence, she was sitting on his knee about ten

minutes and he threw her on the sofa?

Q Is that all you saw him do?

A She lifted up her clothes.

Q What did Martha say?

A She told him to stop and she tried to sweep her clothes down.

Q Did she scream?

A No sir.

Q Or battle with him?

A She tried to push him away.

Q Very hard?

A Yes sir, kind of hard.

Q What is all you heard her say?

A Yes sir.

Q And all you heard him say?

A Yes sir.

Q Did you see Martha lay there?

A Yes sir.

Q Were her feet apart?

A Yes sir.

Q So he could lay between her legs?

A Yes sir.

Q Are you sure about that?

A Yes sir.

Q Was any covering on her limbs?

A Yes sir.

Q Were her draws off?

A No sir; they were unbuttoned.

Q Her clothes were up?

A Yes sir.

Q How long did you see him in that position?

A About twenty minutes.

Q He was lying in that position all that time?

A Yes sir.

Q What did she do after that?

A After she got up, Mr. Henryson opened the door and let us out and secured the door and then we went to the ladies dressing room and after that he came out of the room out of his office door.



B He let you and Martha in and out?

A Yes sir.

B Was anybody else there?

A Yes; Charlie.

B When was he there?

A All the time.

B While this was going on?

A Yes sir; he was sitting on a trunk sometimes and I was looking over the candy stand in one part of the room. I had a bag of candy in my hand.

B What did Martha say to you after that?

A Nothing.

B She didn't cry?

A No sir.

B She never mentioned the occurrence to you at all?

A I think she said when she came out "Oh" he hurt me terribly.

Q That is all?

A Yes; that is what she said.

Q When did you commence to go out alone to skating rinks, and picnics?

A I don't know when.

Q About how long?

A I couldn't remember since the skating opened.

Q How long do you know Martha?

A Since the night we were up there the night we went to "Charlie's".

Q Did she ask you to go to a picnic with her?

A She spoke to me one day about a picnic (that was when Lizzie Malen was sent out - she was carrying on in Sulzer's).

Q Do you know that of your own knowledge?

A No sir; a good many people told me that.  
(stricken out by order of the court)

Q Martha told you to go there?

Q Yes sir but I did not.

Q That was after the occurrence with Kenyon?

A Before I saw her on the afternoon of Washington. I got acquainted with Lizzie Maher and then Lizzie Maher I got acquainted with Martha.

Q When you went in the room with Kenyon what did he say and do to you then?

A He put his hands up my clothes and said to me "Don't you let me have it to-day?" and I said "Yes, but don't you insult me, if you do I will tell." That is how he went for Martha.

Q He stopped when you said that?

A Yes sir.

Q You have a very nice bathing suit haven't you?

A I hired one.

Q And you frequently walked around the bathing houses with your suit on?

A Yes sir; on the ladies side.

Q And sometimes you went in rowboats?

A Yes sir.

Q Smoking cigarettes sometimes?

A Once.

Q You smoked cigarettes?

A Yes; Lily Taylor said to take one, it immediately hurt me.

Q Were there some gentlemen in the rowboat?

A Yes sir.

Q Friends of yours?

A Some friends - some actresses - I don't know their names. There were actors and actresses. There were two actresses there.

Q You went rowing with them?

A Yes sir.



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2. Had stair how long?

A. About fifteen or twenty minutes -  
I rode up the river and back.  
2. In the day time or the night  
time?

A. In the day-time - I never cooed  
in bathing night.

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Don Ackman, being duly sworn  
testifies as follows. on

Corp Exam - by - at Baywater

Elmer Ackman is my daughter -  
I have two other children besides  
her - Isabella & Joseph. I had  
three others Rachel, Theresa  
and Isabella - they are dead.  
I had six altogether. I was  
married 21 years ago but I  
can't tell the date - I have it  
in a book. I kept an entry of the  
children's birth in a book but  
I didn't enter Martha's birth for at  
that time we had a great deal of  
trouble & I forgot to do so. The entries  
were made in a family bible. I  
died so often and eight years  
ago I went to Europe and got  
lost. I went to Berlin & eight years

ago to the last time I was there.  
 I came from Europe where I was born  
 & made one trip from here to there  
 eight years ago. I was married  
 in the law - that is in Heitzog-  
 Rosen. Martha was born at a  
 place called Patzsch in the  
 Kingdom of Prussia - it is near Chellin.  
 Martha was born in 1876. I know  
 that as far as my knowledge and not  
 from what I have heard. I have  
 made no inquiries recently as to  
 her age & had no conversation  
 with Martha's aunt as to her  
 age nor did Martha tell me her  
 Aunt said she was of a different  
 age. I don't know exactly when my  
 other children were born. I can only  
 say what year Bertha was born in  
 nor what year the twins Rachel  
 and Theresa were born - nor can I  
 say when Balbino was born.

Joseph was 12 years old on the 15<sup>th</sup> of August 1884. Bertha was born first, then Balbino, then Martha, then the twins and then Joseph. Bertha was born a long year after my marriage and Balbino was born ten years after Bertha. I couldn't <sup>say</sup> when Balbino Martha was born and the rest I don't remember either. This is the first trouble I had with Martha. I always knew when she was out at night where she was. I didn't know she was in 16<sup>th</sup> Street. She wasn't out at night. The first time I had trouble with her was three months ago. I didn't send an officer after her. I don't know the birth day of Bertha or Balbino.

(By "Helmut"). I only know the boys



brick-day but not that of the towns.  
 Next month the population of Malta  
 will be sixteen.

By Mr. Dayeodm (Contd)

I live at 235 East 105<sup>th</sup> St. I have  
 lived there two weeks today. and before  
 that I lived at 1707 Lexington Av-  
 enue for months. Before that I live  
 two years in East 84<sup>th</sup> St. between 2<sup>d</sup>  
 & 3<sup>d</sup> Avenues. I have not a very good  
 memory but I can remember back  
 for a length of time. I lived eight  
 months in 120<sup>th</sup> St. and before that I  
 lived in 125<sup>th</sup> St. I don't know how long.  
 (The Court here instructed the witness  
 not to get excited but to take her time  
 and see if she can don't remember)  
 Before that I lived in 117<sup>th</sup> St. three or  
 four years. It was nine years

When I came back from Europe I  
 couldn't say, when I came back I  
 couldn't say, when I first came  
 here from Europe. I had my children  
 with me in Europe. but I don't know  
 how old Martha was at the time. I  
 tell you the date the boy was born  
 just the same as I know when  
 Martha was born. I don't give it from  
 the time the boy was born. Martha  
 was born on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October not the  
 11<sup>th</sup>. I don't celebrate the children's  
 birthday. Martha was born in  
 October. I am excited now. Martha  
 does not celebrate Christmas; she  
 is a Jewess. I never sent her to a  
 Protestant Sunday School. I don't  
 celebrate Christmas & don't bother  
 my head about it. I think it falls  
 in January. October comes before  
 January. October comes after June,  
 July — . I can repeat the calendar

Months. (Witness saw January, February, March, April and May in German)

The People have rested

By cu. Bayersdorfer - " The charge against the defendants for abduction in the complaint of Maucka under Section 293 of the Code of Criminal Procedure Mackman and by advice of his Counsel he is advised not to take the stand.

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cu. Bayersdorfer of defendants Counsel moved to dismiss the complaint on the grounds that the prosecution have not presented a case and the corroboration of the same against the defendants.

The witnesses for the People have contradicted themselves in many particulars and their testimony, therefore, has become of no weight. And the character and disreputability of the witnesses, together with their ages, would be insufficient upon which to convict the defendant, and that the same is not in accordance with the decision in the case of The People v. Agnew, Platt and under Section 282 of the Penal Code. Further that the testimony given as to the age of the complaining witness, Martha Mackman, is insufficient.

Motion denied

Exception taken

(The Defence here rested)



By "The Court" The defendant  
is held in \$2500. to answer at  
the Court of General Sessions.

Exhibit

to

Exhibit 1. Mr. Robert

Exhibit 2. Mr. Robert

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Police Court, 5<sup>th</sup> District.City and County } ss.  
of New York,of No. 235 East 105<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 14 years,

occupation none being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent went to the

Martha Machman  
 Harlem Beach Family Bathing Grounds  
 foot of East 116<sup>th</sup> Street, in company  
 of Rachel Jackson, aged fourteen  
 years, address unknown to deponent,  
 and entered the Bathing establish-  
 ment and thence upstairs to the  
 pavilion managed by one Fred.  
 Kenyon - Time 3 O'clock in the  
 afternoon of aforesaid day. Fred  
 Kenyon came to where deponent  
 and said Rachel Jackson were sitting  
 at a table and spoke to Rachel Jackson  
 saying "it was low tide go into the  
 Ladies Toilet" and I will let you in -  
 Rachel got up and went into the  
 Ladies Toilet, and after about 15 minutes  
 the said Kenyon came out of his room  
 and after going to the soda water  
 counter, the said Kenyon beckoned  
 to deponent to go into the "Ladies  
 Toilet" and there deponent was  
 admitted into said Kenyon's room  
 through a door in the partition, by  
 the said Rachel Jackson.

About 5 minutes after deponent  
 entered Kenyon's room, the said  
 Kenyon entered and said to de-  
 ponent to "try on a pair of roller  
 skates which were lying on the  
 floor. Deponent, did, as said Kenyon  
 told her, said Kenyon assisting and  
 putting his hand under deponent's  
 clothes, and felt of said deponent's  
 limbs and privates. Deponent ob-



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jected, and ordered said Kenyon to stop, but said Kenyon pulled deponent on to his knees, deponent screaming, and succeeding in unbuttoning deponents drawers, having previously pulled up deponents clothes, said Kenyon did then and there have sexual intercourse with deponent, Rachel Jackson being present through the entire proceedings. A girl by name of Annie Donnelly came into the room for some candy while deponent was sitting on said Kenyon's knees. Martha Ackman

Summons before me this 14th day of September 1888  
Sam'l C. Hall Police Justice.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named \_\_\_\_\_  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
Police Justice.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
Police Justice.

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Offence,

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

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

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

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

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions



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Sec. 198—200.

5<sup>th</sup>

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Frederick M. Kenyon 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. Frederick M. Kenyon

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 202 Can 106<sup>th</sup> St. ? one year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Manager

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

Frederick M. Kenyon

Taken before me this

5<sup>th</sup>

day of December 1886

Samuel C. Smith Police Justice.

Sec. 151.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3.

*In the name of the People of the State of New York, to the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Justices for the City of New York, by *Charles E. Carter* of New York, the Sheriff of the County of New York, GREETING:

Justices for the City of New York, by Charles C. Fiske of No. 100 East 21<sup>st</sup> St.

100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, that on the 1886 at the City of New York, by *Charles C. Jones*, one of the Police

of No. 100 East 23rd Street, that on the 3rd day of September 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
 Street, that on the 3 day of September

\_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 1908 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was informed and

and great cause to believe and did do.

and great cause to believe and did believe that

~~... was to believe and did believe that even~~

everything did mean, just as it did before. That one

At Day of August 1886, take 2 sets of photographs, on the

Wednesday August 1886, take a certain amount of the

Age of Indian years, to wit certain female inc

age of sixteen years, to wit one Maattaagah.

the age of fourteen years, to wit one Northbrook

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Wherefore, the said complainant has prayed that the said respondent be declared wifeless.

Ver the said court has granted the prayer made by the said complainant and has ordered that the said respondent be declared wifeless.

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and

On or about 10/10/2019, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to

These are Therefore, in the name of the Plaintiff

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Fred Kenyon  
707 E 116 St.

Warrant-General.

Dated Sept 4<sup>th</sup> 1886

O'Reilly Magistrate

Egan Officer.

The Defendant

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

Thomas Egan Officer.

Dated Sept 4<sup>th</sup> 1886

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

O'Reilly Police Justice.

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

Dated

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The within named

Fredrick Kenyon A. No. 5. 202. E 116 St.

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Frederick M. Kenyon  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 257 Hundred Dollars, \_\_\_\_\_ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Sept 8th 1886 Sam'l D. Kelly Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Police Court *5<sup>th</sup>* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles E. Knoll*  
*100 E 23*

*Fredrick M. Kerrigan*

*Offence Abduction*

Dated *September 4<sup>th</sup>* 188 *6*

*O'Reilly* - Magistrate.

*Thomas Legan* Officer.

(*V*) *5<sup>th</sup> Precinct*

Witnesses *Martha Nachman*  
*Dora Nachman*  
No. *235* *East 105* Street.

*Rachel Jackson Sr. & Jr.*  
No. *256* *Rear Bklyn* Street.

*"Testimony in case"*  
No. *E. J. Kerry* Street.

\$ *2500* to answer *G S*

*Case No 121472*

*\$2500 bail for Ex. Sept 7-9/10*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Fredricka M. Thompson

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

Fredricka M. Thompson  
of the CRIME OF Seduction, —

committed as follows:

The said Fredricka M. Thompson,

late of the ~~South~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-  
said, on the ~~ninth~~ day of August, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~six~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

did feloniously take, receive and  
harbor one Rachel Jackson, who  
was then and there a female under  
the age of sixteen years, to wit: of  
the age of fourteen years, for the  
purpose of sexual intercourse, the  
the said Fredricka M. Thompson  
not being then and there the  
husband of the said Rachel Jackson;  
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, to their dignity  
Randolph C. Martine,  
Attorney

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Max Bayerdorfer  
133-4th Ave  
H.K.

Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 16 day of Sept 1886  
Pleads Not guilty

[Section \_\_\_\_\_, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Fredrick M. Kenyon  
(2 sons)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Macleod

Foreman

No 121

Witnesses:

E. J. Gerry  
Martha Rachman  
Richard Jackson

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Fredinda M. Thompson

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

Fredinda M. Thompson  
of the CRIME OF Abduction, —

committed as follows:

The said Fredinda M. Thompson,

late of the 2nd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-  
said, on the 11th day of August, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

did feloniously take, receive, harbor,  
employ and use one Martha Hadman,  
who was then and there a female  
under the age of sixteen years, to wit:  
of the age of fourteen years, for the  
purpose of sexual intercourse, the  
the said Fredinda M. Thompson not  
being then and there the husband of  
the said Martha Hadman, 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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