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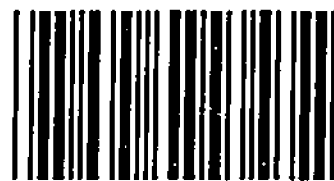
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DESCRIPTION:

Wilhelm, Philip

DATE:

10/31/82



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Counsel,  
Filed 31 day of Oct 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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BRIDGES

vs.

BURGLARY - Third Degree,  
Grand Larceny,

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

22 Nov 1, 1882

Pleads 4 Burg 3.

A True Bill.

Robert B. Kinnel

Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County  
of New York,

ss.

Gertrude Audriano, aged 19 years

Salutary No. 9 Third Avenue

of No.

Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 9 Third Avenue

Street,

19th

Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling

the 2<sup>d</sup> floor which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

entered by means of forcibly opening the lock on the door <sup>were</sup> **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
~~leading~~ <sup>leading</sup> in back room of deponent's  
 apartments with false keys or some other  
 implement to deponent unknown  
 on the morning of the 18th day of October 1892  
 and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

One Gold Watch

One Gold Chain

One Gold Locket &amp;

One Charm set in Gold all of the value  
 of forty dollars and twenty five dollars  
 in good and lawful moneys all of the value  
 of one hundred and fifteen dollars \$115<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

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 Phillip Wilhelm (somewhere)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That on said day at about  
 six o'clock in the morning deponent securely  
 locked and fastened said room which  
 contained a Trunk in which was said  
 property and went to work. That she returned  
 to her home at about 1 o'clock P.M. on said  
 day she found her room locked as when  
 she left it; upon opening the door and going



into her room deponent discovered that said property had been stolen from her Room in said room. Deponent further says that she was informed by Harlan P Hager a jeweller at No. 1057 Second Avenue in said City that on the morning of the 24<sup>th</sup> day of October 1882 at about the hour of 8:30, o'clock A.M. the within defendant Phillip Williams came to his store at said number and offered to trade the property described in the within in the within affidavit (now here shown) for a Silver Watch valued at twelve dollars. said Hager ~~deponent~~ prevailed upon him to ~~call~~ leave said property with him and that he would try and get a watch such as he wanted said defendant left the stolen property with him and <sup>defendant</sup> called on two occasions to get his watch in trade, that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October said defendant was arrested by officer Buff of the 19<sup>th</sup> Precinct while endeavouring to get said Silver Watch, Deponent therefore charges the said defendant with feloniously and Burglariously stealing said property as aforesaid.

Gertrude C. Adriano.

Sworn to before me this  
26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1882

H. M. Munnay Police Justice



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Form 10.

POLICE COURT—~~SIXTH~~ DISTRICT

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

*Harlan P Hager*  
of No. *105* *Second Avenue* Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the        day of        197 at the City         
of New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn to, this

*26th*

day of *October*

1972

*He has heard the foregoing affidavit read  
and that portion of said affidavit which  
refers to him deponent is true*

*H. P. Hager*

before me,  
*Wm. J. Murray*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

*Philip Wilhelm* 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.

*Philip Wilhelm*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*No 881 3<sup>d</sup> Avenue, 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I used to work in a Bakery*

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 got the property from a boy who wanted me to sell it**Philip Wilhelm.*Taken before me this  
day of *October*  
*1889*

1889

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, \_\_\_\_\_

Rec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court, 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Contraband of Goods*  
*869-3*  
*Philip Williams*

Offence, *Burglary*

Dated *October 26* 188 *2*

*W. Murray* Magistrate.

*Levy J. McDonald* Officer.

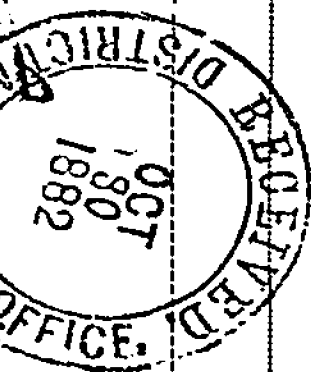
*19th Avenue*

Witnesses

No. *1057 2d Avenue*

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

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



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

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Ten* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *October 26* 188 *2*

*W. Murray* Police Justice.

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

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

Police Justice.

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

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

Police Justice.



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Sec. 203, 204, 210 & 212.

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Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Antonio Adriano*  
*869 3rd*  
*Philip Willden*  
1  
2  
3  
4  
Offence, *Burglary*

Dated *October 26* 188*2*

*W. Murray* Magistrate.  
*Levy McRae* Officer.  
*19th Avenue*

Witnesses  
*Harlan P Hager*  
No. *1057* *2nd Avenue*

No. Street,  
No. Street,  
No. Street.



*19th Ave*  
*2*

BAILED,

No. 1, by  
Residence Street,  
No. 2, by  
Residence Street,  
No. 3, by  
Residence Street,  
No. 4, by  
Residence Street,

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

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

Dated *October 26* 188*2*  
*W. Murray* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188  
Police Justice.

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

Dated 188  
Police Justice.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Samuel Wilhelm*

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

*Samuel Wilhelm*

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

The said

*Samuel Wilhelm*

late of the ~~Nineteenth~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~eighteenth~~ day of ~~October~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~ with force and arms, about the hour of ~~ten~~ o'clock in the ~~day~~ time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Cyrtunde Andriano*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of forcibly ~~breaking open an outer door thereof~~ he the said

*Samuel Wilhelm*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Cyrtunde Andriano*

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.

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

*Samuel Wilhelm*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN A DWELLING HOUSE, committed as follows :

The said

*Samuel Wilhelm*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, ~~one watch~~ of the value of ~~twenty dollars~~, ~~one chain~~ of the value of ~~ten dollars~~, ~~one pocket~~ of the value of ~~five dollars~~, ~~one chain~~ of the value of ~~five dollars~~, and ~~several~~ promissory notes for the payment of money the same being then and there due and unsatisfied of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown of the value of ~~seventy five dollars~~ of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Cyrtunde Andriano*

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

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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse

*Philip Wilhelm*  
of the CRIME OF *Receiving Stolen Goods*

committed as follows:

The said

The said

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

*one watch of the value of twenty dollars*  
*one chain of the value of ten dollars*  
*one locket of the value of five dollars*  
*and one charm of the value of five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Gertrude Anderson*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

*Gertrude Anderson*  
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have, he the said

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.



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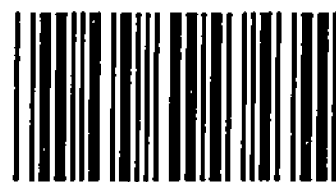
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Will, Peter

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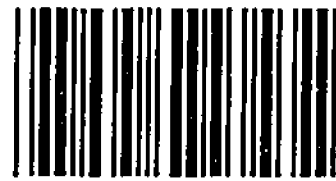
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Destler, Adam

DATE:

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 293 Stanton Street, 28. Married woman  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 8th day of Sept 1882  
at the above premises City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, and from her room in the daytime  
the following property, viz:

good and lawful money consisting  
of bank bills and silver coins of  
the value of Fifteen dollars

the property of in the care and custody of  
deponent

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

Ditzler (both names) for the reason that on  
or about the above date said Will and  
Ditzler came to deponent's room and asked  
her if she would purchase some varnish.  
While deponent was talking to Ditzler  
said Will took stole and ran away  
with said sum of money which was lying  
on deponent's bureau when said defendants  
entered deponent's room. Said Will and Ditzler  
also admitted and confessed to deponent  
that they took stole and carried away said money  
from deponent's room. Regina Hartmann

Subscribed before me this 25th day of October 1882  
John J. Smith  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Adam Ditzler 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. Adam Ditzler

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Fifteen years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. US

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

Answer. 172 3d Street Six months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Lithographing

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

Answer. I was in the room and will when he took the money

Adam Ditzler

Taken before me this 25th

day of Oct

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John J. Smith  
Office Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

*Peter Will*

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.

*Peter Will*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Sixteen*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*231 East 4th St New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Lithographer*

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*

*Peter Will*

Taken before me this *25*  
day of *Sept*

1887

*Robert H. Smith*

Notary Public



BALLOD.

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

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

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

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

Police Court-56 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Defendant's Attorney

129 3<sup>3</sup> Jackson

John Rustle

Adams Ditchler

Offence,

Dated 22-12-1882

*[Signature]*

John Law

112 Paul Clerk

**Witnesses,**

No.

**Abstract**

No. -

No. .

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RECEIVED  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
OCT 19 1882  
to answer  
OFFICE

Deer General Sessions

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 Peter Will and D

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

Dated Oct 25th 1882 Polou N. Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 188 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 188 Police Justice.

give such bail.

Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he

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

and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed,

329 106 District.  
Police Court

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Reginald Hartman  
129 3rd Station

Peter Will

Adam Ditzler

Offence, *Carrying a Dangerous Weapon*

Dated *Oct 25th* 1882

Magistrate.

*James Paulsen*

Clerk.

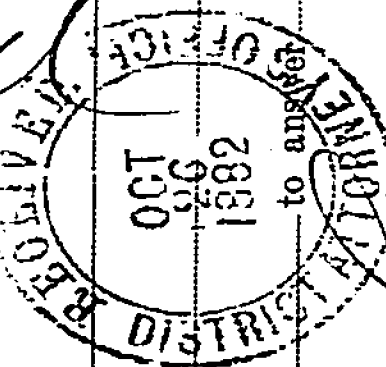
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No. Street,

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&



*General Sessions*

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

Peter Wier and  
Adam Dexter

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

Peter Wier and Adam Dexter

of the CRIME OF <sup>Petit</sup> LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said

Peter Wier and  
Adam Dexter

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on  
the ~~eight~~ day of ~~September~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty- ~~two~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with  
force and arms one promissory note for the payment  
of money the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied of the kind commonly  
called Bank Notes of the denomination  
and of the value of five dollars, one  
promissory note for the payment of  
money the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied of the kind commonly  
called United States Treasury notes of the  
denomination and of the value of five  
dollars, one promissory note for the pay-  
ment of money the same being then and  
there due and unsatisfied of the kind  
commonly called United States Treasury  
notes of the denomination and of the  
value of two dollars, one promissory  
note for the payment of money the  
same being then and there due and  
unsatisfied of the kind commonly  
called United States Treasury notes of  
the denomination and of the value  
of one dollar, and divers silver coins of  
the United States of a number kind  
and denomination to the Grand Jury  
aforesaid in sum of the value of  
two dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles

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

John D. Dean  
District Attorney



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

of the crime of RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS,

committed as follows :

The said

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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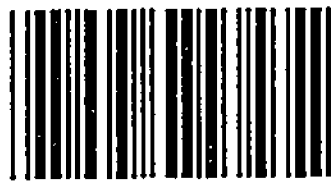
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Williams, Benjamin

DATE:

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Counsel, Wm  
Filed 5 day of Oct 1882

Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
Grand Larceny.

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*Benjamin Williams*

*Feb 11/82*

*Pleads Not Guilty*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

*Per One year.*

A True Bill.

*Leah B. K.*

Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*



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Police Court—Second District.

City and County  
of New York.

ss: Charles H. Burton

of No. 14 West 26<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn,deposes and says, that the premises No. 14 West 26<sup>th</sup>Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling homeand which was occupied by deponent as a ~~Dwelling~~ ~~Place~~ Homeby Nelson Amos & deponent were **BURGLARIOUSLY**entered by means of forcibly breaking open or off the  
lock fastening the door leading from the hallway  
of ~~the~~ the third floor of the said premises—on the afternoon of the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1882.

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two cloth Coats together of the value  
of thirty five dollars. and One pair of  
Cloth Pants of the value of five dollars.  
all being of the value of forty dollars.

the property of deponent.

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that

the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen

and carried away by Benjamin Williams (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit:

that at or about the hour  
of 7<sup>th</sup> Mr. O'clock P.M. on said date deponent  
slept said room securely fastened and  
went out. deponent returned at or about  
the hour of One O'clock A.M. on the 29<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1882 and discovered that  
the said room had been forcibly entered  
and the said property taken stolen and  
carried away. On the first day of October

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1887 Deponent saw the said Williams.  
on Fifth Avenue. having in his possession  
and on his person. the pants which.  
deponent identified as a portion of  
the property which had been taken  
out and carried away as aforesaid.  
Deponent board with Mr. Wm. Smith &  
occupying the room that was broken open  
from below me. (The front door of the  
house is left open  
This 2<sup>d</sup> day of October 1887 C. Howard Burton  
B. W. M. J. Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Benjamin Williams* 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

*Benjamin Williams.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Nineteen Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Baltimore Md*

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

Answer.

*337 West 36<sup>th</sup> Street 2 Weeks.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Steward*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the Charge of Stealing the door was open. and I went in about 5<sup>30</sup> O'clock. on the afternoon of the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1882. But I did not burst the door open.*

*Ben Williams*

Taken before me this

*2<sup>nd</sup>*

day of

*October*

1882

*Police Justice.*



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

Police Court 182 District 67

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles H. Mutch  
141 West 26 St  
Benjamin Williams  
Burglary  
and Larceny

Offence, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated

October 2<sup>d</sup>

1882

Magistrate.

William J. Sullivan  
Clerk.

Witnesses,

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

Street,

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

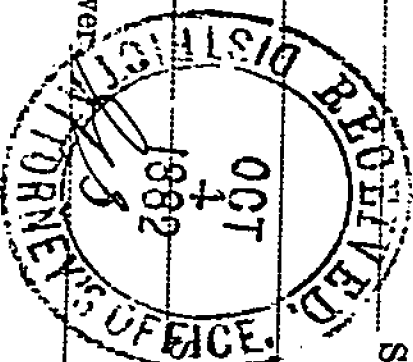
Street,

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

Street,

Benjamin Williams

to answer



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 \_\_\_\_\_

Benjamin Williams.

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and ~~he~~ <sup>be</sup> admitted to bail in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 October 2<sup>d</sup> 1882, B. J. Murphy Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

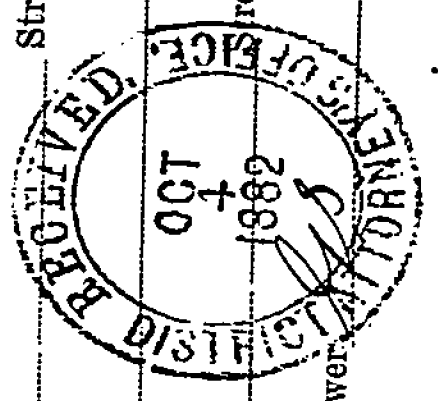
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Police Court No. 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Charles H. Burton*  
*141 West 23<sup>d</sup> St.*  
*Benjamin Williams*

Offence, *Grand Larceny*  
Dated *October 2<sup>d</sup>* 1882  
Magistrate.  
*Matthew S. Kelly* Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
*Samuel* to answer.



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

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *Benjamin Williams* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and ~~he be admitted to bail in the sum of~~ ~~Twenty Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he~~ ~~give such bail~~ *as shall be approved by me.*  
Dated *October 2<sup>d</sup>* 1882, *B. V. Murphy* Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named \_\_\_\_\_ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Benjamin Williams*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Benjamin Williams*  
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said

*Benjamin Williams*

late of the *Sixteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *September* in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms,  
about the hour of *five* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Charles M. Burton*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of forcibly  
*breaking open an outer door thereof* he the said

*Benjamin Williams*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and  
personal property of *Charles M. Burton*

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.

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

*Benjamin Williams*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN A DWELLING HOUSE, committed as follows :

The said

*Benjamin Williams*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *two*  
*coats of the value of eighteen dollars*  
*each, and one pair of trousers of*  
*the value of five dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Charles M. Burton*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.



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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, Frank

DATE:

10/16/82



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Filed 16<sup>173</sup> day of Feb 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Williams

H.D.

Obtaining Goods by False Pretences.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Robert B. King

Foreman.

Feb 16/82

Pleading guilty

Pen. One year

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Form 99

Sixth District Police Court.

STATE OF NEW YORK.  
City and County of New York, ss.

Complainant  
in House of Detention

Patrick Keegan  
aged 50 years Blacksmith  
of the City and County of New York  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

On the 1st day of October 1882  
One Frank Williams (now here)  
did by means of false  
pretences designedly made  
with intent to cheat and  
defraud this department and  
did cheat by means of  
the false writing or token  
hereto attached and forming  
a portion of this Complaint out  
of good and lawful money  
of the United States to the  
amount and value of Twenty  
one dollars \$21.00 the property of the  
Department  
Met said Williams on  
Page 33, North river and  
by making false statements  
and handing department the  
unreel false writing department  
parted and gave said  
Williams Twenty one dollars  
relying on said false token  
and the statements that Williams  
made to him (deponent) to  
be true whereas in fact  
the writings or tokens as his  
Williams statement are false.

Patrick Keegan

Sworn to before me this 13th day

of October 1882

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Frank Williams* 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~~ waiven cannot be used  
against ~~him~~ on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Frank Williams*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States.*

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

Answer. *Boston Ten years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Book binder.*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*  
*Frank Williams*  
*mark*Taken before me, this *26th*day of *October* 188*2**A. L. Morgan* Police Justice.

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No. 1436 New York, Oct 12th 1872

**THE**  
**Importers' & Traders' National Bank** OF NEW YORK.  
THROUGH THE NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION.

Pay to William Martin or Order,

Seven Hundred and Fifty 1/2 Dollars

756 1/2

Smith, Jones, & Co

Francis & Loutrel, N. Y.  
Pat. April, 1870.





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*Grand Magistrate*

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c. 173  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Patrick Regan*  
*George Denton*  
*Wm. Williams*

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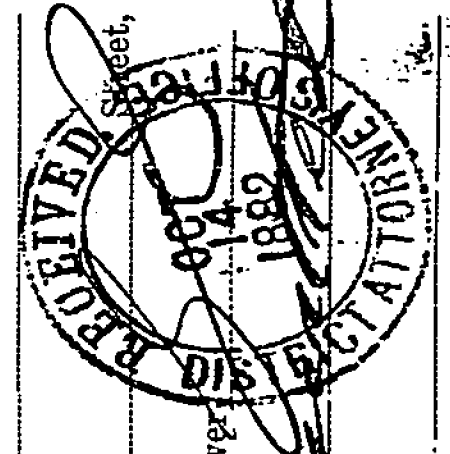
Date *October 13th* 188*2*

*George Denton* Magistrate  
*James H. Wall* Clerk.

Witness  
*George Denton*  
*Wm. Williams*

No. *173* Street,  
*Comp. & Co. Paying Teller*  
*Imp. & Sons Bank* Street,

No. *173* Street,  
to answer *Bill*  
*George Denton*  
Clerk.



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

*Comp. & Co. Paying Teller*  
*Imp. & Sons Bank*  
*George Denton*  
*Wm. Williams*  
*Bill*  
*George Denton*  
*Wm. Williams*  
*Bill*  
*George Denton*  
*Wm. Williams*

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

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

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

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

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

give such bail. \_\_\_\_\_ Hunderd Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he

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

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

*Frank Williams*

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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

Frank Williams

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

Frank Williams

of the crime of OBTAINING GOODS BY MEANS OF FALSE PRETENCES,  
committed as follows:

The said

Frank Williams

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the ~~eleventh~~ day of ~~October~~ in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~ at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud one

Patrick Heegan

did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend  
and represent to the said Patrick Heegan

That a certain paper writing which he  
the said Frank Williams then and  
there exhibited to and presented to  
the said Patrick Heegan in the words  
and figures following, that is to say:  
No. 1936 New York Oct 12th 1882

Importers & Traders National Bank of  
New York  
Through the New York Clearing House Association  
Pay to William Martin or Order  
Seven Hundred and Fifty 00 Dollars  
\$750.00 Smith Jones & Co.

was a good and valid bank check and  
of the value of seven hundred and  
fifty dollars, and that there was  
a firm called Smith Jones and  
Company carrying on business in the  
City and County of New York, and that  
the said firm of Smith Jones and  
Company had on deposit in the said  
Importers and Traders National Bank  
a large sum of money, to wit: the sum  
of seven hundred and fifty dollars

And the said Patrick Keegan,

then and their believing the said false pretences and representations so made as aforesaid by the said

Frank Williams

and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of the false pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said

Frank Williams the sum of twenty one dollars in money lawful money of the United States and of the value of twenty one dollars

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects of the said Patrick Keegan

and the said Frank Williams did then and there designedly receive and obtain the said sum of money

of the said

Patrick Keegan

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects of the said

Patrick Keegan

by means

of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud the said

Patrick Keegan

of the same. And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said

paper writing which he the said Frank Williams then and there exhibited to and presented to the said Patrick Keegan was not a good and valid bank check and was not worth the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, but was entirely void and worthless; and there was no such firm of Smith Jones and Company carrying on business in the said City and County, and the said firm of Smith Jones and Company did not have the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars on deposit in the said Importers and Traders National Bank



or any sum of money whatever

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, by the said Frank Williams to the said Patrick Heegan was and were in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said Frank Williams well knew the said pretences and representations so by him made as aforesaid to the said Patrick Heegan to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid, do say, that the said Frank Williams by means of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did receive and obtain from the said Patrick Heegan the sum of twenty one dollars in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of twenty-one dollars

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of the said Patrick Heegan with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud him of the same, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, Sarah

DATE:

10/04/82



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## Counsel.

Filed 4 day of

1882

## Plecks

# THE PEOPLE

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**INDICTMENT.**  
Grand Jurors of Money, &c.

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Barah Williams

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney.*

# A True Bill.

Leitch B. King

*Foreman.*

Oct 10/23

Dear Father  
Per: Love m.

Peri: line out...



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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. 814 Atlantic Avenue Brooklyn Peter Thompson aged 49 years occupation Cabinet Maker  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30 day of September 1882  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, and from deponent's person in the day time  
the following property, viz:

one pocket book containing  
lawful money to the amount  
and value of forty four dollars

the property of

deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by Sarah Williams (now here)

from the fact that deponent met said defendant  
in a lager beer saloon at premises no  
7 Elizabeth Street and she solicited  
deponent for the purpose of prostitution  
deponent went with defendant to no 5  
Elizabeth Street and went into a bed room  
and after remaining there about a quarter  
of an hour defendant made an excuse to deponent  
saying "they are calling me" thereupon defendant

Sergeant J. J. Smith

J. J. Smith

Bureau of Police

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left deponent in said room immediately thereafter deponent missed the aforesaid property from the pocket of the pantaloons then and there worn by deponent. Subsequently deponent was informed by officer Kierns that he found a pocket book containing money in said defendants possession deponent has seen said property and fully identifies the same as his property stolen as aforesaid

Sworn to before me this  
First October 1882 J. Thompson

*A. L. Higgins*  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Sec. 198-200.

1<sup>st</sup> District Police Court.CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.*Sarah Williams*

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.

*Sarah Williams*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*47 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*United States*

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

Answer.

*28 Cherry St. 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*housekeeper*

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**Sarah Williams*  
*Mark*

Taken before me this

day of

1888

*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

1 *Sarah Williams*  
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Offence, *Larceny from person*

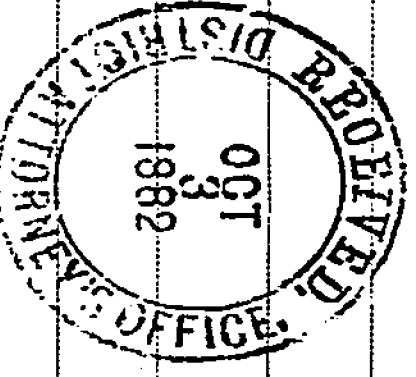
Dated *1 October* 188*2*

*Wm. J. Magistrate*  
*Wm. J. Magistrate*  
*Wm. J. Magistrate*

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

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

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



No. *1509* to answer *G. J.* Street, \_\_\_\_\_

*John*

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 *Sarah Williams*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *100* 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 *21st Oct* 188*2* *A. P. Magner* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

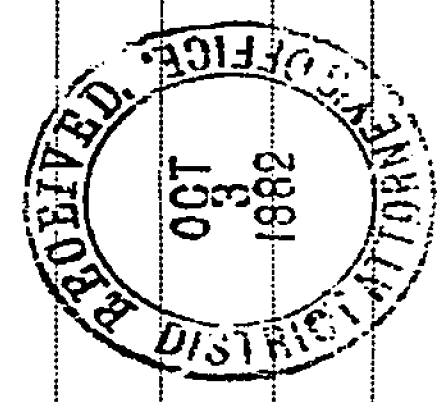
give such bail.  
Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of \$1000.  
and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed.  
Sarah Williams

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Peter Thompson  
Sp4 - Atlantic City  
Sarah Williams  
Offence, *Carrying a Weapon*

Dated 1 October 188  
Morgan Magistrate.  
Kiems & English Officer.  
C. Pecuch Clerk.

Witnesses,  
No. Street,  
No. Street,  
No. Street,  
\$100 to answer  
G. L.  
C. L.



BAILED,  
No. 1 by  
Residence  
No. 2, by  
Residence  
No. 3, by  
Residence  
No. 4, by  
Residence

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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

*Sarah Williams*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse  
*Sarah Williams*  
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY, committed as follows :

The said

*Sarah Williams*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~thirtieth~~ *thirtieth* day of *September* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~ *two* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force  
and arms, *\$40.-* three 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 thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: three 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 denomina-  
tion of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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 de-  
nomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty 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: eighty 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 denomina-  
tion of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred 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 denomina-  
tion of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty 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 one hundred dollars:  
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 fifty 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 twenty dollars each: three 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: ten 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 five dollars each: ten 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 three dollars each:  
fifteen 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 two dollars each: thirty 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 one dollar each: bank bills of banks  
to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one  
thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each:  
three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually  
known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of  
the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the  
value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar  
each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot  
be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of  
one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one  
hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty five cents each:  
three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins  
(of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known  
as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown and a more  
particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known  
as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each.

*and one pocket book of the value of  
one dollar*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Peter Thompson*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.



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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Henry

DATE:

10/13/82



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WITNESSES.

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Henry Wilson

## Pleads,

13 day of Feb 1882

Pleads, *On penalty \$6*

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*First* District Police Court Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss

of No.

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

day of

188

at the

City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

of deponent,

the following property, viz:

*from his person in the night time*  
A gold watch and chain  
collectively of the value of  
fifty dollars

the property of

*deponent*

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

and that this deponent

*Henry Wilson now*  
*present* That deponent was  
riding on the front platform of  
a Third Avenue Car about half  
past two O'clock A.M. on said  
morning when the defendant who was  
standing beside him suddenly  
grasped the chain and pulled  
the watch from a pocket of deponent's  
vest. That deponent then seized him  
and took the watch and chain from  
his possession.

*Albert Rodler*

Sworn before me this

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Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

*Henry Wilson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*32 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*In Monroe Street About one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Packer*

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 exoneration?

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge*

*Henry Wilson*

Taken before me this  
day of

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*John J. Brown*  
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

*Charles H. Allen*  
*Henry Wilton*

Offence, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *October 11* 188 *2*

*Henry* Magistrate.

*John J. Masterson* Officer.

*14* Clerk.

Witnesses, *Charles Nicomelle*

No. *125* *Eliphalet* Street,

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

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

\$ *1000* - to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
1882  
OCT 11 1882  
CLERK'S OFFICE

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

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 *Oct 11* 188 *2* *Henry* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Albert H. Copley*  
*713 2nd Avenue*  
*Henry Weston*

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

Dated *October 11* 188*2*

*John V. Masterston*  
Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses,  
*Charles Wisnietel*  
No. *125* Elizabeth Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ *1000* - to answer  
OCT 13 1882  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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 *\$500*

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.

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

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

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

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



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Henry Wilson*

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

*Henry Wilson*  
of the CRIME <sup>Grand</sup> OF LARCENY (from the person) *in the night time*

committed as follows:

The said

*Henry Wilson*

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

*said day, one watch of the value of*  
*forty dollars and one chain of the*  
*value of ten dollars.*

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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Winship, John

DATE:

10/11/82



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and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*Max Martog*

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain Lottery wherein divers monies were set up to be distributed by lot and chance, a more particular description of which said Lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say:

*Boxer Oct 7*  
*43 257 -*  
*19 47 63 25*  
*18 34 61 25*  
*51 5 14 5*  
*3 2 4 5 34*

(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney*

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Day of Trial, *11/11/1882*  
Counsel, *Robert*  
Filed *11/11/1882*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Selling Lottery Policies.*

*B*

*John W. Smith*  
*John W. Smith*  
*3 cases*

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*Leadbetter*  
*May 23/82.*  
*Foreman.*  
*Glenns County*  
*Sentence suspended.*

Witnesses:



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Booke <sup>Exhibition</sup> - 0017

43 - 7 - 251 -

19 47 63 95

18 34 61 85

57 5 14 85

38 and 41 - 3 - 1

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AFFIDAVIT—Selling Lottery Policies.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1<sup>st</sup> District Police Court.

Max Hentog  
of No. 35 Bowery Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October  
1882, at premises No. 2 Stuyvesant Place Street,  
in the City and County of New York,

John Windship (now here)  
did unlawfully and feloniously sell and vend to deponent—

for and in consideration of the sum of thirty-five cents  
a certain paper and document, the same being what is commonly  
known as, and is called a Lottery Policy, and which said Lottery  
Policy, writing, paper, and document is ~~as follows, that is to say~~

Hereunto annexed and marked "Exhibit  
A—" and being in the nature of a Ven. exagon,  
or insurance upon the drawing or drawing numbers  
of a lottery unauthorized by law

Which deponent charges was in violation of the statute in such  
case made and provided, and prays that the said

John Windship— may be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 7<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1882.

Max Hentog

J. Henry Ford  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

*John Windship* — 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.

*John Windship*

Question How old are you?

Answer.

*52 years 7 age*

Question Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*302 West 55th St*

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 of the charge*  
*John Windship*

Taken before me this

day of *October*

1882

*John Windship*

Police Justice.



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BAILED,  
No. 1 by John Windship  
Residence 14 Broadway Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

114 833  
Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Max Houtz  
35 Borey  
John Windship

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

Offence, Violation of the  
Lottery Law

Dated October 7th 1882

Henry Bond Magistrate.  
Samuel Hoag Officer.

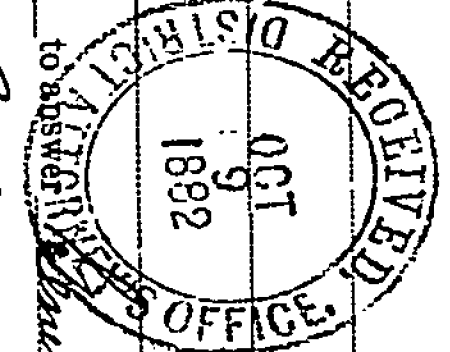
1st Mark Windship

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

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

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

\$ 300 to abide by the return.



Paul

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 Windship

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

Dated October 7th 1882 J. Henry Bond Police Justice.

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

Dated October 7th 1882 J. Henry Bond Police Justice.

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

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

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Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

I have admitted the above named \_\_\_\_\_ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated *October 7<sup>th</sup>* 1882 *J. Henry Jones* Police Justice.

Dated *October 7<sup>th</sup>* 1882 *J. Henry Jones* Police Justice.

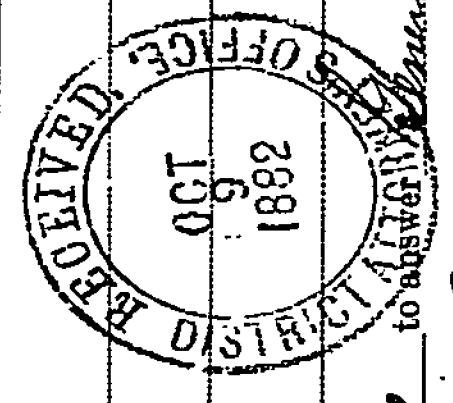
It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_ guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Police Court 1<sup>st</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Max Hentz*  
*35 Bowery*  
*John Muncie*

Offence *Violation of the*  
Dated *October 7<sup>th</sup>* 1882  
*J. Henry Jones* Magistrate.  
*Charles Seaver* Officer.  
*1<sup>st</sup> J. J. Smith*

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ *200* to answer *to answer*  
*Bailed*



BAILED,  
No. 1 by *John Johnson*  
Residence *14 Broadway* Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John Winslow*

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

*John Winslow*

of the CRIME OF "Vending and Selling to another what are commonly known as and called Lottery Policies," committed as follows:

The said

*John Winslow*

late of the *Seventeenth* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid,  
 on the *sixth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one  
 thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
 with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply, to one

*Max Hartog*

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*Max Hartog*

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said paper,  
 instrument, and writing, called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

*Born Oct 7*  
*43 — 257 —*  
*19 47 63 95*  
*18 34 61 95*  
*51 . 5 . 14 95*  
*38 and 41 — 34*

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.



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SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Winslip* of the CRIME OF "Vending and Selling to another what is commonly known as and called Lottery Policies," committed as follows :

The said

*John Winslip*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler ; and that he the said

*John Winslip*  
on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a building, known as number *two*

*Stuyvesant Street*  
in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Winslip* of the CRIME OF "Vending and Selling to another, what are commonly known as and called Lottery Policies," committed as follows :

The said

*John Winslip*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler :

And that he the said

*John Winslip*  
afterwards on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

*two Stuyvesant Street*  
in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one

*Max Hartog*  
and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*Max Hartog*  
a certain instrument and writing, commonly known as and called a lottery policy, which said instrument and writing commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say :

*Both Oct 7*  
*43 - 257*  
*19 47 63 05*  
*18 34 61 05*  
*51 3 5 14 20 5 34*  
(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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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FOURTH COUNT—

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

*John W. Winkler*  
of the CRIME of "Selling and Vending a paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a Lottery," committed as follows:

The said

*John W. Winkler*  
late of the *Seventeenth* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply, to one

*Max Hartog*  
and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*Max Hartog*  
a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain Lottery, wherein certain monies were set up for distribution by lot or chance, a more particular description of which said lottery is to Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, which said paper and writing, is as follows, that is to say:

*Both Oct 7*  
*43 - 7 - 25*  
*19 47 63 5*  
*18 - 34 61 5*  
*51 - 5 - 14 5*  
*3 Saw 41*  
*34*

(a more particular description of which said paper and writing, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

FIFTH COUNT—

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

*John W. Winkler*  
of the CRIME of "Vending and Selling a writing, paper and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a Lottery, committed as follows:

The said

*John W. Winkler*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler; and that he the said

*John W. Winkler*  
on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a building, known as number

*two Stuyvesant Street*  
in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one

*Max Hartog*

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and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*Max Hartog*

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain Lottery wherein divers monies were set up to be distributed by lot and chance, a more particular description of which said Lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say:

*Boxen Oct 7*  
43 — 257 —  
19 47 63 25  
18 34 61 25  
51 5 14 25  
3 2 4 5 34

(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney*

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

1882

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Selling Lottery Policies.

*B*

*John W. Smith*

*alias Dyar*

*3 cards*

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*Leah W. Smith*

Foreman.

*May 23/82.*

*Glenn G. Smith*

*Sentence suspended.*

Witnesses:



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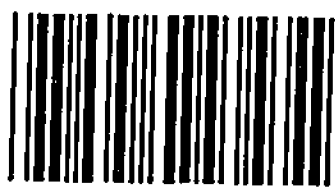
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DESCRIPTION:

Witt, William

DATE:

10/04/82



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 4 day of

Pleads

1872

*John C. Williams*

vs. THE PEOPLE

452 n.3.

B

William C. A. Witt

Adulterated Milk.

*John C. Williams*  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

*Leah B. Knapp*

Foreman.

*John C. Williams*  
*John C. Williams*  
*John C. Williams*

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City and County of New York, ss:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*William C. A. Witt*

POLICE COURT, SECOND DISTRICT.

On Complaint of *Charles E. Mansell*  
For *Violation of Sanitary Code*

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

Dated *August 22* 187*7*

*John J. Wick*

Police Justice.

*W. C. A. Witt*



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City and County of New York, ss.

Charles E. Minnells, aged 24 years, of 115 East 10th Street an

Assistant Sanitary Inspector of said city, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
17th day of August in the year 1882,

at the foot of West 23rd Street

~~at premises number~~ in the City of New York, the said premises being  
~~a place then and there where Milk was kept for sale,~~ one William C. A. Witt  
unlawfully did then and there keep, have and offer for sale three quarts of impure and unwhole-  
some Milk, which had been and was then and there watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by  
the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream therefrom, and that such  
impure, unwholesome, watered, adulterated or reduced and changed Milk was then and there, by  
the said William C. A. Witt, unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale  
against and in violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary Code then  
and there, and at all times thereafter in force and operation, and especially against and in violation  
of the provisions of a section and ordinance of such Sanitary Code which was duly passed and  
adopted by the Board of Health of the Health Department of the said City of New York, and by  
said Health Department at a meeting thereof, duly held in said city, on the twenty-third day of  
February, 1876, in the manner and language following, to wit:

"Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the  
"following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health be, and the  
"same is hereby, adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code.

"No Milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced or changed in any respect by the  
"addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream, shall be brought into, held,  
"kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New York, nor shall any one keep, have or  
"offer for sale in the said city any such Milk."

That said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two successive weeks, in  
the City Record, a daily official newspaper and journal published in said city, to wit, in the issues  
of such newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876, and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and  
that said ordinance was, at all times alleged herein, in full force and operation in said city  
and county.

Sworn to before me the  
of August

19th day  
1882

Charles E. Minnells

J. Henry Ford

Police Justice.

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Police Court, 2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles E. Monnell  
of 115 East 10th Street

vs.

William C. A. Witt  
of 363 1/2 10th Avenue

Affidavit Subscribed and sworn to before me at New York City, New York, this 10th day of May, 1909.

Dated..... 188

Justice.....

Officer.....

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2nd District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Charles E. Minnells, an Asst. Sanitary Inspector of No. 115 East 10th Street, that on the 17 day of August 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at the foot of West 23rd Street, one William C. A. Witt of 363 Tenth Avenue unlawfully did then and there bring into said City, keep, have, and offer <sup>for</sup> sale impure and unwholesome milk which ~~had~~ been and was then and there watered, reduced, and changed by the addition of water, and by the removal of cream therefrom in violation of section 186 of the Sanitary Code of said City.

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 2nd DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 19 day of August 1882.

J. Henry Bond

POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT 2nd DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles E. Minnells  
of 115 East 10th Street

vs.

William C. A. Witt

Warrant-General.

of 363 Tenth Avenue

Dated August 19 1882

Jord

Magistrate

Wm. C. A. Witt  
Officer.

The Defendant William C. A. Witt taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Wm. C. A. Witt  
Officer.

Dated August 22 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, Aug 22 1882

Native of

Ireland

Age,

27

Sex

Complexion,

Color

White

Profession,

Business

Married

No

Single

Read,

Yes

Write,

Yes

also 10 over



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Police Court 2nd District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police

Justices for the City of New York, by

Charles E. Minnells, an Agent Sanitary Commission

of No. 115 East 10th Street, that on the 17 day of August

1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at the foot of West 2nd Street

one William C. A. Witt of 363 10th Avenue

meanfully did then and there bring into said City,

keep, have, and offer for sale and dispose of same

chick which have been and were then and there

watered, skinned, and changed by the addition of water,

and by the removal of cream therefrom in violation of

section 186 of the Sanitary Code of said City.

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

answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said

Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him

forthwith before me, at the 2nd DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence

or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to

be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 19 day of August 1882.

Police Justice.

POLICE COURT, 2nd DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles E. Minnells  
of 115 East 10th Street

vs.

William C. A. Witt

of 363 10th Avenue

Dated August 19 1882

For

Magistrate

Campbell

Officer.

The Defendant William C. A. Witt

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

W. H. Campbell Officer.

Dated August 22 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, Aug 22 1882

Native of

Age, 27

Sex

Complexion,

Color

Profession, Cultivator

Married

Single,

Read,

Write,

262 10 am



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

22 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William C. Witt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *363 Leath Avenue for 4 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Milk Dealer*

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

Answer. *I was bringing the milk home and had not tested it yet. I never pay for it until I test it and know it is all right*

Taken before me, this *22*  
day of *August* 188*7*

*W. C. Witt*

*J. Henry Smith* Police Justice.

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New York. Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1882.

Mr. C. E. Russell.

Sir sir, I am very sorry word is  
haven with my milk last night. I wish  
you would let it go this time as  
should never happen again so long as  
I am in the milk business and I will  
never ~~bring~~ any more milk from Geo.  
Slaughter. please don't give the report in  
from my milk and I should never  
say a word about it to any one please  
forget me out this time and nobody  
will find any think out only you Mr.  
Russell and me please do so if you  
any way can do it Mr. Russell you  
will oblige me very much.

Yours Respectfully.

W. C. A. Witt.

363 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
New York.

(Inclosure of \$20.)

City and County of New York, ss.

Charles E. Mmsell, aged 24 years, of 115 East 10th Street an

Assistant Sanitary Inspector of said city, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
17th day of August in the year 1882

at the foot of West 23rd Street

~~at premises number~~

in the City of New York, the said premises being

~~a place then and there where Milk was kept for sale,~~ one William C. A. Witt  
unlawfully did then and there keep, have and offer for sale three quarts of impure and unwhole-  
some Milk, which had been and was then and there watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by  
the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream therefrom, and that such  
impure, unwholesome, watered, adulterated or reduced and changed Milk was then and there, by  
the said William C. A. Witt, unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale  
against and in violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary Code then  
and there, and at all times thereafter in force and operation, and especially against and in violation  
of the provisions of a section and ordinance of such Sanitary Code which was duly passed and  
adopted by the Board of Health of the Health Department of the said City of New York, and by  
said Health Department at a meeting thereof, duly held in said city, on the twenty-third day of  
February, 1876, in the manner and language following, to wit:

"Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the  
"following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health be, and the  
"same is hereby, adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code.

"No Milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced or changed in any respect by the  
"addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream, shall be brought into, held,  
"kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New York, nor shall any one keep, have or  
"offer for sale in the said city any such Milk."

That said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two successive weeks, in  
the City Record, a daily official newspaper and journal published in said city, to wit, in the issues  
of such newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876, and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and  
that said ordinance was, at all times alleged herein, in full force and operation in said city  
and county.

Sworn to before me the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 1882

Police Justice

That the foregoing is a copy of the charge made by him, such  
officer as aforesaid while holding office under the laws  
of this State as an assistant Sanitary inspector of  
the Health Department of the City of New York, against  
William C. A. Witt who has a place of business and  
is engaged in selling & disposing of milk at 363  
10th Ave. on the 17th day of August 1882 before  
Mr Justice Ford at the 2nd Dist Police Court



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That thereafter on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1882 he received by mail at his regular address in the City of New York a letter of which the following is a copy written & sent to him and signed as he is informed and believes by the said William A. Witt, inclosing \$20.00, in bills lawful money of the United States, as a bribe and in order to influence his official action as such Assistant Sanitary Inspector and ~~indefinite~~ to his action & proceeding respecting the charge of adulterating milk before mentioned. That this defendant did not accept the said money or any part thereof, but a true and correct copy of the said letter and the said money to Edmund Clark Secretary of the Board of Health of the Health Department aforesaid, and the said letter & the said money herewith produced are the same as received by him as aforesaid from the said William A. Witt for the purpose of a bribe and to influence his action aforesaid Sworn to before me the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1882. *John W. Smith* Charles E. Munsell  
Police Justice

New York 35-24 1873 C 100  
Ch. of 142 Police Court, 2nd District.  
Fms #669 C 2

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Charles E. Munsell  
of 115 East 10th Street  
vs.  
William C. A. Witt  
of 363 South Avenue

Dated 188

Justice.

Officer.

500 quarts sold daily.  
40 percent of Cream removed.  
20 percent of added water.  
C. E. Munsell.



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BAILED.  
No. 1 by Charles D. Still  
Residence 368. 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles D. Still  
115 E 10

1 William C. A. Witt

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Violation of  
Sanitary Code

Dated August 22<sup>d</sup> 1882

And Magistrate.

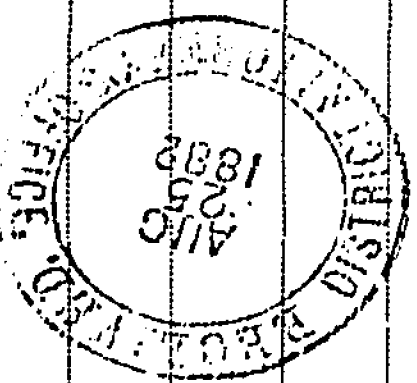
Campbell Officer.

Court. Clerk.

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

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

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



No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ 200 to answer E. J.

Witt

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

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

Dated August 22<sup>nd</sup> 1882 J. Henry Ford Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named William C. A. Witt to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated August 22<sup>nd</sup> 1882 J. Henry Ford Police Justice.

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

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

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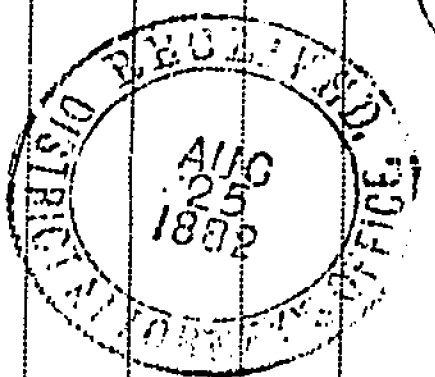
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Police Court 2<sup>d</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Charles C. Munnell*  
*115 E 90*  
*William C. A. Mott*  
1  
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Offence, *Violation of*  
*Municipal Code*

BAILED.  
No. 1 by *Charles C. Munnell*  
Residence *368 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue* Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated *August 22<sup>d</sup>* 188*2*  
Magistrate, *J. J. Campbell*  
Officer, *Const.*  
Clerk, \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ *300* to answer *G. J.*  
*Bailed*



It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *William C. A. Mott*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three*  
Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated *August 22<sup>d</sup>* 188*2* *J. J. Campbell* Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named *William C. A. Mott*  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed. *J. J. Campbell* Police Justice.  
Dated *August 22<sup>d</sup>* 188*2*  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*2* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

*William C. A. Witt* being duly sworn, deposes and says that ..he was convicted of *Exposing for sale, impure, adulterated and unwholesome milk* at the court of *Honorable* Sessions of the Peace, and on the *19th* day of *October*, 18*82* was sentenced by *the Honble. Frederick Smith, Recorder* to confinement in the New York Penitentiary for the term of *one* year and *three* months and fined *Fifty* dollars, and in default of payment thereof to be held in custody for the further term of *days* or until the same be paid *And that he was received at said Penitentiary on the 20th day of October 1882.*

And ..he further deposes and says that ..he is credibly informed and verily believes that his Excellency the Governor of the said State did ~~upon the report of the Warden of the said Penitentiary, that ..he had complied with the requirements of the act passed February 20, 1875 direct a deduction of .. months from the term of his sentence, whereby the said term expired on the .. day of .., 1882.~~ *will* *19th* day of *January*, 18*83*.

And ..he still further deposes and says that ..he is entirely without money, property or means of any kind, and that ..he is utterly unable to satisfy and pay the said fine of *Fifty* dollars, for the non-payment of which *will be after* *19th* day of *January*, 18*83*, and is now held in custody at the Penitentiary aforesaid.

Sworn and subscribed before me this *14* day of *January*, 18*83*.

*William C. A. Witt*

*John B. Tracy*

*Notary Public*

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above written affidavit as to the date and term of sentence—as well as to the time of the expiration thereof—of the above affiant *William C. A. Witt* and the deduction from the term of said sentence directed by the Governor of the State of New York are true.

*John M. Fox*

Warden of the New York Penitentiary.

Blackwell's Island, New York City, *January 18*, 18*83*.



21. 22. General Sessions of the Court.

THE PEOPLE  
Of the State of New York

William C. A. Whit

October 19, 1882

PENITENTIARY.

Three Months

And to pay a fine of

Twenty Dollars.

And to stand committed until the same be paid,  
~~or be imprisoned for~~ days

AFFIDAVIT

or

DEFENDANT

Of Inability to Pay Fine.

January 19, 1883.

In this case the  
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May 19/83



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STATE OF NEW YORK,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

being duly sworn, deposes and says that he was convicted of

*William B. O. W. H.* *19th* day of *October*, 1872, at the court of *General Sessions of the Peace*, and on the *19th* day of *October*, 1872, was sentenced by *the Hon. Judge Denckla* to confinement in the New York Penitentiary for the term of *three* years and *three* months, and fined *fifty* dollars, and in default of payment thereof to be held in custody for the further term of *three* months, and until the same be paid.

And he further deposes and says that he is credibly informed and verily believes that his Excellency the Governor of the said State did upon the report of the Warden of the said Penitentiary, that he had complied with the requirements of the act passed February 20, 1875, direct a deduction of *three* months from the term of his sentence, whereby the said term expired on the *19th* day of *January*, 1878.

And he still further deposes and says that he is entirely without money, property or means of any kind, and that he is utterly unable to satisfy and pay the said fine of *fifty* dollars, for the non-payment of which he has been since the *19th* day of *January*, 1878, and is now held in custody at the Penitentiary aforesaid.

*William B. O. W. H.*

Sworn and subscribed before me this *19th* day of *January*, 1878.

*Alfred D. Brown*

*Notary Public*

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above written affidavit as to the date and term of sentence, as well as to the time of the expiration thereof—of the above affiant—  
and the deduction from the term of said sentence directed by the Governor of the State of New York are true.

Warden of the New York Penitentiary.

Blackwell's Island, New York City, *January 18th*, 1878.

W. M. General Sessions of the Court.

THE PEOPLE

Of the State of New York

vs.  
William C. A. With

October 19, 1882

**PENITENTIARY.**

Three Months

And to pay a fine of.....

Forty..... Dollars.

And to stand committed until the same be paid,  
or be imprisoned for..... days

**AFFIDAVIT**

OF

DEFENDANT

Of Inability to Pay Fine.

January 17, 1883

Admit due service  
of the copy of  
the within  
dated January 19/83  
a. J. Hegan  
Sp. Clerk a. C.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace of THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
the City and County of New York. NEW YORK,

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

William C. A. Witt  
of the crime of exposing for  
sale adulterated milk  
committed as follows:

The said William C. A. Witt

late of the Sixteenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the seventeenth day of August in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, unlawfully and knowingly did expose for sale ~~at the~~  
~~known as number~~ Street,  
~~then and there situate,~~ ten quarts of impure, adulterated and unwholesome milk, against  
the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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

William C. A. Witt  
of the CRIME OF keeping, having and offering  
for sale adulterated milk  
committed as follows:

The said William C. A. Witt

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, ~~at the store and place of business~~  
~~of the said~~  
~~known as number~~ Street,  
~~in said Ward, City and County, and the said premises being then and there a place~~  
~~where milk was kept for sale,~~ unlawfully did then and there keep, have, and offer for  
sale ten quarts of impure and unwholesome milk, which had been, and was then and there  
watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by the addition of water or other substance,  
and that such impure, unwholesome, watered, adulterated, reduced and changed milk  
was then and there by the said

William C. A. Witt  
unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale  
against and in violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary  
Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force and operation, and against the  
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York and their dignity.



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

William C. A. Watt  
 of the CRIME OF Keeping and Having  
~~And the Jurors aforesaid and their Clerk aforesaid do further present~~  
adulterated milk

committed as follows:

The said William C. A. Watt  
 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, did bring into the said  
 Ward, City and County, and ~~then and there have and offer for sale, at the store and~~  
~~place of business of him, the said~~  
~~known as number~~ Street, the said  
~~premises being then and there a place where milk was kept for sale, unlawfully did~~  
~~then and there keep, have, and offer for sale, ten quarts of impure and unwholesome~~  
 milk, which had been and was then and there, watered, adulterated, reduced and  
 changed by the addition of water or other substance, and that such impure, unwhole-  
 some, watered, adulterated or reduced and changed milk was then and there, by the  
 said William C. A. Watt unlawfully  
 held, ~~kept and offered for sale~~ against and in violation of the provisions the Sanitary  
 Code, and of such Sanitary Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force  
 and o eration, and especially against and in violation of the provisions of a section  
 and ordinance of such Sanitary Code, which was duly passed and adopted by the Board  
 of Health of the Health Department of the said City of New York, and by said  
 Health Department at a meeting thereof, duly held in said City, on the twenty-third  
 day of February, 1876, in the manner and language following, to wit:

"*Resolved*, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department,  
 "the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and  
 "health be, and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the  
 "Sanitary Code.

" "No milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced, or changed in any  
 " "respect by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream,  
 " "shall be brought into, held, kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New  
 " "York, nor shall any one keep, have, or offer for sale in the said city any such milk."

Which said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two  
 successive weeks, in the *City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published  
 in said city, to wit: in the issues of such newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876,  
 and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and which said ordinance was then and there,  
 and at all times thereafter, in full force and operation against the forms of the Statute  
 in such case made and provided.

John McLean  
~~DANIEL O. ROLLINS,~~

~~DANIEL O. ROLLINS,~~ District Attorney.



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wolf, Antonio

DATE:

10/11/82



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WITNESSES.

D1132/24

Day of Trial,  
Counsel,  
Filed 11 day of Oct 1882  
Pleads Not guilty - (12)

THE PEOPLE  
vs. William Worley  
vs. R  
D1132/24  
Felonious Assault and Battery.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.  
D 2 Oct 24. 1882  
Ind & Choiced. 2 & 3  
A True Bill.  
Robert B. Kane  
Foreman.  
W. J. Brown  
11/11/1882

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

Form

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

of No. 64 Downing Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 4 day of October 1892

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and  
beaten by

Antonio Wolff

now present.

That said Antonio did  
wilfully and maliciously  
cut and wound deponent  
upon his face with and  
by means of a certain  
knife and sharp dangerous  
weapon which the Antonio then  
and there held in his hand

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

Antonio Wolff

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt with accord-  
ing to law.

Thomas Connell

Sworn to, before me, this

day of

October 1892

Richard J. Justice  
Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

1st District Police Court.

*Antonio Wolff* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is his *own* 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.

*Antonio Wolff*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*Williamsburg*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Expressman*

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.

*The complainant struck  
me first and I acted in  
self defense  
Antonio Wolff*

Taken before me this

day of

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*Henry Williams*  
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, 1882

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Connell  
Antonio Wolff  
Offence, Fel. and B.

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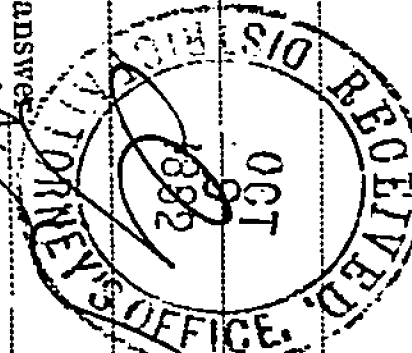
Dated Oct 3 1882

Magistrate,  
James H. Connell  
Officer.

Clerk,  
J. H. Connell

Witnesses,  
J. H. Connell

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



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

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

Dated Oct 3 1882 Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 Police Justice.

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Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 188 Police Justice.

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

I have admitted the above named

Dated 188 Police Justice.

give such bail.

Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he

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

and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed,

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Connolly  
Antonus Wolff

BAILED,

No. 1 by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

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Street,

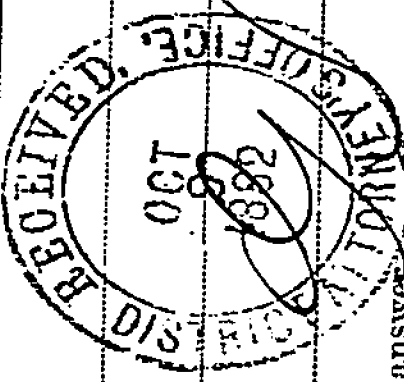
No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Antonie Wolff*

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

*Antonie Wolff*  
of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another with a deadly weapon with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

*Antonie Wolff*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas Cornell* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas Cornell* with a certain *knife* which the said

*Antonie Wolff*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *in* the said *Thomas Cornell* 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.

X  
SECOND COUNT.

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

*Antonie Wolff*

of the CRIME OF "Assault upon another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with a sharp dangerous weapon, with intent to do bodily harm," committed as follows:

The said

*Antonie Wolff*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Thomas Cornell* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas Cornell* with a certain *knife* which the said

*Antonie Wolff*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously do bodily harm unto *in* the said *Thomas Cornell* against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wood, Howard

DATE:

10/19/82



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Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 1882

The defendant in this case seems to have some an irre-  
-prehensible character up to the  
time of the commission of this  
offense. His operations have  
been of the best, until a  
short time prior to this crime  
when he was thrown into the  
society of an older man, who  
introduced him to women  
of bad character, & they obtained  
an influence over him which  
led him to expenditures beyond  
his means, & thus tempted  
him to the crime of which  
he stands indicted. He made  
prompt confession & restored the  
property stolen from him. He now  
has an opportunity of going  
on freely in a new, healthy  
line of these circumstances  
and of the statement of the  
Complainant (hereto attached) &  
seriously recommend that the  
defendant be discharged  
on his own recognizance  
J. H. Williams  
Att. Gen. & Atty.

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

day of

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

D. Donald Wood

INDICTMENT.  
FORGERY in the Third Degree.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Subscribed by  
Foreman.  
Oct 27. 1882  
Discharged by Court

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

*J. Howard Wood*

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. Prior to the offense committed against me the young man had borne a good character in every respect and was in my employment for four years. If the Court is lenient with him and chooses to remit punishment & find him I believe the young man to his friends and the community and will not prejudice the interest of justice.

*Vivian G. Handley*

**American Bank Note Co. New York**

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Howard Wood.



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Form 99.

Sixth District Police Court.

STATE OF NEW YORK.  
City and County of New York, ss.

*Wivian G. Hundley*  
 of No. 79 Readefield St. 33 years  
 Street, ~~Arthur Avenue~~ ~~Howard Wood~~  
 being duly Sworn, deposes and says, that

Now present - did on the 16<sup>th</sup>  
 day of September 1882 unlawfully  
 and feloniously counterfeit and  
 alter a certain Negotiable Check  
 or instrument the same hereto  
 annexed and issued by dep-  
 onent for the payment of the  
 sum of fifty dollars on the  
 Chatham National Bank in the  
 City of New York.

That said  
 Wood did do alter and raise  
 said check in such a manner  
 as to make the same resemble  
 and purport to be a negotiable  
 check on said Bank for the payment  
 of the sum of five hundred and  
 fifty dollars which latter amount  
 was paid to him Wood upon  
 presenting said check for payment  
 at the aforesaid bank as he  
 now states and declares in  
 Court & deponent believes the same  
 to be true & charges the defendant with  
 falsely & feloniously altering & counterfeiting  
 said check with the intent & purpose of  
 cheating & defrauding deponent.

*Wivian G. Hundley*

Sworn to before me, this  
 18<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1882

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Howard Wood* 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.

*Howard Wood*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*19 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Brooklyn*

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

Answer.

*In Brooklyn*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Clerk*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge*

*Howard Wood*

Taken before me this  
day of

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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

Howard Wood  
vs. *Howard Wood*  
Offence, *Forgery*

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

Date, *Oct 18* 188

*Wm. H. Wood* Magistrate.

*Richard D. Wood* Officer.  
*Richard D. Wood* Clerk.

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

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

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

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_

*John*  
RECEIVED  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE  
1882

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 *Howard Wood*

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

Dated *Oct 18* 188 *R. H. Wood* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Bureau of Prisons  
vs. Repard  
Howard Wood

BAILED,

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

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_  
Magistrate.  
Repard Wood  
District Officer.  
Clerk.

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 200  
District Attorney  
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1882

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime herein 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 \$1000  
Howard Wood

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

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

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



## Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

D. Howard Wood

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

D. Howard Wood

of the crime of Forgery in the third degree,

committed as follows:

The said

D. Howard Wood

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the sixteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty two with force and arms, at the Ward, City,  
and County aforesaid, feloniously did falsely make, forge, and counterfeit, and cause and  
procure to be falsely made, forged and counterfeited, and willingly act and assist in the  
false making, forging and counterfeiting a certain instrument and writing to wit

an order for the payment of  
money of the Fund Comm.  
by called bank checks

which said false, forged and counterfeited bank checks  
is as follows, that is to say:

no. 3632

Sept 11 1882

New York

Chatham National Bank

Pay to the order of D. Howard WoodFive hundred & fifty — Dollars\$550 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> #Five hundred & fifty  
\$550 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

U.S. Money

with intent to injure and defraud

the Chatham National Bank

and divers other persons; to the Grand Jury aforesaid un-  
known against the form of the statute in such case made and provided; and against the  
peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid further accuse  
the said D. Howard Wood of the crime of Forgery,  
committed as follows: The said D. Howard Wood

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and year last  
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously and  
falsely did utter and publish as true, with intent to injure and defraud the said

Chatham National Bank

and divers other persons, to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, a certain false, forged  
and counterfeited instrument and writing to wit an order for  
the payment of money of the  
kind commonly called bank checks  
which said last-mentioned false, forged and counterfeited bank checks  
is as follows, that is to say:

no 3632 Sept 11 1882  
New York  
Chatham National Bank  
Pay to the order of D. Howard Wood  
Five hundred & fifty # 20 dollars  
\$550.00# J. J. Cumaley

the said

D. Howard Wood

at the same time he so uttered and published the last-mentioned false, forged and  
counterfeited bank checks

as aforesaid, then and there well knowing the same to be false, forged and  
counterfeited, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against  
the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Zimmerman, Daniel

DATE:

10/16/82



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Put me Oct 25

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *16* day of *Oct* 188*2*

Pleads *et al v. July 17*

THE PEOPLE

vs. *B*

*Daniel Zimmerman*

*Examination of Code*

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*Calder*

Foreman



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City and County of New York, ss.

Police Court—3 District.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

On Complaint of

For

*John Seiler*  
*Violation Sanctuary Code*  
*John Seiler*

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

Dated July 18 188 3

*R. L. Morgan*

POLICE JUSTICE.

*John Seiler*

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

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

John Seiler

of No. 19 Clinton Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 17 day of July 1882

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, David Zimmerman and

(nowhere) did unlawfully empty the privy  
Vault in Rear of premises No 17 Clinton Street  
without a permit and in violation of section  
101 of the Sanitary Code

John Seiler,

Sworn to before me this

of

July

1882

18

July

John Seiler,  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

David Zimmerman 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.

David Zimmerman

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

13 Clinton Street 12 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

New dog business

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 cleaned the grate so the water  
can run off

Taken before me, this

18

day of

July

188

D. Zimmerman for

D. H. Morgan

Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

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Police Court

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

Dated

July 18

1882

Offence, Vol. 100.

John Smith  
1900  
1000

Magistrate

Officer

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Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

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No.

1000

No.

1000



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 Daniel Zimmerman

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail

Dated July 18 1882

C. P. Morgan Police Justice.

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

Dated July 18 1882

C. P. Morgan Police Justice.

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

Dated July 18 1882

Police Justice.



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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*John Deiler*  
*19 Clinton St.*  
*David Zimmerman*  
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Office, *See Sec. 208*

BAILED,  
No. 1, *David Zimmerman*  
Residence *13. 13th St.*

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

Dated *July 18* 188*2*  
Magistrate, *Morgan*  
Officer, *Smith* 10  
Clerk, \_\_\_\_\_  
Witnesses *James Smith*  
*14th St. Clinton St.*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. *13th St. Clinton St.* Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. *13th St. Clinton St.* Street, \_\_\_\_\_

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail

Dated *July 18* 188*2* *David Zimmerman* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named *David Zimmerman*

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *July 18* 188*2* *David Zimmerman* Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named *David*

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

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

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

*Daniel Zimmerman*

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

*Daniel Zimmerman*

of the crime of *Violating the Sanitary Code*  
committed as follows:

That heretofore—to wit, on the fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, at the City and County of New York, in the State of New York, the Health Department in the City of New York, which theretofore had been, and then and there was duly constituted, appointed and organized, pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to re-organize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30th, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, did direct, order, ordain and enact, and did cause to be conformed to the eleventh article of the act aforesaid, pursuant to the eighty-second section of said act, the sanitary ordinances which had been then and lately theretofore adopted and duly published by the previously existing Department of Health, which said Sanitary Ordinances, as adopted and conformed, became and were called "The Sanitary Code," and wherein were contained, and thereafter, at the time of the commission of the offences and grievances by the person hereinafter named, and as hereinafter charged, formed a portion of such Sanitary Ordinances and Sanitary Code, having the force of the law, the words and language following, to wit: "That no

*person shall empty, or attempt to empty, any vault, sink, privy, or cesspool in the City of New York, except pursuant to a permit therefor first received from this Department."*

*And the said Daniel Zimmerman afterwards, to wit: on the seventeenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two at the City and County aforesaid unlawfully did empty a certain privy situated upon the premises number nineteen Clinton Street in the said City and County, without having first received a permit therefor from the said Health Department of the City of New York*

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and then and there having no such  
permit in pursuance whereof said  
jury could be empanelled, against the  
for form of the Statute in such  
case made and provided and against  
the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

John McLean

District Attorney

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