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DESCRIPTION:

Hafer, Henry

DATE:

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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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A  
C. A. P. Magner

Counsel, .....  
Filed, 17 day of 1888  
Pleads, Ch. 2nd - (119)

[Sections 528, 532. Penal Code.]  
PETIT LARCENY.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B  
Henry Hafer

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Pr Aug 18, 1888.

B. J. Fried the writer.

**A True Bill.**

C. A. Magner  
Foreman.

Witnesses:

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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Police Court— 7 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Mary Ann Norton

of No. 1355 Avenue A Street, aged 35 years,

occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16 day of Sept 1887 at the City of New

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

About fifteen pieces of Under-  
clothing of the value of about  
\$1.00

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 Mary Hager (Newspeller)

from the following facts to wit:— That at the time mentioned deponent saw the above described property in the possession of defendant and saw defendant take said property to a junk shop & sell the same

Mary Ann Norton  
Mony

Sworn to before me, this 17 day of Sept 1887  
John J. Smith  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0691

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Henry Kasper* 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 Kasper*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *13 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *1357 Avenue D. 4 months*

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. *Not guilty; I did not take complainant's property, nor did I sell said property to any junk man. I sold a piece of carpet to a junk man which my sister gave to me.*

*Henry Kasper*

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*8*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,  
 No. 1, by August Rahn  
 Residence 413 Second Street  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_

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 Police Court-- 4 District.  
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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Merrell Rahn  
355 1st St.  
Mary Rahn  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Offence Pet. Larceny

Dated Sept. 17 188

Spiller Magistrate.  
Amund Officer.

Witnesses Fred. Munkberg  
1357 Avenue A Street.

Elen Munkberg  
1355 Street.

117 E 19th Street.  
 \$ 3000 to answer

Fann Munkberg  
1300 Street.

Boyle

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 Sept. 17 188 Sam. O'Neill Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 18 188 Sam. O'Neill Police Justice.

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

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

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*against*

*Henry Hodge*

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

*- Henry Hodge -*

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Henry Hodge*

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

*of the value of several hundred dollars  
(a more particular description  
whereof is to be found upon  
aforesaid indictment and cannot  
now be given) of the value of  
sixty five cents each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Margaret Norton.*

then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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.

*Richard J. ...*

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Hahner, Charles

DATE:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel, *See entry*  
Filed 28 day of *Nov* 1887  
Pleads, *Not guilty*

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.  
(Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code.)  
THE PEOPLE  
vs. *B*  
*Charles Ahner*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*J. J. Magowan*

Foreman

Part III January 13 88  
*Complaint sent to Special Sessions*

Witnesses:

*A. C. C. C.*

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*against*

*Charles Hahner*

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

*Charles Hahner*

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL FAME, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Hahner*

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-sixth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven* and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

*Charles Hahner*

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in manifest destruction and subversion of, and against good morals and good manners, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.—

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

*Charles Hahner*

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Hahner*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *twenty-sixth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and eighty-*seven* and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill governed house, and in *his* said house, for *his* own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, 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

*Charles Hahner*

(Section 822,  
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Hahner*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *twenty-sixth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven* and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for *his* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in *his* said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully, did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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Haile, Augustus

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Hale, Joseph

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Krueger, William

DATE:

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Witnesses:

I have carefully examined the facts in this case. The only offense of which the prisoners could under any circumstances be convicted is that of receiving, with the only point in mind upon that charge is the fact that reflecting to the goods alleged to have been stolen at a price below their market value. The defendants bear to be of good character, or of a reputation which would not give them any knowledge of the goods in question. The complainant has the common law remedy, and I think that upon all the facts in the case the defendants should be discharged with the usual recommendation.

Jan 19, 1888,

W. B. Barker

Deputy Atty. Gen.

Counsel,

J. M. Brady

Filed 17 day of Oct 1887

all Pleadings

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Augustus Haile

Joseph Haile

William Krueger

Defendant

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Attorney at Law

A True Bill.

J. M. Magowan

Foreman

Jan 19, 1888.

Indictment dismissed

(See endorsement)

Sections 488, 506, 518, 521, 550

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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0702

Sec. 198-200,

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Ruzer 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 Ruzer

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 38 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 207 Green St. Jersey City, N. J.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Captain of Lighter

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.

W. Ruzer.

Taken before me this

9th day of February 1887

Wm. J. ...

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0703

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

*Charles Hansel*

of No. *42 Oak* Street, aged *38* years,

occupation *Captain of Lighter* being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the ~~day of~~ *188* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *since making*

*the foregoing information deponent found, on the evening of the 7th instant, one of the stolen Gar- Paulins named in said information in the possession of William Ruzer, now here, on board of the Lighter "Harrison" lying at the foot of West 21<sup>st</sup> Street. That deponent there- fore charges said Ruzer with the Burglary and Larceny as set forth in said information and with*

Sworn to before me this 1888

Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0704

receiving a portion of the stolen  
 property knowingly and with fraudulent  
 design in conjunction with the two  
 defendants named in said information  
 sworn to before me this  
 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 1887 } C. H. Hannon  
 J. M. Patterson Police Justice

Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
 vs.

AFRIDA VIT.

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

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0705

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

John H. Keller  
of No. 100 Precinct Street, aged 43 years,  
occupation Colporteur being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 6 day of November 1887  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York.

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of November last past, he was informed that four pieces of Garpaulin were stolen, and he found one piece of said Garpaulin was found in the possession of Capt William Ringer, and heponent asks that he be detained for further investigation.

John H. Keller

Sworn to before me this 6 day of November 1887  
John H. Keller  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0706

Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Jim Ringer* vs.

AFFIDAVIT  
Secung Wood

Dated Nov 8 1887

*Patterson* Magistrate.

*Keller* Officer.

Witness, 16

Disposition, Ex Mor 9

2 1/2 P. M.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0707

Police Court 7<sup>th</sup> District.

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

Charles Hansel

of No. 47 Oak Street, aged 38 years,

occupation Captain of a Lighter or Freight Boat being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the Lighter or Boat by name Acton floating on the waters of the Hudson River and fastened to the pier at the foot of Fresh St in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a

Lighter or Boat

and which was used by deponent for the transportation of Freight and merchandise and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly wrenching off a padlock off the Hatches or doors of leading from the deck of said Boat to the hold and then opening the said Hatches or doors

on the 6 day of November 1887 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Four Sarcophagi of the value of Four Hundred Dollars — (\$400.00)

the property of The Old Dominion Steamship Company, and in deponent's charge and custody

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

Augustus Haile and Joseph Haile (both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent securely fastened and locked the said padlock on said Hatches or doors on the evening previous to the aforesaid day and when deponent arrived and boarded said Boat on the aforesaid day, deponent discovered the said Hatches or doors open and said padlock wrenched off and broken as aforesaid, and then deponent descended into the said hold and missed the property. Deponent

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0708

Further says, that he is informed by Officer John H. Keller, of the 16<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he Keller found and discovered <sup>the portion of</sup> the said property in said defendants' possession on board of a canal boat on which said defendants were at the time of said discovery by said Officer Keller.

Deponent therefore charges said Augustus Haile and said Joseph Haile while acting in concert with each other with having committed the said Burglary and with having taken, stolen and carried away the said property in the manner aforesaid, and asks that they may be dealt with as the law may direct.

Sworn to before me this 7 day of November 1887

E. Hansen

A. M. Patterson  
Police Justice

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

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
vs.  
Burglary \_\_\_\_\_  
Degree \_\_\_\_\_

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

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bail.

Bailed by \_\_\_\_\_

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

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 43 years, occupation John H. Keller  
Police Officer of N  
the 16<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Hansel

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

Sworn to before me, this  
day of November 188

John H. Keller

John P. Adams  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0710

Sec. 198-200,

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Augustus Haile* 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. *Augustus Haile*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *33 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Canada*

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

Answer. *Sandy Hill, State of New York, about 21 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Canal Boatman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Capt A Haile*

Taken before me this  
day of *July* 188*7*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0711

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*Joseph Haile* 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. *Joseph Haile*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Canada*

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

Answer. *Sandy Hill, State of New York + about 20 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Canal - Boatman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Joseph Haile*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1888

*John Patterson*

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Let down for \$1. per  
Nov. 13. at 9 1/2 A.M.  
Horn. for \$1.

Unfounded  
No. 1, by *W. J. ...*  
Residence *...*

No. 2, by *...*  
Residence *...*

No. 3, by *...*  
Residence *...*

No. 4, by *...*  
Residence *...*

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Police Court-- 2  
District, 1850

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles Stames*

42 East

*Augustus Haile*

*Joseph Haile*

*William Ruger*

*Burglary*

Offence

Dated

*Nov 9*

188

*J. M. Patterson*  
Magistrate

*John K. Bell*  
Officer

*John W. Tolson*  
Precinct

Witnesses

No. *1874* *East Police*  
Street

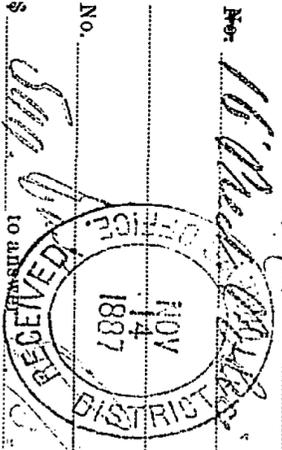
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Street

No.

*...*  
Street

No.

*...*  
Street



*...*

No. 1 *...*

No. 2 *...*

No. 3 *...*

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 Ruger*

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

Dated *Nov 9* 188

*J. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *Augustus Haile & Joseph Haile* to bail to answer by the *...* Certificate of deposit of \$500.

*with city chamberlain ...*  
Dated *November 9* 1887 *J. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *William Ruger* to bail to answer by the *...* Certificate of deposit of \$500.

*with city chamberlain ...*  
Dated *Nov 9* 1887 *J. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0713

Let down for \$5. per  
Nov. 1st at 9 1/2 A.M.  
Hoon. for \$5.

BAILED,  
No. 1, by *Walter & Shepard*  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by *Walter & Shepard*  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by *Walter & Shepard*  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court No. 2 District 1850

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles Howard*  
43 Oak  
*Augustus Haile*  
*Joseph Haile*  
*William Ruger*  
Burglary  
Larceny

Dated *Nov 7* 1887

*J. M. Peterson* Magistrate

*William T. Tollen* Precinct Officer

Witnesses *John T. Tollen*

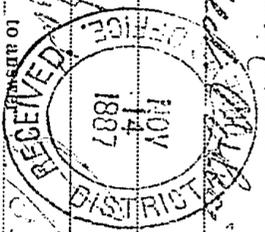
No. *1874* Precinct *1st*

No. *William Haile* Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. *16 West 10th* Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

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



*Nov 1st at 9 1/2 A.M.*  
*No. 2 Charles for \$5.*  
*No. 3 Hoon. for \$5.*

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

Dated *Nov 7* 1887 *J. M. Peterson* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *Augustus Haile & Joseph Haile* to bail to answer by the ~~undertaking~~ *Certificates of deposit of \$500.* *with City Chamberlain* *Merito* *James*  
Dated *November 9th* 1887 *J. M. Peterson* 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ 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

Augustus Wade  
Joseph Wade and  
William Sturges

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

Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade  
and William Sturges

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

The said

Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade  
and William Sturges, all

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

Charles Howard, the same being a  
dwelling called the "Astor" then lying in  
the waters then called the North River,

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

Charles Howard,

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

SECOND COUNT—

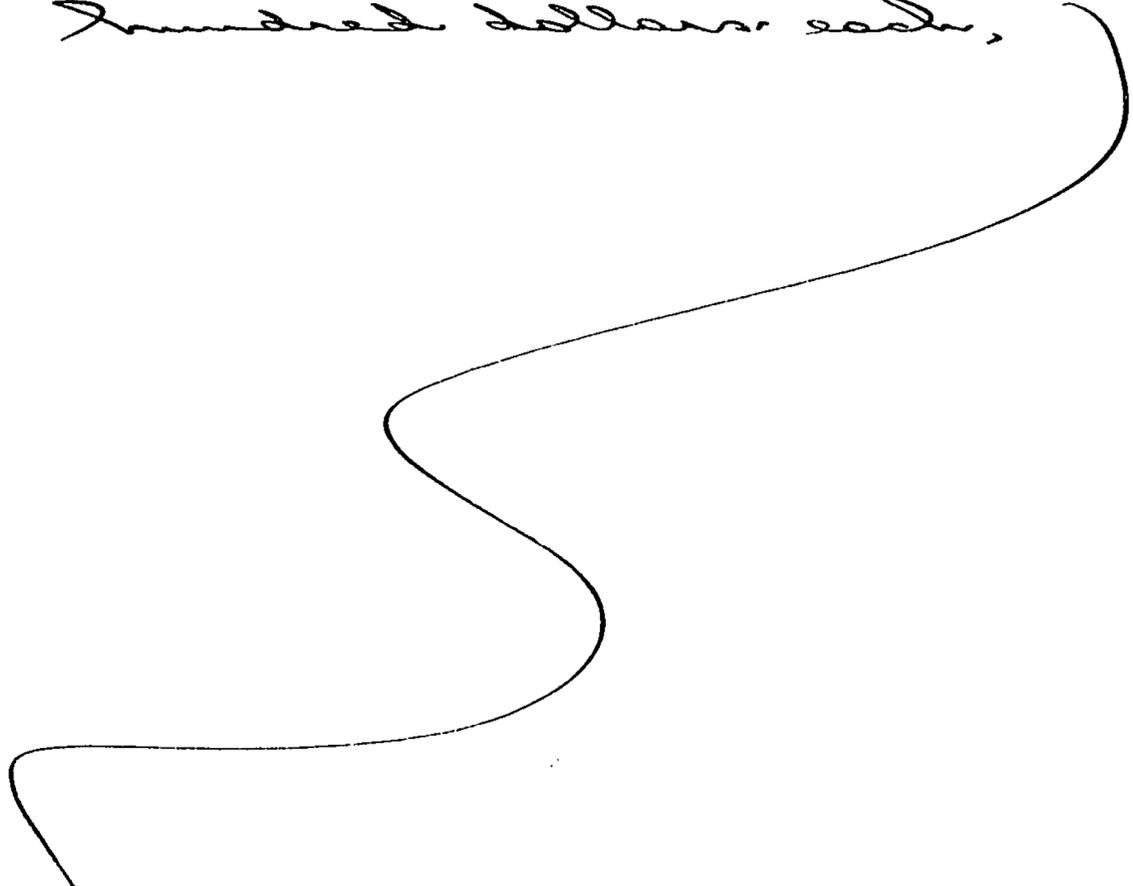
AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade and William Foreman* of the CRIME OF *Force and* LARCENY *in the second degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade and William Foreman*,

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

*four handkerchiefs of the value of*

*one hundred dollars each,*



of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Charles Hauld,*

in the *vessel* of the said *Charles Hauld,*

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

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THIRD COUNT—

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

*Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade  
and William Sturgeon*

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

The said *Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade  
and William Sturgeon, all*

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,

*four hundred and fifty dollars of the value  
of one hundred dollars each,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Charles H. Hurd,*

by *several* persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Charles H. Hurd,*

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said *Augustus Wade, Joseph Wade and William Sturgeon*

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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Counsel, *W. S. M. Thetters*  
Filed *14* of *Nov 1887*  
Pleads, *Not guilty*

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 228, 229, — Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*342 E. 16. P.*  
*George Hall*

*RANDOLPH E. MARTINE,*  
*Dec 2 1887*

*District Attorney.*

*Dec 7 2 Dec 17 87*  
*30 years guilty*

A True Bill. *S. D. S. S.*

*W. S. M. Thetters*  
Foreman.

Witnesses:

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Police Court 4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

May De Vourney  
of No. 42 Baldwin Ave Forest City <sup>heights</sup> Street, aged 25 years,  
occupation Nothing being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8 day of November 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

A pocket book containing good and lawful money of the United States consisting of one bill of the denomination and value of one dollar one pair of diamond Earrings of the value of one hundred dollars, one diamond Ring of the value of Two hundred dollars all of the value of of Three hundred and one 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 George Hall (now here) and another person whose name is unknown

Deponent says that while she was endeavoring to get off an 8th Avenue Railroad Car at the corner of 59th Street and 8th Avenue said unknown person pushed violently against her and said Hall took said pocket book containing said property from the pocket of the satchel then and there ran by her and walked away with said unknown person. Deponent says that she followed said defendants and demanded her property and they both ran away. That deponent saw after

Subscribed before me this 8 day of November 1887  
Police Justice

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them and called "dep. thief" and said  
Hall was caught by officer Walsh.  
Department further says that  
while she was following said  
defendants she saw said Hall  
take said diamond ring from  
said pocket book and place  
the same on his finger

Signed to before me  
this 9. day of Nov 1887  
Migo May De Vauxney  
S. J. Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200 4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. George Hall

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. N. S.

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

Answer. 322 E 16-st 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty  
George Hall

Taken before me this

day of Nov 1889

Paul C. Kelly  
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

N 286 / 1899  
Police Dept. / District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Man De Lawrence  
with Barbara and  
George City Heights  
George Hall

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence Larceny from  
Person

Dated Nov 9 1887

D O Reilly Magistrate.  
Patrick J. Mahon Officer.

Witnesses Emma Berger

No. 30 Stanton Street.

Patrick J. Mahon  
25 Park Ave.

No. 1500 to answer  
Cannell Tea

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

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

Dated Nov 9 1887 Samuel C. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ 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

*George Hall*

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

*George Hall*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the ~~second~~ degree, committed as follows:

The said *George Hall,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~eighteenth~~ day of ~~November~~, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~seven~~, in the ~~day~~ time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

~~one~~ promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of ~~one~~ dollar; ~~one~~ promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of ~~one~~ dollar; ~~one~~ United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of ~~one~~ dollar; ~~one~~ United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of ~~one~~ dollar

*one pocket watch of the value of fifty cents, two savings banks of the value of fifty dollars each, and one larger ring of the value of two hundred dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Mary De Vossney* on the person of the said *Mary De Vossney* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Mary De Vossney* 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.

*Richard A. ...*

District Attorney.

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*W. J. P. P.*

Counsel,  
Filed, *Nov* 188  
Pleads, *Not guilty*

GAMING HOUSE, &c.  
[Sections 843, 844 and 885 Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*William Stark*

*and B*

*See you*

*Dec 12 1887*  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney,*  
*Part III December 12/87*

*Both plead guilty*

**A True Bill.**

*J. C. Miller*  
Foreman

*Fine \$25. Each.*

Witnesses:

*Emy Mance*

*Jal Aug.*

*Capt. W. G. Collough*

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,  
ON COMPLAINT OF  
*Guy Mannie*  
vs.  
*Wm Hawk*  
*Lee Yen*

Examination held *July 14* 188 *7*  
Before *Daniel O'Reilly* Police Justice.

I, *David Altman* Stenographer of the *1* District Police

Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of *Guy Mannie Lee Yen*

*George E. Raw* *John M. Cullough* *Lee Hue* *Wm Hawk*  
*Wing Choo Foo* *oh ngong* *so ming*  
as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated *July 20* 1887.

*Daniel O'Reilly*  
Police Justice.

*David Altman*  
Stenographer.

Guy Maime  
 vs  
 Wm Hank } charged with larceny  
 Lee You } before Mr  
 Daniel O'Reilly  
 Peace Justice  
 July 14/87.

Guy Maime cross examined  
 Q Do that your name?  
 A Yes Sir

Q Don't you belong to what is called  
 the Ju family?  
 A Yes Sir

Q You say that on a certain day you  
 went into 183 North Street?  
 A Yes Sir

Q What day was it?

A The first time I went in there  
 was Saturday June 25th

Q I ask you now before proceeding  
 any further to give us your  
 right name?

A Sir Guy Maime

Q Then you do belong to the Ju family?  
 A Yes Sir

Q Why don't you give your full  
 name in the affidavit?

A Because I go by that name and  
 I am known by that true name

It is this way my family name  
 is Ju Guy Maime and when

letters came to the post office  
they put them all in one pile and  
hand them to me and I read them  
out and it seemed for them so  
I dropped the name Jii and  
adopted this name. And I am  
known all over by that name  
If you say you went there on the  
25th of June?

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When was the second time?  
On Monday the 27th  
It was that the day of the arrest,  
Uyessii the next day.

Who went with you?  
Ka Ju Sing  
Who did you see on the day in  
question besides of those premises?  
No 18?

Did we meet in there to recognize  
the keeper and dealers?

Who did you see?  
Ka we saw Lee You he was the  
dealer out of a game of banking  
called Jan Jan.

Who told you to say banking game  
anybody?

What is the meaning of a banking  
game?

A money that passed forward and  
backward. where two are playing

at a game.

Q you made this affidavit?  
A yes sir

Q did you make an affidavit that it was a banking game?  
A yes sir

Q You told Mr. Constock what you saw?  
A yes sir

Q when you say you saw him acting as a dealer what did you see him do?

A he was taking in the money and paying it out (describing)

Q what did they do this day?  
A I put out a dollar and the dealer counts by it and if the number turns out me. I win (describing the game).

Q Now sir in regard to the night of June that you made this affidavit?

A on the night we went there in Chinese clothes and put on a false que and Chinese costume and we proceeded there and there was a doorman there and he let us in this was 18 and then we saw there was about 20 men around and I saw the same party dealing the game and I went in there with Ching Sing he played first and I stood there

and acted as a witness and he  
lost a dollar <sup>and</sup> a second dollar  
and he lost fifty cents and then  
I played. I lost a dollar and  
the second time I won it back  
and the rest I played fifty  
cents and last. <sup>and</sup> we stood there  
and took a good look at the men  
and came out we remained there  
half an hour.

Q Do you recollect swearing in your  
affidavit that you won fifty  
cents there that day? (read that  
was reading affidavit?)

A That is is a mistake  
Q <sup>and</sup> do you not make a mistake  
unless you say they played fan  
fan at all?

Answer  
Q How many people were in <sup>at</sup>  
the time you went in disguised  
a about 20 people.

Q What were they doing?  
A Some were playing  
Q were they playing dominoes?  
A No some were playing fan  
fan and others sitting around the  
table

Q Did you see anybody playing  
dominoes there?  
Answer

Answer

Q How many did you see around the fan table?

Answer

Q How many did you see around the fan table?  
A About 20.

Q What time of day was it?

A In the afternoon at night.

Q How far did you go from the place you live to the spot it happened?

Q Did you speak to anybody what you wanted when you went there?  
Answer

Q Did you have any conversation with anybody?

Answer

Q Did he ask you what you wanted?

Answer  
Q How far did you go from the place you live to the spot it happened?

Q How far did you go from the place you live to the spot it happened?  
Answer

Q What is your business?

A A missionary work  
Q Where have you been doing this missionary work?

A The coal work done was in the Louis area I am in Philadelphia as an organizer and doing missionary work at the same

time I just accepted the position in Philadelphia

Q How much do you get paid?  
A I get sixty dollars a month the present engagement I make it \$300 a year 200 hundred is from the board and a hundred is from the superintendent

Q What do you do as a missionary?  
A on Sundays I say the organ for the Chinese

Q You know a certain number of Chinese in St Louis?  
A Yes sir

Q What are under sentence of death?  
A Yes sir

Q Now the Chinese that are under sentence of death belong to what is known as the Ju family and the parties whom you have here arrested belong to the Lee family  
A Do not think Sir that they are the ones who are prosecuting these men in St Louis and obtained a conviction of murder against them

A Now the facts, I don't know whether that is so or not

Q You were there at the time of the trials were you not?  
A Yes sir

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Q were you not the interpreter there  
A I was sent up there by Doct<sup>r</sup> Hopper  
to see that the interpretation  
was square.

Q Now is this not the fact  
that you are examining what you  
call your missionary work  
and prosecuting <sup>and</sup> persecuting  
these Chinese and their friends  
that belong to the Lee family  
because they insist upon  
justice being done to the Chinese  
murders in St. Louis?  
A I never do not so.

Q How many other missionaries  
have you there in New York belonging  
to the Chinese missionary that  
are Chinese?

A There are 20 men?

Q Does he not belong to the He  
family?

A No <sup>any</sup> High King

Q are you in any other business?  
A you go down to their laundry  
in New York?

A No very seldom

Q That means that you do?

A Except I have business

Q Have you been around to any  
of these Chinese laundries?  
A No

Q Many of them?  
A Not very many  
Q How many do you know in Geneva  
altogether?

A I think I know 20 or 25 by name.  
I know a great many more by  
sight.

Q Still you as a missionary  
trying to have people helped in  
your home in Geneva from  
Philadelphia and St Louis and go  
into gambling houses as you  
see them and pray and try to break  
them up?

A This was done before I accepted  
the position in Philadelphia  
when I left St Louis I had no  
practice and after this I went to  
Philadelphia and accepted this  
Q When you were doing nothing at  
that time?

Answer: Not that day.

Q How did you live?

A I had some money from  
my work in St Louis.

Q Did you ever go around soliciting  
alms from any of the  
Chinese laundry?

Answer:

Q Did you ever go around there  
to preach to any of them?

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*A mly on Sunday.*

*[Signature]*

Q In Sing being duly sworn  
deposed and says

Q where do you reside?

A 991 Fulton Avenue Brooklyn?

Q do you recollect the night of last  
recount?

A yes sir

Q what day of the week was it?

A Sunday

Q was that the day you went into  
the house of this man?

A no sir if it was Sunday I did not  
go there?

Q did you go there Monday?

A yes sir

Q who did you see there?

A I saw Lee you and William Hong

Q do you know what they were  
doing there?

A yes sir

Q what were they doing?

A Playing fan tan

Q how many people were playing  
fan tan?

A About 30.

Q have you ever seen fan tan played  
for fun?

A no sir never in my life

Q are you a gambler?

A no sir

Q does your ever gamble much?

A year or a little

Q How long ago ?

A 15 years ago

Q You used to gamble a great deal ?

A Yes sir

Q What were your games ?

A I ran ten dominoes <sup>and</sup> cards.

Q Do you recognize either of these  
the persons here ?

A Yes sir

Q Do you recollect when they were  
arrested ?

A Yes sir

Q Do you recollect that you worked  
at them a great while before  
you recognized them ?

A Yes sir I recognized them right  
off

Q What is your business ?

A A missionary

Q What are your duties ?

A My duties are to try to help  
my country men and try to make  
them christians ?

Q How long have you been a  
missionary ?

A Since 1884

Q Do you get pay for it ?

A Certainly

Q Do you do any thing else here

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missionary work?

Answer

I was in St Louis at the time the Chinese were convicted of murder  
Answer during the whole trial  
of how long is that ago?

A few years

How long did you remain there?  
A fortnight

Were you not employed by the  
men who were in prison?

Answer

What were you doing there?  
A The minister doctor makes the  
presbyterian minister who was  
in St Louis sent for me there  
to do anything I could for my  
fellow countrymen

Is it true that you went between  
them and their lawyers every day  
afterwards?

Answer I was there all the time  
of these men belong to the Liu  
family?

Answer after

How many after as?  
A all after.

Is the reason of this prose-  
cution by you and the other  
missionary against these de-  
endants here because the

friends of the murdered man and  
St Louis would not take their  
Chinese witnesses away?

Answer:

Of course we mean to that?

Answer:

Of course you appeared to anybody in  
New York or said to anybody  
that if they would take their  
hands off of the prosecution  
of the murdered man in St Louis  
that you would not interfere  
with any Chinamen here or in  
Matt Steel or any where else  
belonging to the Lee family?

Answer:

Of course it true that you your friends  
and ministers are raising money  
amongst your family here  
in order to pay the expenses  
of the appellate court in St Louis  
in appealing these cases?

Answer:

Of course you see this man Huan  
as doing anything on the rights of the  
by it?

He was cashier for a few  
few years

Of course he lost money there and  
you not?

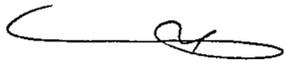
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Q What do you say?  
A Good day  
Q Do you teach in Sunday?  
A I teach to them and preach to them  
Q And you are perfectly sure you  
are a Christian yourself?  
A Yes sir



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George E. Brown being duly sworn  
says

On June 28<sup>th</sup> 1887 I went  
to the premises 18<sup>th</sup> Wall Street in  
the basement with Captain  
Pulchough and a squad of officers  
and there found the apparatus  
who are identified by the witness  
just on the stand. The paraphernalia  
was seized and taken to the Station  
house the officers taking a  
long table which was used  
to play on. And some Chinese  
money (witness describing the  
table)

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John M. Cullough being only  
known as posed <sup>the</sup> days?

I found a table in these premises  
such as described by the last  
minutes with Chinese coins  
found and some dominoes a few  
opium pipes which I do not  
know but taking all the other  
stuff away there were some  
bricks there

How long have you been in the  
premises?

A 3 1/2 years

Do you know some thing of the  
Chinese mode of living?  
Answer

Do you invariably meet on Saturday  
Sunday Monday? and do you  
buy their provisions then for  
the week?

Answer

Do you and these others go around on  
Sunday when they all meet?  
Answer

Do you know Lee Shu" when you  
see him?

Answer: I remember seeing him  
in there & I have seen him around

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See. How being very poor depends  
the day

What is your business?  
I keep grocery store  
Do you recollect the day that you  
were arrested?

Yes sir

Were you dealing fair tax that  
day?

Yes sir

If you had a great many men there  
on that day what were they doing  
A some came to visit me I have  
a great many relatives and friends  
if you had anybody there?

Yes sir sometimes a man is  
there and comes a message with me  
and sometimes they are out of  
work and they stop there with me

These two witnesses that you saw  
See being sworn that on the  
by the day of some the day <sup>before</sup> you  
were arrested that you were  
dealing fair tax and that they  
had money with you? is that  
true?

Yes sir

What does the man do who is  
arrested with you?

He is in my place and cooks  
and keeps everything in order

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and I pay him \$2000 a month  
if you pay him to act as a cashier  
for a year time game?  
Answer he looks after the place and  
takes care of it because I have  
a great deal of other things I have  
several thousands dollars worth  
now.

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William Hank being duly  
promised <sup>myself</sup> ~~as usual~~  
of whom received the day before  
you were arrested?

Answer:

What were you doing there?  
A man working there? I was acting  
as a porter

Did you play fan tan there or  
act as a cashier for a fan  
tan game?

Answer:

If the two Chinese witnesses for the  
people present they came in  
there and played fan tan and lost  
money and that you acted as  
cashier and took the money is  
that true or false?

A That is false

Wang Chui for being duly sworn  
 depose <sup>my</sup> says  
 of where dayne reside  
 A 30 Clinton place  
 of How old he is  
 A 33 years  
 of what is your business  
 A Bohemian journalist  
 of what paper dayne write for  
 A The world from times Texas <sup>Spring</sup>  
 and lots of others  
 of where you educated in his city  
 A Yes in Columbia College  
 of dayne know the complainant and  
 the witness  
 A Yes on back of stem  
 of How long have you known him  
 A 3 years  
 of dayne know what Geo. main's  
 reputation for truth <sup>and veracity</sup>  
 is  
 A Pretty bad.  
 of would you knowing what you  
 do of him believe him under  
 oath as a witness in any case  
 A I would not believe him  
 under oath I would not believe  
 any Chinese Christian under  
 oath for I know they love their  
 faces to well and unless they  
 believe in Christianity they

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do it for the sake of making money  
and nothing else

Q. You belong to the Lee family  
A. I don't belong to any family  
I am independent I came from  
the northern part of China above  
Pekin and when I came here I  
had to learn their language  
Q. Now what is the custom among  
Chinamen. Oh here you can  
see 18 Matts Street

Answer. <sup>and</sup> it is nice this if  
a Chinaman has a house his  
friends and relatives <sup>come</sup> to  
visit and they have no place  
else to go to each crowd of  
a family sticks together and if one  
is out of work he remains  
there and until he gets it and  
then pays for his lodging when  
he is able, they have no club  
to go to ~~for~~ they keep to themselves

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Oh Ngok being duly sworn  
 deposes and says  
 I where day in year 5  
 At 13 North Street  
 I do say know Lee you 4  
 Answer  
 I do say know where his place of  
 business is 3  
 Answer 18 North Street  
 I do say know what this business  
 is 3  
 A Sea Store  
 If you have been there a number  
 of times have you not 3  
 Answer once in a while I go in  
 there when I have time  
 I what is the reputation of our  
 Lee you in reference to his  
 business in this place  
 He does a reputable business  
 your business  
 If you have been there 2 or 3 weeks ago  
 Answer  
 If you have seen any gambling  
 in there )  
 Answer  
 If no fair game played 3  
 Answer  
 If nothing of the kind 3  
 Answer

*[Signature]*

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To Miss being duly known  
deposed for say

Q Do you know Lee you?  
A Yes.

Q Do he a friend of yours?  
A Yes.

Q How long have you known him?  
A 5 years.

Q Have you been in his presence at Matt's?  
A Yes after

Q Do you recollect when you was  
A arrested?

A Yes.

Q Where you there at that time?  
A I was there on the 24th

Q Did you see any gun tam played  
there?

A No.

Q That you are sure of?  
A Yes.





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Sec. 192.

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District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Andrew J. White Esq Police Justice  
of the City of New York, charging William Hank Defendant with  
the offence of Gambling

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

We, William Hank Defendant of No. \_\_\_\_\_

9 Bell Street; by occupation a Seaman  
and Michael Burke of No. 50 Cherry

Street, by occupation a Real Estate Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that  
the above named William Hank, Jr Defendant

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

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 29th

day of June 1888

[Signature]  
POLICE JUSTICE.

Michael Burke  
[Signature]

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Sworn to before me, this*  
*day of*  
*Michael J. Burke*  
District Police Justice.

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

of land situated at 1098 Cherry Street in said city valued at Fifteen Thousand dollars clear  
Michael J. Burke

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

ss.

Taken the... day of... 188

Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before *Andrew J. White Esq* a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging *Lee You* Defendant with the offence of *Gambling*

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

We, *Lee You* Defendant of No. \_\_\_\_\_

*37 Pell* Street; by occupation a *Seaman Maker*

and *Michael Burke* of No. *50 Cherry*

Street, by occupation a *Real Estate* Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that

the above named *Lee You 152* Defendant

shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the \_\_\_\_\_ District Police Court in the City of New York

during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of *Five*

Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this *20th*

day of *June* 188 *8*

*Michael Burke*

\_\_\_\_\_  
POLICE JUSTICE.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Michael J Burke*

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

*of land situated at no 90 cherry street in said city valued at Fifteen Thousand Dollars clear*

*Michael J Burke*

Sworn to before me, this  
day of *June* 188*8*  
*J. M. L.*  
Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

Taken the ..... day of ..... 1888

Justice.

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

Arthur J. Quibb

of 150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than 21 years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, that William Hawk and Lee Gow

whose real name unknown, but who can be identified by \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ did, at the City of New York County of New York and State of New York, on or about the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887, unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and did engage as a dealer or game-keeper in a gambling or barking game, where money or property was dependent upon the result—and did sell, or offer to sell what is commonly called a "lottery policy," and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did indorse and use a book or other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies, writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, against the form of the statute of the State of New York in such case made and provided.

Deponent further says, he has just come to believe, is informed and verily does believe from ~~personal observation and from~~ statements made by Eug. Mann

and Gu. Sing -

\_\_\_\_\_ to deponent that the said William Hawk and Lee Gow,

\_\_\_\_\_ aforesaid, now have in their possession, at in and upon certain premises occupied by them and situate and known as Number

18 Mott street

\_\_\_\_\_ in the City of New York and within the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

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public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables, establishment and paraphernalia layouts, chips, deal boxes, cards, lottery tickets, lottery policies, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the Provisions of Chapter IX of the Penal Code of the State of New York, wherefore deponent prays that warrants may be issued for the arrest of the persons named aforesaid, and to search for, seize and take possession of all of said unlawful matter, and that all be dealt with according to law.

*Antony Bourke*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }  
28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887. }

*A. J. White*

Police Justice.

CITY OF New York AND COUNTY OF New York ss.

New York City, being of more than full age being 15 years of age Guay Marie of 15 University Place being ~~first~~ sworn deposes and says that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887,

deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said William Hank and Lee You aforesaid, and had dealings and conversation with them as follows:

Deponent upon entering said premises, No. 18 Mott Street, saw Lee You dealing and William Hank acting as cashier and aiding and assisting the said Lee You in conducting the gambling or banking game called in Chinese "Fan tan." There were about 20 Chinese men in the room playing at said gambling game when we entered. There were three different games played in our presence, and Ju Sing, who was in company with deponent, and deponent, played in each of said games. The said Ju Sing played \$2.50 and lost, and deponent played and won 50 cents, the said William Hank receiving the money from deponent and Ju Sing at each of these games, and the said Lee You dealt the said gambling games.

Deponent further says, that the said William Hank and Lee You then and there had in their possession, kept and used certain table, establishment and apparatus for gambling purposes, and deponent verily, believes from personal observation, that the said William Hank and Lee You now have in their possession at in and upon certain premises occupied by them, and situate and known as No. 18 Mott Street, in the City of New York, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables establishment and paraphernalia layouts, chips, deal boxes, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the provisions of Chapter IX. of the Penal Code of the State of New York.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 28th day of June, 1887.

*A. J. White*

Police Justice.

*Guay Marie*

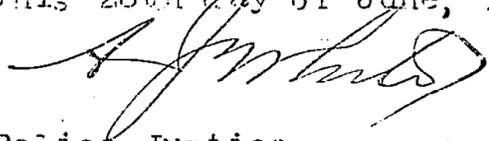
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City, County and :  
State of New York : s. s.

Ju Sing of 991 Fulton Avenue, Brooklyn,  
N. Y., being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has read the foregoing  
affidavit of Guy Maine, and knows the same to be true of his own  
knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 28th day of June, 1887.



Police Justice.



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Subscribed and sworn to before me this }  
..... day of ..... 188..... }

..... *Police Justice.*

*Violation Sec. 344, P. C.  
Gambling and Policy.*

THE PEOPLE

ON COMPLAINT OF

*Anthony Comabate  
Suy Waiwe Ed Ju Hong*

AGAINST

*William Jank  
Lee You.*

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES :

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*理有*

Taken before me this

day of

*March* 188*7*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*William Hawk* 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 Hawk*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*50 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*China*

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

Answer.

*9 Bell Street, 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Sejan maker*

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*

*[Signature]*

Taken before me this

day of

*June* 188*9*

*99*

Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

In the name of the People of the State of New York:

To any Peace Officer in the City and County of New York:

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me, by Anthony Caustock, Esq (Maire) and John Smig of \_\_\_\_\_ Street, New York City, that there is probable cause for believing that William Hawk and Lee Gow

has in their possession, at, in and upon certain premises occupied by them and situated and known number 18 Mott street in said City of New York certain and divers device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings, papers and documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, books and other documents for the purpose of enabling others to sell lottery policies and other writings, papers and documents, blackboards and gaming tables, with intent to use the same as a means to commit a public offense.

YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED, at any time of the day or night time to make immediate search on the person of the said William Hawk and Lee Gow and in the building situate and known as number 18 Mott street aforesaid, for the following property, to wit: all Faro layouts, \_\_\_\_\_ Roulette Wheels and layouts, \_\_\_\_\_ Rouge et Noir, or Red and Black layouts, \_\_\_\_\_ gaming tables, \_\_\_\_\_ chips, \_\_\_\_\_ packs of cards, \_\_\_\_\_ dice, \_\_\_\_\_ deal boxes, \_\_\_\_\_ lottery policies, \_\_\_\_\_ lottery tickets, \_\_\_\_\_ circulars, \_\_\_\_\_ writings, \_\_\_\_\_ papers, \_\_\_\_\_ documents in the nature of bets and wagers, or insurance upon the drawings, or drawn numbers of a lottery, all books \_\_\_\_\_ documents for the purpose of enabling others to gamble or sell lottery policies, \_\_\_\_\_ blackboards, \_\_\_\_\_ slips or drawn numbers of a lottery, \_\_\_\_\_ money to gamble with, and all device, establishment, apparatus and articles suitable for gambling purposes.

And if you find the same, or any part thereof, to bring it forthwith before me at the 7<sup>th</sup> District Police Court at The Forum, in Centre street in the City of New York.

Dated at the City of New York, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887

A. J. Smith

POLICE JUSTICE .



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Inventory of property taken by Thomas J. Crystal the Peace Officer by whom this warrant was executed :

~~Faro layouts, Roulette Wheels, Roulette layouts, Rouge et Noir lay-  
outs, gaming tables, chips, packs of cards, dice, deal  
boxes, deal trays for holding chips, cue boxes, markers, or tally cards.  
ivory balls, lottery policies, lottery tickets, circulars, writings,  
papers, black boards, slips, or drawn numbers in policy, money.  
manifold books, slates,~~

*1 Fran Tan table, 1 box chips, 1 large  
box domino and books, fifteen dollar  
and fifty three cents in cash.*

City of New York and County of New York ss :

I, Thomas J. Crystal the Officer by whom this warrant was executed,

do swear that the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this 29<sup>th</sup>  
day of June 1887

*Thos J Crystal*

Police Justice.

District.

Police Court---

Search Warrant.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Anthony Amato  
Guy Mairne & Jr. King*

vs.

*William Hank*

*Lee You*

*18 North St*

Dated

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Justice.

Officer.

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

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

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff, or any Deputy Sheriff or Peace Officer of the County of New York, or to any Marshal, Constable 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 Anthony Santoro, Guy Maine and J. Saig of No. 150 Nassau Street, charging that on the 27 day of June 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York that the crime of

keeping a room apparatus and paraphernalia for gambling purposes, and dealing a gambling game

has been committed, and accusing See Gow and William Hank thereof.

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant 3 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, Deputy Sheriffs, Peace Officers, Marshals, Constables and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant 3 and bring them forthwith before me, at the First 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887

A. J. White POLICE JUSTICE.

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Santoro  
Guy Maine  
J. Saig

vs.

William Hank

See Gow

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

Magistrate

Officer

The Defendant

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

Officer

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

Warrant-General.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest \_\_\_\_\_

Native of \_\_\_\_\_

Age, \_\_\_\_\_

Sex, \_\_\_\_\_

Complexion, \_\_\_\_\_

Color \_\_\_\_\_

Profession, \_\_\_\_\_

Married, \_\_\_\_\_

Single, \_\_\_\_\_

Read, \_\_\_\_\_

Write, \_\_\_\_\_

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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

Dated  
Magistrate

Witnesses  
No. 1  
No. 2  
No. 3  
No. 4

to answer

July 13, 10, 30  
July 14, 2 PM

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

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

Dated July 10 1887 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated July 14 1887 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated 1887 [Signature] 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

*William Maude  
and See Ryan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *William Maude and See Ryan*

(Sec. 343 Penal Code) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed as follows:

The said *William Maude and See Ryan, both*

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *27th* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, and on divers other days and times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate to be used for gambling; against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT. (Sec. 344 Penal Code).

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

*William Maude and See Ryan*

of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND APPARATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said *William Maude and See Ryan, both*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain

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room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling table, and establishment, and diver cards, chips, devices and apparatus, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow to be used for gambling purposes, 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. (Sec. 385 Penal Code).

**And the Grand Jury aforesaid**, by this indictment, further accuse the said *William Hanks and Lee Ryan* of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *William Hanks and Lee Ryan, both*

late of the Ward, City and County, aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house, there situate, for *their* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *their* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called "*Xau Xau*", in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *William Hanks and Lee Ryan* there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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DESCRIPTION:

Hayden, James P.

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Foster, Samuel

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dillon, Martin

DATE:

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Counsel, *Steckler*  
Filed 28 day of *Nov* 1887  
Plead, *with July*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*James D. Haysden*  
*Samuel Foster*  
*Martin Dillon*

[Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code].  
Robbery, 1st degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*10030 P 71 St*  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*J. M. Magowan* Foreman.  
*Chas. E. J. J. J.*  
*Chas. E. J. J. J.*  
*Chas. E. J. J. J.*  
*Each Pen 30 days.*

Witnesses:  
*Off Casant*

*Chas. E. J. J. J.*  
*The Defendant Haysden*  
*having been acquitted by*  
*a jury - I should a*  
*plea not present in*  
*30 degree penalty to*  
*supporting for the other*  
*20 Defendants*  
*A. H. Sandy*

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Police Court 3 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Daniel Albert

of No 57 East Fourth Street, Aged 22 Years  
Occupation Printer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

20 day of November 1887, at the 17 Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

Twenty two dollars in good and lawful  
money of the United States, consisting of  
two ten dollar notes and two one  
dollar notes (\$22)

of the value of Twenty two 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 force and violence as aforesaid by

James O. Hayden, Samuel Foster,  
now here, and a third man not arraigned,  
whose name is unknown to deponent, but  
whom deponent will call John Doe; that  
on said date deponent was in the  
premises 353 Bowery drinking and throwing  
dice with defendants; that defendant  
Hayden asked deponent into a small  
room off the saloon where deponent went,  
with said Hayden and the other two  
defendants, followed; that defendant  
Hayden then and there held deponent  
assisted by said John Doe, while the  
defendant Samuel Foster took the

Hand of

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice

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Said money from the inside pocket of defendant's vest pocket; that the defendant then kicked deponent out of the place and deponent went immediately to the station house and made complaint of said robbery. Deponent therefore charges defendant with the crime of robbery and asks that they be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this  
24 day of November 1889  
J. M. Peterson  
Police Justice

Daniel Alberts

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

committed, 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

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of  
vs.  
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Offence—ROBBERY.

Dated 1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer. James P. Hayden

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 153 Bowery

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Ba. leader

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

Answer. Not guilty

James P. Hayden

Taken before me this

day of April 1881

John P. Victoria

Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Samuel Foster 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. Samuel Foster

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 349 Bowers — 2 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Hotel 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 do not know anything about it.

Sam Foster

Taken before me this

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Day of August 1887

Wm. H. Stearns

Police Justice.

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(Witness) Daniel Albert

Bailed by  
Theodore S. Blennine  
150 West 59th St

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

Police Court - 74 District, 1919

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Daniel Albert

(W/O)

James P. Hayden

Samuel Foster

3 Martin Williams

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Nov 21 1887

Palmer Magistrate.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Rout Officer

14 Precinct.

Witnesses Daniel Albert

John Henry G. Colton Street

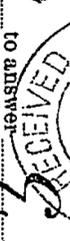
as by \_\_\_\_\_ Street

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

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

\$ 2000 to answer

Conrad



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 \_\_\_\_\_

Defendants

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

Dated Nov 21 1887

John Patterson Police Justice.

Dated November 22 1887

John Patterson Police Justice

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Daniel Albert

of House of Detention Street, aged 22 years,  
occupation Printer being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 22 day of 188

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Martin Wilcox,  
nowhere, is the "third man" men-  
tioned in the annexed affidavit  
of deponent; and (who together with  
Hayden and Foster - named in  
said affidavit - did rob deponent  
of the property named in said  
affidavit at the time and in  
the manner therein described.

Daniel Alberts

Sworn to before me, this 22 day  
of November 1887

M. J. Patterson  
Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198—200.

J District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Martin Dillon

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 25 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 340 Bowery, 2 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Peddler

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Martin Dillon

Taken before me this

22

day of November 1887

Sam O'Connell

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Michael Bisset

of No. 14th Precinct Police Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,

occupation Police being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 26th day of November 1887

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

Albert (now here) is a material witness in the matter of a complaint made by said Daniel Albert against Daniel Foster and James P. Hayden for robbery; this deponent has reason to believe that said Daniel Albert will not appear at the Court of General Sessions to prosecute said complaint and deponent asks that defendant be required to find surety to appear to prosecute said complaint

Michael Bisset

Sworn to before me, this 27 day

1887

John P. Quinn Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*James P. Sawyer  
Samuel Foster  
and Martin Dillon*

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

*James P. Sawyer, Samuel Foster and Martin Dillon -*  
of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *1st* degree, committed as follows :

The said *James P. Sawyer, Samuel Foster and Martin Dillon, all*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *XIIth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *David Albert,* in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*Two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *Two* dollars each; *Two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *Two* dollars each; *Two* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of *Two* dollars each; *Two* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of *Two* dollars each; —

*Two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; *Two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; *Two* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; *Two* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *David Albert,* from the person of the said *David Albert,* against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *David Albert,* then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *each* of them the said *James P. Sawyer, Samuel Foster and Martin Dillon* being then and there *present* as accomplices *adversely present,* to wit: each by the other) —

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.

*Richard W. ...*

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Heferman, Patrick

DATE:

11/11/87



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Walter

DATE:

11/11/87



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cushin, John

DATE:

11/11/87



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Samuel Nelson  
Off Chalvey

I W examine the contents of the  
same and do not find any  
of the contents described  
given to the Court in finding  
the punishment, which  
the interests of justice  
can be duly subserved  
by accepting after a  
Robbery in 3 day.  
H. H. Smith  
Off and Sworn

47 3. plank

Counsel,  
Filed 11 day of Nov. 1887  
Pleads Chynally 1887

THE PEOPLE

Patrick Hoffeman  
Walter Smith  
John C. ...

Robbery, (MONEY) degree.  
(Secs. 294 and 295, Penal Code.)

MANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
Attorney at Law

Nov 18 1887  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

John Maguire  
Foreman.

Nov 18 1887

Plead Robby Eley

Each  
\$105 yrd.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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*N.Y. General Session*

*The People vs*

*- vs -*

*The most hated*

*man*

*Affiant to*

*Obtain a judgment*

*in favor of*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court - East District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Samuel Wilson

of No. 107 Lefferts Street, Aged 32 Years

Occupation Seaman being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
day of November 1888, at the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

Gold and lawful Money of the  
United States

of the value of Fifty 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 force and violence as aforesaid by

Patrick Heffernan Walter Smith and  
John Cushman (all now here) and three  
other men now arrested from  
the fact that at about the hour of  
four o'clock P.M. on said date deponent  
was walking along Cherry Street the  
defendants Cushman and Heffernan came  
behind deponent and each of them seized  
hold of deponent by each of deponents arms  
and held deponent while the defendant  
Smith and another one of the group then  
not arrested forcibly rifled deponents  
pockets and the defendant Smith

Sworn to before me, this  
day of November 1888  
at New York  
Notary Public

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0787

abstracted the aforesaid money from  
deponent's left hand side pantaloons  
pocket deponent caught hold of defendant  
Smith and shouted loudly for police when  
the defendants Jefferson and Cushing struck  
deponent with their fists on the face deponent  
positively identifies the said defendants  
as taking part in the robbery of deponent  
whereof deponent was told the defendants  
may be dealt with as the law directs

Sworn to before me this

3<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1887

Samuel Wilson

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 Police Justice

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 Police Justice

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887 Police Justice

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

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

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

committed, 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

Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of  
vs.  
1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence—ROBBERY.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1887

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

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

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

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

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer General Sessions.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Patrick Heffernan* 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 *Patrick Heffernan*

Question How old are you?

Answer *21 Years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *Ireland*

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

Answer *15 Pike St 2 Months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Writer*

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*

*Patrick Heffernan*

Taken before me this

day of

*Nov 1888*

*J. J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Walter Smith 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 Walter Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer 13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 92 Avenue C one month

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Errand Boy

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

Walter Smith

Taken before me this 17th day of April 1888

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198-200.

52 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Cushman

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. St. Rosevelt St 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Brass finisher

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

Answer. I am not guilty

John Cushman

Taken before me this

day of Nov 1887

J. H. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court District

1st 1805

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Samuel Wilson*  
*247 Cherry St*  
*Brooklyn*  
*vs*  
*John Dunning*  
 Offence.....

Dated 1st 3rd 188

*Ed. Shaver*  
Magistrate

Witnesses  
*John Wilson*

No. 1 *John Wilson*  
Street.....

No. 1 *John Wilson*  
Street.....

No. 1 *John Wilson*  
Street.....

\$ .....  
to answer

*William Hill*

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 *One hundred* Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *1st 3rd* 188 *John Wilson* 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.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*Court of  
General Sessions*

*Duplicate*

*The People etc  
vs*

*Walter Smith*

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

*New York, Nov. 3 1887*

CASE NO. *32152* OFFICER *Edward Shalvey*  
DATE OF ARREST *Nov. 2-1887-* *4<sup>th</sup> Precinct.*  
CHARGE

*Robbery*

AGE OF CHILD *15 Years*

RELIGION *Catholic*

FATHER *dead*

MOTHER *Mary*

RESIDENCE *92 James Street*

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT *there is no record of Walter Smith having ever been arrested before but he has not worked recently and associates with reputed thieves. Boy's mother is intemperate.*

*All which is respectfully submitted,*

*Miss J. Terry  
President*

*To The District*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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Duplicate  
Court of  
General Sessions

The People vs  
vs

Walter Smith

*DeBlois*

FENAL CODE, §

Report of the New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0794

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Salinda Hoffmann  
Walter Smith and  
John Rudin*

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

*Salinda Hoffmann, Walter Smith, John Rudin*  
of the crime of ROBBERY IN THE *First* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Salinda Hoffmann, Walter Smith  
and John Rudin, all*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *First* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Samuel Wilson*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *five* 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*; *ten* 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 five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *ten* 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 two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *ten* 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*; *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*; *five* 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* and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Samuel Wilson*, from the person of the said *Samuel Wilson*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Samuel Wilson* then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

*each of them*  
*The said Salinda Hoffmann, Walter Smith  
and John Rudin being then and there  
aided by an accomplice actually present,  
to wit: each by the other and by divers other  
persons to be found by a grand jury aforesaid unknown)*

against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Heffren, William

DATE:

11/23/87



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel, *W. P.*  
Filed 23 day of Nov 1887  
Pleads, *W. C. Kelly 28*

RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS  
[Section 550, Pennl Code].  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*B*  
William Jefferson

*28th to read for 2800*  
RANDOLPH B. MARLINE,  
*Dec 20/92*  
*193 Jan 10/92* District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*W. C. Kelly*  
Foreman.

*Rank 3, Dec 20/92*  
*Judicial, dismissed*

Witnesses:

*It is exceedingly  
doubtful whether  
any connection could  
be had in the case  
and if the witness is  
not available, the  
officer in the case, in  
his own mind, that the  
evidence is  
clearly not a fraud  
and that the witness  
was not present in  
the interest in keeping  
accurately I account  
toward that of the  
Dec 19 1892 District 1004*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court, 1 District.

City and County of New York, } ss.

of No. 5th Precinct Police Street, aged 35 years,

occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 29 day of July 1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

He arrested John Green (now Lee) on a charge of having stolen a gold watch and chain to which said Green admitted and confessed. And that said Green made deponent that he gave the said watch to William Hefferman to keep for him until he would see if there was any kick about it that said Hefferman gave deponent the said watch in which said Green identified as the one stolen by him, but at the time he gave the said watch to said Hefferman it had initials on it which had been removed. Deponent therefore charges said Hefferman with wilfully and knowingly having received the said property he well knowing the same to have been stolen.

Sworn to before me, this 30th day of July 1887 } Chas H Tate

A. H. Smith  
Deputy

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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**Police Court, District.**

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

John Breen

of No. 46 Tenth Street, aged 16 years,  
occupation being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 29 day of July 1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

He states one gold watch and chain of the value of One hundred and twenty five dollars and the same being the property of Mulford Sumner. Deponent further says that he gave the said watch to one William Shefferan of 20 Varick Street and told him to keep the said watch for a couple of hours to see if there would be any news about it and at the time of the giving said watch to said Shefferan it had some initials on it and that said Shefferan knew the said watch did not belong to me.

Sworn to before me  
this 30th day of July 1887

John Breen  
Deponent

Deputy Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198-200.

102 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

William Heffren 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 Heffren

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, New York City

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

Answer. 20 Varick St 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, Stationer

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

Wm Heffren

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 151.

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

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*  
OF NEW YORK, } *of New York, or 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 H. Tate*  
of No. *5th Avenue* Street, that on the *29* day of *July*  
188*7* at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

*William Stefferson did unlawfully*  
*and knowingly receive a good*  
*watch stolen by John Brown and*  
*remove the initials on said watch*  
*he well knowing the same to*  
*have been stolen*

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 *her* forthwith before me, at the \_\_\_\_\_ 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 *30* day of *July* 188*7*

*J. Williams*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs

Warrant-General.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*7*

Magistrate.

Officer.

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

*John H. Tate*  
Officer.

Dated *July 1st* 188*7*

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, *July 1st 1887*

Native of *N.Y.*

Age, *24*

Sex, *Male*

Complexion, \_\_\_\_\_

Color, *White*

Profession, *Teacher*

Married, *Yes*

Single, \_\_\_\_\_

Read, *Yes*

Write, \_\_\_\_\_

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0001

BAILED.

No. 1, by Samuel S. Sweet  
 Residence 525 Pearl Street

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

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

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John M. Egan  
 vs. 5 Pearl

1 John M. Egan  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 John M. Egan  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence Receiving stolen goods

Dated June 30 188 7

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

William J. Egan  
146 Rogers St

John M. Egan

John M. Egan

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

\$ 1000 to answer

John M. Egan

John M. Egan

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*Handwritten signature: Charles J. ...*

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*William McGowan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *William McGowan* —

of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows :

The said *William McGowan,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *19th* day of *July*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of one hundred dollars, and one chain of the value of twenty five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Willford Dunn,*

*by one John Green, and* —

by *other* persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

*Willford Dunn,*

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

*William McGowan,* —

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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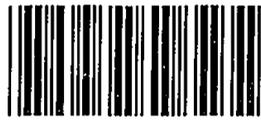
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Gallagher & Campbell  
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Counsel,

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WITNESSES:

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THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
Bernard Heilburn  
and  
Philip Heilburn

Violation of Sanitary Code.  
JAMES O'LOKENS, vs.  
[Section 197, Sanitary Code, and Section 575 of  
the N. Y. City Consolidation Act of 1882.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Edw. C. Magowan*  
Foreman.

Part III May 11, 1888  
Complaint sent to Special  
Sessions

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0006

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Bernard Viethman  
and Felix Viethman*

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

*Bernard Viethman & Felix Viethman*

of the CRIME OF VIOLATING THE SANITARY CODE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, committed as follows :

The said *Bernard Viethman and Felix Viethman, both*

late of the *14th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *23rd* day of *November* 188*5*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully keep, hold and offer for sale, in the *public street* of ~~a certain building~~ there situate, known as *Wentworth Street,*

(the same being within the built up portion of the said City and not in any public market thereof), divers live and living *chickens, geese, ducks, and other fowls,* without a special permit in writing from the Health Department of the said City, against and in violation of the Sanitary Code of the Board of Health of the said Health Department of the City of New York, duly adopted and declared as such at a meeting of the said Board of Health, held in said City on the second day of June, 1873, as amended in accordance with law, and particularly in violation of a certain ordinance thereof, to wit: the one hundred and ninety-seventh section of said code. which said section and ordinance was, by a certain resolution duly passed and adopted by the said Board of Health and by said Health Department, at a meeting thereof duly held in said City on the twentieth day of November, 1877, added to and made a part of the Sanitary Code aforesaid, and adopted and declared to form a portion thereof, pursuant to the authority and power conferred by law upon the said Board, and was thereafter duly published once a week, for two successive weeks, in the *City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published in the said City, and which said ordinance and section was thereafter by a certain resolution duly passed and adopted by the said Board of Health and by said Health Department, at a meeting thereof duly held in said City, on the sixteenth day of June, 1885, duly amended so as to read as follows, that is to say :

"That no live chickens, geese, ducks or other fowls, shall be brought into, or kept, or held, or offered for sale, or killed in any yard, area, cellar, coop, building, premises, or part thereof, or on any sidewalk or other place within the built up portion of the City of New York, except in the public markets of said city, without a special permit in writing from the Health Department, and subject to the conditions thereof."

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Witnesses: Charles  
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from a jury  
H. H. Pender  
BY court directly

Counsel,  
Filed 11<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1887  
Pleads *Not guilty (2)*

Grand Larceny degree  
[Sections 528, 581 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
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Henry Henderson

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. Maguire*  
Foreman.  
*Chas. J. P. P.*  
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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 349 West 37<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 32 years,  
occupation Restaurant Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 7 day of November 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One gold watch of the value of sixty dollars \$60.00

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 Henry Hudson (now present) from the following facts to wit:—

That in the morning of the day mentioned deponent loaned to Defendant the aforesaid watch Defendant promising to return the same in the evening. That Defendant has not since returned said watch to Deponent, but has admitted to Deponent that he Defendant after the time mentioned, pawned said watch for the sum of twenty five dollars, and the ticket

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received for the same.

That Defendant was not  
authorized to return possession  
of said watch nor to pawn  
the same.

Oliver Shackelford

Sworn to before me  
this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1887

Wm. H. Gray  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Henry Henderson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*31 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*N.Y.*

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

Answer.

*652 - 3 Avenue. 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Restaurant*

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.

*Complainant & I are partners; We owed money for rent & when complainant loaned me his watch I pawned it to obtain rent money. The sum that I received was sufficient, & I gambled in the hope of making up the difference, but lost all I had. I did not intend to steal the watch & I am ready to return it.*

Taken before me this

day of *July* 188*8*

*W. W. W.*

Police Justice.

*Henry Henderson*

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

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 1864  
 Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

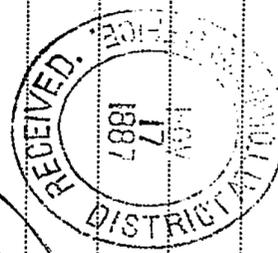
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Dated Nov. 15 188

W. H. Murray Magistrate.  
M. C. Smith Officer.  
 Precinct 27

Witnesses  
 No. .... Street.  
 No. .... Street.  
 No. 507 Street 507  
 to answer



(W. H. Murray)

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 Nov. 15 188 W. H. Murray Police Justice.

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

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named .....  
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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 Henderson*

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

*Henry Henderson*

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

The said *Henry Henderson*,

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

*one watch of the value of  
sixty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Charles Shadellford,*

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.

*Anthony J. Mariani*

District Attorney.