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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wilkin, William

**DATE:**

01/28/81



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*H. C. A.*  
Counsel  
Filed *27* day of *January*, 188*1*  
Pleas *Not Guilty (G.)*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*William Milton*  
F.  
William Milton.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

*Daniel S. Collins*  
DANIEL S. COLLINS  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Frederic Davis*  
Foreman.  
*Sam B. H.*  
*John Quincy*  
S. P. One year.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court - First District.

of No. 648 Broadway Charles E. Schneider  
and says, that on the 17 day of January 1881  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent,

the following property, viz: one Gold watch and Gold  
Chain attached in all

of the value of forty five Dollars,  
the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property  
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by William Wilkin  
(now here) from the fact that said  
Wilkin acknowledged and confessed  
to this deponent ~~that he~~ in the presence  
of Officer James Moran that he  
said Wilkin did take steal and carry  
away the aforesaid property and  
pawned the same

Charles E. Schneider  
mark

Sworn to, before me, this

1881

day

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Wilkin being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows,  
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. William Wilkin

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. No home

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Clerk

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge  
here preferred against you?

Answer. I have nothing to say  
W. Wilkin

Taken before me, this

25 day of January 1881  
W. M. [Signature] Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

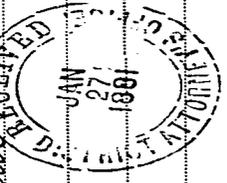
Name, .....

Address, .....

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Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Charles E. Schwendy  
641 Broadway

vs.  
William H. Kinn



Affidavit—Larceny.

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Dated: 20 January 81

Magistrate.

Brennan H. Straw  
14 Post  
Clerk.

Witnesses: James Moran  
14 Precinct

to answer  
at General Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

BAILED

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present :*

That

*William Wilkin*

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

*One watch of the value of thirty dollars*  
*One chain of the value of fifteen dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Charles E. Schneider*

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present  
That the said

*William Wilkin*

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

*One watch of the value of thirty dollars*  
*One chain of the value of fifteen dollars*

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

*Charles E. Schneider*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*Charles E. Schneider*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*William Wilkin*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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

*Daniel S. Collins*

**DANIEL S. COLLINS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Williams, Charles H.

**DATE:**

01/10/81



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Filed 10 day of May 1881

Pleas

THE PEOPLE,

vs.  
2d. Ave Wash  
3d. Ave Wash

I.

Charles S. Williams

David S. Rollins  
~~DEWITT WILSON~~

Acting District Attorney.

Part in Case 11. 1881  
pleads ~~Guilty~~ G.P.L.

A TRUE BILL.

James Over

Foreman

Ben H. months

Indictment for Receiving Stolen Goods.

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Police Office. Third District.

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

*Michael Albanis*

No. of *201* *5<sup>th</sup>* Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. *201* *Fifth*

Street, *11* Ward in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *brick building*  
~~and premises~~ occupied by deponent as a *dwelling* *the front being*  
*Stem and the room by deponent who slept in* ~~and the room by deponent who slept in~~  
*said room* ~~said room~~ **were BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means *of forcibly opening the lock on the door*  
*leading to said Room with a false*  
*key*

on the *morning* of the *first* day of *January* 188*8*,  
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

*One Coat and one Vest, and one pair*  
*of Pants of the value of ten dollars*  
*and one Silver plated Watch of the*  
*value of three dollars said property*  
*being in all of the value of thirteen*  
*dollars*

the property of *deponent*

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

*Charles H. Williams (now here)*

for the reasons following, to-wit: *That said Williams had*  
*a Room adjoining deponents Room*  
*in the aforesaid premises and*  
*that said Williams left said premises*  
*at the hour of about 11 o'clock and on*  
*the first day of January 1881, deponent*  
*recovered said property at the hour of*  
*about 12 o'clock and said Williams*

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did not return to said premises  
and for the further reason that  
deponent caught said Williams  
this day with the above described  
Clothing in his possession and  
upon his person

Michael J. Albano  
M.M.

Sworn to before me  
this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1881

R. H. Kelly Police Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Charles H. Williams being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—Charles H. Williams

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—25 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—New York

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—East 3<sup>rd</sup> Str.

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Writer

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—I am guilty of stealing  
the goods but I am not guilty  
of Burglariously entering the Room

Charles H. Williams

Taken before me, this

3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of January  
1899  
Police Justice.

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Form 115.

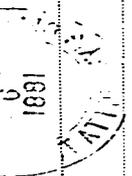
POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT,

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Offense, BURGLARY.

*Michael Albany*  
*201 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Apt 6*  
*Chelsea H. Williams*



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Date *Jan 3* 1881  
*W. B. Bixby* Magistrate.  
*Wm. H. Bixby* Officer.  
Clerk.

Witness.....  
No..... Street.  
No..... Street.  
No..... Street.  
No..... Street.  
& *500*.....to answer committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

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

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Charles H. Williams*

late of the *eleventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid,

on the *first* day of *January* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eighty-one~~  
with force and arms, about the hour of *eleven* o'clock in the *night* time  
of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the Dwelling-house of

*Michael Albanis*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of *forcibly*  
*breaking open an outer door of said dwelling-house*  
whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one *Michael*  
*Albanis* within the said dwelling-house he, the said

*Charles H. Williams*

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

*Michael Albanis*

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

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, about the hour of *eleven* o'clock in the *night* time of said day,  
the said

*Charles H. Williams*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

*One coat of the value of five dollars*  
*One vest of the value of three dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of two dollars*  
*One watch of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of

*Michael Albanis*

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

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

*Daniel C. Rollins Acting*

~~DEAN. H. PHILIPS~~, District Attorney.

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~~SUPREMACY~~  
~~COUNTY~~  
~~OF NEW YORK~~

*And* *aforsaid*

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*

upon their Oath, *present: aforsaid, do further present:*

That

*Charles H. Williams*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforsaid,  
on the *first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~sixty~~ *eighty one* with force and arms, at the  
Ward, City and County aforsaid,

- One coat of the value of five dollars*
- One vest of the value of three dollars*
- One pair of pantaloons of the value of two dollars*
- One watch of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *Michals Albanis*  
by *a certain person or*  
~~and certain other persons~~ to the Jurors aforsaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said *Michals Albanis*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have  
(the said

*Charles H. Williams*

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

*Daniel C. Rollins Acting*  
~~BERN. H. PHIPPS~~, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Frank

DATE:

01/21/81



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Day of Print  
Counsel *Shane*  
Filed 21 day of Jan 1881  
Pleads *Not Guilty (ex)*

*Burglary—Third Degree, and Receiving Stolen Goods.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Frank Wilson.*

*Amiel S. Robins.*  
ATTORNEYS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*James Barr*  
*Jan 24/81* Foreman.  
*John P. ...*  
*...*

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James Fagan  
Born <sup>2nd</sup> April 12 1880  
Illinois

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County } ss:  
of New York. }

of No. 202 Prince John Stockheimer  
Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 201 Prince  
Street, 5th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Cigar Shop.

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of forcibly breaking the lock attached to a  
door opening into the first hallway of the said premises, with  
intent to commit a crime therein

on the night of the 17th day of February 1880

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz:  
Seven Razors = Three China Cups = One  
Hair Brush = Three Combs = Three  
Shaving Brushes and Four Boxes of Soap,  
Said property being in all of the value of  
Twenty Dollars

the property of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen  
and carried away by Frank Wilson (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That about the hour of nine  
O'clock on the night of the said 17th day of February  
1880, deponent locked and securely fastened  
the said door and about the hour of half  
past six O'clock on the morning of the 18th day  
of February 1880, deponent found the said door  
open and the said lock broken, and that upon  
making an examination of the said store  
discovered the loss of the property aforesaid.  
That deponent was afterwards informed by

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Charles Delancey that said Wilson left  
a china cup, with the name of M. F.  
Flynn partly erased therefrom, at his  
barber shop Number 75 South 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue,  
on or about the 6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1880,  
which said cup is now here shown and  
fully identified by deponent as a portion  
of the property stolen from the said premises  
as hereinbefore described.  
Sworn to before me this } John Strockheimer  
17<sup>th</sup> day of January 1881

A. D. Patterson, Police Justice.

City and County of New York, ss: -  
Charles Delancey of No.  
75 South 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, in said city, being  
duly sworn deposes and says that he  
has heard read the foregoing affidavit  
of John Strockheimer, the Complainant  
 therein named - and so much thereof  
as relates to deponent is true of his  
own knowledge.

Sworn to before me this } Charles Delancey  
17<sup>th</sup> day of January 1881

A. D. Patterson, Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)  
OF NEW YORK. ss.

*Frank Wilson* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*Frank Wilson*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Twenty-three years of age*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*No. 58 Grand St.*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Cook*

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—*I am not guilty of the charge. I got the cup from a small boy named John or James Fagan who is now in the Columbia Reformatory. I did not think at the time that it was stolen.*  
*Frank Wilson*  
*(mark)*

*Henry J. Patterson*  
Taken before me, this 17th day of January 1881  
Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*John J. [unclear]*  
202 Bruce St.  
vs.  
*Frank [unclear]*

1891  
JAN 18  
JAN 18  
Magistrate.

*[Signature]*  
Officer.  
*[Signature]*  
Clerk.

*Charles Deland*  
77 South 5 Avenue,

Committed in default of \$ *500* Bail.  
Bailed by *Conrad*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That

*Frank Wilson*

late of the *eighth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth* day of *February* in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty* with force and  
arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *shop* of

*John Stockheimer*  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a  
building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for  
use, sale and deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter described,  
with intent the said goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*John Stockheimer*  
then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry  
away, and

*Eleven razors of the value of two dollars each*  
*Three cups of the value of fifty cents each*  
*One brush of the value of fifty cents*  
*Three combs of the value of one dollar each*  
*Three other brushes of the value of one dollar each.*  
*Three hundred cigars of the value of five cents each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *John Stockheimer*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *shop* then and there being, then and  
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their  
dignity.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*Frank Wilson*

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

*Eleven razors of the value of two dollars each  
Three cups of the value of fifty cents  
One brush of the value of fifty cents  
Three combs of the value of one dollar each  
Three other brushes of the value of one dollar each  
Two hundred cigars of the value of five cents each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of

*John Stockheimer*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*John Stockheimer*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Frank Wilson*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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.

*Daniel G. Rollins* ~~BENJAMIN K. RIELLS~~, District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wilson, Sylvester Franklin

**DATE:**

01/20/81



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *20* day of *January* 188*7*.

Plends *for* *July* (26)

*This demand*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

~~37~~

*Speaker Franklin Wilson*

*Daniel S. Collins*

**DEMAND**

*Case Law 21/91* District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Francis Deane*

*January 26 1887*, Foreman.

*Discharged on*

*William George and*

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city and county of New York fo.

John W. Morrison being duly sworn deposes and says that he is a printer doing business in the city of New York at numbers 13 and 15 Vandewater street in said city; that he received the annexed letter and envelope addressed to deponent on the fifth day of January 1881, through the post office in said city; that as deponent verily believes and charges the same to be true, said letter was knowingly made by Sylvester Franklin Wilson, alias S. Franklin Wilson, whose name is subscribed thereto, and for the purpose of being delivered and or sent to deponent with intent thereby to cause annoyance to deponent; and deponent verily believes and charges the same to be true that said Wilson did so knowingly make and for the purpose of being delivered or sent, put into the possession of said letter with intent thereby to cause annoyance to this deponent; and deponent further as deponent further

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says that said letter did cause  
annoyance to this deponent, and  
further deponent says the rest.

Sworn to before

me July 12th 1881

Charles Marsden

Notary Public

N.Y. Co

John W. Merion

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vs  
Sydney J. Wilson

Chap 209

Law 1880.

written

John W. Morrison

As the dept is  
in trouble at  
fall. I think it  
proper that this  
case should go  
directly to

Grant Jones  
D.G.R.

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City and County }  
of New York. } ss.

The jurors of the People  
of the State of New York in and for the  
body of the City and County of New York  
upon their oath, present:

That Sylvester Franklin Wilson other wise  
called and known as S. Franklin Wilson  
on the thirtieth day of December in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and eighty at the City of New York in the  
County of New York aforesaid did wickedly,  
wilfully, maliciously and knowingly make  
and part with the possession of a certain  
letter and writing for the purpose of being  
delivered and sent to one John W. Morrison  
and send the same to the said John W.  
Morrison with intent thereby to cause  
annoyance to the said John W. Morrison  
and which said letter and writing  
is in substance and to the effect following  
that is to say:

Dudlow St Jail

N.Y. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1880.

John W. Morrison

134 15 Vandewater St N.Y.

When you secured my imprisonment

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in this torture pen upon perjured evidence  
you swore to a lie & you knew it was a lie!  
you have let your malice, spite & revenge  
go too far! you knew you had obtained  
over \$200. from me through false pretense &  
that I had a suit against you for \$1,000.  
damages for breach of agreement & contract.  
you knew I was in Philadelphia on  
important business when your suit against  
me was called to trial & your lawyer as I  
understand - lied to the court in telling  
him he has seen me here in New York  
only a day or two before the trial! you  
also knew when you resorted to perjury  
to get me locked up here - without jury,  
trial or examination that my family - my  
wife & child was laying very ill & that  
I was their only support & I now notify  
you that should either one of them die  
while you are keeping me here that I here  
charge you with murder & will shoot you  
on sight! your miserable life shall pay  
the penalty. I will follow you to the end  
of the earth! No blood hound on the track  
of a fugitive slave is more sure of his prey  
than am I to avenge a wrong as infamous  
and cowardly as you have perpetrated upon  
S. Franklin Wilson

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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.

Daniel S. Rollins.  
District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Woodruff, Daniel

**DATE:**

01/14/81



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Day of Trial,

Counsel *Worth*

Filed *14* day of *Decy* 1881

Reads *Wm. Worth (by)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Wm. Worth*

*B*

*Daniel Warkuff*  
(Exec)

*Selling lottery tickets*

*Daniel S. Bellin*

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Richard S. Bellin*

Foreman.

*Wm. Worth*

*Wm. Worth*

*Wm. Worth*

*\$10.00*

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Daniel Woodruff being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Daniel Woodruff

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 40

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. City of New York.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 672 Ninth Ave

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Broker

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what,—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer. I am not guilty  
Daniel Woodruff

Taken before me this 31 day of Dec 1887

Mcron  
Police Justice.

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

FOURTH DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

of No. 404 East 19th Street,  
street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 22<sup>d</sup> day of December 1880  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Daniel Woodruff did then and there at premises on Westside of Broadway between 49<sup>th</sup> & 50<sup>th</sup> Street in set out foot, carry on, promote and draw publicly for lottery, to wit a game of chance for the purpose of disposing of money. That on the said 22<sup>d</sup> day of December of aforesaid went to said premises and bought the annexed slip of paper, marked (A) from the said Woodruff, that there were five other persons in said premises at the said time who also purchased slips of the same character from said Woodruff. That said Woodruff took from a sack behind a desk in said premises an envelope which contained a slip upon which were several numbers which numbers were marked on a blackboard by said Woodruff. Wherefore deponent prays that the said Daniel Woodruff may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

John Stephenson

Sworn to before me this  
23<sup>d</sup> day of December 1880  
Merran A. [Signature]  
Police Justice

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No. 139

Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Sam. Stephens

vs.

Samuel Woodruff

AFFIDAVIT

Dated Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1880

Ottoburg  
Magistrate.

Officer.

\$1000 to w. G. S.

Examination returned

Sailed by William H. Sullivan

347 N. 15<sup>th</sup> Street

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Daniel Woodruff* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Daniel Woodruff*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *40*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *City of New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *672 North Ave*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Broker*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what,—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*Daniel Woodruff*

*Marcus Decker*  
Taken before me this *31* day of *Dec* 188*7*  
Police Justice.

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

John Stephenson  
of No. 404 East 19<sup>th</sup> Street,

being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 22<sup>d</sup> day of  
December 1880 at the Premises on Broadway West side  
between 49<sup>th</sup> & 50<sup>th</sup> Streets  
in the City and County of New York,

Daniel Woodruff  
did unlawfully and feloniously sell and vend to

Deponent for the sum of ten cents  
a certain paper and document, the same being what is commonly known as,  
and is called a Lottery Policy, and which said Lottery Policy, writing, paper,  
and document is as follows, that is to say:

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10-12-14-21

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Wherefore deponent prays that the said Daniel Woodruff  
may be dealt with according to law.

John Stephenson

Sworn to before me, this 3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of December 1880

Maximilian Police Justice.

~~Maximilian~~

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Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES.

*John Stephenson*

*407 E. Broadway*

*Samuel Woodruff*

Dated *Dec 30th* 1880

*(M)*

*Oliver Young* Police Justice.

Officer.

Witness:

*J. S. W. C. E. and S. S.*  
*Examination over*

*to answer.*  
*Filed by William H. Sullivan*  
*347 N. 5th Street*

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Street.

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10-12-14-51  
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morning

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

That

*Daniel Wardruff*

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

*John Stephenson*

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*John Stephenson*

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

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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.

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said Daniel Woodruff

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, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building known as number four

hundred and four East nine-  
teenth Street

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said Daniel Woodruff

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler: and that \_\_\_\_\_ he \_\_\_\_\_ the said

Daniel Woodruff

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

hundred and four East nine-  
teenth Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given).

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present :

That the said Daniel Woodruff

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

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And that he the said Daniel Woodruff

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

hundred and four East Nine-  
teenth Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one John Stephenson

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said John Stephenson

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

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

Daniel S. Rollins

District Attorney.

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

*Wm. J. ...*

Filed *the* day of *January*

*1881*

1881

Plends

*Wm. J. ...*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

*David ...*

*(2 cases)*

*Selling Lottery Tickets*

*David S. ...*

*and on*

District Attorney,

*Nov 20*

*AD*

A True Bill,

*James ...*

Foreman.

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Day of Trial,  
Counsel *M. H. [unclear]*  
Filed *14* day of *January* 188*1*  
Plends *vs. [unclear] (17)*

*Selling Attorney Office*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

*David [unclear]*  
*(2 Cases)*

*David S. Rollins*

*Book on*  
*Nov 20*  
*AM*  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Frami [unclear]*

Foreman.

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

That

*Daniel Woodruff*

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

*John Stephenson*

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*John Stephenson*

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

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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.

divers other days; was and yet is a common gambler :

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said Daniel Woodruff

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, feloniously and unlaw-

fully did keep a certain room in a certain ~~building known as~~ house and premises situated on the west side of Broadway, between forty-ninth and fiftieth Streets in the Ward City and County aforesaid a more more particular description of which is to these jurors unknown and cannot now be given

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said Daniel Woodruff

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler: and that \_\_\_\_\_ he \_\_\_\_\_ the said

Daniel Woodruff

on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and

arms, at and in a certain room in a certain ~~building known as~~ house and premise situated on the west side of Broadway, between forty-ninth and fiftieth Streets in the Ward City and County aforesaid, a more particular description of which is to these jurors unknown and cannot now be given

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given).

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said Daniel Woodruff

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

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And that \_\_\_\_\_ he \_\_\_\_\_ the said Daniel Woodruff

on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and

arms, at and in a certain room in a certain ~~building~~ house and premises situated on the west side of Broadway between forty ninth and ~~fiftieth~~ fiftieth Streets in the Ward, City and County aforesaid a more particular description of which is to these jurors unknown and cannot now be given

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell,

barter, furnish and supply to one John Stephenson

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said John Stephenson

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

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15 - 1 - 12/ -

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

Daniel C. Rollins  
District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wylie, William

**DATE:**

01/21/81



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Day of Trial  
Counsel, *P. M. Kelly*  
Filed *21* day of *Jan* 1881  
Pleads *Ans. Verdict (207)*

Selling Lottery Policies.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*William N. Lytle*  
*B*

*Wm. N. Lytle*

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.

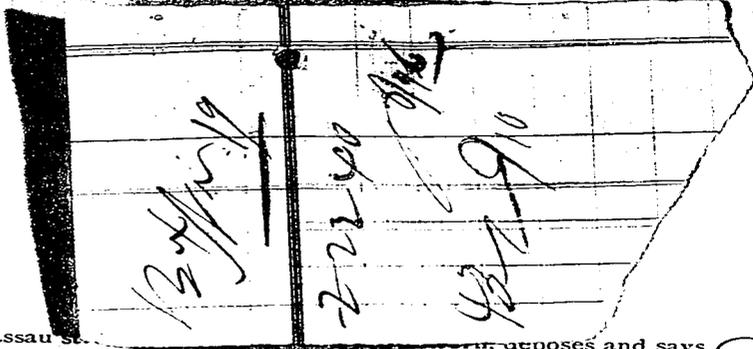
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Foreman.

*Jan 20/81*

*Plen. Verdict*  
*Pen. 10 Days Fine \$10.*

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

ANTHONY COMSTOCK, of 150 Nassau st. } deposes and says  
that he has just cause to believe and does believe that

*John Dor William Willey*  
did, on or about the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1880, at number *168 West Broadway* street in the City of New York, and County of New York, unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and further, that the said

*John Dor William Willey*  
has in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and known as number *One Hundred and Sixty eight West Broadway* street, in the City and County of New York aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in *his* possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,  
this *14* day of *December* 1880

*Anthony Comstock.*

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

*City* County and State } ss.  
*of New York* }

*John B Van Pelt, of 150 Nassau st.*  
being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the *19<sup>th</sup>* day  
of *November* 1880, the said *John Dor William Willey*  
aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, vend, furnish and procure  
the ~~above~~ annexed paper or instrument ~~the~~ same being a  
ticket or what purports to be a lottery policy, or policy slip  
and deponent further knows of his own knowledge  
that said *John Dor William Willey* did  
occupy the said premises aforesaid, ~~there~~ and there  
for the purpose of selling what are commonly  
called and known as lottery policies or policy slips  
against the form of the statutes in such case  
made and provided. *John B Van Pelt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this *14* day of *December* 1880  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

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Handwritten notes on a separate sheet of paper, including the name 'John Van Pelt' and the number '168 West Broadway Street'.

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

ANTHONY COMSTOCK, of 150 Nassau street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has just cause to believe and does believe that *John Dor William Willey*

did, on or about the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 1880, at number *168 West Broadway Street* in the City of New York, and County of New York, unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and further, that the said *John Dor William Willey*

has in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and known as number *One Hundred and sixty eight West Broadway Street*, in the City and County of New York aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in *his* possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,  
this *14* day of *December* 1880

*Anthony Comstock*

*M. J. Flannery*  
Police Justice.

*City, County and State* } ss.  
*of New York*

*John B. Van Pelt*, of 150 Nassau St. being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1880, the said *John Dor William Willey* aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, vend, furnish and procure the ~~above~~ annexed paper or instrument ~~the same~~ being a ticket or what purports to be a lottery policy or policy slip and deponent further knows of his own knowledge that said *John Dor William Willey* did occupy the said premises aforesaid, ~~then~~ *and there* for the purpose of selling what are commonly called and known as lottery policies or policy slips against the form of the statutes in such case made and provided. *John B. Van Pelt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 1880  
*M. J. Flannery* Police Justice

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W  
POLICE COURT — / DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Auton Comstock*  
VS.  
*William Willey*

LOTTERY AND POLICY.

Dated *Dec 14* 188*0*  
*Murray* Magistrate.  
Clerk

Officer

WITNESSES:  
*Auton Comstock* 1st Witness  
*J. W. Harpell* 2d

Bailed, *500-10 Aug*  
to answer *General* Sessions.  
By  
Street

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*William Willey* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Willey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*forty three years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*England*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*68 Leroy street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Clerk*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*William Willey*

Taken before me, this

5<sup>th</sup> day of December 1888

o

*John J. Smith*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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SEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

OUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Anthony Amatore*

*Alexander W. Warren*  
*9 North Moore*

FILED,  
No. 1, by

No. 2, by

No. 3, by

No. 4, by

No. 5, by

No. 6, by

*William Willey*  
vs.  
*Veredon*  
Offense

Dated *Nov 14* 18*80*

*Murray* Magistrate.

*R. G. Thummond* Officer.  
*Ch. Sykes* Clerk.

Witnesses,

*500* to answer

*General* Sessions

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

*Richard M. Day*  
*Wm. H. Stearns*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*William Wylie*

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

*John H. Van Selt*

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*John H. Van Selt*

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

*B 4 No 19*  
*- 2 - 22 - 40*  
*J 16*  
*43 29 10*

(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly  
called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given)

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SECOND COUNT—

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *William Wylie*

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

*William Wylie*

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

*one hundred and sixty eight west Broadway*

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons, (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given).

THIRD COUNT—

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:

That the said *William Wylie*

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

And that he the said *William Wylie*

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

*one hundred and sixty eight west Broadway*

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

*John H. Van Delt*

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*John H. Van Delt*

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

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- 2 - 22 - 40  
JH 16  
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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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FOURTH COUNT—

*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:*

That the said

*William Wylie*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building known as number

*one hundred and sixty eight west Broadway*

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling.

FIFTH COUNT—

*And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present:*

That the said

*William Wylie*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously and unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building, known as number

*one hundred and sixty eight west Broadway*

in said Ward, City and County, to be used and occupied for gambling, and did knowingly permit the said room to be used and occupied for gambling, to wit: for selling and vending and disposing of certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies, (a more particular description whereof is to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given).

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.