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FOLDER:

1944

DESCRIPTION:

Mack, Kitty

DATE:

10/28/85



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No. 275  
MSB  
Counsel,  
Filed 28 day of Oct 1885  
Pleads, (to quality 27)

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.  
(Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code.)  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
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Dixey mader

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

Part III April 18 87  
Bail forfeited

A True Bill,  
Part III May 9 87  
Pleads guilty

MA Anderson  
Judge of the Court  
Foreman

18 to the pt. 87  
Apr 20 87

F April 29 87

Witnesses  
John Larson

Bailed on monthly  
indictment

May 2 87

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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*

*Kittuf made*

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

*Kittuf made*

(Section 323,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Kittuf made*,

late of the *10th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty second* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, 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

*Kittuf made*,

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

*Kittuf made*

(Section 885,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Kittuf made*,

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

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and eighty- *five*, 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 *the* said house, for *her* 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

*Kitty Mada*

(Section 822, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said *Kitty Mada*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *twenty second* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, 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 *her* 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 *her* 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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No. 2757160  
Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George T. Deason  
vs. Puckey

1. Tully Mack

2. ...  
3. ...  
4. ...

Offence: Keeping a Room of ill fame

Dated Oct 23 1885

20 Kelly Magistrate.

Deason Officer.

15 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 500 to answer

Sealed

BAILED

No. 1, by ...

Residence ...

No. 2, by ...

Residence ...

No. 3, by ...

Residence ...

No. 4, by ...

Residence ...

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I have just asked Mr. G. and I  
have the very best of  
the machine factory in  
N.Y. Oct. 29.

Josephine Carroll  
110 Chrystie St

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Court of General Sessions, Part One

THE PEOPLE

INDICTMENT

For

*Kitty Mack*

To

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No.

*Josephine Carroll*

*110 Chrystie*

Street.

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *pleading* at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on                      the *29* day of *Oct.* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time, your bond will be forfeited.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

*District Attorney.*

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Kitty Mack

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 40 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. Woodlawn 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. House Keeper

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 and demand  
a trial by jury

Kitty Mack

Taken before me this

24

day of

Oct

1888

at

Samuel O. Kelly

Police Justice.

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Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated..... 188

Magistrate

*Capt Bregan* Officer.

*12* Precinct.

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

Officer.

Dated..... 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

*Sam'l O'Reilly* Police Justice.

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

Dated

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Police Justice.

The within named

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Sec. 151.

Police Court— 2 — District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, }<sup>ss</sup> *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by George J. Leeson of the 15th Precinct Police Street, that on the 22 day of October 1885, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Kitty Mack did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 237 roadster Street, in said City, a House of ill fame and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

Kitty Mack and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Kitty Mack and forthwith bring them before me, at the 2 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 23 day of Oct 188 5

Samuel C. Kelly POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court— 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George J. Leeson  
vs.

Clitty Mack

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated Oct 23 188 5

D. A. Reilly Justice.

Capt - Brogan Officer.

15 Precinct.

WITNESSES :

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

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

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

George T. Leeson  
of the 15th Precinct Police Station, in said City, being duly sworn says  
that at the premises known as Number 237 West 22<sup>d</sup> Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the 22 day of October 1885, and on divers  
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Kitty Mack  
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of Ill  
Fame and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure  
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come  
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said  
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil  
name and fame there to be and remain ~~drinking, dancing, fighting~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving  
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and  
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Kitty Mack  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said

Kitty Mack  
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of Oct 1885 George T. Leeson

Samuel O'Reilly Police Justice.

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Counsel, *[Signature]*  
Filed *12* day of *Oct* 188*5*  
Pleads *[Signature]*

MISDEMEANOR.

THE PEOPLE vs. *[Redacted]*

*B*  
*Randolph B. Martine*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

*By* *6 27 85*

A True Bill.

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

Witnesses:

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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

*Patricia S. Macfarlane*

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

*Patricia S. Macfarlane*

(Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 3.)

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said *Patricia S. Macfarlane*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the City and County aforesaid, *one and one half pounds* of a certain oleaginous substance and compound, not made nor produced from milk or cream (a more particular description of which said substance and compound, and of the ingredients and matters of which the same was made and produced, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), unlawfully did sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one *Edmund S. Wilson*, for butter, the product of the dairy; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SECOND COUNT : (Chap. 246, Laws of 1882, § 1.)

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

*Patricia S. Macfarlane*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said *Patricia S. Macfarlane*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold, at retail, to one *Edmund S. Wilson*, *one and one half pounds* of a certain substance, not butter, commonly called oleomargarine, and did then and there falsely represent the same to the said *Edmund S. Wilson*,

to be butter; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

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THIRD COUNT: (Section 430, Penal Code.)

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

*Salinda K. Magner*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Salinda K. Magner*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold, to one

*Edmund D. Wilson*

*one and one-half pounds*, as an article of food *and one-half* of a certain substance in imitation of a certain article of food, to wit: butter, without disclosing such imitation by a suitable and plainly visible mark or brand; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

FOURTH COUNT: (Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3.)

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

*Salinda K. Magner*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Salinda K. Magner*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, a certain parcel containing *one and one-half pounds* of a certain article and substance in semblance of butter, not the legitimate product of the dairy, and not made exclusively of milk or cream, but into which divers oils and fats not produced from milk or cream, entered as component parts (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), the same being then and there an article and substance required by law, in case of retail sales in parcels, to be sold from a tub, firkin, box or package, distinctly and durably stamped, branded or marked upon the top and side with the words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, where it could be plainly seen, in Roman letters, burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint in a straight line, and not less than one-half inch in length, and wherewith the seller was then and there required by law, to deliver to the purchaser, a printed label, bearing the plainly printed words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, in Roman letters not less than one-half inch in length, in a straight line, unlawfully did then and there sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail to one *Edmund D. Wilson*.

*one and one-half pounds* from a certain *box and box* which was not then and there stamped, branded or marked as aforesaid, and did then and there unlawfully omit to deliver therewith to the said *Edmund D. Wilson* a label of the kind and description aforesaid, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

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FIFTH COUNT: (Chap. 215, Laws 1882, § 2.)

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

*Randolph B. Martine*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Randolph B. Martine*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

*Edmund D. Wilson, one and one half pounds*

of a certain article and substance in semblance of natural butter, and known as oleomargarine or imitation butter, the same not being the legitimate product of the dairy, and not being made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with salt or rennet, or both, with or without coloring matter or sage, but into which divers oils, and animal and other fats, not produced from milk or cream, had been introduced (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SIXTH COUNT: (Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 2.)

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

*Randolph B. Martine*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Randolph B. Martine*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

*Edmund D. Wilson, one and one half pounds*

of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of, and designed to take the place of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same the said article, substance and compound, so sold as aforesaid, being rendered and manufactured out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article, substance and compound not being manufactured or in process of manufacture on the ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five. (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

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

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

City and County of New York ss:  
Patrick J. Meagher, of  
No. 174 East 106<sup>th</sup> Street, in said  
city and county, being duly  
sworn deposes and says, - That  
on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1887, in  
Part 3 of this court, before the  
Hon. Frederick Smyth, Recorder,  
deponent pleaded guilty to an  
indictment, charging deponent  
with Misdemeanor, viz, violation  
of the "Oleo Margarine Law," and  
on such plea, deponent was fined  
the sum of One Hundred Dollars  
and allowed the space of ten  
days wherein to pay said fine.

That deponent is totally un-  
able to pay said fine, owing to  
his extreme poverty; deponent  
is not possessed of one dollar.

Deponent ekes out a bare  
livelihood for himself and  
family, viz, wife and child.

Deponent carries on business  
as a liquor dealer, at No. 174 East

106<sup>th</sup> street. The said business is mortgaged to the Metropolitan Brewing Co. of Williamsburg.

Deponent is unable to meet the expenses of the place of business he is carrying on.

Deponent respectfully petitions that his said fine of One Hundred Dollars, may be remitted for the reasons set forth. Deponent further says, that he has applied to the Metropolitan Brewing Co. aforesaid to advance the amount of said fine, but without effect. Deponent has no other person to whom he could apply for aid, and begs the mercy of the Court

Sworn to before me this }  
9<sup>th</sup> day of May 1887. }  
Wm. Reed

Patrick F. Magher

Notary Public N. Y. Co. (57)

Court of General Sessions  
The People

Patrick F. Magher

I am satisfied from my inquiries herein that the statement made by the deft. that he is poor and unable to pay the fine imposed upon him is true - I think this a proper case for clemency and need immediately that the fine be remitted. The deft. has received the \$25.00 which amount I think deft. should pay. P.F.M.  
May 10. 1887 Not. City.

The clerk's report  
as to \$25.00

P.F.M.  
May 10/87

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226 No 84 1054

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles J. Murphy  
155 2nd St  
New York City  
Magistrate

Offence Selling Adulterated  
Butter

Dated September 28 1885

Magistrate  
James A. Powell

Officer  
William C. 329 P O

Precinct

Witnesses

No. 55 William C. 329 P O  
Street

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

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

No. 350 Paul J. O'S.  
to answer Street

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

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

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

Patrick F. Maghera

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 29 1885 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3<sup>d</sup> 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 Edward J. Wilson  
of No. 153 Dry Street, that on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of September  
1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Frank F. Magner  
231 Avenue B did sell one and a half  
pound of Oleomargarine for Butter in  
violation of the law

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring him  
forthwith before me, at the 3<sup>d</sup> 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 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887  
Ed J. Wilson POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court 3<sup>d</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Wilson  
Frank F. Magner

Warrant-General.

Dated September 29 1887

Ed J. Wilson Magistrate.

Ed J. Wilson Officer.

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

Officer.

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS

Time of Arrest, Sept 29<sup>th</sup> 1887

Naive of Canada

Age, 36

Sex, Male

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

Color, White

Profession, None

Married, Yes

Single, No

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

Ed J. Wilson

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Sec. 198-200.

32 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Patrick Magher

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 Magher

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 36 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Canada

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

Answer. 190 East Seventh St - 3 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Green

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

Answer. I am not guilty. I demand a trial by jury

Patrick Magher

Taken before me this

29

day of September 1885

Police Justice.

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CHAS. M. STILLWELL, A. M.  
THOMAS S. GLADDING, A. M.

Office and Laboratory of  
**STILLWELL & GLADDING,**  
Analytical and Consulting Chemists,

Old Series, No. 9406.  
New Series, No. 18071.

No. 55 Fulton St., cor. Cliff St.,

P. O. Box 1261.

New York, Sept 18, 1885

**Certificate of Analysis**

of a sealed sample of "BUTTER" W.M. Meeten  
marked #65 231 Avenue B Cor 14th St S.E.C New York Sept. 14, 1885 7:35 p.m.  
received for account of M<sup>r</sup> B F Van Valkenburg Sept 15, 1885  
drawn by our Agent per Mr. E. S. Wilson

<i>This Sample contains</i>	<i>Analysis of the Fat present in the sample.</i>
Animal and Butter Fat, .... <u>84.97</u>	Soluble Fatty Acids, [on a dry basis].... <u>0.57.7</u>
Curd,..... <u>1.50</u>	Insoluble do do do ... <u>95.95.2</u>
Salt, [Ash],..... <u>4.51</u>	Specific Gravity of the dry Fat, at 100° Fah., <u>0.9038</u>
Water, at 100° C.,..... <u>9.02</u>	Titre,.....°C.
<u>100.00</u>	

This sample is composed mainly of Animal Fat and is not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter—the product of the dairy, and is made in imitation and semblance of butter produced from unadulterated milk or cream from the same

Very Respectfully,  
Charles Stillwell

Mr B F Van Valkenburg  
NY

State of New York  
City of New York } ss.  
County of New York  
On the eighteenth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred  
and eighty five before me personally came Charles Stillwell  
to me known, and known to me to be the individual described in, and who executed the foregoing  
instrument, and he acknowledged that he executed the same.

Lauder J. Scraggs  
Notary Public Kings County  
and Co. of New York

hereinbefore stated ; that he did not tell deponent at any time that the said Oleomargarine so sold to deponent was not Butter, the product of the Dairy ; that deponent saw the tubs in which the said Oleomargarine was contained, and no printed label bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter," was delivered by said his clerk of said market  
where time and place to deponent with the Oleomargarine sold to him

Wherefore, deponent prays that a warrant may issue for the arrest of the said Arthur H. May  
and that he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me this 28 day of September 1885  
Emma S. Wilson

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT  
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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STATE OF NEW YORK

County of New York } ss.:

Edmund S. Wilson being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he resides in the 153 Jay Street of The City of Brooklyn in the County of Kings and State of New York, and is 30 years of age,

and is an agent appointed by JOSIAH K. BROWN, New York State Dairy Commissioner; That on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1885, in the

Store occupied by him, No. 231 Avenue B street, in the City of New York in the County of New York

and State of New York, one Frank Magher, against the

form and statutes in such cases made and provided, and in violation thereof, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York, had in his possession, with intent to sell the same for Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, a number of pounds of a substance, product, manufacture and compound, which was not Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, but had been made by manufacturing, mixing and compounding with

and adding to a small quantity and proportion of natural Milk, Cream or Butter a large quantity and proportion of animal fats or animal or vegetable oils, and was a manufactured oleaginous substance not produced from Milk or Cream; that it had been and was colored with some coloring matter whereby the same was made to resemble Butter, the product of the Dairy, and was so colored thereby, in semblance of and resembled Butter, and did resemble Butter the product of the Dairy; that the said Frank Magher

offered said substance, product, manufacture and compound for sale as and for Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream at such time and place, with intent to sell the same as and for Butter made from unadulterated Milk or Cream, and sold some considerable portion thereof, to wit, one pound and a half

as and for Butter, the product of the Dairy, and represented the same to be Butter at such time and place; that the said substance, product and compound was not natural Butter produced from pure unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, and was not Butter the product of the Dairy, and was not made exclusively from Milk or Cream, or both; that it contained some substance for the purpose and with the effect of imparting thereto a color resembling that of yellow Butter, and was in imitation and semblance of natural Butter produced from pure unadulterated Milk or Cream of the same, and was colored by some substance to resemble yellow Butter, and was in semblance of natural Butter; that the same was a substance known as Oleomargarine; that it had been made, manufactured and rendered

out of some animal fat, or animal or vegetable oils not produced from unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, in imitation and semblance of natural Butter, produced from pure unadulterated Milk, or Cream of the same, by mixing, compounding with and adding to a small quantity of Milk, Cream or Butter a large quantity and proportion of some animal fats or animal or vegetable oils not produced from Milk or Cream, with design and intent to render, make and produce an article, substance and human food in imitation and semblance of natural Butter, that a person, a clerk of said

Magher, the owner and proprietor of said store, by his direction and permission did in the presence of the said proprietor sell the same

On said premises so occupied by him. That the tubs in which the same was contained did not have the words "Oleomargarine Butter" upon the top or side thereof and such words were not burned in or printed thereon with permanent black paint, in a straight line not less than one half inch in length, where deponent could see such brand; that no printed label, bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter" was delivered therewith to the purchaser thereof.

Deponent further says that on said 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1885, he went to the said Store of said Frank Magher of said

in said City and County, and told the clerk of said Frank Magher that he wanted to buy some Butter; that said clerk - whose name is unknown to deponent,

showed deponent a number of pounds of the said Oleomargarine hereinbefore mentioned, offered the same to deponent for sale, and sold the same to deponent one pound and a half thereof, and deponent then paid to him therefor the agreed price thereof, amounting to the sum of \$ 0.33;

that, as deponent believes and charges the said Frank Magher of so offering and selling the same, well knowing that it was Oleomargarine, and had been manufactured and colored as hereinbefore stated; that deponent saw the tubs in which the said Oleomargarine was contained, and no printed label bearing the words "Oleomargarine Butter," was delivered by said said clerk of said Magher

at the time and place to deponent with the Oleomargarine sold to him

Wherefore, deponent prays that a warrant may issue for the arrest of the said Frank Magher and that he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me this 28 day of September, 1885

Edmund S. Wilson

Frank Magher

Edmund S. Wilson

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FOLDER:

1944

DESCRIPTION:

Marino, John

DATE:

10/08/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No. 574

Counsel, *J. H. Kelly &*  
Filed *8* day of *Oct* 188*5*  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

Grand Larceny *2nd* degree  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Marino*  
*alias*  
*Joseph Kelly*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Book 15.70 2 2nd 111*  
A True Bill.  
*(with 2 affidavits)*

*R. H. Anderson*

Foreman.

*Charles B.*

*Charles H. Acquitto*

Witnesses:

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John Marino  
otherwise called  
Joseph Kelly

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

John Marino otherwise called Joseph Kelly

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

The said John Marino, otherwise called Joseph Kelly

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid on the 17th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

eight pairs of shoes of the value of two dollars each pair, silver articles of household furniture of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown of the value of thirty dollars, and silver household tools of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of twenty five dollars, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Joseph Kelly

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

Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney.

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Police Court, 1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Joseph Alessi*  
vs.  
*John Marrino*

AFFIDAVIT  
Suspicion of an *arrest*

\$ 500 for *tax*  
Aug. 24<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>30</sup> AM

Dated *Aug 21* 188

*W. J. M...* Magistrate.

*Beatter* Officer.

Witness,

*3d*

*Discharged*  
*& arrested*  
*by Officer Thomas*  
*Kelly of 5<sup>th</sup> Dist*  
*Court Squad - on*  
*warrant issued*  
*by Justice White*  
*against the name*  
*Man known the name*  
*of John Kelly*  
*Aug 21 - 9<sup>30</sup> AM*

Disposition,

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

of No. 400 1/2 East 14th Street, aged 21 years, occupation Shoemaker

that on the 21st day of August 1885

being duly sworn deposes and says, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he caused to be arrested John Marrino now here on suspicion of having committed a Larceny of Gold Slips of the value of two dollars the property of some person to whom unknown.

Deponent asks that said defendant be committed for further examination in order to give deponent an opportunity to produce complainant.

Giuseppe D'Allesio

Sworn to before me, this 21st day of August 1885

se 1885

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0296

Police Court—

9 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 434<sup>CV</sup> 114 Joseph Bonenfant Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation Labourer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9 day of August 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 daytime, the following property viz:

A lot of Spies, house hold furniture and tools together of the value of One hundred 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 Joseph Kelly from the

following facts to wit— that deponent left said property in the care and charge of said Kelly and that on said date in deponent's absence, said Kelly stole and carried away said property without deponent's consent or permission. Wherefore deponent prays that said Kelly be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Joseph Bonenfant  
sworn

Sworn to before me, this 12 day of August 1887  
William J. ... Police Justice

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Sec. 151.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } SS

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

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Joseph Bonfant,

of No. 434 E 114 Street, that on the 9 day of August, 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

A lot of Shae's house hold furniture and tools.

of the value of One hundred Dollars, the property of Complaignant was taken, stolen, and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by Joseph Kelly

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 every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith bring him before me, at the 1 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 12 day of August, 1888  
Richard J. [Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

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

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

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

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

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

Sex \_\_\_\_\_

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

Color \_\_\_\_\_

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

Married \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

*Thomas H. Kelly*

of No. *5<sup>th</sup> Dist Police Court* Street, aged *36* years,

occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *August* 188

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

*I arrested John Marjano as the person who is under the name of Joseph Kelly in the Amused papers.*

*Thomas H. Kelly*

Sworn to before me, this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *August* 188*8*

*W. J. Brown*

Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Thomas Kelly*

vs.

*Joseph Marini*

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated *August 27* 188*5*

*M. J. Poirer* Magistrate.

*Kelly* Officer.  
*J. H. DeCarv*

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*John Marino* 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 Marino*

Question How old are you?

Answer

*27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Italy*

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

Answer.

*59 Mulberry Street one week*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Shoemaker*

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*

*Giovanni Marino*

Taken before me this

day of

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*Sept 27*

Police Justice.

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

Marks, Harriet

**DATE:**

10/09/85



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No 58

Counsel, Smith

Filed 9 day of Oct 1885

Pleas, Indignity (12)

THE PEOPLE  
 vs.  
 No 6000  
 vs.  
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 Plaintiff makes

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.  
 (Sections 322 and 385, Pennl Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

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A True Bill.

M. A. Anderson

Pr Oct 19/85 Foreman

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Witnesses:

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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*

*David Madaro*

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

*David Madaro*

(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 *David Madaro*,

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-eighth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, 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

*David Madaro*,

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

*David Madaro*

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *David Madaro*,

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

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and eighty-*three* — 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 *her* said house, for *her* 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

*Maribel Madors* —

(Section 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Maribel Madors*.

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *twenty-fifth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, 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 *her* — 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 *her* — 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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W No 38-1053  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George H. Seaton  
vs  
15 Precinct

Daniel Marks

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Offence Keeping a House  
of Prostitution

Date Oct 6th 1888

Robert W. Morgan  
Magistrate

15th Precinct

Alfred S. Fullerton  
17th Precinct

No. 15th Precinct

No. Street

No. 15710 11th Street  
to answer  
C.M.

BAILED,

No. 1, by Residence Street

No. 2, by Residence Street

No. 3, by Residence Street

No. 4, by Residence Street

No. Residence Street

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 Oct 6th 1888 Alfred S. Fullerton Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Harriet Marks*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Harriet Marks*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *45 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *86 W. 10th St. About one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Furnished room:*

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*  
*Harriet Marks*

Taken before me this

Day of *October* 188*8*

*Wm. Gray*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 323, Penal Code.

2d District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George T. Leeson  
of the 15th Precinct - Police Street, in said City, being duly sworn says,  
that at the premises known as Number 86 West 3rd Street,  
in the City and County of New York, on the 28th day of September 1885 and on divers  
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Harriet Marks  
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of assignation  
and Prostitution and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure  
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come  
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said  
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil  
name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving  
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and  
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Marks  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said  
Marks  
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 28th day }  
of October 1885 }

W. J. O'Connell Police-Justice.

George T. Leeson

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Police Court—2d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Genet Leson

vs.

Mark

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated October 5 1888

Geo. W. ... Justice.

Leson Officer.

15 Precinct.

WITNESSES :

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

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

*George T. Lessor*

of No. *the 15th Precinct Police* Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,

occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188-

~~at the City of New York, in the County of New York,~~ *Harriet Marks*  
*now deceased*) is that *Harriet Marks*  
in the annexed affidavit and  
warrant as *Marks* and that  
the person charged in the annexed  
affidavit and warrant will  
keep a House of assignation  
and prostitution at premises  
West 3rd Street.

*George T. Lessor*

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188-

*Augustine*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

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

Magistrate  
*Leeson* Officer.

15 Precinct.

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Officer.

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

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

*Ed. G. Swin*  
Police Justice.

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

Dated

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Police Justice.

The within named

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Sec. 151.

Police Court— 2d District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by George T. Leese

of the 15th Precinct Police Street, that on the 28th day of October

1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, 26 West 3rd Street

did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 26 West 3rd Street a House of Prostitution and assembly and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

My Harriett Marks and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Harriett Marks

and forthwith bring them before me, at the 2d 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 5th day of October 1887  
W. J. Cowen POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Harriet Marks*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *45 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *86 W. 12th St. New York One year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Furnished rooms*

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*

*Harriet Marks*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 188*8*

*Wm. C. C. C.*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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City and County of New York fo:  
Harriet Lansing

being duly sworn says

1. I have removed from the premises No 86 West Third Street and have sold to second hand dealers the most of the furniture of said house, keeping only what was necessary to furnish a room and bed room for myself
- 2 I will surrender the Keys today to the Landlord and will not again reside in the 15<sup>th</sup> Police Precinct.

Sworn to before me }  
this 22<sup>d</sup> day of Oct }  
1885 }

Harriet Lansing

Allan Lee Smith -  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

City & County of New York fo: Allan Lee  
Smith, Counsellor at Law being  
duly sworn said

- 1 I am Counsel for Harriet Math, now under conviction of keeping a Disorderly House at No 86 W. 3<sup>d</sup> St in this City
- 2 I this morning visited the said premises & found them dismantled most of the furniture removed and more in process of removal

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0314

Sworn to before  
me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day  
of Oct 1885

Attest my hand

Jacob P. Johnson  
Notary Public  
N. H.

Out of General Session

The People vs

Harold Marks

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Affidavits  
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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

Marsh, Arthur

**DATE:**

10/28/85



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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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No 269 *RM-1004*

Counsel, *L. H. [unclear]*  
Filed *28* day of *Oct* 188*5*  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

Grand Larceny *First* degree  
[Sections 528, 530 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE  
*vs.*  
*Edmund E. [unclear]*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*vs.* *Law 6. 1886* District Attorney.  
*pleads 4 L & C.*

**A TRUE BILL.**

*[Signature]*  
S. P. *[unclear]* Foreman.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*

Witnesses:  
*M. G. Han*

**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*

*Arthur E. Marder*

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

*Arthur E. Marder*

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

The said *Arthur E. Marder*

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

*ninety seven rods of asphalt of the value of seven dollars and twenty five cents each rod, sixty other rods of asphalt of the value of eight dollars and twenty five cents each rod, twenty four hundred and twenty five rods of asphalt of the value of twenty nine cents each rod, and fifteen hundred other rods of asphalt of the value of thirty three cents each rod.*

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of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William R. Stern,*

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.

*Richard J. Martin*  
District Attorney.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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The People

MS

Arthur E. Marsh

POOR QUALITY  
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Bliss & Schley,  
Attorneys & Counsellors,  
100 Broadway,

GEORGE BLISS,  
WILLIAM T. SCHLEY.

New York

Apr 31

1885

Hon. R. B. Rutten

District Attorney

Dear Sir

Mr. W. C. Horn, the

witness in the ~~case~~ Arthur C.  
Horn, indicted for larceny has  
returned and will be here for a  
couple of weeks. I beg to say that  
Horn may be brought to trial. He is a  
prisoner in Sullivan Street Jail. I am  
fully assured that he will change his  
plea to one of guilty but that is not to  
be counted upon. Yours truly  
George Bliss

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*John*

*Answered*

*Dec 14/87*

*R. B. Lee*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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VI

STATE OF NEW YORK.  
*Executive Chamber,*  
ALBANY.

December 1st, 1887.

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of Arthur E. Marsh-----, who was convicted of grand larceny, 2nd degree, in the county of New York-----, and sentenced January 6, 1887, to imprisonment in the Sing Sing Prison----- for the term of four years-----, I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the trial, or upon the preliminary examination, or before the coroner's jury if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge since conviction?

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

Hon. R. B. Martine,  
District Attorney N. Y. Co.,  
New York City.

very respectfully yours,

*William C. Rice,*  
Private Secretary.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Roch & Sons & Co.  
Manufacturing Stationers,  
156 William St.

P.O. BOX 939.

75 to 83 Nassau St.

Branch at Berlin.

W. C. Horn  
J. G. Wash  
J. W. Powell  
J. W. Horn

New York, Aug. 5, 1886.

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,  
District Attorney

Dear Sir:

In the case of Arthur  
E. Marsh, indicted for Grand  
Larceny in the first degree,  
upon our complaint, we are  
willing that a plea of  
guilty of Grand Larceny in  
the second degree should  
be accepted.

Yours Respectfully,  
Roch & Sons & Co.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*Rock Sons & Co.  
Manufacturing Stationers,  
156 William St.*

*W. C. Horn,  
J. C. Rock,  
J. W. Frost,  
J. F. W. Horn.*

P. O. BOX 939.

*75 to 83 Ann St.*

*Branch at Berlin.*

*New York July 5 1886.*

*Hon Randolph B. Martine.*

*Dear Sir:*

*We enclose you  
two letters. Not knowing  
in what name the Com-  
plaint is made -*

*Yours Truly  
J. Rockson & Co  
Lecturers*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Koch Sons & Co.  
Manufacturing Stationers,  
156 William St.

P.O. BOX 939.

75 to 83 Ann St.

Branch at Berlin.

New York, Jan 5 1886

Hon. Randolph B. Marline  
District Attorney:  
Dear Sir:

In the case of  
Arthur E. Marsh, indicted  
for Grand Larceny in the  
first degree upon my  
Complaint, I am willing  
that a plea of Guilty of  
Grand Larceny in the  
second degree, be ac-  
cepted.

Yours Respectfully  
William C. Horn

W. C. Horn,  
J. C. Koch,  
J. W. Horn.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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The People  
<sup>13</sup>  
Arthur E. Marsh

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Arthur E. Marsh  
G.L.

Set this case  
for trial in Part 2  
on Jan'y 6<sup>th</sup>  
Dec-11/85 R.B.M.,  
To McNeill.

No. 209

Cont of Edward Sessions  
of New Haven

vs  
The Board of  
on the Complaint  
of

William F. Brown  
156 William Street

against

Edward E. French

Edward Sessions for

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State, City and County of New York, ss:

*My business address is 156 William St. N.Y.C.*  
William C. Horn being sworn says,

On the 13th day of June 1885, Arthur E. Marsh, in the City of New York, confessed to me that he had, prior to the 19th of May 1885, stolen from the firm of Koch, Sons & Co, of which I was then and now am a member, a large quantity of Gold leaf; that he took it with him when he went to Europe as stated in my former affidavit, and that about June 29th 1885, having been charged in the City of Liverpool, by the agent of the said firm with stealing from them, he acknowledged that he had stolen said Gold leaf and gave the same up to said agent. Said confession was made without any suggestion on my part that it would benefit him to make it, ~~on the contrary I distinctly told him that it was the intention of said firm to proceed against him criminally.~~

WCH

The Gold leaf so given up by said Marsh in Liverpool, has been returned to said firm in this City and is of the value of at least twelve hundred dollars.

Sworn to before me this :

26th day of October 1885. :

*William C. Horn*

*Wm M Davis*  
*Notary Public*  
*N.Y.C.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

Mastrange, Angiolina

**DATE:**

10/12/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No. 78  
Mr. A. Keeler  
Counsel,  
Filed  
City of  
1887  
Plends, Anthony B.

[Sections - Penn Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Oniginais Marbrangoff

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

6/12/87  
6/28/87  
A True Bill.

J. P. O'Connell  
Foreman

W. J. [Signature]

Part III June 14/87.

Indictment dismissed

Witnesses:

Upon recommendation of  
Mr. Gerry, I move  
to dismiss this indictment  
June 14/87

Ward

Dean Denton

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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

*Augusta Martin*

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

*Augusta Martin*

of the CRIME OF *a misdemeanor*

committed as follows:

The said *Augusta Martin*

late of the *1st* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully use and employ and cause to be employed, a certain *ward book*, in which and thereon a full account of and actuality under the age of *seven* years, to wit: of the age of *seven* years, in reading newspapers, upon the public streets and highways of said City, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

Second Count:

1 And the Grand Jury aforesaid by this indictment further accuse

The said Onajuma marriage is a  
 misdemeanor, committed as  
 follows:

The said Onajuma marriage  
 took place at the Ward, City and County  
 of Nevada, of Nevada, to wit: on  
 the day and in the year aforesaid,  
 and at the place aforesaid, being then  
 and there a parent, to wit: the mother  
 of one Josephine Marshall, who  
 was then and there a child actually  
 and apparently under the age of  
 sixteen years, to wit: of the age of  
 ten years, and as such parent then  
 and there having the care, custody  
 and control of the said Josephine  
 Marshall, did unlawfully procure  
 and consent to the employment  
 of the said Josephine Marshall,  
 in peddling newspapers upon  
 the public streets and highways there,  
 against the form of the Statute  
 in such case made and provided,  
 and against the peace and dignity  
 of the said State.

Randolph B. Martinie  
 District Attorney

**N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS.**

THE PEOPLE



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.  
*Smothering child to death*

**NOTICE OF PROSECUTION**

BY THE SOCIETY.

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

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

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

*New York, October 29 1885*

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

*The People  
against  
Angelina Mastrange*

*Notice of Prosecution.*

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

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

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

*Elbridge T. Gerry,*

*President, &c.*

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**PART III.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Off Parker*

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

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Park of the said City, on the *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf against

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year of our Lord 1887.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

*July 15<sup>th</sup>*  
*21*  
*15*

1930

No. 98-1074  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 *Virginia MacFarlane*  
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Offence *Mulder's children*

BAILED,

No. 1, by *George Davis*  
Residence *262 West*

No. 2, by  
Residence

No. 3, by  
Residence

No. 4, by  
Residence

Dated *Oct 3* 1885

*Samuel Buckley* Magistrate  
*Samuel Buckley* Officer

Witnesses  
*15* Precinct.

No. *307*  
*1555*  
Street.

No. *100*  
in answer *118*  
Street.

*Bailed*

to 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

*Virginia MacFarlane*  
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 *Oct 3* 1885 *Samuel Buckley* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Oct 3* 1885 *Samuel Buckley* 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 1885 Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *Angolina Mastrange*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *About 37 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *Italy*

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

Answer *No 150 11th St. Two years and a half*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer *Widow*

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 and demand a trial by jury*

*Angolina Mastrange*

Taken before me this

day of

*October* 188*6*

*Samuel C. Hall* Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT *D* DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN



DATED, *Oct 3* 188*5*

*O'Reilly* Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

Witnesses:

*E. Fellows Jenkins, Supt.*

*100 East 23d Street.*

Disposition.....

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Second District Police Court.

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

Henry E. Stocking  
of Number 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1885, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York, one Angelina

Mastrorace "now present" there and there  
being the parent and guardian and having  
the care, custody and control of a certain  
child called Josephine Mastrorace  
said child then and there being actually  
and apparently under the age of sixteen years  
to wit: of the age of two years, placing them  
and their employ and use the said <sup>child</sup> for the  
purpose of peddling newspapers on the public  
streets to wit: on Eighth Street, in said city  
at 8 O'clock P.M. in violation of the Penal  
Code of the State of New York as amended.

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said Angelina Mastrorace  
be

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

Sworn to before me, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1885 } Henry E. Stocking

Samuel O'Neill  
Police Justice.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

Mayhew, John

**DATE:**

10/29/85



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Witnesses:

*Mrs. Schwab*

No 304

Counsel,  
Filed *29* day of *Oct*, 188*8*  
Pleads, *City of*

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree,  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

*John Mayhew*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Wm. A. Menden*  
Foreman.

*Frederick Bonstedt*

*Elmer R. ...*

0342

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Kaufman

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

John Kaufman

of the Crime of GRAND LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said John Kaufman

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

one watch of the value of  
fifteen dollars

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

Randolph B. Brewster,  
District Attorney

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Testimony in the  
case of  
John Mayhew

filed Oct. 1885.

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The People  
vs.  
John Mayhew.

Court of General Sessions, Part I  
Before Judge Cowing.

November 4, 1885.

Indictment for grand larceny.

Morris Silverberg sworn. I live at 57 Hester St. in this city; on the 10th of October I was standing about three o'clock in the afternoon on the corner of Fowery and Hester Street; there was a man selling gold plated collar buttons and I was looking at him; the prisoner came up to me and took a watch out of my pocket, I caught him right away and commenced to holler police and the officer came to catch him and the prisoner threw the watch on the ground, it was my watch and worth thirteen dollars.

Cross Examined. There was a crowd of fifteen or twenty people around, the prisoner was in front of me facing me, I don't know whether the prisoner was looking at the man who was selling the collar buttons or not, I certainly saw him take my watch, I saw his hand in my pocket and caught him right away and then the policeman was coming I saw him throw the watch on the sidewalk; the policeman came a minute or half a minute after I had hollered. This happened in front of the Liverpool Clothing Company's store. The prisoner said nothing at all to me when I grabbed him.

John Brangan sworn. I belong to the 14th precinct and was on duty on the 10th of October, I was standing near the corner of Fowery and Hester Street in the afternoon about three o'clock, I saw the complainant and the prisoner. I was standing on the 14th ward

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side and on the 6th ward there was a pushing crowd, there was about fifteen or twenty standing around, I heard a cry of police and ran over and found the prisoner struggling to get away; this complainant said that he took his watch, and he, the complainant, had the watch in his hand. I asked the prisoner and he said he did not take it, that a fellow put it in his pocket, he admitted that to Justice Duffy. My attention was not attracted to the prisoner and the complainant before the cry of police, I had just come up, I stood there about a minute when I heard the cry of police and I ran over. I could not tell of my own knowledge whether anybody could have passed the watch to the prisoner, I did not see the prisoner throw it on the ground, but I saw that the glass of the watch was broke when it was in the complainant's hand; the complainant said that the prisoner was after taking it out of his pocket.

Cross Examined. Is it not a fact that the prisoner told you that he thought somebody attempted to put it into his pocket and because the pocket being torn it was thrown on the ground? No sir, he said he did not take it but another party put it in his pocket; he did not say he thought another party put it in his pocket.

By Mr. Belford. He did not use the expression which the counsel asked you? No, he told me that somebody put it in his pocket; those are the words he said.

The Case for the Defence.

John Mayhev sworn and examined. How old are you? Sixteen years of age. Do you work for a living? Yes sir. What do you do? I was in the printer's trade

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before, after I got sacked out of that I was helping my mother down around the Five Points Mission. Have you ever been arrested before? No sir. Do you remember the day in question, the 10th of October 1st? Yes. Do you remember being on the corner of Hester Street and Bovey? Yes. Where did you come from? Five Points mission. Do you remember what occurred there? Yes. State to his Honor and to the Jury in your own way all that happened on that corner? A Jew man was selling gold plated collar buttons and I just went in the crowd, and this man (The complainant) put his arms around me and caught me and said you stole my watch. Some party looked in the mud gutter, I picked up the watch and I was struggling to get away from him and the policeman came over and arrested me. Did you take his watch? No sir. Do you know anything about his watch? No sir. Did you have his watch in your possession that day? No sir, I had a big hole in my pocket. Is that the coat you had on that day? Yes sir.

Cross Examined. How near were you to the complainant when this watch was taken? Three or four feet away from him at that time. Did you see any man take this watch? No sir, I was looking at the man with the collar buttons, I swear I did not see the man who took the watch. The Judge very properly asked you if you knew the obligation of an oath and you answered yes? Yes.. I positively swear that I have never been in the Penitentiary or State prison. I said to the officer I thought somebody might have put the watch in my pocket.

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Sarah Mayhew sworn. I am the mother of the defendant and he helps to support me, he has always been a good boy and has never been in any trouble before; on this day in question he was upon an errand for me.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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No 304 1096  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Morris Silverman

vs. Hester

John Maguire

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Offence

Dated Oct 11 188

Justice, Magistrate  
Crawford, Officer.

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

No. 239  
Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ to answer

Street

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

*Defendant*

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

Dated *Oct 11* 188 *P. J. Crawford* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } SS

*John Mayhew* 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 Mayhew*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *107 Broome St. 3 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*John Mayhew*

Taken before me this *10* day of *Sept* 188*0*  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court— District. Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 57 Oyster Street, aged 21 years,  
occupation of Gray operator being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 10th day of October 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One silver Watch valued  
at thirteen dollars  
\$ 13 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 John Maloney (now here) from the fact that Deponent was standing in a crowd on the corner of Oyster and Bowery and Defendant was standing in front of Deponent. Deponent felt a tug at his chain to which was attached the said Watch, he immediately missed said watch, and saw said Defendant throw said watch on the street.

Wherefore Deponent charges said Defendant with having taken, stolen, and

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October 1888  
Police Justice

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carried away from his his  
possession and person the  
said property,

Sworn to before me  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1885 }  
J. M. Murray }  
Magistrate

J. M. Murray  
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated 1885  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1885  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1885  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District, Offence—LARCENY.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of  
vs.  
1  
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Dated 1885  
Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Clerk.  
Witnesses,  
No. street,  
No. Street,  
No. Street,  
\$ to answer Sessions.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McAlear, Peter

**DATE:**

10/30/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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W.D. Fullamerge

Counsel,  
Filed 30 day of Oct 1885  
Pleads, *Inguilty*

Sections 498, 506, 528, 5531  
Burglary in the Third Degree.

THE PEOPLE

16. *W. W. R*  
17. *W. W. R*

*Robert M. Deane*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*Pr. M. W. - Dish. Attorney.*  
*Pleado P. 2. 7. 10*

A True Bill.

*W. W. Deane*

Foreman

*James L. W.*

Witnesses:

*Henry Keever*

*Handwritten witness names*

*W. W. Deane*  
*James L. W.*  
*before this party*  
*Receiv. v. Keever*  
*Deceiv. v. Deane*

*W.D.*

**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  
*Peter McDear*

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

*Peter McDear*

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

The said *Peter McDear,*

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *dwelling house* of one

*Henry Brewer.*

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

*Henry Brewer,*

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.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Peter McDear*

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

The said *Peter McDear,*

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

*Two coats of the value of twelve  
dollars each, two pairs of trousers  
of the value of seven dollars each  
pair, two vests of the value of  
three dollars each, one hat of the  
value of one dollar, one sock of the  
value of two dollars, one pair of  
shoes of the value of one dollar, and one  
sock of the value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Denny Brewer.*

in the *Denny's* house of the said *Denny Brewer,*

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

*Randolph B. ...  
District Attorney*

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102 W 11<sup>th</sup> St  
Nov 7<sup>th</sup>

I have known  
the bearer Mr. Robt. McAlister  
several years I have  
given her situations  
all of which she  
filled with satisfaction  
to her employers, proving  
herself honest and  
industrious.

Mary Kelly

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No 314  
Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Kieren  
331 Christopher

Peter McMillan

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Offence Burglary

Dated Oct 26 1885

W. S. Smith Magistrate  
John H. Hancerson Officer

Witnesses David O'Brien Precinct

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

No. 1089 Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer

David O'Brien

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Oct 26 1885 Alfred Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

2. District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Peter M. Allen*

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. *Peter M. Allen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *172 Waverly Place. 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Worked in a stable in Long Branch*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of this charge*  
*Peter M. Allen*

Taken before me this 2 day of 6 1911  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court - 2 District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 33 Christopher Henry Kuever Street, aged 30 years, occupation Grocer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 33 Christopher Street, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Two story gable roof brick building in the 9th Ward and which was occupied by deponent as a grocery store on 1st floor & sleeping apartment in the attic and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly prying up the bar of the attic window and pulling the screen of said bar and letting himself in through said window. And unwittingly door and letting himself in on the 21st day of October 1885 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two suits of clothes, one hat, one clock, one plated chain and locker, all of the amount and value of Forty dollars.

the property of deponent William Kuever & Louis Busch 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

Peter Mc Cleer

for the reasons following, to wit: That at about the hour of nine o'clock am on said date deponents clerk left said attic room securely locking the door after him the window being fastened by a catch and leaving the aforesaid property in said room. And when deponent went to said room at the hour of 10.30 o'clock PM for the purpose of going to bed he found the door of said room open and said

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property gone. Depment had reason to believe the dependant knew something of the taking of said property for the reason that his mother lived in said house and he had a key for the front door of said house and depment caused his arrest. when a pawn ticket representing a coat and vest which was identified by depment as a portion of his property <sup>was found on said dependant</sup> and the dependant has since admitted and confessed to Officer John Flanagan of the 9th Prec Police in the presence of depment and in open Court that he the said dependant did burglariously enter said attic room and feloniously take steal and carry away the aforesaid property.

Henry Mason

Sworn to before me  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1885

Solo R Smith  
Police Justice

Police Court ..... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Dated ..... 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses :

Committed in default of \$

Bailed by

No. Street.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McArdle, Joseph

**DATE:**

10/23/85



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No 223.

Witnesses:

Seth Hastings Grant

Counsel,  
Filed 23 day of Oct 1880  
Pleads.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
George W. Duda  
George W. Duda

Bringing in the Third Degree.  
Sections 498, 506, 528, and 531.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Proba Pleas  
Filed May 3.

A True Bill.

W. A. Anderson

State Referee  
November

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Joseph Mc Ardle*

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

*Joseph Mc Ardle*

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

The said *Joseph Mc Ardle*,

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

*D. Dastine Agent,*

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

*D. Dastine Agent,*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Agostino me Andre*

of the CRIME OF *Agostino me Andre* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows :

The said *Agostino me Andre,*

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 *year* time of the said day, with force and arms,

*five dresses of the value of thirty dollars each, three coats of the value of twenty five dollars each, and one overcoat of the value of thirty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *D. Astoria Grant,*

in the *dwellinghouse* of the said *D. Astoria Grant,*

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

*Randolph B. Martin*  
District Attorney

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No 223. 1143

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John S. Van Hook*  
*132 South 2d St*  
*Joseph McCordle*  
*John S. Van Hook*  
*Joseph McCordle*  
*John S. Van Hook*  
*Joseph McCordle*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated *October 19* 188*5*

*Henry Brunner*  
Magistrate.

*James H. McQuinn*  
Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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

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

\$ *1000* to answer *General Sessions*

*(Am)*

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

*Joseph McCordle*

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 *October 19* 188*5* *Henry Brunner* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

*Joseph McArdle*

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 McArdle*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Amsterters Point Long Island*

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

Answer. *938 East 28 Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Horse Rider*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the charge  
for McArdle*

Taken before me this

day of *July* 188*8*

*William J. ...*

Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

*Joseph Hastings Grant*  
of No. *132 East 24<sup>th</sup>* Street, aged *57* years,  
occupation *Bank officer* being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises *No* *aforesaid* Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *dwelling where deponent*  
*resides with his family*

and which was occupied by deponent as a *shop*  
and in which there was at the time *no* human being, *except with intent*

~~to commit a larceny~~  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly *forcing a*  
*lock on an outer gate and thereafter*  
*breaking a panel of the door leading*  
*into the basement of said premises*  
with intent to commit a larceny *therein*  
on the *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 188*5* in the *day* time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:  
*five silk dresses two velvet cloaks*  
*one silk circular cloak - one fur cloak*  
*one overcoat and other*  
*property collectively of the value*  
*of three hundred dollars and*  
*more*

*Daughter*  
the property of *deponent & other* *Members of his family*  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

*Joseph McWhe* now present

for the reasons following, to wit: *That at the time of the*  
*commission of said burglary deponent*  
*and his family were from home, the door*  
*and gate leading to said premises being all*  
*securely locked and fastened - That on the*  
*day in question about 5 O'clock P.M. the*  
*deponent says he forced the lock of the*  
*outer gate and broke a panel in the basement*  
*door and then entered the house and took and*  
*stole therefrom the property above described and sold*  
*it one Moses Chish in East 16<sup>th</sup> Street No. 259.*  
*S. Hastings Grant*

*Joseph Hastings Grant*  
*deponent*  
*19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1885*  
*before me*  
*John A. ...*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCall, Hugh

**DATE:**

10/13/85



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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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No-97

Counsel,  
Filed 13 day of Oct. 1885  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

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

*1st. Person  
142. Person  
147. Person*  
vs. **F**

*Dugh McCall*

H.D.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*72 Oct 14/85*

*Filed Oct 31*  
A True Bill. *Leung*

*W.A. Anderson*

Foreman.

Witnesses:

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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

*Drugh Mc Call*

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

*— Drugh Mc Call —*

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

The said *Drugh,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Cornelius Cross,* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Cornelius* with a certain *iron pot*

which the said *Drugh*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, ~~the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon,~~ wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, ~~stab, cut~~ and wound, *the same being such means and force as were likely to produce the death of the said Cornelius.*

with intent *in* the said *Cornelius*

thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

*— Drugh Mc Call —*

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

The said *Drugh,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Cornelius Cross*

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *in* the said *Cornelius,*

with a certain *iron pot*

which *he* the said *Drugh*

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

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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THIRD COUNT--

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
— *Dugh McCall* —  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Dugh*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body  
of one *Cornelius Cross* —

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault, and *him* the said *Cornelius* —

in and upon the *head* \_\_\_\_\_ of *him* the  
said *Cornelius*, \_\_\_\_\_ did then and there  
feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, \_\_\_\_\_ bruise and wound,  
and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict  
upon *him* the said *Cornelius*, \_\_\_\_\_  
grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *Cornelius*, —  
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.**

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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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1077  
1895  
Police Court  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Amelia Cole*  
*vs*  
*Herbert*  
1  
2  
3  
4  
Offence *held assault*

Dated *October 7* 188 *5*

*W. Patterson* Magistrate  
Officer  
*Mr. Sewing* Precinct.

Witnesses *Complainant in*

*Home of Rotterdam* Street

*on Albany* Street

*at Albany* Street

*Bartholomew* Street

No. *147* *Blenny* Street

\$ *1500.* to answer

*Committee*

*Oct. Oct. 9/85 at*

*2 1/2 P.M.*

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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Herbert McCall*

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 *October 9<sup>th</sup>* 188 *5* *W. Patterson* 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.

**POCR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198-200.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Hugh McCall 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. Hugh McCall

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. 14 Cherry Street 8 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Fire smith

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 whether I struck the man or not I was drunk at the time.

Hugh, McCall

Taken before me this

day of October 1885

John W. Watson

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

POLICE COURT, 34 DISTRICT.

*Philip S. McNamee*

of No. *the 7th Street* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the *28* day of *September* 1885

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

*Hugh McCall an ex-plaintiff of  
Cornelius Blosser who is now  
confined in Chamber Street Hospital  
suffering from injuries received  
by the said Hugh McCall. The said  
defendant was confronted and  
identified by the Corneliuss  
as the person who committed  
the assault. The defendant now  
prays that the said Hugh McCall  
be committed to await the*

of  
known to me  
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*John J. [unclear]*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Committed without Bail  
D. Amarty the result of  
injury to Cornelius O'Keefe

result of the injuries,  
Philip F. Mahony  
Sworn to before me  
this 28. day of September 1885  
J. G. Conway  
Police Justice

Wm. M. Sullivan  
Clerk

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POLICE COURT - 34 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Philip F. Mahony

vs  
J. G. Conway

Dated Sept. 28 1885

Conway  
Magistrate.

W. M. Sullivan  
Officer.

Witness,  
J. G. Conway

Disposition  
By to await

the result of injuries

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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New York Hospital,

West Fifteenth Street,

New York, Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 1885

To whom it may concern

This is to certify  
that Cornelius Close is in this  
Hospital under treatment  
for a compound fracture  
of the skull & that he will  
not be out of danger of serious  
consequences for at least  
a week.

W. C. Dering M.D.

Act. House Surgeon.

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Police Court— 3<sup>d</sup> District.

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

of No. 148 Cherry Street, aged 37 years,  
occupation seafaring man being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 28 day of September 1885 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Henry McCall (name false) who

willfully and feloniously struck

this deponent a violent blow

on the head with an iron

rod which the defendant then

and then held in his hands

said blow fracturing deponent's

skull.

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 7 day }  
of October 1885 } Cornelius Cloos

J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCann, James

**DATE:**

10/27/85



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No 263 A1

Counsel, *C. Thomas*  
Filed *27* day of *Oct* 188*8*  
Plead *Not Guilty*

Grand Larceny, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree, [Sections 528, 581, 552, Pennl Code.]

THE PEOPLE

*vs* *Edw. J. ...*  
*476 ...*  
*Emerson ...*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*of New York* District Attorney.  
*Filed attached* 11.

A True Bill.

*W. A. ...*

*1456 ...*  
*For copy*  
*AS*

Witnesses:  
*Edward Jager*  
*Joseph Emerson*

*Appendix*  
*Emerson*  
*Emerson*  
*Ed*

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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 McRann*

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

*James McRann*

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

The said *James McRann*,

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

*one horse of the value of one hundred dollars, one volume of the said known as Quotations of the value of one hundred dollars, one set of harness of the value of ten dollars, one law book of the value of one dollar, and one whip of the value of fifty cents.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John P. [unclear]*.

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*James McRann*

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

The said *James McRann*

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

*one horse of the value of*

*one hundred dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Edward [unclear]*

*John [unclear]*

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

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

*James McRann*

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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No. 2637 vol 1137  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward Rogers  
245 W. 3rd St.

James W. Brown

No. 1, by  
Residence

No. 2, by  
Residence

No. 3, by  
Residence

No. 4, by  
Residence

Offence, Grand Larceny

Dated October 22 1888

Richard Wilcox  
Magistrate

Witnesses  
Benjamin Miller  
No. 330 E. 121st St.

Franklin Cannon  
No. 619 9th St. U & 6th

No. 1000  
to answer

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named 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 Oct 22 1888 Samuel O'Reilly Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCann, James

**DATE:**

10/27/85



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James McEann*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *420. E 44th St. About one month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Moulder*

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.*

*James McEann*

Taken before me this

day of

*Sept*

188*5*

*Samuel W. Hendley* Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Carson Miller

aged 14 years, occupation Peddler of No.

330. E. 131 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Edward Jagen

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

Sworn to before me, this 22  
day of Dec 1885

Carson Miller

Samuel C. Smith  
Police Justice.

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Police Court - 2nd District.

Affidavit - Larceny.

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

of No. 245 West 31st Street, aged 34 years,  
occupation Bookkeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 19 day of October 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

living  
One Black Mare of the value of one hundred dollars one park pheaton of the value of one hundred dollars. And one set of harness of the value of ten dollars. one lap robe and one whip of the value of ~~of the value~~ of one dollar & fifty cents. together of the amount and value of Two hundred & Eleven & 50/100 dollars the property of John G. Jager. And in the care and custody of deponent.

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by James W. Carr. (Now here) from the fact that on the above date deponent went in the store of Edward Jager corner of 10th avenue and 41st Street. leaving the above described property standing outside. And when deponent came out of said store after the lapse of about five minutes he missed said property. deponent reported his loss to the police of the 16th Precinct. Deponent was informed by the police that there was a Pheaton & Harness found by the police of the 31st Precinct. Deponent went to the station house of the 31st Precinct and saw said Pheaton & Harness and identified them as his. And on Wednesday morning deponent

Sworn to before me this 19th day of October 1885  
Police Justice

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Saw one Carson Miller with the aforesaid black  
 Mare attached to a kindling wood wagon  
 on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue near 24<sup>th</sup> Street Dep<sup>o</sup>ment  
 Caused the arrest of said Carson Miller  
 and the said Miller informed dep<sup>o</sup>ment he had  
 purchased said horse from a man called  
 Oscar that used to bundle wood in the yard of the  
 Father of the said Carson Miller but the said  
 Miller had not paid anything yet to the man  
 called Oscar for said Mare merely taking her on trial.  
 And dep<sup>o</sup>ment is informed by the said Carson  
 Miller that he the said Miller has seen the said  
 dependant James W. Burns and fully identifies  
 him as the man called Oscar and the one that  
 he the said Miller bought the aforesaid Mare from.  
 Wherefore dep<sup>o</sup>ment charges the said James W. Burns  
 with feloniously taking stealing and carrying  
 away the aforesaid property from the Court  
 of 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue + 41<sup>st</sup> St.

Sumon to before me  
 this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct 1885

Edward Jager

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 1885  
 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named  
 to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
 Dated 1885  
 Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
 guilty of the offence therein mentioned, I order h. to be discharged.  
 Dated 1885  
 Police Justice.

Samuel J. Kelly  
 Police Justice

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 on the complaint of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated 1885 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCann, John

**DATE:**

10/23/85



1944

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No 234 X

Witnesses:

*John Collins*

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Oct 1885

Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*F*

*Edwards*

*vs*  
*411 E 1st*  
*against*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Filed 23/10/85*  
*pleads guilty*  
*A True Bill. Term years. 4.*

*W. H. Anderson*

*Rec. of Comm. on*  
*by Frank S. Smith.*  
*Rotary. May 6 - 1967*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John McRann

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

John McRann

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

The said John McRann,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty five, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one John Padden, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ruin the said John Padden, with a certain knife

which the said John McRann in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

with intent ruin the said John Padden, thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

John McRann

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

The said John McRann,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one John Padden in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and ruin the said John Padden, with a certain knife

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

Richard J. Benjamin, District Attorney

1691

BAILLED,

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

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

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

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

No 234, 1147  
Police Court- 34 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
424 B. 11th  
Charles Stewart  
Offence *Ret. Assault*

Dated *October 19* 188 *5*

*Quesson* Magistrate  
*Boerhaave* Officer

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
Precinct. *17*

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

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, *68*  
to answer *\$1000*  
*Quit*

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

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

Dated *October 19* 188 *5* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

John McCarver 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 McCarver

Question. How old are you?

Answer

20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

411 East 12 Street 4 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Cigar 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 guilty but I acted in self defence

John McCarver

Taken before me this

day of October 1885

W. J. B. Jones

Police Justice.

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Police Court 34 District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Callan  
of No. 424 East 71<sup>st</sup> Street,  
17<sup>th</sup> Ward

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on Monday the 18 day of October  
in the year 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violated and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John McLaughlin (name here)  
who wilfully and feloniously  
stabbed this deponent twice  
once in the shoulder and once  
in the arm with a knife  
which he held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 19 day  
of October 1885

John J. Callan  
attorn

[Signature]  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCarthy, John

**DATE:**

10/30/85



1944

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Witnesses:

*Frank Nelson*

No 374  
*Blair Friend*

Counsel,

Filed 30 day of Oct 1885

Pleas, *Not guilty*

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

THE PEOPLE

*Frank Nelson*  
*Frank Nelson*  
*Frank Nelson*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*April 1885* District Attorney.

*Frank Nelson*

A True Bill. *Emm* (RP)

*Frank Nelson*

Foreman.

*Nov 11 1885*

0396

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John MacFarland*

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

*John MacFarland*

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

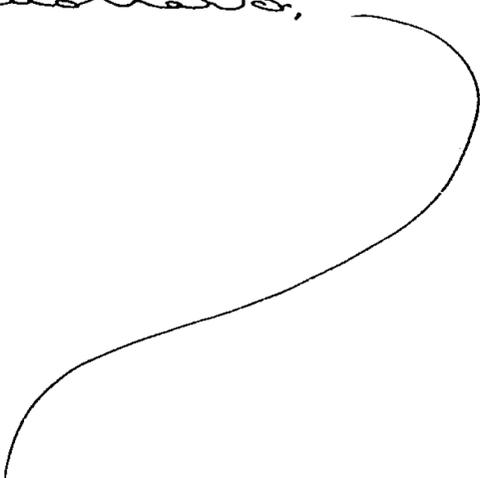
The said

*John MacFarland*

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

*one watch of the value of twenty*

*dollars,*



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

*Randolph Martin*  
*District Attorney*

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As Magistrate I am permitted  
in this Court will have  
has and determine the  
with each person by  
return of my absence  
John W. ...  
P. ...

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 321 P. 1176  
Police Court - 170th  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Public Street

2009 No. 8, 35 St

1. J. M. McCarthy

2.

3.

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Office - Arceny  
from the person

Dated

Oct 25

188

Magistrate

Officer

174 Precinct.

Witnesses

All the Prison

No. Street

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

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

Dated Oct 25 188 J. M. McCarthy 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.

115th Ave for by Oct 25/88

0398

Sec. 198-200.

First District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

John McCarthy

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 McCarthy

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Jersey

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

Answer. Navy New Jersey all my life

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Machinist

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 and I demand an examination

John McCarthy

Taken before me this

day of

Dec

1888

Police Justice.

0399

Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Luke Pratt

of No. 209 East 38th Street, aged 28 years,

occupation Painter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 24th day of October 1885 at the City of New

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

person of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz:

One Single Cased Silver Watch of  
the value of Twenty 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 John M. McCarthy (now here)  
from the fact that at about the hour  
of eleven o'clock P.M. on the above described  
date while deponent was walking along the  
Bowling at the corner of Grand Street and  
while passing through across at said corner  
deponent felt a tug or pull at the chain  
attached to said watch worn in the left  
hand side pocket of deponents vest a portion  
of deponents bodily clothing and deponent  
immediately caught hold of said defendant  
and he defendant broke away from deponent  
and deponent pursued defendant and cried  
out stop thief and while deponent was in  
pursuit of said defendant he deponent saw

Subscribed before me this

1885

Police Justice

0400

The said defendant drop the aforesaid water on the sidewalk and another man picked up said water and gave said water to the officer and deponent has since seen said water and identifies said water as the property taken stolen and carried away as aforesaid

sworn to before me

Luke Trott

this 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1885

J. P. [Signature]  
Public Justice

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

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

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

Offence—LARCENY.

vs.

1  
2  
3  
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Dated " 1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer Sessions.

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**BOX:**

193

**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCormack, Charles

**DATE:**

10/29/85



1944

Witnesses:  
Wm. M. Casey  
180 Leonard St  
Clyde S. Spear  
Office of the Clerk

No. 248  
Counsel,  
Filed 29 day of Oct 1880  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
R  
Charles W. Remondy  
J. J. Foster  
J. J. Remondy

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney,  
Ch. Co. Secy

A True Bill.

W. A. Anderson  
J. J. Remondy  
Foreman  
Pleads, Aug 3rd  
Nov 14th 1880  
Subscr.

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0403

**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 McRonnald*

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

*Charles McRonnald*

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

The said *Charles McRonnald*

late of the *South Street* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *factory* of one

*August Piquis*

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

*August Piquis*

in the said *factory* 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

*— Charles Mc Romada —*

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

The said *Charles Mc Romada,*

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

*Three walking canes of the value  
of ten dollars each, two other  
walking canes of the value of  
five dollars each, and one  
cane handle of the value of  
two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *August Weiss,*

in the *factory* of the said *August Weiss,*

there situate, then and there being found, in the *factory* 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

*Charles McRomack*

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

The said *Charles McRomack*

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,

*three walking canes of the value of ten dollars each, two three walking canes of the value of five dollars each, and one cane handle of the value of two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *August Fries*,

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

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

*Charles McRomack*,

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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90-298/51-1165  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amos Shivers  
Charles McOrmack  
Charles

1  
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4  
Offence Burglary

Dated Oct-26 1885

Magistrate  
Officer

Witnesses  
Charles Shivers

No. 17 111th Avenue  
Street,

No. 1000 to answer  
Street,  
C.M.

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 McOrmack guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Oct 26 1885 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Charles McCormack

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Charles McCormack

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

No home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Blacksmiths Helper

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

Charles McCormack

Taken before me this

day of

1888  
Police Justice.

0408

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Benjamin B. Northrup

aged 34 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of August Aris

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

Sworn to before me, this 26  
day of Nov 188

Benjamin B. Northrup

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 15 years, occupation Frederick Olsenhansen  
Errand boy of No.

1704/170 Centre Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of August Speer

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

Sworn to before me, this 26<sup>th</sup>  
day of Oct 1908 Fred. Olsenhansen

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

0410

Police Court First District.

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

of No. 170 + 172 Centre Street, aged 26 years,  
occupation Gold and Silver headed Canes being duly sworn

August Spiess

deposes and says, that the premises No 170 + 172 Centre Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Four story Brick building  
in 14<sup>th</sup> Ward  
and which was occupied <sup>in part</sup> by deponent as a Cane Manufactory  
and in which there was at the time <sup>no</sup> human being, ~~by name~~

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking a  
chain attached to a window in a partition  
on the fourth floor of said building leading  
into deponent's manufactory and entering  
said window

on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1885 in the Night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Three Gold headed Canes Two Silver  
headed Canes and one white metal  
Cane handle altogether of the value  
Thirty Nine dollars & twenty five Cents

the property of deponent August-Hen & Henry Franz  
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 M. Cormack  
now here

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that deponent  
is informed by Frederick Olenbaum that at  
about the four o'clock & thirty minutes  
P.M. on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1885 he  
securely locked and fastened the doors  
and windows in said premises and at  
about the hour of eight A.M. on the morning  
of the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1885 deponent was  
further informed by Officer Benjamin B

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Northrup of the 6th Precinct Police that  
he arrested the said defendant and found  
a white metal cane handle and five canes  
gold and silver headed in the possession  
of said defendant at about the hour of eleven  
oclock P.M. on the 25th day of October 1885  
and deponent identified said canes found  
in defendants possession as a portion of the  
proceeds of said burglary and said officer  
found that at about the hour of seven oclock  
A.M. on the morning of the 26th day of October  
1885 said proceeds had been burglarized  
and said property taken stolen and carried  
away as aforesaid

Sworn to before me  
this 26th day of October 1885  
Augustus J. Juss  
P. J. Peiffer  
Police Justice

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

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ss.

Burglary

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

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

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

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

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

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McDermott, Peter

**DATE:**

10/19/85



1944

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0413

No-156

Counsel, *M. Spolton*  
Filed 19 day of Oct 1885

Pleads, *Att. Gen. [unclear]*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Wm. H. Co. F.*  
*Blackburn*  
*Robert W. Dammitt*

*Bringing in the Third Degree.*  
*Sections 498, 506, 522, 523, 524*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

*Pr. Oct 20/85*  
*Recd. at 1 P.M. 3d*

A True Bill.

*J. H. Clarendon*

Foreman  
*S. P. Two years.*

Witnesses:

*B. Cassidy*

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0414

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Peter Mc Dermott*

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

*Peter Mc Dermott*

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

The said *Peter Mc Dermott*,

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

*Edward Cassidy*

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

*Edward Cassidy*

in the said *Office* 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.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Peter McDermott* —  
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said *Peter McDermott,*

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

*one coat of the value of four  
dollars, one spirit level of the value  
of one dollar, and one hand-saw  
of the value of one dollar,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Bernard Cassidy,*

in the *office* of the said *Bernard Cassidy,*

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

*Randolph B. ...  
District Attorney*

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0416

Sec. 198-200.

       District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Peter M. McDermatt 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 Peter M. McDermatt

Question. How old are you?

Answer 30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. United States

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

Answer. 520 West 60th Street

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Blacksmith

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

Answer. The door was open and I went in. I admit taking the coat.

Peter M. McDermatt  
      

Taken before me this 14

day of September 1888

        
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0417

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 156  
Police Court  
District.

THE PEOPLE, N. C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James M. Kennedy  
360 N. W. 49

1. Peter M. Kennedy  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offence: Perjury  
in 2nd degree

Date: October 12 1885

Magistrate: Butler  
Officer: Johnson  
Precinct: 29

Witnesses

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

Street

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

Street

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
by Officer Paul Green  
Street

[Signature]

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 Judson

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 October 12 1885 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0418

Police Court - H District.

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

of No. 369 West 49th Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Proprietor of Store being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 369 West 49th Street between 10th and 11th Avenues  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being an office

and which was occupied by deponent as a Store office  
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking  
a part of the lock on the door  
of said office

on the 11th day of October 1885 in the Night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one Coat & two articles known  
& described respectively as a  
Spirit Level; & a saw, & all  
of the value of about five 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

Peter M. Dermott  
(Nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: That on the night  
mentioned deponent found the  
lock on the door of the above  
described premises broken &  
said door open: That defendant  
watched in said office and  
while there saw defendant  
 therein with a part of the above  
described property in his (defendant's)  
possession. Bernard Cassidy

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. N.Y.

New York, Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1889.

Peter M<sup>c</sup> Dermott was arrested at 7<sup>40</sup> A.M. Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> 1885 for breaking into the Office of Stone Yard in 50<sup>th</sup> St. bet. 11<sup>th</sup> Ave & N.R. owned by Bernard Cassidy & stole a lot of tools & a coat which were found in his possession. Was held in \$1,000 Bail by Judge Duffy and on Oct. 20/85 was sentenced to 2 years in State Prison by Judge Childersleeve

Respectfully  
Thomas Boyle  
Sergeant.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McKenna, Nellie

**DATE:**

10/13/85



1944

Witnesses:

*Wm J. H. Blake*  
Counsel,  
Filed *13* day of *Dec* 188*5*  
Pleads *Not guilty (14)*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*319*  
*Nellie McDemna*  
Grand Larceny, 1st Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
Sections 228, 229, Penal Code.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
*Pr-ter 24/80-  
Heads 22*  
A True Bill *Per One year.*  
*M. A. Amelton*  
Foreman.

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0422

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Nellie McNamee*

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

*Nellie McNamee*

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

The said *Nellie McNamee*,

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

*one watch of the value of*  
*eighty five dollars and*  
*one chain of the value of*  
*seventeen dollars,*

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

*Randolph Martin*  
District Attorney

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Police Court 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Gilliam  
62 Orchard  
Nellie McKeown

Offence Larceny  
from the person

Dated Oct 11 188

Salmon Magistrate  
Collins Officer.

No. 10 Precinct.

Witnesses James H. Collins

No. 10 West 10th Street.

No. 1 Street.

No. 570 Street.

\$ 500 to answer 9. 1

BAILLED, No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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

Nellie McKeown

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

Dated Oct 11 188 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Nellie Mc Kenne*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *27 1/2 Christs st*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Cigar making*

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

Answer. *The complainant took off all his clothes and left the watch on the washstand, We both went out together and as we went out I picked the watch up, intending to give it to him. He went away and I did not know where to find him. I put it in the fire place for safe keeping. When the officer came and asked me I told him I had the watch, and went and got it from the fire place and gave it to the officer*

*Nellie Mc Kenne*

Taken before me this *11* day of *Sept* 188*8*  
*J. M. McClellan*  
Police Justice.

0425

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Eugene D. Collins*

aged *26* years, occupation *Policeman* of No.

*10th Avenue* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Muri Lillian*

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

Sworn to before me, this *11*  
day of *October* 188*7*

*E. J. Collins*

*M. W. Patterson*

Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Morris Lillian*

of No. *62 Orchard* Street, *New York*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 188*5*

at the *Tenth Ward in the night time* City of New York,

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

of deponent *and from his person*

the following property, viz :

*One gold watch and chain  
of the value of one hundred and  
two dollars (\$102.00)*

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 *Nellie Mc Kenna, (now*

*here)* for the following reasons. Deponent

went with the defendant to a house at

*114 Hester street* for the purpose of prostitution,

having the said watch in his possession.

in the watch pocket of deponents

pantaloons. Deponent missed the said

watch a few minutes after the defendant

left the said room. Deponent is informed

by Officer *Collins* that he found the

said watch about four hours after

deponent missed it, in a room.

Subscribed before me this

day of

Police Justice,

1885

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occupied by Defendant at 27 1/2  
Chrystie street. The said watch was  
secreted in a fire place and the  
defendant admitted having taken it  
away

Sworn to before me  
this 11th day of October 1885

Morris his Lillian  
Mark

J. M. Patterson  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFIDAVIT—Larceny.

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

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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**BOX:**

193

**FOLDER:**

1944

**DESCRIPTION:**

McKean, James

**DATE:**

10/29/85



1944

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0429

No 297  
Counsel, Pullman  
Filed 29 day of Oct 1880  
Pleads Assault (30)

Assault in the Second Degree.  
(Resisting Arrest.)  
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*[Signature]*

James McLean  
March 1, 1889  
Bail forfeited & Ent'd  
Ch. 12

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
Com. Master District Attorney.

Mr. Price 14/89  
Breach of 1st 1st on his  
now being in jail  
A True Bill

*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

Witness:  
*[Signature]*

I have examined this case & find that previous to his assault the deft bore an excellent character for industry & sobriety & since the assault he has continued the same course of living - He has a large family consisting of wife & seven children, whom he is supporting in good circumstances - At the time of the assault he was very much under the influence of liquor - The Officer states that he never saw the man before the assault. I recommend that deft be held in custody on his own bond of \$1000 & that judgment be accepted -

Mar. 19/89 M. Davis  
Asst.

0430

**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 McLean*

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

*James McLean*

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

The said *James McLean*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*twenty third* day of *October*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three*, at the City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously made an assault in and upon one

*Eugene McPartland*

then and there being a *patrolman* of the Municipal Police of the City of  
New York, and as such *patrolman* being then and there engaged in the lawful

*apprehension* of the said *James McLean*  
*McLean for disorderly conduct*,

and the said *James McLean*,  
him, the said *Eugene McPartland*

then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise illtreat, with intent  
then and there and thereby to prevent and resist the lawful *apprehension*  
of *himself* as aforesaid,  
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.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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FORM 2008A.

NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN & HARTFORD R.R. Co.

NEW HAVEN, LONG WHE.

STATION, 3/16 1889

To whom it may concern  
This will certify that the  
Conductor James McKeon has  
been employed in this yard  
as car inspector for the past  
12 years and has always  
been a steady and faithful  
man.

A. C. Kentfield.

Yard Foreman.



0433

Sec. 199-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*James Mc. Keon*

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 Keon*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *New Haven Connecticut 20 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Car Inspector*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty - I had two drinks of whiskey and I must have been drugged for I don't know anything about the case.*

*James Mc. Keon*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT <sup>1st</sup> DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.  
*James McKeon*

On Complaint of

*Eugene McCarthy*  
*Absent*

For

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

Dated *Oct 24* 188*5*

*James McKeon*

*John J. Moran* Police Justice.

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Police Court— First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 27<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, aged 28 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1885 at the City of New York,  
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James McKern  
(now here) who struck deponent several  
violent blows on the face with his clenched  
fist and break one of the bones in deponent's nose  
while deponent was arresting him for disorderly  
conduct as a Police officer in charge of his duty  
without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1885 Eugene M. Carthy

J. H. G. [Signature] Police Justice.