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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Ader, Valentine

**DATE:**

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Counsel,

Filed

13 day of March 1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Valentine Adams

*John R. Fellows*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Grand Larceny Second Degree [Sections 528, 531, 53, Penal Code].

A True Bill.

Charles Scott Foreman.

*John R. Fellows*

*John R. Fellows*

Received by

Witnesses:

Witness lines

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Police Court District

Affidavit-Larceny.

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

David Messenger  
of No. 204 East 55<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 36 years,  
occupation Driver Jacob Hoffman Brewing Co. being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March 1889 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 :

Two horse blankets of the value  
in all in the sum of Twenty six  
dollars

the property of Jacob Hoffman Brewing Company  
and in care 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 Valentine Ader (now here)  
for the reason that on said day said  
said blankets were covering a team  
of horses standing on First Avenue  
and Seventh Street and deponent having  
missed said property deponent is  
informed by Officer Peter Devlin  
of the Sixth Precinct, that he Devlin  
found the said property in the posses-  
sion of the defendant who was carrying  
the same through Baxter Street Deponent  
has since seen said property and  
identifies the same as stolen from  
his possession & all being

Sworn to before me, this  
1<sup>st</sup> day  
of March  
1889  
John J. ...  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Peter Devlin*  
aged *26* years, occupation *Police officer* of No.

*60th Precinct Police* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *David Messinger*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *27*  
day of *March* 188*9* *Peter Devlin*

*James Lawrence*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Valentine Ader*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *43 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *4 Rivington Street. 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Tailor*

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*  
*Valentin Ader.*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

*John J. ...*  
Police Justice.

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

*defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *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 *March 2* 188*9* *[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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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Messinger  
204 <sup>ES.</sup> East 65<sup>th</sup> St  
Valentine Ader

*Handwritten signature*  
OFFICER

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3 .....  
4 .....

BAILED,  
No. 1, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

Dated March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1889  
Gorman Magistrate.

Devin Officer.  
6 Precinct.

Witnesses *Officer* .....  
No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ 500 to answer *952*

*Can*



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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

*Valentine Ader*

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

*Valentine Ader*

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

The said

*Valentine Ader*

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

*two blankets of the value of thirteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*David Messinger*

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

*Valentine Ader*

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

The said *Valentine Ader*

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,

*two blankets of the value  
of thirteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *David Messenger*

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

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

*Valentine Ader*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Aheam, William

**DATE:**

03/15/89



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Witnesses;

P Carberry,  
Off Mc Embery,

The complainant is not  
sure that his property  
was taken from his  
possession. I therefore  
recommend that a  
plea of Petit Larceny  
be accepted.

April 5th 1889  
Newson M. Dim  
Asst.

T.

*[Signature]*

Counsel,  
Filed 15 day of March 1889  
Pleads, April 5th 1889

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
B  
William A. Cream  
Grand Larceny, 5th Degree  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 531, 530 Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

*[Signature]*  
A True Bill.

11th May 1889 - V.M.D.

Chas. & Sept. Foreman.  
April 5th 1889.

*[Signature]*  
Ren 10 mds  
April 11th 1889

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Police Court  
Second Dist

The People vs  
Philip Carberry  
Wm Ahearn

Examination Before Justice Patterson  
March 4 1889

For the defendant Mr O. Byrne

Philip Carberry the complaining witnesses  
being cross examined by counsel  
for defendant deposes and says:-

Q- Do you think the defendant  
had any intention of stealing  
anything from you when he  
got you watch and chain.

A No: I ~~did~~<sup>do</sup> not

Q You were drunk were  
you not?

A Yes Sir

Q You were all drunk?

A Yes Sir

Q Did you understand the  
nature of the charge you

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made when it was taken down  
by the clerk?

A No Sir.

Q Were you still under the  
influence of liquor?

A Yes.

Q Now I want you to say to the  
presence of the court whether  
you now wish to withdraw  
the complaint.

A Yes Sir I do.

Robert Mc Ginley being duly sworn  
and examined as a witness for  
the people deposes and says.  
I was standing on the corner  
of 40th Street and 8th Avenue  
I heard a cry. I started down  
towards 7th Avenue. I saw  
this man running (a beard) )  
first thought I was after a  
man that had run past. when  
this other man came along.  
As soon as he saw me he

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came over and said "Catch  
that man; he has <sup>stolen</sup> my  
watch and chain." Then I  
found my pistol in my pocket.  
The man just as he ran  
in the house I caught up  
with him and I saw him  
throw the watch and chain  
on the bed and I caught  
back of him and took him  
to the station house.

2. Was he drunk?

A. I would not have locked  
up either of them for being  
drunk.

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at the station house I found  
a found a pin in the defendant's  
pocket. I handed the pin to the  
sergeant and it was shown  
to the defendant, and the  
complainant, and the com-  
plainant said "That is my  
pin: he took that too." The  
complainant was willing to  
make the complaint yesterday  
morning, and yesterday after-  
noon he wanted to deny it.

Defendant held to answer  
\$300 bail.

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Court of General  
Sessions

The People vs

against

William Ahearn

You will please take notice that I am retained  
by and appear as attorney for the defendant

in this action, and hereby demand a copy of the com-  
plaint and all papers herein be served on me at my  
office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York  
City.

Dated: New York,

March 19<sup>th</sup> 1889

Yours, etc.,

John O. Byrne  
Attorney for Defendant.

280 Broadway  
N.Y.

To Hon John R. Feltner  
Plaintiff's Attorney

West atty

No.

No. 32 Chambers  
N.Y. City

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The People on the  
Complaint of Philip Carbery  
vs  
Athem.

2nd  
Police  
Court

Philip Carbery being duly sworn says & believes  
at 12th West 45th St in the <sup>city</sup> of New York I and a person  
I was in conspiracy with the <sup>defendant</sup> ~~defendant~~ on  
St. Cor 40th St in a Saloon, and also in  
another Saloon the location of which I do  
not remember - I was drinking with Athem,  
and was asked to give my watch (a silver  
one) and I gave it to the bar keeper for  
safety. In some way Athem got it into his  
hands, and I somehow got it into my hand  
he was going away with it. and I made out  
I do not think from what I have since heard  
of Defendant, that he intended taking my watch,  
as he is said to be a young man of good character.  
I now think it was only a drunken lark  
and that this was <sup>not</sup> ~~not~~ part of the Defendant  
to commit a conspiracy. I ask therefore to be permitted  
to withdraw the Complaint

Done & sworn to the 5th day  
of March 1889

Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

Philip Carbery

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> Volume

The People  
in Complaint  
of Philip Country  
of  
Amen

Account and Prayer  
to be presented to  
the Honorable

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Philip Carbery  
of No. 126 West 45<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 35 years,  
occupation Engineer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1889 at the City of New

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

One silver watch and metal  
chain attached and a scarf  
pin, in all of the value of  
thirty dollars

the property of deponent

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

New York, from the fact that  
while deponent and said  
defendant were walking  
together in 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, about  
the hour of 3 o'clock A. M. the  
said defendant snatched said  
watch and chain out of  
deponent's hand, while deponent  
was ascertaining the time,  
and ran away with the same  
in his possession.

That he was pursued and  
arrested by officer McGinley,  
New York, who found said  
watch and chain in his possession,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of  
1889

Police Justice

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also the scarf pin aforesaid - which  
dependent had worn in the scarf  
on his person, as said officer  
informs dependent.

That the watch  
and chain and pins were  
shown, which were so found by  
said officer in the possession of  
said dependent, are the property  
of dependent and were stolen  
from dependent's possession and  
person in the manner aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this } Philip J. Carbery  
2<sup>d</sup> day of March 1889 }

J. M. Platters

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 26 years, occupation Robert McKinley  
Police officer of No. 20<sup>th</sup> Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Philip Carbery  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1889 } Robert McGinty

John Platten  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Ahearn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *121 Nassau St. 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Segar 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 have nothing to say except that I am not guilty.*  
*Wm Ahearn*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9*

*John D. Purcivan*  
Police Justice.



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Police Court--- 2 343 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Philip Carbery  
126 West 45<sup>th</sup>  
Wm Ahearn

Officer Lancelotti  
Wm Mason

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BAILED,

No. 1, by Hugh J. Hurry  
Residence 608 Cedar 141<sup>st</sup> Street.

No. 2, by  
Residence Street.

No. 3, by  
Residence Street.

No. 4, by  
Residence Street

Dated March 2 1889  
Patterson Magistrate.

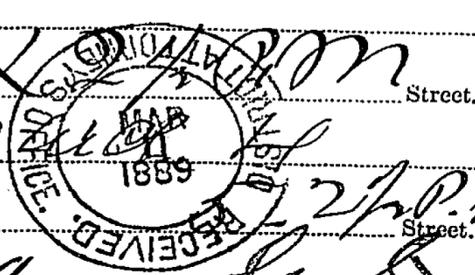
M. Ginley Officer.  
20<sup>th</sup> Precinct.

Witness Robert M. Ginley  
No. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Police Street.

No. 61<sup>st</sup> Street.

No. 4<sup>th</sup> Street.

\$ 1000 to answer



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Lancelotti

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Court of General Sessions,  
City and County of New York.

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The People &c.,  
                  against  
William Ahearn.  
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City and County of New York, S. S.

William Kelley being duly sworn, says: I live at No. 345 East 37th. Street, New York, I am a master painter and have been for over six years. The defendant William Ahearn had been in my employment for about some time previous to his arrest. He is a good workman, steady, and I never had a more honest or upright man in my employment. I was amazed when I heard of his arrest. Your deponent is mainly employed on the property of the Anderson Estate, and the defendant has had many opportunities of stealing if he had been dishonest, in the houses he has been sent to work in,

Your affiant will give him immediate employment if released from prison, and would like to have him the coming busy season. Sworn to before me this

5th. day of April, 1889.

William Kelly  
Robert O'Byrne

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
N. Y. COUNTY.

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Court of General Sessions,  
City and County of New York.

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The People &c.,

against

William Ahearn.

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City and County of New York, S. S.

John Ahearn being duly sworn, says:- I live in London, Ontario, Canada. I am the brother of the defendant. He has always a first rate character, and up to this time was never charged with any offence whatever.

The defendant has taken the temperance pledge, and I am quite sure that he will hereafter lead a sober and correct life.

The defendant's father is a master blacksmith, and is now sixty four years of age, and is a man very highly respected in London aforesaid, where he has lived for many years.

Sworn to before me this

5th. day of April, 1889. }

*Robert Byrne*

*John Ahearn*

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
NEW YORK COUNTY

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General Sessions Court,  
City and County of New York.

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The People &c.,

against

William Ahearn.  
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City and County of New York, S. S.

Martin McNamara being duly sworn, says:- I live at No. 119 Nassau Street, New York City. I am engineer at Temple Court Building. I have known the defendant for about six months last past. I have known his people for many years.

The defendant has always borne a good character up to the time of the commission of the offence charged.

Your deponent was surprised when he heard of the arrest of the defendant, as he comes of a people of known and tried honesty and he himself had no need to be dishonest.

I am of the opinion that it was not the value of the watch which tempted him, the act could only result from a drunken freak.

Sworn to before me this  
5th. day of April, 1889.

*Martin McNamara*

*Robert O. Byrne*

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
N. Y. COUNTY.

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Court of General Sessions,  
City and County of New York.

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The People &c.,

against  
William Ahearn.

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City and County of New York, S. S.

Philip Carbery being duly sworn, says: I live at No. 226 West 45th. Street, New York City. I am the prosecutor in the above entitled action. The defendant and your affiant, had been drinking with each other immediately before his arrest. My best recollection of the case is, that the defendant took the watch out of my hand to look at it, and in a drunken freak ran away with it. I do not think the defendant intended to steal it as he has always borne a first rate character for honesty. I respectfully ask the Court to impose the lowest possible sentence for the offence to which he has pleaded guilty.

Sworn to before me this

5th. day of April, 1889.

*Robert Payne*

*Philip Carbery*

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
N. Y. COUNTY.

Court of General Sessions,

The People  
against

William O'Heary

Affidavits as to Character of

JOHN O'BYRNE,

Attorney for Defendant

280 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*William Shearn*

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

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

The said

*William Shearn*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second*  
day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-*nine*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of  
fifteen dollars, one chain  
of the value of five dollars,  
and one scarf-pin of the  
value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

on the person of the said

then and there being found, from the person of the said

*Philip J. Carbery*  
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

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

The said *William Shearn*

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,

*one watch of the value of  
fifteen dollars, one chain  
of the value of five dollars  
and one scarf pair of the  
value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

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

*William Shearn*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Anderson, Andrew

**DATE:**

03/01/89



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Witnesses:  
*Wm Spencer*

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Counsel,  
Filed *1* day of *March* 188*9*  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*P*  
*Andrew Anderson*  
*vs*  
*John R. Fellows*  
*vs*  
*John R. Fellows*  
Burglary in the Third degree.  
and Grand Larceny  
in the second degree.  
[Section 498, 506, 528, 533 & 44]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*Wm. H. ...*  
*Foreman*  
*John R. ...*  
*John R. ...*

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Police Court— 3. District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

George F. Arger

of No. 203 East Houston Street, aged 27 years,  
occupation Baker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 203 East Houston Street, 17 Ward  
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Bakery

and which was occupied by deponent as a Bakery

~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by reason~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open a  
door leading from the rear of said premises into a hallway  
and thence after breaking a door open leading from the  
same into said premises

on the 24 day of February 1889 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money of the United States  
consisting of divers pieces of gold silver and  
copper coin of the amount and value of Eighty  
five dollars and a quantity of gold jewelry  
of the value of Eighty dollars, all of said  
property being of the value of one hundred  
and sixty dollars

\$160 =

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

Andrew Anderson (name here) and another person  
whose name is unknown

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent says that about 1.30 he  
is informed by officer William Spencer of the  
11th Precinct Police that he heard a noise in  
said store and looked in and saw said  
Anderson and said unknown person in front  
of a safe in said premises and they were in  
the act of putting something in their pockets  
Deponent says that said officer informed him  
that said officer was informed from the above door  
leading into said premises was securely locked

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and he walked around the corner to the rear of said premises and while walking there said unknown man came out of said hallway and on said officers approach ran away. That said Anderson immediately came out thereafter and said officer caught him and found part of the aforesaid property in his possession also in rear Jimmy 2nd district

Deponent further says that the aforesaid property was contained in a safe in said premises and the combination lock attached to the same was forcibly broken off and the said property feloniously taken thereon by said man as aforesaid.

George F. Ringer

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS 24 DAY OF Feb 1894

*[Signature]*

POLICE JUSTICE.

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

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice

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

Office—BURGLARY,  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of  
vs.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses.

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 34 years, occupation William Spencer  
Police officer of No. 111th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George F. Anger  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 24  
day of May 1889

William Spencer

San J. C. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Andrew Anderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

228 Chrystie St 7 mo

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Carpenter

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

A Anderson

Taken before me this

day of

July

1889

John W. ...

Police Justice.

0347

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 Andrew

Anderson  
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 Feb 24 188 9 Samuel C. Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

0348

Police Court--- 3 <sup>295</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*George F. Anger*  
*203 East Washington*  
*Andrew Anderson*

*George F. Anger*  
Offence

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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.

Dated *24 Feb* 1889

*Daniel O'Reilly* Magistrate.

*William Spencer* Officer.

11 Precinct.

Witnesses *William Spencer*

*Wm. Precinct Police* Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ *1500* to answer .....



*Committee*

*Wm. Spencer*

0349

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Andrew Anderson*

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

— *Andrew Anderson* —

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

The said

*Andrew Anderson*

late of the *Seventeenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty-fourth* day of *February* 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 *bakery* of one

*George F. Anger*

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

*George F. Anger*

in the said *bakery* 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.

0350

SECOND COUNT—

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

— *Andrew Anderson* —  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Andrew Anderson*

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,

*Divers coins of the United States of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of eighty dollars, and divers articles of jewelry, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of eighty dol-*  
*lars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George F. Anger*  
in the *bakery* of the said *George F. Anger*

there situate, then and there being found, *in* the *bakery* 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.

*John R. Fellows*  
*District Attorney*

0351

**BOX:**

344

**FOLDER:**

3247

**DESCRIPTION:**

Antonio, Bertha

**DATE:**

03/21/89



3247

0352

Witnesses:

Hettie Bohne

I recommend, Mr. Terry  
Crawley, that deft  
be discharged on her  
own recognizance.

Apr. 8/89

Wm. M. Davis

Just

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1889

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

ABDUCTION  
[Section 282, Sub. 1, Penal Code.]

Bertha Antonis

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Charles Scott Foreman,

on recem. of Dist. Atty.  
deft. discharged on her  
own recognizance. P.B.M.

April 8/89

0353

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

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

New York, March 15<sup>th</sup> 1889

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

*The People  
against*

*Bertha Antonio.*

*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 1876, Chapter 30, Section 3), and in  
furtherance of the ends of Justice.*

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

*Elbridge T. Gerry,  
President, &c.*

0354

**N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS**

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

THE PEOPLE



**NOTICE OF PROSECUTION**

**BY THE SOCIETY.**

**ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,**

*President, &c.*

0355

Verkauf: Ein Mädchen von 12 Jahren für die  
Küche. Nachfragen in 212 113. Str.  
Verkauf: Ein erst über Sees gekommenes Mäd-  
chen. Nachfragen 217 114. Str. 1. floor.  
Verkauf: Ein Mädchen, um einen Cigarrenstore  
zu tendern. Nachfragen 233 Ost 108. Str., beim  
Hausbesitzer.

0356

POLICE COURT, 5 DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Mattie Bohne

of No. 217 East 102 Street, aged 13 years,

occupation None being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 11 day of March 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, one Laura Antonis

aid endeavor, invite and solicit deponent to enter a house of prostitution. That said Antonis published an advertisement in the Staats Zeitung which deponent answered and said that said Antonis then made a proposition to deponent to permit herself to be used for immoral purposes. Deponent further says that she is between 15 and 16 years of age.

Sworn to before me, this

of March 1889

day

Police Justice.

0357

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Police Court, 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

vs.  
Louisa Autburo

Dated

March 12<sup>th</sup> 1889

White Magistrate.

Allyle & D. D. Officer.

Witness,

*[Signature]*

Disposition,

25711

By 2202 14/20.02

0358

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*Bertha Antonis* being duly examined before the under-  
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is *h<sub>2</sub>* right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against *h<sub>2</sub>*; that the statement is designed to  
enable *h<sub>2</sub>* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h<sub>2</sub>*  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *h<sub>2</sub>* waiver cannot be used  
against *h<sub>2</sub>* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Bertha Antonis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*433 E 10 St. 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Married & Housekeeper*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Frank L. Lumb...*

Taken before me this

day of

1887

*[Signature]*

Police Justice

0359

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 March 11 9 188 A. Roberts 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.

0360

Police Court--- 406 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mattie Bohue  
217 East 100<sup>th</sup>  
Bertha Antonis

Offence *Abduction*

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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.

Dated *March 14* 188*9*

*White* Magistrate.  
*Grant* Officer.  
*J.W.C. 60* Precinct.

Witnesses *Officer Doyle & Doran*  
No. *27* Street.

*Who proves age of complaint?*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

\$ *10.00* to answer \_\_\_\_\_



See Report of N. Y. S. P. C. C.  
for information about defendant  
filed with these papers, If lost,  
notify the Society at once.

0361

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Bentha Antonio*

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

*Bentha Antonio of the crime of attempting to commit*

of the CRIME OF ABDUCTION, committed as follows:

The said *Bentha Antonio,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

*fourth* day of *March,* in the year of our Lord one

thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, did

*attempt to seduce* feloniously take, receive, harbor, employ and use one *Mattie Adams,*

who was then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of

*fifteen* years, for the purpose of *prostitution* sexual intercourse, he, the

~~said~~ *not being then and there*

~~the husband of the said~~

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

0362

**BOX:**

344

**FOLDER:**

3247

**DESCRIPTION:**

Aufmkolk, Joseph

**DATE:**

03/14/89



3247

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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

14 day of *Jan* 1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

*Joseph Aufenkolk*

*186*

Grand Larceny *Second degree*.  
[Sections 528, 537, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*Charles Scott Foreman.*

*Paul Mfg.*

*John J. Gray*  
*State Reformatory*

0364

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Robert A. Berrary

of No. 62 White Street, aged 30 years,

occupation Importer of musical instruments being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 1st day of January 1889 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:

Nine Clarionets, two flutes, and forty four music boxes, together of the value of about two hundred and ninety five dollars

( \$ 295.00 )

the property of deponent and his copartner, Albert G. Berrary doing business under the firm name of Herry Berrarys Sons at 2062 White St and in deponents care and custody. 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 Aufenroth (now here) from the fact that on or about the above mentioned date deponent discerned that the above mentioned property was missing.

Deponent caused the arrest of the said deponent who was in deponents employ, on suspicion of having taken said property, when he the said deponent admitted and confessed in open court, in the presence and hearing of deponent and Detective Sergeant William C. Frank that he had feloniously taken stolen and carried away the nine Clarionets the two flutes, and twelve music boxes.

Wherefore deponent prays the said deponent may be held and dealt with according to law.

Robert A. Berrary

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of January 1889 of New York Police Justice

0365

Sec. 193-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Joseph Aufenkopf* 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 Aufenkopf*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *136 Columbia St. 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Work in an office*

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 taking the Clarinets, two flutes and twelve music boxes.*

*Joe Aufenkopf*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9*

*J. P. [Signature]*

Police Justice.

0366

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 *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 *March 4* 188 *9* *J. M. Blanton* 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.

0367

Police Court--- 2 344 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Wm H. Benary*  
*62 White St*  
*Joseph Aufmuck*

*offense*  
*of carrying felony*

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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

Dated *March 7* 188 *9*

*Patterson* Magistrate.

*Wm E Frank* Officer.

*Ben Affie* Precinct.

Witnesses *Said Officer*

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ *1500* to answer *J. H. 2/10/89*

*Comd*



0368

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 Aufunkolk

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

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

The said

Joseph Aufunkolk

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

*nine clarionets of the value of ten dollars each, two flutes of the value of five dollars each and forty-four music boxes of the value of five dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Robert St. Benary*

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
District Attorney