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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Adams, Edward

DATE:

03/28/81



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283
Parrish

At

testimony

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of March 1881

Plends
McCleary (2)

INDICTMENT—Law copy from
the Person. *John*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edwin Adams
L. i. e.

Daniel S. Rollins
LEWIS K. PHILLIPS,

District Attorney,
Part No Amie H. 1881
Adm do P. L.
A True Bill.

William H. Phillips

Foreman.

City Room 30 Days.

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4 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 259 East 71 Street,
at the Precinct

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

Rena Deuzer

9 day of March 1871
Ward of the City of New York,

the following property viz :

One Silk Handkerchief

of the value of one dollar
the property of Raymond Deuzer son of complainant

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 Edward Adams (now present)

from the fact that deponent is informed
by officer Samuel J Campbell of the
28 Precinct that he saw said Adams
in 71 street between 2 & 3 o'clock
steal the handkerchief as above described
from Raymond Deuzer's neck. Said
Adams then ran away and was
pursued by officer Campbell who
arrested him. Rena Deuzer

Sworn before me this

22 day of March 1871

J. W. M. M. M.
Police Justice

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City and county
of New York

Samuel J. Campbell
Police Officer 28 present being sworn
says that on the 21 day of March
1881 at 6²⁰ PM Defendant saw
Edward Adams (now present) snatch
from the neck of Raymond Deuzer
a silk handkerchief and run away
with the same Defendant arrested
said Adams in 71 street
Dated to refer me
the 22 day of March 1881 S. J. Campbell
Police Officer

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

VS.

DATED

187

MAGISTRATE.

OFFICER.

WITNESSES:

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Edward Adams

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Seventeen Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 74 St 2 & 3 ans

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Odding Wood

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

Answer. I am not guilty

John W

Taken before me this

29th day of
1891

R. Williams
Police Justice.

0014

Police Court - Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
vs. EDWARD BEAMAN

259 E 7th St
Office, J. J. Freeman

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated March 22 188

Magistrate.

J. J. Freeman

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

J. J. Campbell

J. J. Freeman

Wm. S. Sullivan

to 249 E. 7th

1000 E. 7th

Received in District Office,

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Witness file

Senger

N. York Feb 28/81

Mr J. G. Rollins

Genl Sir.

Not feeling well it is impossible for me to attend court today, I think I will be able to attend tomorrow or any other day this week if you notify me in time.

Very Respectfully
Mrs Rena Senger.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Edward Adams

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *twenty first* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms

*One handkerchief of the value of
one dollar*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Rena Denzer*
on the person of ~~said~~ *Raymond Denzer* then and there being found,
from the person of said *Raymond Denzer* 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.

Daniel S. Rollin

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Adams, John

DATE:

03/21/81



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W.P. Phillips
Counsel at Law
Filed 21 day of March 1871
Pleads Guilty (et c)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Adams
INDICTMENT.
Petit Larceny of Money from the Person.

Daniel C. Rollins,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
William H. Hildy
Foreman.
Pleaded Guilty
J. H. I.
Pen 4 months

0019

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

FORM 89 1/2

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

ss. Elizabeth Roach

of No. 539 Canal Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 16th day of March 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, ^{and person}

the following property, to wit: One portemonnaie containing the sum of
One dollar and forty five cents in divers silver ^{nickels} coins
in good and lawful money currency of the United
States Government

of the value of One dollar and forty five cents Dollars.
the property of this deponent and Patrick Roach deponent's
husband

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 Adams (Kontine)
for the reason that deponent caught the accused
in the act of taking stealing and carrying away
from the pocket of deponent's dress the portemonnaie
containing the aforesaid sum of money

Elizabeth Roach

Sworn to before me, this

16th

day

of March 1887

John J. Parsons

Police Justice.

0020

Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

John Adams

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

Forty years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

San Francisco

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

Insurance Hotel

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Book-keeper

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

ANSWER.—

I picked up the pocket book from the head of a barrel charged I am not guilty of the offense John Adams

Taken before me, this

Wm. H. ...
day of *March* 188*7*
Police Justice.

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Form 864

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Elizabeth Woods

vs. *339 Canal St*

John A. Gray

DATE *March 16th 1881*

MAGISTRATE.

Orleton

OFFICER.

Money

WITNESS:

TO ANGEL
RECORDED
MAR 18 1881
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
STREET.

Lewis J. Mason

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Larney

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

That

John Adams

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

~~Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of a number
and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of
which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

~~Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomina-
tion to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot
now be given, of the value of~~

~~Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and
denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of
which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid un-
known, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of
one dollar and forty five cents

*One pocket book of the value of ten
cents*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Elizabeth Rosch*
on the person of the said *Elizabeth Rosch* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Elizabeth Rosch* 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.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~JOHN R. PHIPPS~~, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Albert, George

DATE:

03/14/81



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Counsel,

Filed 14 day of

March 1887

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

Paul H. P. vs.

Quincy by Court

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George Albert

James P. Conroy by Court

March 29/87

James S. Allen
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Phelps

Foreman.

The principal witness has left for Paris tomorrow. See report within a few days. S. B. DeLoachman in my charge. Yours
W. H. Phelps

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PART I.

THE COURT-ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTS THE PARK.

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.]

SUBPENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To George Wamerle
of No. 2291 3^d Av. 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 Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the 4 day of April instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

George Albert
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 April, in the year of our Lord 188/

~~BENJAMIN R. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

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

E. M. Applegate

being duly sworn, deposes and says he failed to give a

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon George Koanske

of 229 1/2 Ave. on the 1st day of

April 1881 by reason as deponent

was informed by parties remaining at

the above address, that said

Koanske had left for parts unknown

to them

Sworn to before me this 4th day of April 1881 } E. M. Applegate

Sera Greer

(163)

Notary Public,
N. Y. Co.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

Police Court, 5 District.

Storiam Koenig

of No. *152 East 110th* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that on the *22nd* day of *July* 18*80*

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

George Albert, now here, did feloniously, designedly and by means of false and fraudulent pretences and representation and with the intent to cheat and defraud obtain of deponent a silver watch of the value of fifteen dollars the property of one George F. Hammer.

That deponent had loaned the said Hammer the sum of one dollar and had received said watch as security for the same; and that on or about the day aforesaid the said defendant George Albert came to deponent and stated and represented to deponent that said Hammer had sent him, Albert, for said watch. That deponent believing said statements and representations and relying wholly on the truth of the same did then give said watch to said Albert upon his paying this deponent the dollar loaned by deponent to said Hammer.

That thereafter deponent ascertained that all of said statements were false and untrue and that said

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Hammer had not sent said
Albert to deponent for said watch
and that said watch had not been
given and returned to said Hammer
by said Albert.

Sworn to before me this 17th day of August 1880 J. C. Peery

J. M. Patterson, Police Justice

City and County of New York, N.Y.

George F. Hammer of 229 1/2 Third Av.
being duly sworn says that he did not
send, direct or authorize its dependent
George Albert, now here, to procure
deponents watch from Florian Koenig,
now present; and that he did not
know said Albert had procured said
watch as related in the foregoing affidavit
and that said Albert never returned
said watch to deponent, the owner of
the same, but retained it in his
possession. Sworn to before me this
17th day of August 1880

J. M. Patterson, Police Justice

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT.

Dated 1881

Magistrate

Officer

Witness

Disposition

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POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Albert*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty eight years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *Long Island*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Farmer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge*

George Albert

Taken before me, this

day of *August* *17th* }
18*80* }

J. W. Patterson

Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT - NINTH DISTRICT.

THOMPSON & CO.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Henry
152 E 110 St
Wm. A. [unclear]
1880



Offense *Take Violence*

Dated *August 17th* 1880

Putnam Magistrate.
Conroy Officer.
[unclear] Clerk.

Witnesses
Geo. J. Hamer
229 Third Avenue

\$10000 B.S.
[Signature]

- Received in Dist. Att'y's Office.

Bail returned to \$500
Aug 25 1880
[Signature]
[Signature]

BAILED.

No. 1, by *Robert [unclear]*
Residence, *237 E 111 St*

No. 2, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence, _____

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That

George Albert

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the ~~twenty~~ *some* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms

One watch of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

George J. Hammer

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

Daniel S. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Albert, John

DATE:

03/15/81



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1887

Pleads

Violation of Excise Law.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

30 Madison
B

John Albert

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
100 N. 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn.

District Attorney.

Part in March 18, 1887

pleads guilty

A TRUE BILL.

William H. Kelly
Foreman.

Wm H. Kelly
App. pro. course

0035

Third District Police Court.

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

of No. the 7 Precinct Police William Beaulieu Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 2nd
day of March 1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. 182 Madison Street,

John Albert
did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, or exposed for sale, under his direction or authority,
strong spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Excise Laws of the State of New York, entitled
"An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me this 3rd
day of March 1887 } William D. Beane

R. A. [Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE

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Police Court—Third District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Beau
+
Permit

MISDEMEANOR.
Violation Excise Laws.

John Albert

Dated the 3rd day of March 1887

Bigby Magistrate.

Beau, Officers.

Witness.....

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans., G.S.

By Augustus Schaffel

19 East Broadway
RECEIVED
POLICE OFFICE

0037

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:
OF NEW YORK }

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

That

John Albert

late of the *Seventh* Ward 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 *one*, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to
wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of
whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of
beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor, to the
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

William Beam

; without having a
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

~~SECOND COUNT. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with
force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One
gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one
gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one
gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the
Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.~~

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~BENTON PHIGERS,~~ District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Anderson, John

DATE:

03/23/81



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Counsel

Filed 23 day of March 1881

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Anderson
I.

INDICTMENT.
Larceny of Money, &c., from the person
in the night-time.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William A. Phelps

Foreman.

March 28/81

Pls. guilty

S.P. 18 months.

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FORM 89 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. Everett House, 19th St Martha P Foster Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 18th day of March 1881
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent, and person

the following property, to wit: One port-munnie containing fourteen
dollars and sixty cents to wit: One bill of the denomination and value of ten dollars,
two bills of the denomination and value of ten dollars each,
and two silver coins of the value of sixty cents each
and one coin of the denomination and value of ten cents,
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of the value of fourteen dollars and sixty cents Dollars,
the property of this 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 Anderson
(a workman) for the reason that deponent was passing
along 4th Avenue near the Everett House on the
day aforesaid at or about ten o'clock when the accused
approached deponent and seized from deponent left
hand the aforesaid port-munnie containing the money
aforesaid and ran away thereunto.

Sworn to before me, this

of March 19th 1881

Wm. C. Zimmerman Police Justice

Martha P Foster
State and County of New York
City of New York
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Frederick W. Madison of the 9th Precinct Police
being duly sworn deposes and says that he arrested
John Anderson the accused in the act of

and

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Running along West 17th Street that when defendant overtook
him at or about four and a half o'clock, he had in his possession
a portmanteau containing the sum of fourteen dollars and
sixty cents, which said portmanteau and contents the
complainant identified as her property taken and stolen
from her person in the manner herein alleged.

Sworn to before me this
19th day of March 1881

John A. Lawrence
Notary Public

Fredrick W. Martens

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK. } ss.
John Anderson

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

QUESTION.—What is your name ?

ANSWER.—*John Anderson*

QUESTION.—How old are you ?

ANSWER.—*Twenty one years*

QUESTION.—Where were you born ?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live ?

ANSWER.—*14 McDougall street*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation ?

ANSWER.—*Umbrella-maker*

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

ANSWER.—*I have nothing to say*

John Anderson

Taken before me, this

19th
day of *March* 188*1*

John J. Lawrence
Police Justice.

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND-DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Walter J. Foster

Corner House 17 1/2 St

John Anderson

DATED

March 19 1881

MAGISTRATE.

Thompson

OFFICER.

WITNESSES:

Anderson

of the

Committed
TO ANS.

BAILED BY

No.



Henry May

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Affidavit taken from *the person*
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

John Anderson

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *eighteenth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *one* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, ~~in the right time~~
~~of said day~~ three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. 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One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

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One pocket-book of the value of fifty cents.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Martha P. Foster* on
the person of the said *Martha P. Foster* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Martha P. Foster* 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.

~~FRANK PHELPS, District Attorney~~

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

THAT the said

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

~~and arms~~, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes,) being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. 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One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

\$ 14700

One pocket book of the value of fifty cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Margaret Foster*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~at the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said Margaret P. Foster*

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

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

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~BENJ. K. PHILLIPS~~, District Attorney.

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Aron, Spitz

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The within case was tried
March 29, 1881. After jury dis-
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from the nature of the case
I doubt very much if
the ^{error} ~~name~~ or should be
annulled. She has
agreed to devalue her
car to secure the
return of the money
to the complainant.
I recommended her
discharge.
April 25, 1881. W.C. Beach
ASA

Public Clerk
Counsel *W.C. Beach*
Filed *17* day of *March* 1881.
Pleads *W.C. Beach*

INDICTMENT:
Grand Larceny of Money, &c.
vs. *Spitz Arn*
Arn Spitz

David S. Collins
District Attorney.

April 29 Discharged
W.C. Beach
A True Bill.
W.C. Beach
Taverner.
March 29, 1881.
David S. Collins
April 18, 1881
April 18, 1881

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FORM 112.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } SS

Police Court—Third District.

John R. Decker

of Corner 159th St. & Elton Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that on the 11th day of March 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.

the following property viz: One pocketbook containing gold
and lawful money of the issue of the United
States consisting of notes of the Treasury of the
United States of various denomination and
in all of the value of about one hundred
and twenty dollars, and one promissory note made
by one John Young to the order of deponent for the amount
of one hundred and fifty dollars, and various other paper
said property being in all
of the value of two hundred and forty 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 Nathan Spitz (nowhere)
from the fact that deponent lost said pocketbook
containing said property between 141 to 159th Street
deponent is informed by officer Franklin Corcoran
of the 10th Dist Police that he arrested Nathan
Spitz in No. 21 Clinton Street, an information he received
from Joseph Wilder an of No. 48 Clinton Street,
that said Nathan Spitz has found said property,
when said Spitz was arrested one hundred and
twenty three dollars and the promissory note above
described was found in said Spitz possession,
and that said Spitz refused to give up said property to
deponent and that deponent charged said Spitz with the
commission of said larceny
John R. Decker

Suborn to, before me this

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John R. Decker
1887
Police Justice

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Franklin German of the
10th Prec Police being duly sworn deposes
and says on the 11th day of March 1881 he
arrested Aaron Spitz (now known) in Clinton
Street with a portion of the money and the
promissory note described and fully identified
in the written affidavit of ^{John} Becker in his
Aaron Spitz possession

Sworn to before me this 3
12th day of March 1881 } Franklin P. German
Solon B. Smith Police Justice

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of New York 2 3 53

Adolph Wilderman of No 48
Clinton Street being duly sworn deposes and
says, that Aaron Spitz acknowledged to
deponent that he found a pocket book
with money. Deponent saw him count
money and that there was about one
hundred & forty dollars in said pocket
book

Sworn to before me this 3
12th day of March 1881 } Adolph Wilderman
Solon B. Smith Police Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Saran Spitz*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Cumgasy*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *21 Eleventh St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Pauper*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty if the man wants the money he can have it*

Spitz

Taken before me, this
John J. Smith
Judge of the Court
Police Justice.
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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, _____
Address, _____

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, _____
Address, _____

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John R. Decker
Cor 189th & and Elton Ave

AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

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Dated *March 12* 18*98*

John W. Gorman Magistrate.
Gorman 10 Officer.

Witness *John W. Gorman* Clerk.

Joseph Williams
H. B. Clinton Sr
Adolf Waldmann

J. H. Gen to answer Sessions.



Received at Dist. Att'y's Office,

BAILED.
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
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No. 3, by _____
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No. 5, by _____
Residence _____
No. 6, by _____
Residence _____

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That *Spitz* *Aron otherwise called Aron*
Spitz

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,
in the County of New York, aforesaid on the *eleventh* day of *March* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *one* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force
and arms, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one
thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value
of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars,
and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars,
and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the
value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value
of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and
of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars
each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each:
one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each:
one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar
each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due
and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied of the value
of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes,) be-
ing then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money
(and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsat-
isfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known
as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value
of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the
value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each:
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold
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kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver
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of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five
cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of Amer-
ica, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomi-
nation of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States
of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the
denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills
of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as frac-
tional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

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One pocket book of the value of fifty cents
One instrument and writing of the kind commonly called
a promissory note (a more particular description of
which is to the jurors of one dollar unknown) of the value
of one hundred and fifty dollars
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John R. Decker*

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

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

THAT the said *Spitz Aron otherwise known as Aron Spitz*

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

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Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as the double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

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One pocket book of the value of fifty cents
One instrument and writing of the kind commonly called a promissory note (a more particular description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown) of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *John R. Decker* by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

John R. Decker unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said *Spitz Aron otherwise called Aron Spitz*

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

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~FRANCIS R. RICHES~~ District Attorney.

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Counsel, ^{at & by}
Filed day of March 1881.
Pleads Not Guilty (9)

INDICTMENT - Larceny from
the Person.

THE PEOPLE
vs.

John Austin

David B. Collins
~~BENJ. K. PHIBBS,~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Kelly

Foreman.

I consent to the charge
of Austin on his own
recognition - as
Alphus ~~the~~ excellent character
accounts for anything - except
was drunk & in a
Fz March 10, 1881. W. H. Kelly

Recd on
No J. B. Kelly
deceased.
address.
F. J.

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

Form 112.

Police Court—First District.

Michael Keefe
of No. *House of Detention* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *20th* day of *February* 18*87*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, *And from deponent's*

the following property, viz:

Good and lawful
Money Consisting of One
bill of the denomination
and

of the value of *Two* Dollars,
the property of *deponent*

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

Now present from the fact that
deponent in company with the
prisoner was passing along the
Bowery when suddenly the
prisoner thrust his hand into a
packet of deponents vest which
contained said property and
taking therefrom the bill in question
ran quickly away

Sworn to, before me, this

day

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John Justice
Police Justice.

Michael Keefe

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Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

John Austin

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Austin

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

25 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Catskill New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

448 East 14th Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

I travel with a show

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge
John Austin*

Taken before me, this

Wm. M. Kelly
1897
Police Justice

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,
Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,
Address,

*Complainant
in the Person
of Detlevson
in default of J.P.M.
bail to appear*

Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, & C,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Michael Sheple
Horse & Cattle
John Austin*

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Dated *Feb 29* 18...
Magistrate
Officer
Clerk

Witnesses:

at *St. Paul*
FEB 29 1888
RECEIVED at District Office
DISTRICT ATTORNEY *John*

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

John Austin

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *twenty sixth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms.

One Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* United States Treasury Note of the
denomination of *two* dollars and of the value of *two* dollars.

One Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* Bank Note of the denomination of
two dollars and of the value of *two* dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Michael O'Keefe*
on the person of said *Michael O'Keefe* then and there being found,
from the person of said *Michael O'Keefe* 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.

Daniel S. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Austin, Richard

DATE:

03/28/81



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WINDSOR HOTEL.
57 AVE. 48TH & 47TH STS NEW YORK.
HAWK & WETHERBEE.

Mr Leary
Appt Dist Atty.
Plends of
Col Spencer,

364. *Bud*

Day of Trial, *W. Hoffman*
Counsel, *W. Hoffman*
Filed *20* day of *March* 1887
Plends *not taken due to H.*

Selling Lottery Policies.

THE PEOPLE

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B.

Richard Austin

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

Part Bro. due 22. 1887.

Trade & Enriched
A TRUE BILL.

William H. Phelps
Phonetician.

L. J. Newman &

#250. game of
Hand 33.

\$1000.
April 4th 1887

Sailed by
Seely R. Budd
323 West 19th Street

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STATE OF NEW YORK.



Executive Chamber.

Albany, Sept. 15, 1881

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the Pardon of Richard Austin who was sentenced on June 27, 1881, in your County, for the crime of Selling "Policy Slips" for the term of one year and fined \$250 to the State Prison.

you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of Chapter 310, Laws 1879) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial; together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a Pardon. Be

pleased also to state the previous character of the convict. Col. Chas. S. Spencer, Prisoner's counsel, make the application.

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

[Handwritten initials]

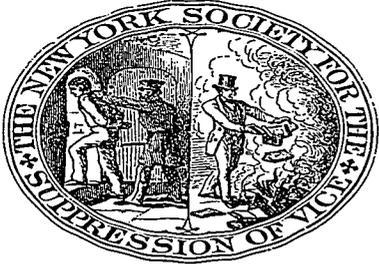
Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

[Signature of Edward Higgins]
Pardon Clerk.

To David G. Rollins,

District Attorney, &c.

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THE
New York Society for the Suppression of Vice,
150 NASSAU STREET,

New York, June 15th 1881

Mr Beecher.

Asst. Dist. Atty -

N. Y. City:-

My dear Sir:-

I am subpoenaed in the case of Richard Austin for your Court tomorrow -

I have to be in Albany, but presume that this case is down for pleading - as he was only indicted to-day - Should he plead guilty, I wish you would have ^{sentence} suspended until such time as I can present the facts to you, as he is the head of an office, and continued right on in the business, and was caught in the act at the time of his arrest.

His clerk has already been sentenced to imprisonment and I think he deserves a long term -

I am informed that he continued right on in this business, and was arrested again, two days after I arrested him, by a gentleman who is now in my employ. I will call upon you on my return.

Very Truly Yours

Anthony Comstock -
Secy. No. 2.

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THE
New York Society for the Suppression of Vice,
150 NASSAU STREET,

New York, April 9th 1881

Mr Breckler

Post Dist Office
N. Y. City.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to call your attention to the case of Richard Austin of No 206 Mission Street, who has been indicted for selling lottery policy.

This is a notorious offender who kept this place and did business down to the hour of his arrest on the 14th day of February 1881. I have the slips which he sold on that day and the books upon which they were recorded; also slips purchased in the same place, Nov. 26 1880 and Jan 15th and 19th 1881.

The clerk of this man Austin has been sentenced to thirty days imprisonment and fined fifty dollars, and we respectfully submit and present that if the clerk merits that, the principal of the concern merits still more.

Yours Very Respectfully-

Anthony Lemstock -

Sec. per S.

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THE
New York Society for the Suppression of Vice,
150 NASSAU STREET,

New York, June 23rd 1881

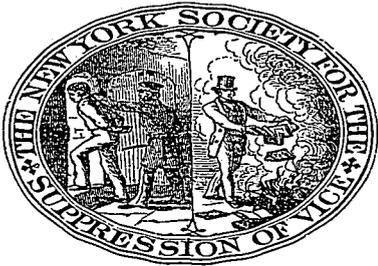
City Court and State of New York ss.

Anthony Bourstock being duly sworn deposes and says that he is informed by his Assistant Joseph A. Britton, that he has known Richard Austin of 206 Division street and has known him for twenty years, and that for more than ten years the said Austin has been engaged in the policy gambling business in this City.

Deponent further says that during the month of November (1880), he secured evidence against this man Austin and his Clerk George Drescher, for conducting a game of policy at 206 Division street, and sought to secure his arrest by assistance of the Police, but that for some reason to deponent unknown, the said Austin received warning and closed his place, and kept it closed for several days, but after awhile again opened and continued the game of policy as aforesaid.

Deponent further says that he is informed and verily believes that the said Austin has been arrested by the Police prior to the arrest in this complaint and further that the next day after this arrest the said Austin did continue the business and did sell policy slips or lottery policies to one George E. Oram, and has been since arrested and held for trial, and deponent is informed and believes from conversation had with the said Austin that he has continued on in the same business, as the said Austin came to deponent, and promised to get out of the business, if deponent would let up on deponent, as deponent testified yesterday.

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THE
New York Society for the Suppression of Vice,
150 NASSAU STREET,

New York, 18

Deponent further is informed and verily believes that
the said Austin, has other places where policy is played
other than the one, at 206 Division street, and is
continuing his interests in said unlawfull games.

Anthony Bonistock →

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 23rd day of June 1881
J. Smith
Rec^d 10

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

John H. Van Buren

~~Anthony Comstock~~, of 150 Nassau street, New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has just cause to believe and does believe that *Richard Austin*

did, on or about the *14* day of *February*, 1881, at number *206 Division Street* in the City of New York, and County of New York, unlawfully and knowingly sell, furnish, vend and procure, and cause to be furnished and procured, a certain paper or instrument, purporting to be a ticket or part of a ticket in a lottery, which said ticket or part of a ticket is hereto annexed, and further, that the said

Richard Austin

has in *his* possession, within and upon certain premises, occupied by *him* and situated and known as number *206 Division Street* street, in the City and County of New York aforesaid, certain others, what are commonly known as, or are called lottery policies or lottery tickets, and also certain writings, cards, books, documents, personal property, tables, devices, and apparatus, for the purpose of enabling others to sell or vend lottery policies or lottery tickets, and at, within and upon said premises, sells, vends, furnishes and procures, and has in possession, the aforesaid articles in violation of the laws of the State of New York, in such case made and provided.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this *15* day of *February* 1881

Anthony Comstock

Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT — *366* DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
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VS.
Richard Austin

LOTTERY AND POLICY.

Dated.....188
Magistrate.
Clerk
Officer.

WITNESSES:
A. [unclear]
John [unclear]

Bailed, \$
to answer..... Sessions.
By.....
Street.

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City, County & State of New York-cf.

John H.

Van Pelt being duly sworn deposes and says - that he knows the said Richard Austin and that his place of business was 206 Division Street - N. Y. City, where the said Austin kept a policy shop.

That deponent purchased policy in the said office on the 3rd-11th and 26th days of November 1880, and also on the 15th and 19th days of January and the 14th day of February 1881.

That he was also present on the 26th day of November 1880 with Mr Godfrey L. Leake and also purchase what is commonly known and called lottery policies of one George Drescher clerk for said Austin in said place, and that said Drescher has since been indicted Pleaded guilty and been sentenced for said ^{offense} follows, to 30 days imprisonment at hard labor and to pay 50 dollars fine.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me }
this 23rd day of June 1881

J. M. [Signature]
Rec:

John H. Van Pelt

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Richard Austin

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That

Richard Austin

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

John H. Van Bell

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

John H. Van Bell

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

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

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

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

Two hundred and six Division Street

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

THIRD COUNT—

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

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

And that he the said *Richard Austin*
afterwards on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number

Two hundred and six Division Street,

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

John A. Van Pelt
and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

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

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

FOURTH COUNT—

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

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

Two hundred and six Division Street

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

FIFTH COUNT—

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

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

Two hundred and six Division Street.

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

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.