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Witnesses:

Counsel, *W. J. [Signature]*

Filed *21* day of *May* 189*2*

Plends, *Myers*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Bambrick

and

William Bach

PETIT LARCENY.

Sections 528, 582 Penal Code.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. D. Forest

Foreman.

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final disposition.

Jan 27 1892

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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 Bambrick
and
William Bach

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

William Bambrick and William Bach

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *William Bambrick and*

William Bach, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *16th*
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*two* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one baby carriage of the
value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Nelson

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

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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Barry, James

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Witnesses:

42 *W. J. Backlund*

Counsel,

Filed

7 day of Jan'y 1892

Pleads,

W. J. Backlund

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Barry

Degree,
(From the Person,
Grand Larceny,
[Sections 528, 529, 530,
Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. De Forest

Foreman.

Jan'y 15th

I 2 Jan N. 1892
Pleads G. L. 1 day
S.P. 4 yrs 410 md.

Complaints Cop Examined by
Mr. Keane

I had in my possession
\$415.00 dollars I reached New York
City Saturday morning at half
past 9, the 26th of December 1891
I had six hundred dollars about
when I reached here, I didn't
stop at any hotel I went from
the Grand Central depot to State St
and went to a gentlemen there, and
remained there about an
hour or 2 hours I know at that
time I had 600 dollars in my
pocket, about half past 10 or
11 o'clock I examined my money
I had 12 - 20 dollar bills 16 10
dollar bills & 3 - 5 dollar bills, after
I left State Street I walked to
Chatham Square, I reached the
place where I was robbed
about 2 o'clock pm I drew
nothing from the time I left
State Street to the time I reached

the place where Salami was
 robbed. I stopped at a jewelry store
 before I got to this place in Chatham St
 about 5 minutes; on an average
 I visit New York once a month.
 I got to number 2 Catharine
 about 2 or 1/2 past 2 o'clock. I
 knew no person at 2 Catharine
 Street I never stopped there before.
 There were 5 people there, with the
 bartender. I felt in my pocket -
 & knew it was there, I didn't count
 it after I left. I felt sure I had it
 in my right hand hip pocket.
 I felt it there several times; -
 when I entered 2 Catharine Street
 I asked for a hot scotch, the bartender
 said he didn't have it, but
 he would give me some Irish
 whiskey. As I drank it. I stood
 to the left of the bar & dependant
 stood next to me. I never met
 dependant before that, and
 he was sharing a case with the

yesterday he requested me to join
 them & I did, I spent about
 60 cents, I was there about 25 minutes
 I drank alone once but treated, once
 I paid William Hook \$150 dollars
 at St Catharines Trust, which I had
 about 50 dollars ^{in cash}, when I had spent
 I was arrested, I paid 43⁰⁰ in State
 Street for a man I don't know his
 name; I paid Hook for tools buying
 tools, I live ^{the cell} at home. I was not
 drunk; after this happened I went
 to Sweeney's hotel 5 o'clock Sat. Evng.
 I was interested there I came here
 without baggage I went to Hook's
 place he was out but I went to
 this place to get a drink; I never
 went to this place before ^{at} St Catharines
 Str. I am a positively dependant
 took my money because he
 put his right hand in my right
 hip pocket & took it out, I don't
 know at the time he took it

\$15.00 was in my right handker
 pocket, he put his hands under
 my coat, around my body,
 I saw he took the \$15.00 out of
 my hip pocket, after I left the
 place I went to Shors place
 3 minutes after I got to Shors place
 I discovered that my money
 had went straight back to the
 place after it, about 3 o'clock
 I ordered 3 new \$5.00 bills which
 I turned

I want to be free me
 this 18th day of December 1891

M. S. Cristy

Police Justice

Jeremiah Griffin being duly
sworn deposes & says

Defendant asked
me why he was arrested & when
we told him he said don't take
me to the house since I guess it
loaded he was not there and
he said he would give us the
money if we would let him
go; and he had \$166³⁰ dollars in
his pocket. A check he gave us
and a money bag was also
found on him.

Jeremiah J. Griffin

Sworn to before me
this 28th day of Dec 1891

Public Justice

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

of No. New Canaan Connecticut Street, aged 48 years,
 occupation Baker being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 26 day of December 1891 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:

Four
 hundred and fifteen dollars good and
 lawful money of the United States—the same
 being in twelve ~~2~~ twenty dollar bills, sixteen
 ten dollar bills and five five dollar bills—
 All of the value of four hundred and
fifteen dollars \$415.

the property of deponent

and that this deponent
 has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-
 ously taken, stolen and carried away by James Barry (now here)
 for the reason, that on the said date, deponent was
 in a saloon at premises number two (2) Altamere
Street and had the above described property in the
 right hand hip pocket of his trousers. Deponent
 and defendant. Defendant was in the said saloon
 at the time and caught hold of deponent and told
 deponent he wanted to show him how he was one
thrown by a man. Defendant then put both his arms
 about deponent's body and held him for about two
 minutes. Deponent then left said saloon and about
 three minutes time had elapsed from the time defendant
 had hold of him, until he missed the said property.
 Deponent further says that no one was near him
 or had their hands on his person from the time he

Sworn to before me, this

of

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Police Justice.

last saw his money, until he had missed it. Defendant is further informed by Officer Jeremiah J. Griffin of the 24th Precinct that he arrested the said Barry and found upon his person One hundred and sixty six dollars and thirty cents, in addition to Eighty seven dollars that the said defendant handed to said ~~Griffin~~ Officer Peter Carter of the 24th Precinct who was in the company of the said Griffin when he arrested the said Barry. The said Griffin further informed the defendant that the said Barry then told him, that if he would not arrest him, he would give up the money - saying this the defendant handed the said Peter Carter the above mentioned eighty seven dollars. Wherefore defendant charges the said James Barry with larceny from the person and prays that he be held to answer.

William C. Curtis

Sworn to before me this }
28th day of December 1891 }

Police Justice.
H. J. F.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Jeremiah J. Griffin
Police man of No. 4th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William D. Cortis
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 28 day of December 1891 } Jeremiah J. Griffin

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

James Barry 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. *James Barry*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *182 Allen Street. Six months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. James Barry*

Taken before me this

day of *December*

1891

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 *fifteen* Hundred Dollars, *1500* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *Dec 25 91* 18 *[Signature]* Police Justice

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

Dated..... 18 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..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William A. Cortio

James Barry

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Offence
Driving from
the Prison

Dated *December 28* 1891

Driver Magistrate.
Doran and Griffin Officer.

4th Precinct.

Witnesses *Jeremiah J. Griffin*

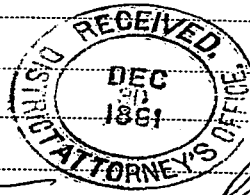
No. *4th Precinct.* Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1500* to answer *G. A.*

[Signature]



BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Barry

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

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

The said

James Barry

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *26th* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, in the day time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

Twelve promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *twenty* dollar *each*; *twelve* promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the denomination and value of *twenty* dollar *each*; *twelve* United States Gold Certificates, of the denomination and value of *twenty* dollar *each*; *twelve* United States Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of *twenty* dollar *each*;

sixteen promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *ten* dollar *each*; *sixteen* promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the denomination and value of *ten* dollar *each*; *sixteen* United States Gold Certificates, of the denomination and value of *ten* dollar *each*; *sixteen* United States Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of *ten* dollar *each*;

three promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *five* dollar *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the denomination and value of *five* dollar *each*; *three* United States Gold Certificates, of the denomination and value of *five* dollar *each*; *three* United States Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of *five* dollar *each*;

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William S. Curties* on the person of the said *William S. Curties* then and there being found, from the person of the said *William S. Curties* 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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

James Barry
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,

*the same goods, chattels and
personal property described
in the first count of this
indictment*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

William S. Curtis
by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

William S. Curtis
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said

James Barry
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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Bekendorf, Charles

DATE:

01/19/92



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed,

day of

1892

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Charles B. Bendor

Charles B. Bendor

Spied & Requested

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part I Feb 15, 1892

17 March 1892

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. DeForest

Foreman.

March 25-1892

Wm. DeForest

[Section 22, Sub. 1, Penal Code.]

ABDUCTION

0318

District Police Court.

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

Thomas A. Moore

of Number 100 East 213 Street being duly sworn,
 that he has been informed and has cause to believe and also believe
 deposes and says, that on the Thirtieth day of December 1891, at the
 City of New York, in the County of New York.

At a vacant lot
 in Seventy-fifth Street, situated bet.
Eighth and Ninth Avenues, in said
City of New York, one Charles Beckendorf,
 did then and there unlawfully
 and wilfully, perpetrate an act of
 sexual intercourse with a certain
 female child, called Rose West, the
 said Rose West, being actually and
 apparently under the age of sixteen
 years, to wit of age of fourteen years,
 the said Charles Beckendorf, not
 being her husband, in violation
 of Section 278 of the Penal Code
 of State of New York.

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said

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

Sworn to before me, this 22nd
 day of December 1891

Thomas A. Moore
 Mar. 1891

Police Justice.

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71.
POLICE COURT 5 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
IN THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles H. Ware



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

DATED *Dec 19* 1891
White Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

Witnesses:

S. Fellows Jenkins, Supt.,
100 East 23d Street.

Disposition,

LEHMAIER & BRO., 88 FULTON ST., NEW YORK.

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(1895)

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court

Charles Bekendorf 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. *Charles Bekendorf*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *W 2 St 53 East, 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Chas. Bekendorf

Taken before me this
day of *December* 189

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 Dec 22 1881 A. J. White Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 30 1881 A. J. White 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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The preceding justice
will hear and
admit the
within case in
my absence

Police justice
BAILED,
No. 1, by *Conrad Gersting*
Residence *744 20th St.* Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

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Police Court District. *4-28*
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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas J. Moore
vs.
Charles Beckman
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence *11/20/91*

Dated *Dec 22* 1889
White Magistrate

Crocker and Ming Officer.
26 Precinct.

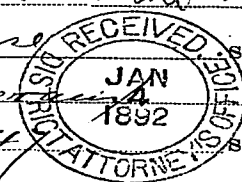
Witnesses *Mr. Davis is the brief*
No. *in this case* Street.

Pat's (Dover) Street.
No. *501 W 4* Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *5000* to answer *Ans.*

9 Dec 23 / 9.30
Bailed 29 - 2
St. Dec 30 9.30



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Church of the Assumption

125 West 19th Street.

New York March 23 1882

*This is to certify, that Theresa
Rosa West, legitimate
daughter of, Matteo West
and his wife Lena, born
Octob 3^o 1877, was baptized
in the church of the Assumption
December 2^o 1877.*

*A. B. Schumann,
Rector*

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Rose West

aged 14 years, occupation _____ of No. _____

207 W. 66th

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

Thomas J. Moore

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this 22nd
day of Dec. 1891

Rose West

A. J. White

Police Justice.

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

5 District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Thomas D. Moore

vs.

BEFORE HON.

A J White

POLICE JUSTICE,

Dec 31 1887

APPEARANCES:

For the People,

For the Defence,

D M Van Catta
Dec 31 1887

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George H. [Signature]
Official Stenographer.

FIFTH DISTRICT
POLICE COURT

-----X
 THOMAS F. MOORE : Before HON.
 :
 -vs- : ANDREW J. WHITE,
 :
 CONRAD WELFER : Justice.
 :
 -----X

New York, December 30th, 1891.

Daniel M. Van Cott, Esq., appears for the
Defendants.

ROSE WEST, called for the People,
sworn, testified as follows:-

By the Court;

Q How old are you ?

A Fourteen.

Q Where do you live ?

A 207 West 66th Street.

Q Did you see that man, Conrad Welfer, on the 20th of
December ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Where did you see him ?

A in 67th Street.

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Q What part of 67th Street ?

A Tenth Avenue.

Q What time of day or night was it ?

A I don't know what time it was in the night.

Q Was it night time ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Was it after nine o'clock ?

A No, sir, it was before nine.

Q It was dark ?

A Yes sir.

Q What part of 67th Street ?

A Tenth Avenue.

Q What kind of a street is it, is it built up there ?

A Yes, sir.

Q What, if anything, did he do to you at that time ?

A He came down with Charles Beckendorf.

Q What did they do ?

A Charles Beckendorf told me to take a walk; so I took a walk with him.

Q Where did you walk to ?

A Up in Eighth Avenue, up 66th Street and Eighth Avenue. We walked up Eighth Avenue as far as 76th Street and I was going down 77th Street and he wouldn't let me go and he pulled me along and he says go down 81st Street and he wouldn't let me go down and he pulled me down 76th

(3)

Street. I said I won't go in the place and Charles Beckendorf got hold of me and pulled me in the lot and he tore the side of my drawers

Q What else did he do ?

A Then he was going to get hold of me.

Q Tell me just what he did ?

A He was going to have connection with me.

Q Did he throw you down on the ground ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did he raise up your clothes ?

A Yes, sir; then he was going to put his pin in my private parts.

Q Did he do it ?

A Yes, sir, he couldn't get into me.

Q He didn't penetrate at all ?

A No, sir.

Q You are sure of that ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Charles Beckendorf did that ?

A Yes, sir.

Q What did the other man do ?

A He done the same.

Q All three of them ?

A Yes, sir.

Q They all attempted it ?

A Yes, but they couldn't get into me.

(4)

Q You are positive of that ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did the three of them lay hands on you and drag you into the lot ?

A Only Charlie Beckendorf; the other fellow was standing outside; when he got inside the other two came running in.

Q Did they have their persons exposed ?

A Yes, sir.

Q After you say you were knocked down by Charlie Beckendorf did you get up again ?

A No, sir; then the other two came along.

Q Did they let you up ?

A No, sir, they wouldn't let me up.

Q You were still lying down on the ground and both attempted it while you were lying down ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you hallow ?

A He had his hands on my mouth. when one went away he held his hand on my mouth until the other one got there.

Q He didn't take his hand from your mouth until the other one got there ?

A No, sir.

By Mr Van Cott;

Q Did you swear yesterday that nobody had anything to do with you except Tom Kennedy ?

A Yes, sir.

(5)

Q That was the only man that ever touched you ?

A Yes, sir.

By the Court ;

Q The three of those young men took hold of you and forced you into the lot ?

A Charlie Beckendorf was first; then the other two men came.

Q Then the other two men held their hands on your mouth and attempted to have connection with you ?

A Yes, sir.

Q You say they didn't have connection with you ?

A They couldn't get in to me.

Q Why ?

A Because I was always kicking; I wouldn't let them get into me.

Q Didn't you at any other time tell somebody else that they did have intercourse with you ?

A The first time they did.

Q They did what ?

A They got into me.

Q What do you mean by the first time they got into you ?

A When I went out the first time with Charlie Beckendorf.

Q When was that ?

A About two weeks before this time .

Q Was you with Charlie at that time ?

A Yes, sir.

(6)

Q Nobody else ?

A Then the other two came walking down

Q That was two weeks previous to this ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did they get into you then ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Where was that ?

A In 64th Street and 11th Avenue.

Q In a house ?

A No, sir.

Q In a lot ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Then they did have connection with you ?

A Yes, sir, the first time.

Q A moment ago you said nobody had connection with you except Tom Kennedy ?

A Charlie was only the first time.

Q First time what ?

A He got into me

Q You said a little while ago that nobody had connection with you except Tom Kennedy, is that true ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Why did you say those three men had connection with you too?

(7)

A After that.

Q After Tom Kennedy had connection with you they did ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Why did you say nobody had connection with you but Tom Kennedy--why did you say that ? Why did you tell me nobody had connection with you but Tom Kennedy when you say the other three had connection with you after Tom Kennedy had it ? Do you understand what you are saying?

A Yes, sir.

Q Why did you say that ? Is it true those three men had connection with you ?

A Yes, sir.

Q They didn't have connection with you this night on the 20th of the month ?

A No, sir, they didn't get into me.

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FRANKLIN C. COOPER, called for the
People, sworn, testified as follows:-

By the Court:-

Q You are a police officer ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Attached to what Precinct ?

A The 26th.

Q Did you make the arrest of these defendants ?

A Yes, sir.

Q When did you arrest them and where did you arrest them ?

A This occurred on Sunday night and they were arrested
Tuesday morning.

Q Did you see anything happen on Sunday night ?

A Yes, sir; I went in the lot and saw one of the fellows
on top of the girl.

Q Which one ?

A Conrad Welfer, and one of the others was along the side
of him and the other fellow was right behind him, about
six or eight feet perhaps; no further, I shouldn't think.
and they run away and Conrad Welfer was the last one to
get away, because he got off the girl and her clothes
was still up when I reached the girl.

Q Did they make any statement to you at the time of the
arrest ?

(9)

A Yes, sir; they said they had connection with her before that.

Q Did they tell you whether they had any connection with her that night or not?

A Conrad Welfer said he was the last one; the other two had been there before.

CROSS - EXAMINATION.

By Mr Van Cott;-

Q How far were you away, about?

A I was not over ten feet at the furthest.

Q Did you arrest any of them that night?

A No, sir.

Q Did you try to arrest any of them?

A I didn't know what was up until they ran away and I found the girl there.

Q You knew something was up when you saw one of them on top of the girl?

A I didn't know if it was an old woman or a girl.

Q What difference did it make to you as a policeman?

A Because the best reason I couldn't catch them they got the start of me; I couldn't catch them.

Q Ten feet the start of you?

A Yes, sir.

(10)

Q Was it very dark there ?

A No, sir.

Q Was it light ?

A Yes, sir; there was a lamp not one hundred feet away on the sidewalk.

By the Court;

Q What was the condition of this child when you picked her up ?

A Her clothes when I found her they were up; when I got her up I asked her what she was doing there; she said they pulled her in there and then the other two came in afterwards. She said Charlie Beckendorf pulled her in. I asked her why she didn't 'holler' She said she couldn't. I said "Why not?" and she said they put their hands over her mouth.

By Mr Van Cott;-

Q She didn't tell you they had their hands over her mouth when they took her in ?

A No, sir.

By the Court;-

Q What was the condition of her face ?

A She was scratched up, marked up, the left side of her face.

(11)

ROSE WEST, recalled.

By Mr. Van Cott:

Q When did Tom Kennedy have connection with you ?

A A long time ago.

Q Do you know a Mr. Schweck ?

A No, sir.

Q Do you want me to understand, or the Court to understand, that nobody had connection with you but Tom Kennedy ?

A Yes, sir, and those three men.

Q And those three men didn't have connection with you on Sunday night ?

A No, sir.

Defendant's counsel moves for the discharge of the prisoners.

Motion denied; exception.

(12)

C H A R L E S B E C K E N D O R F, called in
his own behalf, testified as follows:-

By Mr Van Cott:-

Q Do you know this girl Rose West ?

A Yes, sir; I know her three months.

Q She says a week ago last Sunday night you forced her
into a lot somewhere on the West side near 76th Street?

Did you have connection with this girl that time ?

A No, sir.

Q Did any of the boys that were with you have connection
with her ?

A No, sir.

P E T E R B A S S E R, one of the defendants,
sworn
called in his own behalf, testified as
follows:-

By Mr Van Cott:-

Q Do you know this girl ?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long have you known her ?

(13)

A About two or three months.

Q Were you with her a week ago last Sunday night in a lot in West 76th Street ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you pull her into the lot or put your hand over her mouth ?

A No, sir.

Q Did you have connection with her that night ?

A No, sir.

Q Did you ever have connection with her before ?

A No, sir.

Q Nor since ?

A No, sir.

Q Nor that night ?

A No, sir.

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C O N R A D W E I F F E R, one of the defendants,
called in his own behalf, testified as follows; -

By Mr Van Cott; -

Q Do you know this girl ?

A Yes, sir.

Q How long have you known her ?

A About three weeks; two or three weeks .

Q Were you with her a week ago last Sunday night ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Did you force her into a lot ?

A No, sir.

Q Did you have connection with her that night ?

A No, sir.

Q Did you have your hand over her mouth that night ?

A No, sir.

Q Did you ever have connection with her ?

A No, sir.

Defendants Counsel renews motion to dismiss
complaint.

Motion denied; exception.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE
ON COMPLAINT OF

John J. Moore
Conrad Melph

agst.

Examination had

Dec 30 188*7*

Before

J. White Police Justice.

I,

George Guign Stenographer of the *5* District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of

Rose Mary Doro

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated

Dec 31 188*7*

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George Guign
Stenographer.

Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Mrs. F. Moore

vs.

Conrad Welles

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT.

Dec 30 - 1891

BEFORE HON.

A. G. White

Police Justice.

George L. Lipp

Official Stenographer.

THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE
IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE

VS.

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

CHARLES BEKENDORF.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

Charles Bekendorf, 18 years old, is indicted for Rape. He is one of a trio of reckless young men, who on Sunday night, December 20th, 1891, pushed a girl named Rosa West, aged 14 years, into a vacant lot on West 76th Street, between 8th and 9th Avenues, knocked her down, and then and there had connection with her, each in turn.

The defendant, with his companions, Conrad Welfer and Peter Bosser, met Rosa on 10th Avenue, a few blocks below 76th Street. Defendant told the girl she must "turn-up" for them to-night. They walked together until opposite the vacant lot mentioned, when defendant pushed her in, knocked her down, tore open her drawers and had sexual intercourse with her, -- perhaps not fully in a physical sense -- since Rosa kicked and squirmed so much -- but quite fully in a legal sense. He was standing by her, when the police officer, Franklin C. Cooper, appeared on the scene; and he ran away with his two companions. This was not the first time defendant had connection with the girl according to his own statement to the police officer.

WITNESSES:

- 1 Rosa West,
- 2 Patrick Devereaux, 501 West 47th St.,
- 3 Officer Franklin C. Cooper, 26th Precinct,
- 4 Mrs. Lena West, 207 West 66th Street
- ~~Dr. W. Travis Gibb, 131 East 39th Street.~~

ROSA WEST, residing with parents at 207 West 66th Street, will testify:

That on the evening of Sunday, the 20th of December, 1891, (not certain as to exact time, but before 9-00 P. M.) she was walking on 67th Street near 10th Avenue, when she met the defendant, "Charlie" Bekendorf and two companions, Conrad Welfer and Peter Bosser. That defendant said to her "You must 'turn-up' for us to-night". That witness replied she would not. That she continued to walk with them over to Eighth Avenue, then up Eighth Avenue to 76th St., and then over on 76th Street. That when they reached a vacant lot on the last named street, -- Bekendorf pushed her into the lot, knocked her down, tore open her drawers, and -- while his companions held her mouth to prevent her from making an outcry -- had, or attempted to have, connection with her. That when defendant had finished, he assisted in keeping her mouth closed, while his companions Bosser and Welfer tried to have sexual intercourse with her. That during all the time, they were holding her down and on top of her, she kicked and squirmed; but was unable to scream, -- as her assailants kept thier hands in turn

THE PEOPLE

STATE OF NEW YORK

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

over her mouth.

WITNESS further says that about two weeks before the night above named (Dec. 20th, 1891), defendant and his two friends, before named, Bosser and Welfer, raped her in a lot on 11th Avenue and 64th Street.

(Witness also admits having had sexual intercourse with one Tom Kennedy about two weeks before the first time with the above parties.)

2. Patrick Devereaux, 501 West 47th St., saw the three fellows, above named take the girl into the vacant lot and he thereupon becoming suspicious notified Officer Cooper of the 26th Precinct.

3. Officer Franklin C. Cooper, of the 26th Precinct, will testify That on the night of Sunday, Dec. 20th, 1891, his attention was called by one Patrick Devereaux to the fact that three young men had taken a little girl into a vacant lot on 76th Street; that he went to the lot in question, saw one of the men, Conrad Welfer, on top of the girl, and the others, defendant and ~~Bosser~~ standing near by; that the men ran away and he arrested the girl, who still had her clothes up. That on the following Tuesday, he arrested defendant and his two companions; and that they admitted to him that they had had connection with the girl before the previous Sunday night.

4. Mrs. Lena West, 207 West 66th Street, mother of Rosa, will testify to the age of the girl.

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N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE

Rosa West 14 yrs

AGAINST

CHARLES BENENDORF.

PENAL CODE, §

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

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

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

New York, January 2nd 1892

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

*The People
against
Charles Bekendorf*


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 1886, Chapter 30, Section 1), and in
furtherance of the ends of Justice.*

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

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

<p>N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS</p>	<p>THE PEOPLE</p>  <p>CRUELTY TO CHILDREN</p>	<p>NOTICE OF PROSECUTION</p> <p>BY THE SOCIETY.</p>	<p>ELBRIDGE T. GERRY, <i>President, &c.</i></p>
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Bekendorf

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

— Charles Bekendorf —

of the CRIME OF ABDUCTION, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Bekendorf*.

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety- *one*, at the City and County aforesaid, did feloniously take, receive, harbor, employ and use one *Rose West* — who was then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of *fourteen* years, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, he, the said *Charles Bekendorf*, not being then and there the husband of the said *Rose West*; — 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Second COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further
accuse the said *Charles Beben doff*

attempting to commit
of the CRIME OF PERPETRATING AN ACT OF SEXUAL INTERCOURSE
WITH A FEMALE UNDER THE AGE OF SIXTEEN YEARS, NOT HIS
WIFE, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Beben doff*—

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year afore-
said, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon a certain female
not his wife, to wit: her, the said *Rose West*. —

then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make ~~another~~ assault, she the said

Rose West — being then and there a female under the
age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of *fourteen* years; and the said

Charles Beben doff — then and there
wilfully and feloniously did ^{attempt to} perpetrate an act of sexual intercourse with her the said

— *Rose West* — , 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Belmont, Archibald

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DESCRIPTION:

Greeley, Frank

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

May of 1892

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Larceny, (From the Person, Degree. [Sections 538, 539, Penal Code.]

Archibald Belmont

and

Frank Greeley

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Clarence De Forest

Foreman.

Aug 15/92

Wm. H. De Forest

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York, }

George D. Ross
 of No. 1168 *Jefferson Ave. Bklyn* Street, aged *32* years,
 occupation *Music Teacher* being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the *24* day of *December* 189*1* 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 *night* time, the following property, viz:

One Diamond Stud

Being of the value of

Three hundred Dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-
 ously taken, stolen and carried away by *Archibald Salmon*

and Francis Greeley (now absent) and another
person who is as yet not arrested
and who is unknown to deponent) and
who were acting in concert for
the purpose of obtaining to wit that
about the hour of 10 o'clock p.m. on
the night aforesaid deponent had
paid property in a room which he
had for, and was entering the bridge
on the river side. When deponent
is informed by Charles Taylor of
315 W 134 St. that he saw said
defendants and paid unknown person
following deponent and as deponent

Sworn to before me this *24* day of *December* 189*1*

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1877

Charles F. Taylor
aged 20 years, occupation Clerk of No.

315 W 134th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *George R. Raus*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 25
day of December 1898

Charles F. Taylor

J. C. Raus
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Frank Greeley being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h ^{is} right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against h ^{im}; that the statement is designed to
enable h ^{im} 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 ^{is} waiver cannot be used
against h ^{im} on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Frank Greeley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *Mendota Conn. 4 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Frank H. Greeley
man

Taken before me this

*day of December 1897**Leopold Kellner*
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

District Police Court.

Archibald Belmont being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is *h* right to enable *h* if *h* see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h* that *h* 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. *Archibald Belmont*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *Refused*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Master*

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*
Archibald Belmont

Taken before me this

22
*day of December 1937**P. J. Murphy*
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.....

Defendants
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 *December 25* 18 *91*. To *J. C. R. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18.....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.....18.....Police Justice.

Police Court--- District. 1575

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George C. Ragsdale
106 E. 4th St., Brooklyn

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New York General Sessions

In the Matter of

The People

vs.

Archibald Belmont and another

Ernest Harvier being duly sworn, deposes and says:
I know Archibald Belmont, one of the defendants herein; I know his relatives, and am familiar with the charge made against him.

I know that the defendant Belmont is less than 21 years of age, having been born in this city on December 1, 1871, and that the case at the bar is not excluded from the exercise of judicial clemency by any previous conviction of felony, and I know that defendant while leading a wayward, has not been leading a criminal life. The ends of justice would, I submit to the consideration of the Court, be best served by the sending of said defendant, under the plea of guilty, to the Elmira Reformatory for the reasons following: 1st, his youthful age, 2nd, this being his first serious offense and 3rd and chiefly, on account of his family, said family being composed of father, mother and three sisters, reputable, industrious and law-abiding persons of exemplary character and conduct, the father, a man of advanced years, being still actively engaged in the practice of his trade, the mother being identified with the charities of the parish of which for forty years she has been a resident, and the three sisters, all between the years of 16 and 23, being employed respectively, two as telegraphers and one as type-writer in the office of a public journal of this city. It is the belief of deponent that should the Judge exercise the clemency

4 as in this case of committing defendant Belmont to the Reformatory there is reasonable chance of his reforming and that by the imposition of such lenient sentence he may, after the period probation and withdrawal from evil companionship, be restored to an upright life and his relatives freed from the indelible disgrace of ^{his} incarceration in a State's prison.

Deponent further swears that though frequently importuned, during the past 10 years, to invoke the clemency of the judges of this Court for a mitigation or suspension of sentence in cases of persons accused of crime, he has on but two occasions asked such clemency, and that in both instances the persons in whose behalf it was invoked have justified the propriety of the request, and vindicated the action of the Court, be reforming and becoming law-abiding and industrious persons, engaging in legitimate callings.

Personally before me came)
 ERNEST HARVIER to be known)
 who acknowledged the fore-)
 going to be his signature)
 subscribed to the above)
 affidavit.)

Ernest Harvier

January 13, 1892
 James F. Dragg
 Notary Public
 (74) N.Y.C.

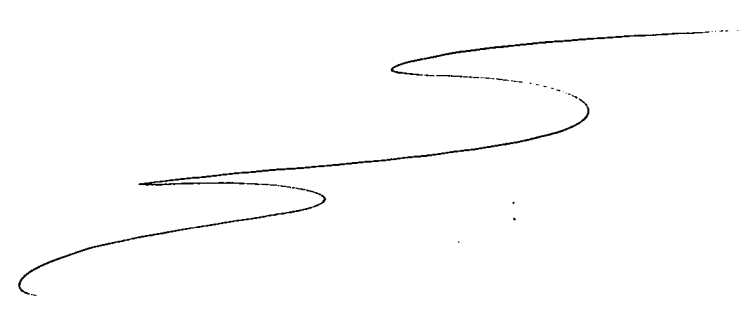
Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Archibald Belmont
and
Frank Greeley

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Archibald Belmont and Frank Greeley
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:
• The said *Archibald Belmont and Frank Greeley* both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *24th*
day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety- *one*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

one stud of the value
of three hundred dollars



of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George B. Rose*
on the person of the said *George B. Rose*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *George B. Rose*
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.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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POLICY.
[S 344, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLI,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

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AFFIDAVIT-Selling Lottery Policies.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

Nathan Wettenstein

of No. *71 Attorney* Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the *12th* day of *January*
18*87* at premises No. *252* *Albany* Street,
in the City and County of New York,

Louis Bernstein (now here)

did unlawfully and feloniously sell and vend to

Nathan Wettenstein

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

a paper representing a gig in the Kentucky
and Louisiana Lottery for which deponent
paid five cents said paper is hereto
annexed and a part of this affidavit

Which deponent charges was in violation of the statute in such
case made and provided, and prays that the said *Louis*

Bernstein may be dealt with according to law

Sworn to before me, this

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J. H. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }*Louis Bernstein*

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.

Louis Bernstein

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

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Question. Where were you born?

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

Answer.

251 Delancey Street 3 Months -

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

School-boy.

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

Answer.

*I am Guilty**Louis Bernstein*

Taken before me this

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*12**11*

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 Twenty 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 Jan 12 1892 J. K. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated January 14 1892 J. K. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 14 1892 J. K. Smith Police Justice.

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 grand jury.
 Jan 21, 1892

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 Residence _____ Street.

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 Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

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Police Court---

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathan Wettenstein
41 attorney
Louis Bernstein

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

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

New York, *January 15th 1892*

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

*The People
against
Louis Bernstein*

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 1886, Chapter 30, Section 1), and in
furtherance of the ends of Justice.*

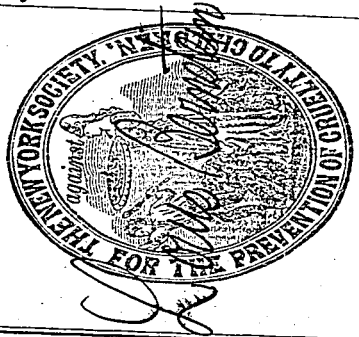
I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

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

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N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE



William Lottman Policy
CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.

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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

Louis Bernstein

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

Louis Bernstein

of the CRIME OF SELLING WHAT IS COMMONLY CALLED A LOTTERY POLICY, committed as follows:

The said *Louis Bernstein,*

late of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did sell to one

Nathan Wettenstein,

what is commonly called a Lottery Policy, the same being a certain paper and writing, as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said paper and writing so commonly called a Lottery Policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Louis Bernstein

of the CRIME OF SELLING A PAPER, WRITING AND DOCUMENT IN THE NATURE OF A BET AND WAGER UPON THE DRAWING OF A LOTTERY, committed as follows:

The said *Louis Bernstein,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did sell to one

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Louis Bernstein —

of the CRIME OF SELLING A WRITING, PAPER AND DOCUMENT IN THE NATURE OF AN INSURANCE UPON THE DRAWING OF A LOTTERY, committed as follows :

The said *Louis Bernstein*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did sell to one

Nathan Wattenstein —

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT:

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

Louis Bernstein —

of the CRIME OF SELLING A PAPER, WRITING AND DOCUMENT IN THE NATURE OF A BET AND WAGER UPON THE DRAWN NUMBERS OF A LOTTERY, committed as follows :

The said *Louis Bernstein,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did sell to one *Nathan Wattenstein,*

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FIFTH COUNT:

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

Louis Bernstein

of the CRIME OF SELLING A WRITING, PAPER AND DOCUMENT IN THE NATURE OF AN INSURANCE UPON THE DRAWN NUMBERS OF A LOTTERY, committed as follows:

The said *Louis Bernstein,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did sell to one *Nathan Wattenstein,*

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4250

DESCRIPTION:

Blaine, George

DATE:

01/18/92



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Witnesses:

Outsiders officers
Complainant

16th Feb 1892

Counsel,

Filed day of Jan 1892

Pleas, *McKenney*

THE PEOPLE

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England
14th Feb 1892

George Blaine

Council

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney

*Wt. J. 1892, W. in & D.
Feb. 9 1892 - in & D. in & D.*

A TRUE BILL,

Chas. J. DeForest

Foreman.

Part 2 - Feb 9. 1892

Pleas Part Larceny

Jan 17th 1892 Feb 12

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.
[Sections 528, 581, Penal Code.]

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(1365)

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 110-N-29 Joseph Eubank
Street, aged 68 years,
occupation Stork Keeper being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 14 day of January 1892 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:

Good and lawfull money of the
United States amounting to Fifty two
dollars and a Gold watch worth
valued at Sixty dollars — all of the
value of One hundred and twelve dollars
the property of Deponent, and of an other but in his
care and custody

of }
Sworn to before me this }
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day }

Police Justice.

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

for the reasons following to wit.
Deponent and Defendant roomed together
at no 204-N-26th Street, on said date
defendant asked deponent for a loan of ten
dollars, and for security defendant ^{would} gave deponent
the above mentioned watch, deponent ^{loaned} gave defendant
the ten dollars and received the said watch as
security, deponent placed the watch together
with the said amount of money in a trunk
in the room which they occupied, and deponent
locked the trunk and went away leaving
the defendant in the room — when deponent
returned about the hour of 10 o'clock P. M. on
said day he discovered his trunk had been

broken open and the money and watch were
gone and the defendant had disappeared
deponent therefore charges defendant with
the larceny of said property and prays that
he be apprehended and dealt with according
to law.

Joseph Leebank

Sworn to before me
this 14th day of January 1892

J. P. [Signature]
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.....

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

Dated.....18 Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18 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.....18 Police Justice.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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Police Court--- 2 District. 87THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OFJoseph Eubank
vs.George Blaine
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Larney Taber

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Frankie Thomas Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

§ to answer.....

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

George Blaine

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *George Blaine*

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

The said *George Blaine*:

late of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of
January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*,
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *day* time of said day,
divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of *fifty two*

dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and un-
satisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of *fifty two*

dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, of the value of *fifty two*

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, of the value of *fifty two*

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of
the value of *fifty two dollars, and one watch of the*
value of sixty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Joseph Embank*,
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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4250

DESCRIPTION:

Blaine, James G.

DATE:

01/24/92



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Witnesses:

Emma M. Wise
W. L. Lawler

Counsel,

Filed

26 day of Jan

Pleads,

W. L. Lawler

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THE PEOPLE

James S. Blaine

vs.

James S. Blaine

Section 406, 2d C. 528-531-1

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL,

Clarence De Jones

Foreman.

John J. Jones

Charles J. Jones

Ben J. Jones

Police Court 5 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 309 E. 81st Sigmund Weiss Street, aged 42 years,
occupation Shoemaker.

deposes and says, that the premises No. 1565 Second Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick
house in part Shoemaker's shop

and which was occupied by deponent as a Shoemaker's shop
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the
glass in the sash of the door leading
from the street into deponent's shop in
the basement of said premises and
entering said premises with the intent to commit
on the 24th day of January 1892 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Eight pairs of Shoes
of the value of ten dollars.
(\$10.00)

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

James J. Blumie (now here)
for the reasons following, to wit: that at the hour of
10.30 o'clock P.M. Jan 21st
deponent locked and securely
fastened the door of said shop and
closed said shop for the night
leaving said property therein
deponent is informed by Officer
William Lupton 22nd Precinct that
at about the hour of 2.15 o'clock

A Mr Janning 22. he saw this defendant in said shop. and saw said glass in said door broken as aforesaid and that he arrested this defendant as he was in the act of coming out of said shop.

Deponent further says that he examined his shop and discovered that eight pairs of shoes were missing.

Wherefore deponent charges this defendant with larceny, entering said premises as aforesaid and feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away said property.

Sworn to before me } Registrar Deas
this 22. day of Jan 1892

J. W. Mead
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

Burglary

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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William Lurter
aged _____ years, occupation Police Officer of No. 27
th Prest-Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Seamus Weice
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 22 }
day of June 1894 } William Lurter

William Lurter
Police Justice.

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(1835)

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY, ss.
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say until I see counsel.
Jas G Blaine

Taken before me this 21st day of June 1892

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.....

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

Dated *Jun 22* 18 *g. J. O'Donnell* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 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..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Sigmund Weiss
30th & 2nd Sts.
James G. Blaine

Amstrong
Office

Dated *June 22* 18*92*

Meade Magistrate.
Wm Lawler Officer.

27 Precinct.

Witnesses *Wm Lawler*

No. *27* Precinct

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1000* to answer



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P.H.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James G. Blaine
James G. Blaine

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

James G. Blaine
 of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

James G. Blaine
 late of the 19th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
 twenty second day of *January* in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred and ninety-two in the *night* time of the same day, at the
 Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *shop* of
 one *Sigmund Weise*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

James G. Blaine

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

James G. Blaine

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 said day, with force and arms,

*sixteen shoes of the value of
sixty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Sigmunda Weiss

in the

shop

of the said

Sigmunda Weiss

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

*Re Lancey McCall
District Attorney*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Bleezard, Harry J.

DATE:

01/24/92



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Witnesses:

Wm. J. Smith
John Murphy

Counsel,

Filed *21st* day of *Jan*

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THE PEOPLE

Degree.

[Sections 528, 58, Penal Code.]

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Grand Jurors
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Harry J. Blegard

Grand Larceny,
[Sections 528, 58, Penal Code.]

De LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. J. DeForest

Sub 2000. 1. 1892 Foreman.

Grand Jurors

4 persons Sub 2000.

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Police Court—5 District.

(1885)

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

George J. Smith
of No. 244 W. 76th Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Law Student—being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 3rd day of January 1892 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the Day time, the following property, viz:

One overcoat—of
the value of thirty five
dollars.

the property of Deponent

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

(now here) from the fact that—
deponent is informed by Julia
Murphy a domestic employed
in deponent's home. that the said
defendant—came to deponent's home
at about the hour of 12.30 o'clock
P.M. said date. for the purpose
of trimming the plants. and at
the time he came. and when
this witness let him in said
coat was hanging in the hat-
rack in the hallway of said
premises. and after this defendant
had been in said premises about

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Police Justice

ten minutes. he the defendant-
 left without saying anything to
 this witness. and immediately after
 he the defendant- left this witness
 discovered that said coat was
 missing. And this witness further
 says that no person other than
 the defendant was in said
 premises from the time she saw
 said coat last until she missed
 it.

Wherefore defendant charges this
 defendant with feloniously taking
 stealing and carrying away said
 coat.

Sworn before me } Geo. Smith
 this 21st day of June 1892 }

W. W. Mearns
 Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Julia Murphy
aged 25 years, occupation Domestic of No.

244 W 76th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that *he* has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *George T. Smith*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 21 } *Julia Murphy*
day of June 189 2 }

Overman
Police Justice.

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(1235)

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

District Police Court

Harry Blezard 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.

Harry Blezard

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

42 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

53 South 5th ave. 3 days

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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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
Harry Blezard

Taken before me this

21

day of

June

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Wm. M. Mearl
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.....

Alfred J. [Signature]
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 *June 21* 18 *92* *[Signature]* Police Justice

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

Dated.....18.....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.....18.....Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court--- District 87

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George T. Smith
244 W. 76
Harry Cleland

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Dated Jan 21 1892

Meade Magistrate.

Mary Officer.

256 Precinct.

Witnesses Julia Murphy

No. 244 W. 76 Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1.000 to answer J.S.



Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Harry J. Bleezard

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

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

The said

Harry J. Bleezard
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifth*
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one overcoat of the value
of thirty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

George T. Smith

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.

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4250

DESCRIPTION:

Bosser, Peter

DATE:

01/19/92



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Witnesses:

Attest Mr. J. W.
Secy of Secy. Gen.
Brid. Arch.
En. force in sign.

[Handwritten signature]

A. J. W. Hardy
Counsel,

Filed, 19 day of Jan'y 1892
Pleads, 19 July 26

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Peter Borer

[Handwritten signature]
March 27/92
Indictment

[Handwritten signature]
De LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part 2 Feb N.Y. 1892

A TRUE BILL.

[Handwritten signature]
Chas. J. DeForest

Foreman.

Feb 28, 1892
[Handwritten signature]

[Section 22, Sub. 1, Penal Code.]

ABDUCTION.

*The New York Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Children*
100 EAST 23D ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, January 2nd 1892

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

*The People
Against
Peter Bosser*


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 1886, Chapter 80, Section 1), and in
furtherance of the ends of Justice.*

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

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

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS	THE PEOPLE	CRUELTY TO CHILDREN
		
NOTICE OF PROSECUTION		
BY THE SOCIETY.		
ELBRIDGE T. GERRY, <i>President, &c.</i>		

9-11 District Police Court

STATE OF NEW YORK,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

ss.

Thomas J. Moore

100 East 23rd Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 18th day of December 1891, at the City of New York, in the County of New York.

At a vacant lot

situated in vicinity of 11th Street between
Fifth and Sixth Avenues, in part
City of New York, one Peter Giovanni
and wife and their minor children
and unlawfully perpetrate and act
of several misdemeanors, with a view
to secure said lot. Peter Giovanni, the
said Giovanni, being actually and
apparently under the age of sixteen
years, the said Peter Giovanni, not
being her husband, in violation
of sections 278 of the Penal Code
of the State of New York

wherefore the complainant prays that the said

Peter Giovanni

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

Sworn to before me, this 21st day of December 1891

Thomas J. Moore
Police Justice.

J. F. District Police Court.

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

Thomas F. Moore

of Number *100 East 23rd Street* being duly sworn,
that he has been informed and has just cause to believe and does believe
deposes and says, that on the *Twentieth* day of *December* 1891, at the
City of New York, in the County of New York, *At a vacant lot*

situated in Seventy-fifth Street between
Eighth and Ninth Avenues, in said
City of New York, one Peter Bossert
did then and there unlawfully
and willfully perpetrate an act
of sexual intercourse with a certain
female child called: Rosa West, the
said Rosa West, being actually and
apparently under the age of sixteen
years, to wit, of the age of fourteen
years, the said Peter Bossert, not
being her husband, in violation
of Section 278 of the Penal Code
of the State of New York

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said

Peter Bossert.

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

Sworn to before me, this *22nd*
day of *December* 1891

Thomas F. Moore

A. J. Webb

Police Justice.

W.
POLICE COURT 5th DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred Moore
vs.
Peter Bossen
CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

DATED *Dec* 1891
White Magistrate.

Clerk.

Officer.

Witness:
S. Fellows Jenkins, Supt.,
100 East 23d Street.

Disposition,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Rose West

aged 14 years, occupation _____ of No. _____

207 W 66th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas J. Moore

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

Sworn to before me, this 22nd
day of Dec. 1899

Rosie West

John P. Kelly

Police Justice.

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(1885)

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court

Peter Bosser

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Peter Bosser

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

203 West 64 Street 3 Years

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 not guilty**Peter Bosser.*

Taken before me this
day of *June* 189*1*

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 Dec 22 1891 A. J. White Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 30 1891 A. J. White 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.

The presiding
Justice will
hear and determine
the within case
in my absence

BAILED.

Police Justice
No. 1, by Amad Gerstung
Residence 244 MCV Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

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Police Court-- District. #627
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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas F. Monte
vs.
Peter Bossert

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

offence Rape

Dated Dec 27 1889

White Magistrate

Casper Ludwig Officer.

26 Precinct.

Witnesses Pat & Dan

No. 501 Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 500 to answer Cost.

Dec 23/930

Bailed 29-130



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Peter Bosser

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

Peter Bosser

of the CRIME OF ABDUCTION, committed as follows:

The said *Peter Bosser*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety- *one*, at the City and County aforesaid, did feloniously take, receive, harbor, employ and use one *Rose West* who was then and there a female under the age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of *fourteen* years, for the purpose of sexual intercourse, he, the said *Peter Bosser*, not being then and there the husband of the said *Rose West*; 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.

~~DE LANCEY NICOLL,~~

District Attorney

Second COUNT—

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

^{attempting to commit}
of the CRIME OF PERPETRATING AN ACT OF SEXUAL INTERCOURSE
WITH A FEMALE UNDER THE AGE OF SIXTEEN YEARS, NOT HIS
WIFE, committed as follows:

The said Peter Bosser, —

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year afore-
said, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon a certain female
not his wife, to wit: her, the said Rose West, —

then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make ~~another~~ assault, she the said

Rose West — being then and there a female under the
age of sixteen years, to wit: of the age of fourteen years; and the said

Peter Bosser — then and there
^{attempt to}
wilfully and feloniously did perpetrate an act of sexual intercourse with her the said

Rose West — , 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4250

DESCRIPTION:

Boyle, Thomas

DATE:

01/19/92



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4250

DESCRIPTION:

Russell, Robert

DATE:

01/19/92



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Plends,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Boyle

Robert Russell

April 19/92

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Discharged on
their recognizance
Feb 16, 1892

A TRUE BILL.

Wm J. DeFonce

April 13th Part I Foreman.

Remains this complaint without
further

Part I - Part I
April 19 - Part I
W. L.

Set 3-7-92
March 19/92

Degree,
Robbery,
[Sections 234 and 235, Penal Code]

In the within case
the depts have been
locked up 4 months
and the complainant
is the only witness
and in view of all
the facts herein I
am opinion that no
conviction can be had
as the depts are men
of good character
I therefore recommend
that the defendant
be discharged on
their own recognizance
Wm J. DeFonce
April 19/92 a. v. m.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

James J. Mc Carthy
 of No. 15th Precinct Police Street, aged _____ years,
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
 that on the _____ day of _____ 1882
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, William Ritchie

(Now here) is a necessary and material
 witness against Thomas Boyle & Robert Russell
 charged with the crime of Robbery and
 that deponent is led to believe that said
 Ritchie will not appear at the said trial of
 said Boyle & Russell. deponent therefore asks
 that said Ritchie may be held to await the
 said trial of said Boyle & Russell or find
 surety for his appearance at said trial

James J. Mc Carthy

Sworn to before me, this _____ day

of January 1882

Police Justice.

Police Court-- 2nd District.CITY AND COUNTY } ss
OF NEW YORK,

William Ritchie
of Steamship Onioco, New Pier 49th Street, aged 39 Years
Occupation Engineer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

14th day of January 1882, at the 15th Ward of the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

A silver watch - of the value of six dollars.
A plated watch chain of the value of
ten dollars - and good and lawful
money of the United States of the amount
of twenty dollars - in all of the amount
and

of the value of Thirty six (36) DOLLARS,
the property of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was
feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Thomas Boyle and Robert Russell (both now here)
and while acting in concert with each other
from the following facts to wit: That between
the hours of two and three o'clock A.M. of the
aforesaid date, whilst deponent was in company
with the defendants, in Sullivan Street - the
said defendant Russell took hold of and caught
deponent by the shoulder, and threw him down,
and that while deponent was lying down the
said defendant Boyle inserted his hands into the
pockets of deponent's Vest and Pantaloon and
forcibly and feloniously took stole and carried
away the aforesaid property from said pockets. And

Sworn to before me this 18th day of Jan 1882.

Police Justice

that said defendants in company with each other then saw away - and that defendant is further informed by Officer James J. Mc Carthy of the 15th Precinct Police - that between the hours of two and three o'clock A.M. of the aforesaid date, he saw defendant walking along and through Bleeker Street - and that at the corner of Macdougall and said street - he saw the defendant, accosted by the defendants who were in company with each other, at the said corner of Macdougall and Bleeker Streets, and that said defendants then took hold of defendant by the arm, and walked with and accompanied defendant through Bleeker Street to Sullivan Street - and that said defendants in company with defendant then turned up Sullivan Street towards Third Street, and that said Officer shortly after saw the defendants in company with each other running away - and that said Officer pursued them and placed them under arrest - Defendants therefore asks that the defendants may be held to answer sworn to before me this 14 day of January 1892

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

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

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

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1.	2.
3.	4.
Dated 1892	
Magistrate.	Officer.
Clerk.	Witness.
No.	No.
No.	No.
No.	No.
\$ to answer General Sessions.	

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation James J. Mc. Carthy
Police Officer of No. _____

15 Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Ritchie

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

Sworn to before me, this 14
day of January 1890 } James J. McCarthy

J. J. McCarthy
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

Thomas Boyle

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. *Thomas Boyle*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Brooklyn*

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

Answer. *No 81 Carmine Street; 18 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Blackman*

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—
Thos Boyle

Taken before me this

day of *May* 1912

Police Justice.

0422

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 32 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty -

Robert Russell

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1937

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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 Defendants

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

Dated May 14 1892 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ 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 _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District. 65

THE PEOPLE &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

~~WILLIAM C. CICHIE~~
WILLIAM CICHIE

vs
Thomas Boyle
Robert Russell

Offend. Capt. C. C. C.

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated January 14 1892
Demi Magistrate.

M. C. C. Officer.
15 Precinct.

Witnesses Complaints
No. _____ to find _____ Street.

_____ in the _____
No. _____ to testify _____ Street.

Bailed to John D. C. C.
70395 West 01-
No. \$ _____ Street.

\$ 1500 to _____
C. C. C. RECEIVED
JAN 18 1892
DISTRICT ATTORNEYS

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART One
THE PEOPLE } INDICTMENT

vs.
Y/m *Richard*

For

To

M

No.

John. Hogan
393 - West Street.

The indictment against the above named defendant for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *trial* at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on _____ the 4 day of **APRIL** instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Thomas Boyle and
Robert Russell

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

Thomas Boyle and Robert Russell

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Thomas Boyle and Robert Russell, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fourteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, in the night time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one William Ritchie, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of twenty

dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of twenty

dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of twenty

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of twenty

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of twenty dollars, one watch of the value six dollars, and one chain of the value of ten dollars,

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

Thomas Boyle and Robert Russell, and each of them, being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: each by the other:

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

De Lemay McCall,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4250

DESCRIPTION:

Braun, Karl

DATE:

01/25/92



4250

Witnesses:

Andrew H. Habel
Wm. J. Ward

Counsel,

1892

Filed 25 day of Nov

Pleads,

Wm. J. Ward

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Harold Braun

Defendant

Wm. J. Ward

Attorney

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

odd days

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. J. Ward

Foreman.

Wm. J. Ward
Wm. J. Ward

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Police Court—Fourth District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 1216 First Avenue Rudolph Habel Street aged 28 years,

occupation Painter or Cellar of 1216 First Avenue being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 1216 First Avenue 19th Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Five Story Brick Building

and which was occupied by deponent as a place for storing property

and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking and

opening a door leading from the First Avenue

and into the said cellar and entering through

said door way

on the 14th day of January 1892 in the night time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Paint Brush of the value

of about Twenty-five Cents

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

Karl Brown (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of

7:30 P.M. on January 13th 1892 deponent

securely locked and fastened the aforesaid

door leading into said cellar in said

premises and deponent is informed by

Officer Michael Ward of the 25th Precinct

Police that he said Officer Ward, found

found said defendant in a vacant lot

situated between 66th and 67th Streets and on

First Arreary and said defendant did have said property in his possession. Defendant therefore charged said Ward Brown, with having Burglariously entered said premises and with having committed said larceny and asked that he may be dealt with as the law may direct.

Given to before me this }
 14th day of January 1892 } Rudolph H. H. H.

John H. H. H.
Police Justice

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

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

Dated 1888

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

Dated 1888

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

Dated 1888

Police Justice.

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 on the complaint of

ss.

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Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

aged 44 years, occupation Police Officer of No
The 25th Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Rudolph Habel
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 14th
day of January 1892 v Michael Ward

John Ryan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Carl Brown 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. Carl Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 50 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. I do not know

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. I have none

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

Answer. I am not guilty
Carl Brown

Taken before me this

day of February 1941

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 January 14 1892 John H. Ryan Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ 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 _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court---4---District. 62

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Rudolph Habel
Walt Brown

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence *Burglary*

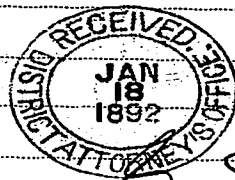
Dated *Jan 14* 1892
Prison Magistrate.
Frank Officer.
25 Precinct.

Witnesses _____
No. *Call Officer* Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *5.00* to answer



J.S. 1/13
PAK
Reilly

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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

Karl Braun

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

Karl Braun

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

The said

Karl Braun

late of the *19th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two* in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *building* of one *Rudolph Habel*

there situate, 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 *Rudolph*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Karl Braun

of the CRIME OF

Petit LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

Karl Braun

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 said day, with force and arms,

*one brush of the value of
twenty-five cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Rudolph Habel

in the

building -

of the said

Rudolph Habel

there situate, then and there being found, in the *building* -
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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Karl Braun

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

The said

Karl Braun

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

*one brush of the value of
twenty-five cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

Rudolph Habel

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said

Rudolph Habel

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

Karl Braun

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.