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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Haase, Charles

**DATE:**

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Witnesses;

W. H. Conner  
 Off. Golden  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Precinct

Oct 4 1890. On investigation.  
 and owing to the fact that  
 the witness Mulligan cannot  
 be found I recommended that  
 a plea of ~~not~~ Larceny in  
 this case be accepted  
 H. O. Masdova  
 Det. D. L.

#285

Counsel,

Filed

day of

18

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Haase

Grand Larceny Second degree  
 [Sections 538, 539, 542 Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

M. H. [Signature]  
 Foreman.  
 Pleads [Signature]  
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## PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.  
 If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
 Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To

of No.

*not found*  
*Matthew Mulligan*  
*15 East 134*  
*Street*  
*Mores*  
*Boylan*

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of *October* 1890, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

*Charles Haase*

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *October* in the year of our Lord 1890.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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

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

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

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

10 + 11/17 + 01  
57th St  
New York

## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Charles Haas*

City and County of New York, ss :

*Peter J. Boylan* being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *980 Third Avenue* Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 1890, I called at *15 East 134<sup>th</sup>*

the alleged *residence* of *Matthew Mulligan* the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by *his*

*brother that he does not reside at above number at present, that he is employed on a boat by Wm. H. Kemmelt of 54<sup>th</sup> Street between 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue.*

*Deposant further says that he called on said Kemmelt for the purpose of serving the annexed subpoena, and was informed that said Matthew Mulligan would not return to this City before about Saturday next. Deposant was therefore unable to serve said subpoena on the complainant herein.*

Sworn to before me, this *7<sup>th</sup>* day  
of *October* 1890.

*Harry Morzbad*

*Peter J. Boylan*  
Subpoena Server.  
Notary Public C. Y. Co.



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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Matthew Mulligan

vs.

Charles Haas

Offence:

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Peter J. Boylan

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.



0346

Police Court—4—District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

William H. Corner  
 of No. 454 West 50th Street, age 48 years,  
 occupation Contractor, being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on the 29 day of September 1896 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 anchor chain of the value  
 of about forty five dollars  
 (\$45.00)

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent  
 has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
 and carried away by Charles Hoase (now here)

and two other men not yet arrested  
 from the fact that on said date the  
 said property was on the boat Lerna  
 which lay at the foot of West 49th Street.  
 Deponent is informed by Matthew  
 Mulligan that he, Mulligan saw  
 this defendant on board of the said  
 boat at about the hour of 6 o'clock P.M.  
 and that about the hour of 5 o'clock  
 P.M. he, Mulligan saw this defendant  
 in company with the said two other  
 men in possession of the said property  
 in a hand cart in West 55th Street  
 and in front of a junk store Deponent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
 18 day of September 1896

Police Justice

further only that he has since seen  
 the said Chain and fully identified  
 it as his property and charges the  
 said defendant with being together  
 and acting in concert with the said  
 two unknown men, not yet arrested,  
 and feloniously taking, stealing and  
 carrying away the said property and  
 says that he dealt with as the  
 Jury directs

Sown before me this } John H. Sprunt  
 28th Day of September 1890 }

Charles W. Tainter  
 Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Boatman of No. 15 East 134

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Hornet  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 28 day of Sept 1888 Mathew Mulligan

Charles Taintor  
Police Justice.



0349

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles Haase* 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. *Charles Haase*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *668-11 1/2 Avenue*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Piano Maker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*Charles Haase*

Taken before me this

day of

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*Charles W. Hunter*

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--

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District.

1483

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles M. Mac*

Offence

*Larceny*

Dated

*Sept 28*

18

*90*

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Street

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Street

Residence

Street

Witnesses

No. 15

Street

No. 15

Street

No. 15

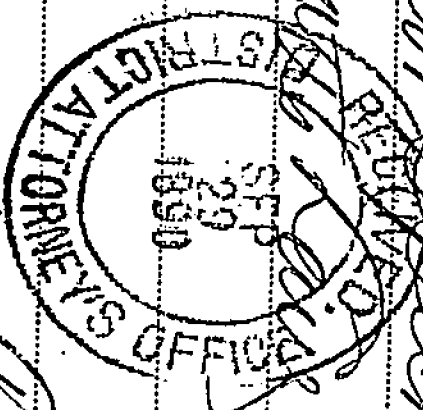
Street

No. 15

Street

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Street



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

*Defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *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 *Sept 28* 18 *90* *Charles M. Mac* 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.

0351

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Charles Haase*

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

*Charles Haase*

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

The said

*Charles Haase*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-seventh*  
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*,  
, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one anchor chain of the  
value of forty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*William H. Cornet*

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Charles Haase*

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

The said *Charles Haase*

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

*one anchor chain of the  
value of forty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William H. Cornet*

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 H. Cornet*

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

*Charles Haase*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Haight, David

**DATE:**

10/14/90



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Witnesses;

W. H. Atch

officer Parker

33 present

Counsel,

Filed

14 day of Oct 1890

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

David Haight

Grand Larceny 528, 530, Penal Code.

[Sections 528, 530, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Little  
Oct 16/90  
Foreman.  
Guilty & Acquitted

0355

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 437 E. 146 Street, aged 22 years,  
occupation Coachman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1890 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 horse, one set of harness  
one two wheel gig. and one whip  
all of the value of seven hundred  
dollars.

(#700.00)

the property of Mr A. F. Brugman and  
in deponent's care and custody

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by David Haight (now here)  
from the fact that at about the hour  
of 2 o'clock P.M. said date, deponent  
left said property standing in front  
of a harness shop on 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue near  
157<sup>th</sup> Street and at that said horse  
was tied to a post when this deponent  
untied said horse jumped in  
said gig. and whipping up said  
horse drove away with said property  
deponent followed and caught the  
deponent and caused his arrest  
wherefore deponent charges the said  
deponent with feloniously taking,  
stealing and carrying away said property  
William Henry Abbott

Sworn to before me, this  
6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1890  
at New York  
Police Justice.

0356

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.*Daniel Haight*

being duly examined before the under-  
signed according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that it is h's 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's waiver cannot be used  
against h on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Daniel Haight*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*50 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*Brooklyn*

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 have nothing to say.**Daniel Haight*

Taken before me this  
day of *Dec*

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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, 5 1531  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm H. Abbott  
437- East 146

1 Daniel Haught  
2  
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Offense, Larceny, felon

Dated, Oct 6 1890

Geo Macale Magistrate.  
Geo Paulsen Officer.

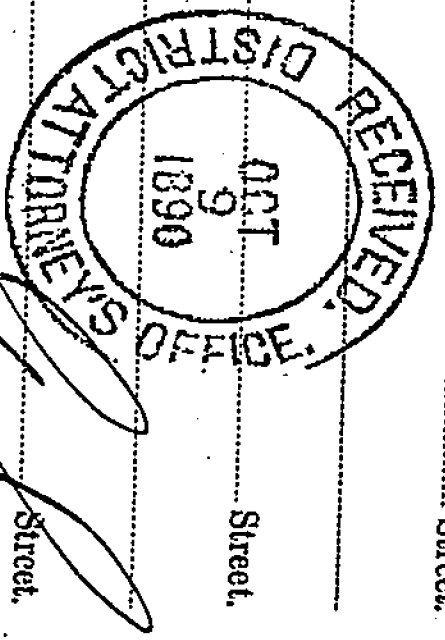
Witnesses David Offner  
Precinct 25

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

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

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

\$1000 to answer



Cause

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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 Smith

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

Dated, Oct 6 1890 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.



0358

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*David Haight*

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

*David Haight*

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

The said

*David Haight*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*,  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one horse of the value of five hundred and fifty dollars, one set of harness of the value of fifty dollars, one vehicle, to wit: one gig of the value of one hundred dollars, and one whip of the value of five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Albert F. Brugman*

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

*John R. Fellows*  
*District Attorney*

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

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,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Harris, Charles

**DATE:**

10/28/90



3818



Witnesses;

W. J. G. [Signature]

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1890

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

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Paper Hand  
1890

vs.

Charles Harris

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree.  
[Sections 528, 530, — Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Part 2 - Nov. 3, 1890 Foreman.

Pleads ~~Grand Larceny 1st Degree~~  
Petit Larceny

Pen 2 months.

The representative of the Prison Commission tells me he has made a thorough investigation of this case & finds that the defendant has hitherto had an excellent reputation for honesty & industry. At the time of the commission of the crime defendant was out of work & without means to provide for his wife & two children. It appears to me to be a case in which the defendant was under great temptation. In this opinion I am the representative concurs.

I therefore recommend that defendant be allowed to plead to petit larceny.

Nov 3, 1890

V. M. Davis.  
Clerk.

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pocketbook, containing said property, was and that she immediately missed said property, and that she then took hold of said defendant, who broke away and jumped from said car.

And deponent is informed by Fireman William W. Meise of Engine No 26 that he saw said defendant break away from deponent and jump off said car at the corner of 37 Street & 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue and immediately run away.

And that deponent is further informed by Jeremiah Connell of 1798-8<sup>th</sup> Avenue who was in charge of said car as the Conductor thereof, that he found the said pocketbook containing the said property on the rear end platform of the said car a few minutes after deponent and the defendant had left the said car.

Matilda J. Cook

Sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October 1890

at

City of New York

Police Justice.

0363

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 27 years, occupation Jeremiah Connell  
Car Conductor of No. 198-8- Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Matilda J. Est  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

Sept 24 } Jeremiah Connell  
1888

A. Hagan  
Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William H. Pease

aged 31 years, occupation Fireman of No.

Engine Company No 26 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Matthew J. Erb

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

24 } William H. Pease  
October }  
1888 }

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

0365

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

*Charles Harris* being duly examined before the under-  
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h's 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's waiver cannot be used  
against h on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Charles Harris*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*U.S.*

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

Answer.

*402 West 47 Street, 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Paper Hanger*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Charles Harris*

Taken before me this

day of

*October* 188*7*

Police Justice

*[Signature]*

0366

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court--- 2 1616  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mattie J. Ellis

vs. Charles Morris

Offence Larceny  
from the Person

Dated October 24 1890

Hogan Magistrate.

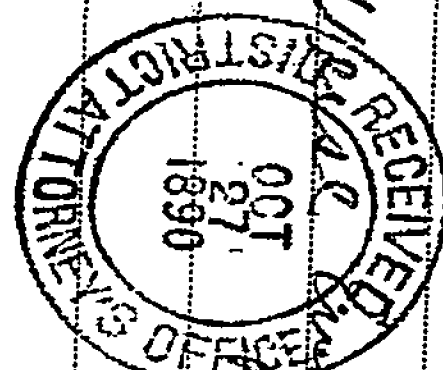
Hogan Officer.

22 Precinct.

Witnesses James S. Conwell,  
798 Eighth Ave.

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

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



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

\$ 1000 to answer  
C. Morris

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 1000 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated October 24 1890 Hogan 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.



0367

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Charles Harris*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by  
this indictment, accuse *Charles Harris* —  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE,  
committed as follows:

The said

*Charles Harris*

*\$9.00* late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *23rd*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*ninety*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the  
*night* time of the same 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 *nine*

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 *nine*

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

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

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid  
unknown, of the value of *nine dollars and one*

*pocketbook of the value of fifty*  
*cents*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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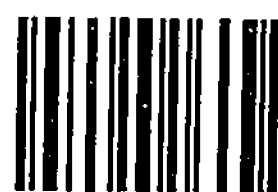
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hart, Annie

**DATE:**

10/20/90



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Witnesses;

H M Eggermuth

J. H. Robertson  
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Les. B. Dunn

1320 Nassau

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Annie Stark

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.

[Sections 823 and 835, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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

Part 2... Oct. 4, 1892.  
A True Bill.

Andrew Little

Foreman.



# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

Annie Hart

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

Annie Hart

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND  
(Sec. 302, Penal Code.) HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said

Annie Hart

late of the 12<sup>th</sup> Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the fifth day of June in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and on divers other days and times, as well  
before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and  
wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well  
men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night  
as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said  
house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement  
of the said

Annie Hart

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers  
unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences on the days and times aforesaid, as well  
in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and  
common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in  
manifest destruction and subversion of and against good morals and good manners, against  
the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of  
the State of New York, and their dignity.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

Annie Hart

(Section 385, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said

Annie Hart

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the fifth  
day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and *ninety*, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in *her* said house, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT.—

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

*Annie Hart*

(Section 822  
Penal Code.)

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

The said

*Annie Hart*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *fifth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety* and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in *her* said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hayes, Edward

**DATE:**

10/03/90



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Poor, Louis

**DATE:**

10/03/90



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Witnesses :

Officer Kemp  
Paul Spang

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1890

Pleads,

#309 (Crim.)

3 Dec 90  
Not guilty.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Edward Hayes

and

P

Louis Poor

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE  
and Possession of stolen property  
(Section 498, 506, 528 and 532)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

H. M. S. Hayes,  
Foreman.  
C. H. 10/90  
(Both)  
Cred & Acquitted

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Police Court—2 District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:of No. 146 West 17th Street, aged 44 years,  
occupation Janitordeposes and says, that the premises No 148 West 17th Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story and  
store, brick dwelling  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwellling  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Michael McDonald,  
Mrs. Mandelwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking  
open a door leading from the  
cellar into a room, designated  
as the Laundry Roomon the 26 day of September 1889 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:A Quantity of Lead Pipe  
of the value of Ten Dollars.(5.00)the property of Mr. Levy in deponent's care and custodyand deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property attempted to be taken, stolen, and carried away byEdward Hayes and Louis Poor (both now  
here), while acting in concert with each other,for the reasons following, to wit: that on the aforesaid  
date about the hour of 4.30, P. M.deponent went down into said cellar  
in said premises, and discovered said  
door leading into said Laundry Room  
forced open, and said defendants  
with one other unknown person not  
arrested in said roomAnd deponent further says.

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that said defendants, on being discovered by deponent immediately ran out of said premises, and deponent discovered said property lying on the floor of said room, where it had been cut from the wall. Deponent further says that he locked the door leading into the said room on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September and that no other person has a key to said room, and that the said door was not opened until forcibly opened by said defendants. Deponent therefore charges said defendants with having committed a Burglary and asks that they be held and dealt with as the Law may direct.

24  
September  
Paul Spring

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

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

Bailed by

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



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

*Edward Hayes* 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. *Edward Hayes.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *231 West 17 Street; 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Horse Shoer*

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 -*  
*E Hayes*

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*7*

*John J. McQuinn*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

2  
District Police Court.

*Louis Poor* 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 do not know anything about it Louis Poor?*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Paul Henry  
146 West 17  
Alfred Hayes  
John Pator

Offence Burglary

Dated September 27 1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses.

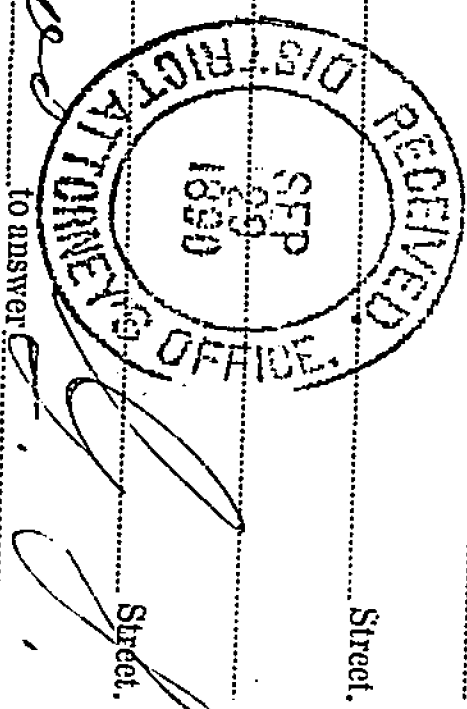
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If appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Defendants

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

Dated September 27 1889 George J. Connor Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Edward Hayes  
Louis Poor

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse Edward Hayes and Louis Poor

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

The said Edward Hayes and Louis  
Poor, both —

late of the ~~District~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the 26th day of September, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty —, with force and arms, in the  
— day — time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the  
dwelling house of one

building of one Paul Spang.

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

## SECOND COUNT—

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

*Edward Hayes and Louis Poor*

of the CRIME OF ~~Petty~~ LARCENY, ———, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Hayes and Louis*

*Poor, both* ———

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

*a quantity of lead pipe of the value of five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Paul Spang.* —

in the ~~dwelling house~~ <sup>*building*</sup> of the said *Paul Spang.* —

there situate, then and there being found, from the ~~dwelling house~~ <sup>*building*</sup> aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

*John R. Fellows*  
*Attorney*



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THIRD COUNT.

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

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

The said

~~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,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

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

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Healy, Daniel

**DATE:**

10/31/90



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Witnesses :

Mr. J. Galligan

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

349

day of

1890

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Daniel Healy  
for a

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Complainant not ... District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Andrew Little

Foreman.

Nov 6, 1890. WMD

Nov 12, 1890. WMD

Part 2 - November 13, 1890  
Fried and Acquitted.

361 W 51<sup>st</sup> N.Y.  
Aug 29 1890

I Certify that I am in at-  
tendance on M. J. Gallivan  
who is suffering from  
a contused wound and  
other injuries He is  
nervously prostrated and  
not fit for a few days  
to appear in court

Very respectfully

R. H. Buck

Wm. J. Gallivan  
Daniel Healy  
Attorneys



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Sec. 192.

4<sup>th</sup>

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Charles N Tantor a Police Justice  
of the City of New York, charging Daniel Healy Defendant with  
the offence of assault

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made  
to appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and  
the hearing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Daniel Healy Defendant of No. 803  
6<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street; by occupation a Coachman  
and Philip Kolle of No. 122 West 46<sup>th</sup>  
Street, by occupation a Livery Stable Keeper Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake  
that the above named Daniel Healy Defendant  
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 4<sup>th</sup> District Police Court in the City of New York,  
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Five  
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

27<sup>th</sup> day of August 1890

Charles N Tantor POLICE JUSTICE.  
Philip Kolle

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
NEW YORK, } ss.

*John W. Stanton*  
day of *August* 1890  
Police Justice.

Sworn to before me, this *27*

*Philip Kolle* free

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Ten* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *house & Lot of Land situate N<sup>o</sup> 321 West 45<sup>th</sup> Street Valued at \$15000 over encumbrances.*

*Philip Kolle*

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear  
during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the ..... day of ..... 18

Justice.

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Police Court— 4 District.CITY AND COUNTY } ss,  
OF NEW YORK,

Michael J. Gallivan  
 of No. 121 West 45<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 52 years,  
 occupation Rivering Stable being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
 on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 1890 at the City of New York,  
 in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Daniel Healy (nowhere)  
who struck deponent ~~one~~ two violent  
blows on the face and arm with an  
iron wrench then, and then held in his defendant's  
hands, cutting and bruising deponent's cheek  
and bruising and discoloring deponent's left arm  
without any justification on the part of the said assailant.

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1890

Michael J. Gallivan  
Charles Santor Police Justice.



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Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,*Daniel Healy*

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. *Daniel Healy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *N<sup>o</sup> 803 Sixth Avenue + about 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Coachman*

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 acted in self defense*  
*and demand a trial by Jury if I*  
*am held for trial*  
*Daniel Healy*

Taken before me this

day of

*August 1890*

at

*Charles W. Healy*

Police Justice.



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#500 for 27  
Aug 29-1890. 9 AM.  
Admitted to City Prison  
No. 1111 City

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Willie Telle  
122 W 46th Street.

Street.

Street.

Street.

The undersigned  
proceeding with  
himself with police  
here and returning  
the case by return  
of the court  
to the City Prison  
No. 1111 City  
No. 1111 City

Police Court  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

M. J. Sullivan

121 West 45th  
Street  
Daniel Healy

Offence

Assault

Date August 27 1890

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

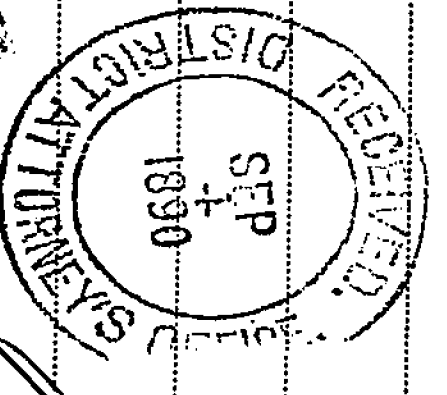
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named defendant

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 August 27 1890 W. J. Sullivan Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 3d 1890 W. J. Sullivan 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 18 Police Justice.

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Daniel Healy*

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

*Daniel Healy*

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

The said *Daniel Healy*

late of the City and County of New York, on the *Twenty-sixth* day of  
*August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*eighty-ninth* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

*Michael J. Gallivan,*

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

with a certain *wrench* which *he* the said

*Daniel Healy*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there  
a weapon and an instrument ~~and weapon~~ likely to produce grievous bodily harm,  
*him*, the said *Michael J. Gallivan*, then  
and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat  
bruise and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and  
against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

— *Daniel Healy* —

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

The said *Daniel Healy*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said *Michael J. Gallivan*,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault; and the said *Daniel Healy*, *him*, the said *Michael J. Gallivan*, with a certain *weapon* —

which *he* the said *Daniel Healy* — in — *his* — right hand then and there had held, in and upon the *head and left arm* of *him* the said *Michael J. Gallivan*,

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat — bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Michael J. Gallivan*, to the great damage of the said *Michael J. Gallivan* — against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Henry, Robert

**DATE:**

10/16/90



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Witnesses;

*Sarah Smith*

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas,

16 day of

1890

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Robert Henry*

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.

[Sections 538, 539, — Penal Code]

*DO  
11/14/13  
Butcher*  
JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

*Andrew Little*  
Foreman.

*Oct 16/90  
Pleas of Larceny  
S.P. 2 1/2 yrs*

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

Sarah Smith  
of No. 414 West 13<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 30 years,  
occupation Kept Boarding House being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 20 day of September 1880 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 lawful money of the  
United States, consisting of notes  
of various denominations & value and  
of the value of Two hundred dollars,  
and Gold Coins of the value of Twenty dollars,  
said money being in all of the value of  
Two hundred & twenty dollars  
\$220.00

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Robert Henry (alias him)

from the fact that deponent had  
said money in a box in the  
front room of said premises,  
to which room said defendant  
had access.

Deponent missed said property  
on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September ~~1880~~  
said money and on said day  
said defendant absented him-  
self from said premises  
and did not return until in  
the evening of the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September  
Deponent accused him of said  
Larceny and he acknowledges

Sworn to before me, this

188

day

Police Justice.

to deposit in the presence of  
 witnesses that he did steal  
 five dollars of said money  
 that he now in open Court acknowledges he  
 took all the money and gave it to one John  
 Gussow  
 Deposed to before me } Single to Sheriff  
 this 25 day of Sept 1894 }  
 Wm. J. Freeman  
 Recorder

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Robert Henry 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. Robert Henry

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Witchamster

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

Answer. 414 West 13 Street 5 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Cook

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 took ~~some~~ all of the money

Robert Henry

Taken before me this

day of September 1887

John J. Conner  
Police Justice.



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Police Court--- 2 District. 1489

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs. 4414 35 13

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

Offence

Date

1890

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

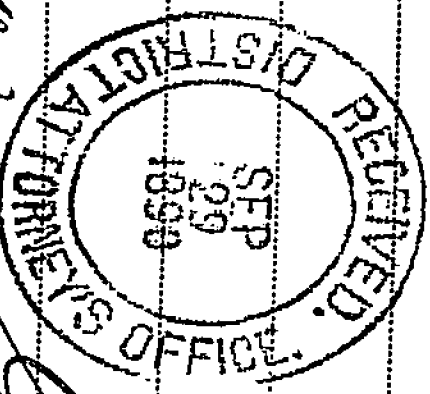
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Agumman

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Seven 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 September 25 1890 John F. ... Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Agumman 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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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, OF THE CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*against*

*Robert Henry*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by  
this indictment, accuse *Robert Henry* —

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

The said *Robert Henry* —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *20th*  
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*ninety*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the  
*day* time of the same 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  
*\$220.00* payment of and of the value of *one hundred* —

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  
*one hundred* —

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

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

*gold*  
dollars; divers coins of a number, ~~kind~~ and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid  
unknown, of the value of *twenty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Sarah 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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hernz, Evaristo M.

**DATE:**

10/03/90



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Witnesses:

Off. Riley  
32

#297

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Evarest M. Hernandez

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Oct 14

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. H. Hayes  
Oct 14/90 Foreman.  
Plead  
Pen 6 months

LARCENY, 1st degree  
(False Pretenses).  
[Section 538, and 531, Penal Code].



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#297

Witnesses:

Off. Riley  
32

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Evarest M. Herz

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Oct 14

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Mrs. Hayes  
Foreman.  
Plead  
Pen 6 months

LARGENT, 12-2-2000  
(False Pretenses).  
[Section 538, and 53 1, Penal Code].

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RRR

120 W 69<sup>th</sup> St

Oct 11<sup>th</sup> 1890

Mr Salmonson

Dear Sir

I have known Evanston  
Herny, intimately, for  
more than twenty years,  
and do not think he is  
a dishonest man. The  
fact that as I know  
he has always found it  
easy to obtain work in  
New York and has, so  
far as I have been able  
to learn, always given



his employers satisfaction, warrants me in saying this. His one trouble, I firmly believe is, his unwillingness to deny himself, especially in the use of liquor. I am confident he would never have done what he has done, had he been in his sober senses, and I trust and believe his present trouble will be a lesson that will last him for life. Pray God it may be, for his own sake, and the sake

of those to whom he is near and dear.

I remain

Very faithfully yours

Edward C. Houghton  
Priest in Charge of  
Transfiguration Chapel  
W 69<sup>th</sup> St

0405

SELLING AGENTS  
OF  
AGAWALLA MILLS,  
HERCULEAN MILLS,  
ATOSSA MILLS;  
HARTLEPOOL MILLS,

Cable Address:  
LAUREL, NEWYORK.

# ELLIOTT BURRIS & Co.,

MANUFACTURERS' SELLING AGENTS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WOOLENS AND WORSTEDS,  
58 AND 60 WORTH STREET,

SOLE  
AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES  
OF  
G. GARNETT & SONS,  
VALLEY MILLS, } LEEDS.  
GREENSIDE MILLS, } ENGLAND  
J. RAISTRICK & SONS,  
BRACKENDALE MILLS, THACKLEY.  
UNION BRIDGE MILLS,  
PUDSEY.

NEW YORK,

June 10 1890

Mr W. S. Davis  
7 Bowling Green

Dear Sir,

I have known Mr. Stern  
for fifteen years and unhesitatingly  
recommend him for your consideration.  
You will find him an industrious  
energetic, painstaking, reliable man  
and can depend he will strive  
earnestly and conscientiously to perform  
satisfactorily any office you delegate  
to him. If I could make use of his  
special abilities in our business I would  
not consent to his severing relations  
with us.

Very Respectfully  
Elliott Burris



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Established  
—1855—OFFICIAL REPORT.  
Excellence in Workmanship, Material and Finish.American  
Whip Company.New York, Chicago,  
San Francisco.

MANUFACTORY, WESTFIELD, MASS., U.S.A.

New York, Oct. 11. 1890.  
 Mrs. Bell M. Johnson.  
 134 Broadway  
 City.

Dear Sir: Regret exceedingly to hear that Mr.  
 O. Martineau Stoney is in some trouble. I have known  
 him for many years & have always had a very high  
 regard for him. He is of a very good family,  
 well educated, and known of nothing against him  
 except his weakness at times for liquor. Can only  
 attribute his present position to this fact. Trust  
 you will secure his release and that this lesson  
 will be a warning to him in the future.

Very sincerely yours

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SELLING AGENTS  
OF  
AGAWALLA MILLS,  
HERCULEAN MILLS,  
ATOSSA MILLS;  
HARTLEPOOL MILLS,  
Cable Address:  
LAUREL, NEWYORK.

ELLIOTT BURRIS & Co.,  
MANUFACTURERS' SELLING AGENTS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WOOLENS AND WORSTEDS,  
55 AND 60 WORTH STREET,

SOLE  
AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES  
OF  
G. GARNETT & SONS,  
VALLEY MILLS, } LEEDS.  
GREENSIDE MILLS, } ENGLAND  
J. RAISTRICK & SONS,  
BRACKENDALE MILLS, THACKLEY,  
UNION BRIDGE MILLS,  
PUDSEY.

NEW YORK, *May 21st* 1890

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,- This is to certify that I  
have had a personal acquaintance with Mr. Martinez-Hernz, cover-  
ing a period of 15 years. I have always found him to be truthful  
honest, industrious and energetic. He has been in our employ  
since last September, and it is with my sanction and upon my  
advice that he is now seeking a more remunerative situation, than  
we have to offer at present in our business.

*Elliott Burris*

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485 & 487 Eighth Ave.

No. *85*

NEW YORK, *Sept. 22d* 189*0*

*110 at P*  
**WEST SIDE BANK**

PAY TO THE ORDER OF *C. M. Herz*  
*Gilpin* DOLLARS.

\$ *50* *#*

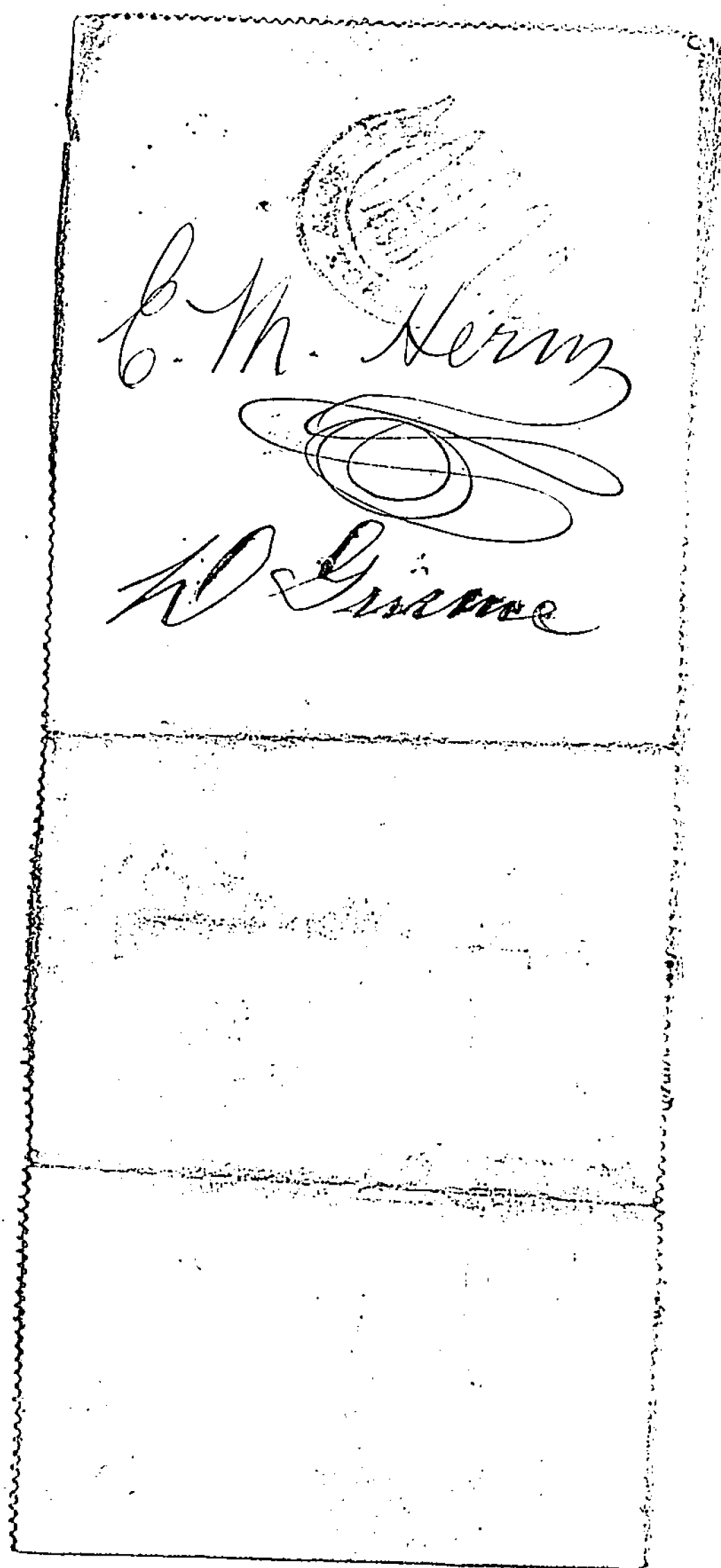
STYLES & CASH, PRINTERS, 27 EIGHTH AVE., N. Y.

SAFE DEPOSIT  
VAULTS.

*J. R. Martinez Herz*  
*C. M.*



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Police Court—4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 646 Eleventh Avenue Street, aged 23 years,  
occupation Coal Dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 22 day of Sept 1890 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 lawful money of  
the United States of the amount  
and value of Fifty Dollars  
(#50.00)

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Cristo M. Hermy / nor here

from the fact that on said date this  
defendant came to deponent's place of  
business at the above address and  
presented the instrument in writing  
which is hereto annexed, and which  
purports to be a check on the West Side  
Bank, drawn by J. R. Martiney Hermy  
and payable to the order of C. M. Hermy  
for the said sum of Fifty Dollars. On the  
defendant's representation to deponent  
that the said check was good, deponent  
for defendant the said sum of money.  
In the course of business deponent sent  
the said check to the bank for payment

Sworn to before me, this  
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Police Justice

and it was returned to deponent as no  
 good and with the endorsement from  
 the said Bank on the check that the said  
 J. R. Martigny ~~had~~ had no account in  
 the said Bank. This defendant has  
 admitted and confessed in open court  
 in presence of deponent and Detective  
 James H. Riley of the 27th Precinct  
 Police, that the said check was worthless  
 and that he obtained the said fifty  
 dollars from deponent with the intent to  
 defraud. Wherefore deponent charges  
 the said defendant with <sup>for passing the same of money</sup> feloniously  
 and with intent to defraud by color of  
 aid of the said check or instrument in  
 writing and prays that he be dealt  
 with as the law directs.

Done before me  
 this 27th Day of September 1891 } *Niederick Grissone*

*Charles N. Linton*

*Police Justice*

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*James H. Riley*  
aged        years, occupation Detective of No.         
No 22nd Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Diedrich Grunow  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27th

day of Sept

1890

James H. Riley

Charles W. Luntz

Police Justice.



0413

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Evaresto M. Hervey* 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. *Evaresto M. Hervey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *48 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Cuba*

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

Answer. *No 418 West 52 St - one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bookkeeper*

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*  
*Evaresto M. Hervey*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 1890*Charles W. Starnitz*

Police Justice.



0414

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.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frederick Arnold

Ernest M. Henry

Offence

Larceny  
"Clony"

Dated

Sept 27

1890

Clayton

Magistrate.

City and Court Officer.

Witness

Geo. J. Kelly

Precinct.

No.

99

Street.

Charles Brown

No.

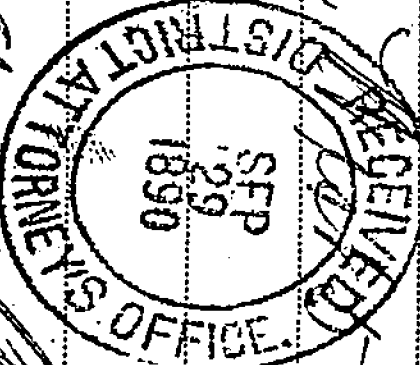
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Street.

No.

1000

Street.



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

Defendant

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

Dated Sept 27 1890 Charles M. Clayton 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.

0415

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
AGAINST

*Enrique M. Henry*

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

*Enrique M. Henry*

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

The said *Enrique M. Henry*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd*  
day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*eighty nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent to  
deprive and defraud *one Diederich Spier*,

of the proper moneys, goods chattels and personal property hereinafter mentioned, and of  
the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to *his* own use, did then and  
there feloniously, fraudulently and falsely pretend and represent to *the said*  
*Diederich Spier*,

That *a certain paper writing, in the words*  
*and figures following, to wit:*

*"No. 25 New York, Sept. 22<sup>d</sup> 1890*

*West Side Bank*

*Pay to the order of E. M. Henry*

*Fifty Dollars*

*\$50#*

*J. B. Martinez Henry*

*upon the back of which there was then and*

*there a certain endorsement as follows to wit:*

"*Exhibit*" which the said *Ernesto M. Henry*, then and there produced and delivered to the said *Diezelda Aguirre*, was then and there a good and valid order for the payment of money and of the value of fifty dollars.

And the said *Diezelda Aguirre* —

then and <sup>there</sup> ~~their~~ believing the said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid by the said *Ernesto M. Henry* —

and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of the false and fraudulent pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said

*Ernesto M. Henry*, the sum of fifty dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of fifty dollars.

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

— *Diezelda Aguirre* —

And the said *Ernesto M. Henry* did then and there feloniously receive and obtain the said proper moneys, goods, chattels, and personal property, from the possession of the said *Diezelda Aguirre* —

by color and by aid of the false and fraudulent pretenses and representations aforesaid, with intent to deprive and defraud the said *Diezelda Aguirre* —

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Ernesto M. Henry* did then and there produce and deliver to the said *Diezelda Aguirre*

was not then and there a good and valid order for the payment of money and was not of the value of fifty dollars, or of any value, but was wholly worthless.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid by the said Ernest M. Henry to the said Diedrich Agnew was and were then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as she the said Ernest M. Henry at the time of making the same then and there well knew

And so the Grand Jury Aforesaid, do say that the said Ernest M. Henry in the manner and form aforesaid, by the means aforesaid, the said proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said Diedrich Agnew then and there feloniously did STEAL, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hicks, Harry

**DATE:**

10/14/90



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

TORN PAGE

Witnesses;

Mary Howard

send for  
Henry Hicks

Greenwood & Gates End Ave  
(Hudson Terrace)  
Brooklyn

Counsel,

Filed

day of

18

Pleads,

18

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Brooklyn  
Harry Hicks

Grand Larceny Second Degree.

[Sections 528, 581, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Andrew Little

Foreman.

P. 3 Oct. 20, 1890

Ind and convicted

G. L. 2dg

Almira P. 24

0420

Police Court—5 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Mary Howard  
of No. 274 West 40th Street, aged 23 years,  
occupation Housekeeper, being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 13 day of September 1898 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:

Good and lawful currency of the issue  
of the United States consisting of two  
notes of the denomination and value of  
five dollars each  
and two notes of the denomination and  
value of one dollar each  
in all of the value of thirty dollars

\$30.00

the property of deponent

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

from the fact that on said day deponent  
gave said defendant  
a letter containing said money with the  
instruction to deliver the same to one  
Clifford Hartbridge, then residing at  
135 5th Avenue

Said said defendant is married  
Employee in the American District Telegraph  
Company and as such employee  
received said money

Deponent is informed by said  
Hartbridge that said letter and money  
was not delivered to him and deponent  
causes the arrest of said defendant  
who acknowledges that he did receive

Sworn to before me, this

188

day

Police Justice.

said letter that he did not deliver the same as directed because he lost the same.

Deponer is informed Watson & Sanford Managers of the Messengers of the American District Telegraph Company that said defendant at the time was in the employ of said Company that he did not report a loss of said letter and did not return to his employment.

Deponer charges that said defendant did feloniously take and unlawfully appropriate said money to his own use thereby depriving the true owner of the use and benefits thereof.

Deponer prays that said defendant be dealt with as the law directs.

Shown to before me this

6 day of October 1890

Mary Howard

John Howard  
Teller

Mary Howard



0422

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 43 years, occupation Quartermaster of No. 6 Bay

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mary Howard  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 6  
day of October 1890

Watson F. Sanford

John Horner  
Police Justice.

0423

Sec. 198-200.

2nd

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Harry Hicks* 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 Hicks*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New Jersey*

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

Answer.

*Greenwood & Park End Avenue Brooklyn 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Messenger*

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 received the letter from the complainant. I ~~have~~ did not answer it because I lost it.*

*H Hicks*

Taken before me this

day of October

1890

*John J. McNamee*

Police Justice.

0424

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

666 Ave

Police Court 2 1532 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James J. Kelly  
274 West 40

Offence

James J. Kelly

Dated

Oct 6 1890

Residence

James J. Kelly

No. 3, by

James J. Kelly

Residence

James J. Kelly

No. 4, by

James J. Kelly

Residence

James J. Kelly

Witnesses

James J. Kelly

No. 435 7th Ave

James J. Kelly

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James J. Kelly

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

Dated Oct 6 1890 James J. Kelly 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.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

The People of the State of New York, :  
: Before  
against P Hon. Randolph B. Martine  
: and a jury  
H A R R Y H I C K S. :  
:

Indictment filed 1890.

Indicted for grand larceny in the second degree.

New York, October 20, 1890.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People,

Assistant District-Attorney V. M. Davis;

For the Defendant,

Mr. J. R. Heinzelbaum.

M A R Y · H O W A R D, a witness for the People, sworn, testi-  
fied:

I live at No. 274 West 40th. Street in this city. On the 13th. of September 1890 I saw this defendant. He is a messenger boy. I have a messenger call in my house and I rang for a messenger boy and this defendant came in response to my call. I gave him a note containing \$30 in money to deliver. The money was two ten dollar bills and two fives. It was to be delivered to Mr. Hartridge on Fifth Avenue. This happened at nine o'clock in the evening. I saw Mr. Hartridge a few days after



that and in consequence of that conversation I went to the Company and made a complaint that this money had never been delivered. The boy was afterwards arrested. I didn't have him arrested but the Company did. I made a complaint in the Police Court charging this boy with the larceny of \$30 which was enclosed in the envelope handed to him. I am acquainted with Mr. Sandford, the Superintendent of the Company. I heard the boy make a statement in his presence but I don't recollect what he said. At the time I handed the note to the boy I told him there was money in it. He said nothing in response to that.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

- Q This was about nine o'clock; you delivered the envelope to the boy ? A Yes, sir.
- Q You sealed the envelope ? A Yes, sir.
- Q He was an American District Telegraph messenger in uniform ? A Yes, sir.
- Q He came in response to a call on one of their instruments ? A Yes, sir.
- Q How soon after that occasion did you see the boy again ? A Not until he was arrested.
- Q Is Mr. Hartridge here ? A No, sir; he is not in the City.
- Q You never saw the envelope after you delivered it to the boy ? A No, sir.
- Q The boy didn't come back that night ? A No, sir.
- Q When did you call at the office of the Company to make a

complaint ? A About two weeks after, or ten days after.

Q When did you first hear of the fact that the money had not been delivered ? A When Mr. Hartridge came back to the City.

Q That was how long after you had given the money to the boy ? A About ten days after.

Q And as soon as you heard of that you made the complaint ? A Yes sir, on that very day.

W A T S O N T. S A N D F O R D, a witness for the People,  
sworn, testified:

I reside at No. 33 West Washington Square. I am the manager of the Messenger Department of the American District Telegraph Company. I know this boy. On September 13th. he was in the employ of our Company at the office No. 281 Broadway. I know Mr. William J. Shaw; he is located at No. 666 Sixth Avenue. I first heard of the loss of this \$30 some time about the 20th or 25th. of September. I detailed one of our men to the boy's house to find him and bring him to me. Mr. Doherty brought the boy to my office. I asked him what he had done with the money and he hesitated and then said he had lost it. I asked him nothing else then. That is all the conversation I had with the boy in relation to the loss of the money. Afterwards I asked him why he had been away ever since the day of the loss and he said he was afraid to come back to work. I asked him why he didn't notify the office, or the gentleman in charge of the office, where

he performed this service that he had lost it, and he could not give me any reason; he didn't give me any reason. He said first that the way was wrong, that the address which the lady had given him on the envelope was wrong, that he took it to an address No. 438 Fifth Avenue and that it was the wrong place and that required him to go back to Mrs. Howard's to get the proper address.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

The boy was in the employ of the Company since September 1887 on and off. He was in the employ of the Company for six months in 1887, beginning on May 3 and expiring on October 13th. and he was re-employed on December 5, 1888, and worked until May 31, 1889. He was employed again in 1890 from February until April. This is the first time that anything of this kind has happened so far as this boy is concerned.

DANIEL DOHERTY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at No. 90 Willett Street in this city. I am a detective in the employ of the American District Telegraph Company. I arrested this defendant in Gravesend Avenue near Greenwood, Brooklyn. I told him he was wanted at the office in New York in relation to a package which he had delivered. I told him in his own house that there had been a package delivered at a certain house and that he was wanted as a witness to corroborate the story

of another. I asked him if he had called at the house of Mrs. Howard, No. 274 West 40th. Street, and if he remembered the time. He said he remembered the time, but that he had lost the letter. I brought him to Mr. Sandford's office. I heard Mr. Sandford ask him what he did with the money and he said he had lost the letter. Mr. Sandford said: "It is a shame that a boy who has been in the employ of the Company as long as you have been would lose a valuable package. You were told at the time that it was a valuable package." The boy claimed he didn't know it was a valuable package. I heard no other conversation that took place.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

- Q You took this boy all over town with you ? A No, sir; he went with me.
- Q The first story you told this boy at his home in Brooklyn was a lie ? A It was a fabrication.
- Q You were not afraid of this boy ? A No, sir.
- Q And he was willing enough to go with you ? A Yes, sir; he came along with me.
- Q Did you take the trouble to inform the boy's father that you had taken him to Police Headquarters, or of the disposition that was made of him ? A I had no time.



W I L L I A M J. O ' S H E A, a witness for the People,  
sworn, testified:

I live at No. 338 Park Avenue, Brooklyn. I am  
a telegraph messenger in the employ of the American Dis-  
trict Telegraph Company. I have the charge of the office  
No. 666 Sixth Avenue. I have seen the defendant before.  
On the evening in question he came up from down-town to  
go on duty at my office. Some time in September Mrs.  
Howard made a complaint and I looked on the record book  
and I saw that we received a call from No. 274 West 40th.  
Street. I found out that the messenger boy was this de-  
fendant. I didn't see him after that.

D E F E N S E:

H A R R Y H I C K S, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am eighteen years of age. I live on Green-  
wood Avenue and Gravesend, Brooklyn. I am a telegraph  
messenger by occupation. I was in the employ of the  
American District Telegraph Company on the 13th. of Sep-  
tember 1890. I was located at the office No. 281 Broad-  
way and on the evening in question was transferred to No.  
666 Sixth Avenue for night duty. I have never been ar-  
rested before or convicted of any crime. There were nev-  
er any complaints made against me while I was in the em-  
ploy of the Telegraph Company. I remember on the even-  
ing of the 13th. of September receiving a call to go to  
No. 274 West 40th. Street. When I arrived there the

lady gave me a letter and told me to take it to No. 435 Fifth Avenue and that there was money in it. When I got upon the street I looked at the envelope and noticed there was no number on it. When I got to Fifth Avenue I went to look for the number and I forgot it. I went to several numbers but couldn't find the gentleman. I returned to Mrs. Howard's and asked her to tell me the number again. She told me the number 435. It was some club on Third Avenue. When I got back to Fifth Avenue I felt in my pocket for the letter and it was gone. I had lost it. I went home that night and didn't return to the office after that. I didn't inform my parents of the loss of this letter. The detective didn't tell me anything about what he arrested me for until I got to this city.

## CROSS-EXAMINATION:

- Q You are sure you went back to Mrs. Howard's place ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did you hear her state that you didn't come back ? A Yes, sir.
- Q You say you went back and saw her ? A Yes, sir.
- Q And you state there was no address on the envelope ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did you hear her state that it was addressed ? A Yes, sir.
- Q You knew there was money in this letter ? A yes, sir.
- Q You could feel the money ? A No, sir.

Q Where did you go on Fifth Avenue ? A I went between 39th. and 40th. Streets, No. 438.

Q What did you do during the time you stayed at home ?

A I went out every day looking for work.

Q Did you tell your father you were out of employment ?

A No, sir ; I told him nothing whatever about it.

The jury returned a verdict of "guilty of grand larceny in the second degree".

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Indictment filed

*Oct* 1890

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

THE PEOPLE &c.

against

HARRY HICKS.

Abstract of testimony on

trial New York October

20th 1890.

THE PEOPLE vs. HARRY HICKS.

Abstract of testimony on trial New York October 20th 1890.

A. H. H. : I took the witness stand in the

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Harry Hicks*

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

*Harry Hicks*

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

The said

*Harry Hicks*

by a certain person *feloniously* in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth*  
*number* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*,  
, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*two* promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United  
States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *five* dollars *each*; *two*  
promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the de-  
nomination and value of *five* dollars *each*; *two* United States Gold Certificates,  
of the denomination and value of *five* dollars *each*; *two* United States  
Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of *five* dollars *each*;

*two* promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United  
States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars *each*; *two*  
promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the de-  
nomination and value of *ten* dollars *each*; *two* United States Gold Certificates,  
of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars *each*; *two* United States  
Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars *each*;

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Mary Howard*

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

*John R. Fellows*  
District Attorney

**TORN PAGE**

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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**SECOND COUNT—**

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

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

The said

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,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
stolen, taken and carried away from the said

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**  
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**FOLDER:**  
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hill, George

**DATE:**  
10/23/90



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Smith, Harry

**DATE:**

10/23/90



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Witnesses;

Officer McCarley

Upon examination, I recommend  
the discharge of defendant Smith  
~~upon his own recognizance~~  
dismissal of the indictment against him.  
Nov 11/90

A. D. Parker  
J. H. R.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1890

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Hill  
(3 cases)  
and

Harry Smith

~~Direct Discharge to Sept 10/90~~  
~~for mis. of det.~~

Part II November 11/90

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

A True Bill.

Andrew Little  
Nov 9/90

Foreman.

Henry C. Lacey  
2720 4 mos Per J. J.

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
Sections 528, 531 — Penal Code.

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2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,  
ON COMPLAINT OF  
Michael J. Deery  
vs.  
Henry Smith

Examination had Oct 14 18880  
Before Danue O'Reilly Police Justice.

I, W. J. O'Malley Stenographer of the 2 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 Michael J. Deery

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

Dated Oct 14 18880

Danue O'Reilly  
Police Justice

W. J. O'Malley  
Stenographer

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POLICE COURT,  
SECOND DISTRICT,  
W. L. ORMSBY, JR.  
STENOGRAPHER.

The People vs.  
Michael J. Deerey  
George Hill  
Henry Smith

Examination Before Justice O. Kelly  
Oct 14/1890

For the Defendant, Mr. Friend

Michael J. Deerey being duly sworn,  
and cross examined by counsel for  
defendant upon his affidavit  
deposes and says:-

Q On the 2nd day of October  
what time was this money  
taken from you?

A About 11 O'clock.

Q As near as you can state:

A Yes

Q How long before you saw  
Hill was Smith in your shop?

A About 10 minutes - about  
that.

Q What time did you miss this  
money?



A - After I went outside the door with Mr. Hill - shortly after.

Q - Can you locate the time -

A - Something about 9 or 10 minutes.

Q - About how long from the time that Smith came into your establishment did you discover the loss of this money?

A - I do not understand - he came in after him - not with him -

Q - What time?

A - about 10 minutes after Smith came in Hill came in and I was talking with him.

By the Court

Q - Hill came in 10 minutes after Smith?

A - Yes.

Q - When did you discover the loss of the money?

A - I discovered the loss after



I came back.

2 About how long a time?

A about 10 minutes after Smith came in Hill came in, and about half an hour after I discovered the loss.

2 Then it was about 40 minutes from the time that Smith came in that you discovered the loss?

A Yes.

2 That is as near as you can recollect?

A Yes Sir.

2 You did not see Smith and Hill together?

A No Sir.

2 Smith came at about 10 minutes to 11.

A Yes.

2 And asked you to change a five dollar bill?

A No. He had five single bills and wanted one bill for them.

3 2 And you did it!

A I did.

Q He then went out?

A He went out.

Q When did you see him again?

A I have not seen him again until I recognized him in the Police Headquarters.

Q That was when?

A On the 8th I think it was.

Q 8th of November?

A Yes.

Q The laundry occurred on the 14th? Second?

A Yes.

Q That was six days after.

Q You are positive that you never saw this Hill and Smith together?

A I never saw Hill and Smith together.

Q There was nobody came in your place between Smith and Hill?

A No

2 Smith came in alone?

A Yes

2 Then Hill came in after?

A Yes. I was talking to Hill

2 How long after Hill came  
did you miss the money?

A about half an hour. This  
party came in, and I was  
talking with him about  
something. I had fifty dollars  
in the drawer. It was not  
in the regular drawer but  
in a wooden drawer out  
of which I took the five  
dollar bill to give to Smith.  
There were five dollars of the  
fifty in gold and that was  
laid aside, and that was why  
I got only \$45. He missed  
the gold piece. He could  
not have seen it.

By Mr. Friend

2 You keep a lager beer saloon?

5 A Yes

Q On the corner of what street?

A Leonard and Elm

Q You have quite a large business?

A Not very great - it is very quiet.

Q A good many people going in and out?

A I have not

Q It was not until somebody came in and asked for change that you discovered your loss?

A Not until I went to get change.

Q How many people had been in from the time Hill came in until the time you discovered your loss?

A I do not know. There was nobody that was the first person that came in!

W - Yes

Q - you are positive of that?

A - Yes

Q You are sure that for 30 minutes there was no person



came into your place?

A There was one customer  
came for beer in a Kettle

Q Do you know who that was?

A He was a laboring man.

Q Might there not have been  
others come in?

A I think not

Q You say distinctly that  
there were not?

A Yes sir

Q The only <sup>other</sup> person that came  
in was this man to change  
a five dollar bill?

A I am positive sir.

Sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 1890

Mr Friend - I move to discharge  
the defendant Smith.

Motion denied

Exception.

Mr Friend - I move to discharge  
the defendant Hill on the  
ground that the jury  
have not made out a case

Motion denied

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Exception.

Defendants held to answer  
§ 570 here.

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Police Court- 2 District.

Affidavit-Larceny.

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

Josephine Jegenben  
 of No. 2239 Second Avenue Street, aged 25 years,  
 occupation. Saloon Receipt being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on the 24 day of September 1899 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 lawful money of the United  
 States of the amount and value of  
 Seventy five dollars, one german gold  
 Coin of the value of Four dollars  
 Eighty cents and other property  
 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 George Hill (now here) and  
 another man whose name is  
 unknown. Deponent says that said  
 defendant followed her husband  
 in the back room and stood in  
 the doorway and moved to and  
 fro asking her husband to take  
 the potatoes and meat out of a  
 plate of soup he ordered and  
 acted in a suspicious manner.  
 Deponent says that her husband  
 carried the soup to the stove and  
 placed it on a table and said  
 Hill said he did not want  
 it and ordered a glass of beer

Sworn to before me, this

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day

Police Justice.

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which he tasted and paid for the same and left. Defendant says that immediately thereafter she missed said money and charges said bill with acting in concert with said unknown person who took said money. Defendant further says that said bill and said unknown persons were the only persons in said place from the time she saw said money until she missed the same and charges their note with taking the same.

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS 14 DAY OF Oct 1890

*Lo. J. C. [Signature]*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

Josephine Lidenberis



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 33 years, occupation Nothing of No.

2239 Second Ave Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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 14

day of Oct 1890

Emil Zugmiller

Do J. C. Burt  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

District Police Court.

*George Hill* 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. *George Hill*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Buena Vista*

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

Answer. *68 3rd Avenue 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clark*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty and demand  
an Examination**George Hill*

Taken before me this

day of

*October 1890**Police Justice.*

7th Ward  
Oct 14 2 PM

Police Court---2---District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

120 Demand Str

Very truly  
yours

Henry Smith

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Offence *Barney*  
*felony*

Dated Dec 9 1885

James Magistrate.

W. C. Macdonald, Officer.

CO Precinct.

Witnesses Frank Schaeffer

No. 975 Ford-Crown 48

pendant de la main

No. 2153  
Glenwood  
18 Dec. 1881

11 Mont Park Rd  
13376 Sec 2nd Avenue

No. 1. *Neobaptista* Street.

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Committee

*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.....*

George Hill and Henry Smith

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

Dated Oct 14 1890 Dr J C Bell 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 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Michael J. Heery

of No. 120 Leonard Street, aged 45 years,  
occupation liquor dealer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

good and lawful money of the issue  
of the United States of the value of  
forty five dollars

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by George Hill and Henry Smith  
(both men) from the fact that at  
the hour of about 11 o'clock in the morning  
of said day said defendant Smith  
came to deponent's place of business and  
requested deponent to give him one five  
dollar note for five one dollar bills.  
Deponent opened his money drawer and  
there exhibited the above said money  
and did make such exchange of  
money for him. — That about ten  
minutes thereafter said defendant George  
Hill came in deponent's store and  
represented to deponent that he was  
an agent for the Metropolitan Express

of  
Subscribed before me, this

day

Police Justice



Company that he would like to have the privilege of placing a sign outside of defendant Shaw's window, that for such privilege, he would pay defendant the sum of five dollars a month. That defendant was willing to extend such privilege, and he said still induced defendant to accompany him in front of said window, to show him where said sign may be placed, and he commenced to take measures, and he asked defendant to take hold of a tape measure placing defendant back near to the door and he engaged defendant in such measurements for about 2 minutes.

That then said defendant Hall told defendant his Employer would be there in the Evening to make further arrangement with defendant.

That after defendant came again in his store he discovered that said money was taken stolen and carried away.

Defendant charges that said two defendants did act in concert with each other in stealing said money as aforesaid.

Defendant further says that Robert G. McGrath of the Metropolitan Express Company informs him that said Hall is well known to him and is well connected with said Company.

Subscribed before me this 9 day of October 1890

John Norman

Notary Public

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert G. W. Grath

aged 32 years, occupation Express of No.

206 Mercer Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael J. Peery

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

9  
October

1880

R. G. W. Grath

John J. Enman  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2  
District Police Court.

*Henry Smith* 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. *Henry Smith*

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. *1573 2nd Avenue 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bookkeeper*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty and demand*  
*an Examination*

*Henry Smith*

Taken before me this  
day of *October* 189*0*

*J. C. Smith*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. George Hill

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 69 3rd Avenue 6 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 and  
demand an examination  
George Hill

Taken before me this

day of

Oct 14  
1888So J. C. Kennedy  
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 2 District 1569

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Joseph J. Jurgens*  
*George Bell*

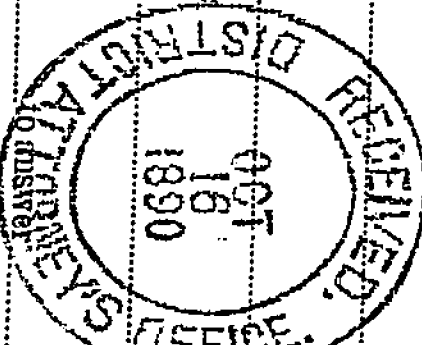
Offence Larceny

Dated Oct 14 1890

*D. A. Reilly*  
*Albany H. O'Brien*  
Magistrate. Officer.

Witnesses *And Jurgens*  
No. 2239 Street Grand Ave

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5111 Street \_\_\_\_\_



COMPLAINT

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

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

Dated Oct 14 1890 *D. A. Reilly* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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 Hill*

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

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

The said *George Hill*

#75. late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *24<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*ninety*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the  
*day* -time of the same 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 *thirty-seven*

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

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

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

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid  
unknown, of the value of *thirty-seven dollars, one*

*gold coin of the German Empire of*  
*the value of four dollars and eighty-*  
*cents, and divers other goods, chattels and personal*  
*property, (a more particular description whereof, is to the*  
*Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) of the value of thirty dollars*  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Josephine Zeegenbein*  
then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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Witnesses;

J. Zuscovitch  
Officer No. 100

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

23 Oct 1890  
M. J. Kelly

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Hill  
(3 cases)

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 538, 539, — Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Andrew Little

Foreman.



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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, }

Ferdinand Schloover  
of No. 975 First Avenue Street, aged 36 years,  
occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 29 day of September 1890 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 lawful money of the  
United States of the amount  
in value of Fifty dollars

the property of dollars 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 George Hill (now here) and  
another person whose name is  
unknown. Deponent says that about  
the hour of 1 P.M. on said date  
said defendant came in and invited  
him to take a glass of beer which  
they drank - deponent says that said  
Hill asked for permission to hang  
a sign of the Metropolitan Furniture  
Company in said store - deponent  
granted him the desired request and  
said defendant requested him to  
hold a tape measure and deponent  
turned around and saw a man  
running out of said store and deponent

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice.



immediately missed said money that was contained in the money drawer behind the counter. Defendant says that said Hill immediately left and could not be found. Defendant says that he is informed by Robert L. McGrath that said Hill is not employed by said Company or authorized in any capacity about their business. Defendant says that said Hill and said unknown persons were the only persons in said store from the time he saw the said money until he missed it. Wherefore, defendant charges said Hill with acting in concert with said unknown man and feloniously taking said money as aforesaid.

Brought to before me  
This 14 day of Oct 1890

J. Fred Johnson

Do I certify Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 32 years, occupation Sup 1- of No.

206 Muen

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Frederick Schloosen

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

Sworn to before me, this

14  
Oct 1898

day of

Wm G. Grath

Wm G. Grath

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

John McCauley

Detachment Sgt.

Street, aged        years,

being

being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the

8

day of

October

1890

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

he arrested

George Hill (narrow) on the corner  
of North Street and Third Avenue  
on suspicion of Larceny

Deponent says that he  
found concealed a tape measure  
in the sleeve of the coat then and  
there was by said Hill

John McCauley

Sworn to before me this

of

1890

day

Ed. J. McCall Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

George Hill 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. George Hill

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 69 6th Avenue 6 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 and  
demand an Examination  
George Hill

Taken before me this  
day of Dec 1899

Police Justice.



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Police Court  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William H. H. H.*

*George Will*

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

Offence

Dated

*Oct 14 1890*

Residence

Magistrate

No. 3, by

Officer

Residence

Prison

No. 4, by

Street

Residence

Street

No.

Street

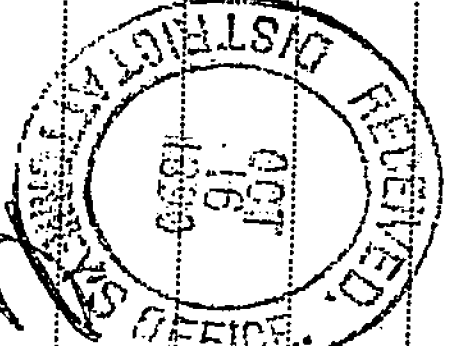
No.

Street

\$

to answer

Street



COMMITTED

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

*George Will*

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

Dated *Oct 14 1890* *D. J. H. H.* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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 Hill*

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

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

The said

*George Hill,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29th*  
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*ninety*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the  
*day* - time of the same 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  
*\$50.00* payment of and of the value of *fifty*

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

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

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

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Frederick Schloesser*  
then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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Witnesses;

R. Mc Grath

F. Kehlauer

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

23 Oct 1890  
Myself

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Hill  
(3 cases)

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
Sections 523, 531, Penal Code.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True BILL

Amor Little

Foreman.

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 Hill and  
Harry Smith*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by  
this indictment, accuse *George Hill and  
Harry Smith*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE,  
committed as follows:

The said *George Hill and Harry Smith, both*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*ninety*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the  
*day* - time of the same 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 *forty-five*

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

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

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid  
unknown, of the value of *forty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michael J. Deery*  
then and there being found,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hoagland, Charles B.

**DATE:**

10/03/90



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Bail fixed at \$2500  
on 2 indicts. R.B.M.  
Oct 7/90

Witnesses:

Wm. C. Darnell  
247 W 19th St.  
Wm. C. Darnell  
344 W 18th St.

From an examination  
of this case I am satisfied  
the People cannot  
obtain a conviction. There  
is no testimony to show that  
the defendant has ever offered  
any money, received any  
money or has been  
offered any. I therefore  
recommend the discharge  
of the defendant.

Bail marked off by  
May 24th 92.

#295 BW  
Counsel, Wm. H. Burr  
Filed 34 Nassau  
Pleads, Not Guilty (7) 1890

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Charles B. Hoagland

Comd Oct. 7. 1890

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

~~Part on Part I.~~

TRUE BILL.

Part on Part I. Charles Burr  
May 24th 92  
J. H. Hayes  
Foreman.

May 24th 92  
Indictment  
Dismissed

Misdemeanor  
Sec. 53, Penal Code

0472

Bail fixed at \$2500  
on 2 indicts R.B.M.  
Oct 7/90

Witnesses:

Wm. E. Darnell  
247 W 19th St.  
Wm. E. Darnell  
344 W 18th St.

From an examination  
of this case I am satisfied  
the people cannot  
obtain a conviction. There  
is no testimony to show that  
the defendant has ever offered  
any money or has been  
offered any. I therefore  
recommend the discharge  
of the defendant.

Bail marked  
May 24th 92.

#295 BW  
Counsel, Wm. H. Secor  
Filed, 34th Nov 1890  
Pleads, Not Guilty (7)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles D. Hoagland  
(2 cases)  
Comd Oct. 7. 1890

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

TRUE BILL.

Put on Part I. Calendar  
May 24th 92  
J. H. Hayes  
Foreman.  
May 24th 92  
Apr 21st 92 with counsel  
Dismissed

Misdemeanor  
Sec. 53 Penal Code



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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

Charles B. Hoagland

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

Indictment accuse Charles B. Hoagland of a

Misdemeanor,

of the crime of

committed as follows:

The said Charles B. Hoagland,

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

— fourth — day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and eighty- eight, at the City and County aforesaid,

did unlawfully take and receive, by and  
from one William C. Delaney, a gratuity  
and reward, to wit: the sum of two hundred  
dollars in money, lawful money of the  
United States of America, and of the value  
of one hundred dollars, for procuring for  
one Joseph Delaney an appointment  
as a member of the Force known as  
of the Central Park, and the several public  
parks, squares and places in the City  
of New York, aforesaid, against the  
form of the Statute in such case made



and provided, and against the peace of  
the People of the State of New York,  
and their dignity

### Second Count.

And the Grand Jury of said City, by  
this Indictment further accuse the said  
Charles B. Woodford of the same  
Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said Charles B. Woodford,  
late of the City and County of said  
County, to wit: on the day and in  
the year of said at the City and County  
of said, did unlawfully ask and  
receive of and from one William P. Delaney,  
a bounty and reward, to wit: the sum  
of two hundred dollars in money, lawful  
money of the United States of America,  
and of the value of two hundred dollars,  
for procuring for one John Joseph Delaney  
an appointment to a deputy and subordinate  
position in a public office, to wit: an  
appointment as a member of the force  
organized, appointed and then and there  
existing under the exclusive control and  
direction of the Board of Commissioners  
of Public Parks of the City of New York

and known as keepers of the Central  
 park, and the several public yards, squares  
 and places in the City of New York,  
 aforesaid; against the form of the Statute  
 in such case made and provided, and  
 against the peace of the People of the  
 State of New York, and their dignity.

John R. Fellows,

Attorney

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**BOX:**

**413**

**FOLDER:**

**3818**

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hodson, Horatio W.P.

**DATE:**

**10/01/90**



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0477

Bail fixed at \$3000.

R.R.M.

Witnesses:

E. B. Hart

Florence A. S. Merrill

Bailed by-

Joseph. G. P. Hodson

19 West 39<sup>th</sup> St

Oct 11th 1890  
This Indictment charged the  
dismissed. The whole case  
as ascertained from the Dutch  
was found that Mr. Hodson  
collected the money on a judgment  
obtained in favor of his client a  
Mrs. Merrill who was the widow  
on whose evidence the fact was  
found. That he immediately  
deposited the entire sum in a  
savings bank, to a certain  
a statement with his client, he  
claiming part of the money as due  
for fees and costs. That he had  
thereupon made a receipt for the  
same. That he placed the balance  
in the hands of a representative  
fact to make a delivery of the  
of the balance to the client.  
That this was the fact.

\$250

B. W. H.

Counsel,

Filed

1<sup>st</sup> day of

Oct 1890.

Pleads,

Not guilty (6)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Horatio W. P. Hodson

Grand Larceny, 1st degree  
(MISAPPROPRIATION.)  
(Sections 528 and 530 of the Penal Code).

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. S. Haynes  
Foreman.

Oct 11/90

Indictment dismissed



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**District Attorney's Office,**  
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

Frances A. Merrill  
of No. 59 Lexington Avenue Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
occupation \_\_\_\_\_ being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the second day of August, 1890, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, one Mortimer W. P. Hudson, an

attorney and counselor at law who at that time had  
an office at number 39 Wall Street, was the  
attorney for her in a certain action brought  
thereafter against ~~the~~ Bruner more in which  
a judgment had been rendered in her favor and  
which judgment had then lately before been  
affirmed by the Court of Appeals of this State.

That as she is informed and verily believes,  
the said Mortimer W. P. Hudson on the said day  
collected and received from the Sheriff of the City  
and County of New York the sum of eleven hundred  
and thirty five dollars <sup>17/100</sup> money in payment of  
the amount due her from Bruner more.  
The amount collected by said Sheriff upon the execution  
of the judgment made the said judgment.

That having so received the said sum of money  
as the attorney of deposant, and having the same  
in his custody, possession and control as such,  
the said Mortimer W. P. Hudson, did feloniously  
appropriate the same to his own use, with intent  
to deprive and defraud deposant of the same,  
and of the use and benefit thereof.

Deposant ~~has~~ had an interview with the  
said Hudson shortly after the payment to him  
of the said money (she being in ignorance that the  
same had been paid) and he stated to her that  
he had not yet collected the same.

Deposant further says that said Hudson  
has left his said office and she has been unable  
to find him and she verily believes that he is  
now concealing himself with the intention of  
avoiding arrest.

Sworn to before me this  
30th day of September, 1890.  
David Anderson  
Notary Public (100)  
N. Y. Co.

Frances A. Merrill

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Frederick A. Merrill*  
*59 Lexington Ave.*  
*U.S.*

*Morton W. C. Hedden*

*Offence: Grand Larceny*  
*2nd degree*

Dated *September 30, 1890*

Witnesses, *Emanuel B. Hart*

No. *Carluer, Sheriff's Office*

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

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

Court of General Sessions

The People of the  
State of New York  
against

Horatio W. P. Hodson

City & County of New York vs

Elizabeth A. Stuart  
being duly sworn says that  
he is the Teller of the Broadway  
Savings Bank and has been  
since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1883  
that defendant ~~Horatio~~  
Horatio W. P. Hodson the  
above named defendant  
that on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of  
August 1880 said Horatio  
W. P. Hodson deposited  
in said Broadway  
Savings Bank one  
thousand one hundred  
dollars and that said  
moneys have remained  
undisturbed in said  
bank ever since their  
deposit of the same on the  
said 4<sup>th</sup> day of August

1890. That there is now  
 no deposit in said Savings  
 Bank to the credit of  
 said Hodson the sum  
 of one thousand four  
 hundred and thirty  
~~four~~  $\times \frac{34}{100}$  dollars.  
 Sworn to before me  
 this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1890  
 William H. Adams Notary Public  
 Notary Public -



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

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The People of the State of New York

-:against:-

H o r a t i o W. P. H o d s o n

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City and County of New York ss:-

H o r a t i o W. P. H o d s o n, being duly sworn deposes and says that he is an Attorney and Counsellor at Law, and has been since 1871.

That deponent until on or about the first day of August 1890 had his office at No. 41 Wall Street in this City.

That on or about November 24th 1885, deponent commenced an action in the Supreme Court in which Florence A. Merrill was plaintiff and Peter Bruner as surviving partner of Bruner & Moore <sup>was</sup> defendant; that two trials of said action were had, <sup>two</sup> ~~two~~ appeals taken, <sup>two</sup> ~~one~~ to the General Term and on <sup>to</sup> ~~to~~ the Court of Appeals.

That on or about the 25th day of June 1890, the Court of Appeals <sup>there</sup> ~~the~~ affirmed the judgment in said action; and that subsequently such proceedings were had resulting in the payment to deponent on or about the ~~second~~ day of August 1890, of the sum of Eleven hundred and thirty five dollars and seventy seven cents; that deponent immediately thereafter, and on or about the fourth day of August 1890, deposited in the Broadway Savings Bank of this City, said sum of Eleven

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hundred and thirty five dollars and seventy seven cents; that said moneys are now in said Broadway Savings Bank and have been ever since the fourth day of August 1890.

That deponent has not seen said Florence A. Merrill since the payment to deponent of said sum of Eleven hundred and thirty five dollars and seventy seven cents.

That there has been no settlement or accounting between this deponent and said Florence A. Merrill; and deponent has had no opportunity of knowing here whereabouts until now.

That deponent has been at Ithaca, N. Y. for the purpose of burying his brother who had recently died; and was at Oswego, N. Y. at the time of his arrest ministering to the wants of a sick brother there.

That neither said Florence A. Merrill, nor any person on her behalf has ever demanded of deponent said sum of Eleven hundred and thirty five dollars and seventy seven cents or any part thereof.

Subscribed and sworn before me )  
this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1890. )

Horatio W. P. Hudson

Frederick H. Allan  
Notary Public  
N.Y.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:-----

Horatio W. P. Hodson

---:A f f i d a v i t:--

---:of:--

Horatio W. P. Hodson.

Bacon, Leeds & Van Steenbergh,  
*Attorneys for* Defendant.

10 WALL STREET,  
NEW YORK.

To \_\_\_\_\_

*Due service of a copy of the within is admitted*

this

day

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District Attorney's Office,  
City & County of  
New York.

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Thomas A. S. Merrill - now at  
485 8<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Morton W. P. Hodson - atty at law  
at 39 Wall St. -

Summer & more - \$1300. -

Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> & 1135. -

saw him after Aug. 2. -

Mr. Field, Sheriff's office.



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District Attorney's Office,  
City & County of  
New York.

Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1890

Flora A. Overhill

Dear Madam

We are now in  
possession of the bank  
book of Horatio D. P.  
Hodson and will  
retain possession of  
it until such time  
as the Court (in which  
an action for an  
accounting shall be  
brought) shall direct.  
The funds are now  
in the Broadway  
Savings Bank.

Very Respectfully Yours  
Baker Hill & Van Dusen  
10 Wall St

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Norath W. P. Madison*

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

*Norath W. P. Madison* of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY, in the *first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Norath W. P. Madison*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-ninth* at the City and County aforesaid, being then and there the ~~clerk and servant of~~ *agent and attorney of*

*one Florence A. S. Merrill*,

~~clerk and servant~~ *agent and attorney* and as such ~~clerk and servant~~ then and there having in his possession, custody and control certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Florence A. S. Merrill*,

the true owner thereof, to wit: *the sum of eleven hundred and seventy-seven cents and thirty-nine dollars* in money, lawful money of the United States of America and of the value of *eleven hundred and seventy-seven cents and thirty-nine dollars*,

the said *Norath W. P. Madison*, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously appropriate the said *sum of money*

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said *Florence A. S. Merrill* of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Florence A. S. Merrill*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Howard, Frank

**DATE:**

10/14/90



3818



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Witnesses:

Aug. Hamilton

After a careful trial of this case in which the jury stood 9 for acquittal & 3 for conviction.

I therefore recommend the discharge of defendant upon his own recognizance.

Oct 22/90

Vernon M. Davis  
asst.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

14 day of Oct 1890  
Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Howard

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Oct 20/90 WMD

9a  
3c

A True Bill.

Andrew Little  
Foreman.

P. 3. Oct. 21. 1890

Tried and jury disagree  
P. 3. Oct. 22. 1890  
in recom. of Dist. Atty.  
def. discharged on his  
own recog. RBM, 24



0490

Police Court— 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss  
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 34 East 12 Street, Aged 26 Years  
Occupation Manufacturer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
4th day of October 1888, 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:

One gold watch and  
chain

of the value of Sixty 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

Frank Howard (now here)  
from the fact that at about  
the hour of 1 o'clock, A.M. said  
date deponent was passing through  
East 12th Street when at the north  
west corner of 4th Avenue deponent  
was accosted by a unknown  
woman where deponent stopped  
to talk to said unknown woman  
that immediately the defendant  
came up, along side of deponent.  
Saying, what do you want to  
do, occupy this woman's time

Sworn to before me this  
day of 1888

Police Justice

for nothing when defendant asked  
him what it was his business  
when he the defendant struck  
defendant a violent blow on  
the head with an umbrella  
and at the same time pulling  
defendant's watch from his  
lower left-hand vest pocket  
which he defendant was then and  
there wearing upon his person  
of the defendant's hand and tried to  
hold the defendant when he the  
defendant struck defendant several  
violent blows in the head and  
face with an umbrella he then  
and there held in his hands

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS DAY OF

Oct 188  
Joseph H. Hamilton  
POLICE JUSTICE

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of

committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—ROBBERY.

vs.

1  
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Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

0492

Sec. 199-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Frank Howard* 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. *Frank Howard*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Wales*

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

Answer. *67 East 12 St. 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Burber.*

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. *Saw not guilty*  
*Frank Howard*Taken before me this  
day of *Dec*189*8*

Police Justice.



0493

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court--- 2 District. 1518

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Augustus Hamilton  
34 East 12  
Frank Howard

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

Offence Robbery

Dated Sept 1888

Officer

Magistrate

Officer

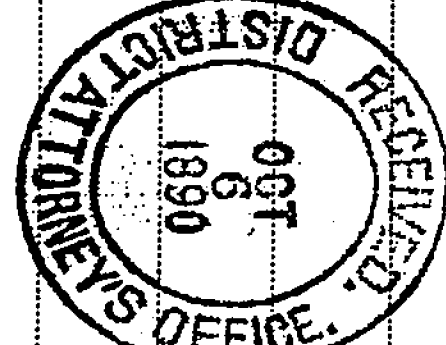
Witnesses

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

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

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

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



\$25.00 to answer

COMMITTED

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

Dated Oct 1888 Police Justice

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

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

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

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



0494

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Frank Howard*

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

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

The said *Frank Howard*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-ninth*, in the *middle* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Augustine Hamilton*, — in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*one watch of the value of forty*  
*dollars, and one chain of the value*  
*of twenty dollars,*

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

*Frank Howard* himself, then and there aided by an accomplice, actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown. —

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

*John D. Kellogg,*  
*District Attorney*

0495

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

413

**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hughes, George W.

**DATE:**

10/01/90



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Witnesses;

John A. Howard

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

Day of

1890

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George W. Thayer

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Haynes  
Foreman.



0498

Witnesses:

John A. [unclear]

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

Day of

18

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George W. Hughes

(2 cases)

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Nov 25 1890 District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Haynes  
Foreman.

0499

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 W. Hughes

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

George W. Hughes  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said George W. Hughes

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
thirtieth day of August in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ninety, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Andrew Urquhart  
in the Peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and him the said Andrew Urquhart  
with a certain knife

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

George W. Hughes  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said George W. Hughes

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of  
the said Andrew Urquhart in the peace of  
the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make  
another assault, and him the said

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

John R. Bellows  
District Attorney

## THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said  
in the peace of the said People then  
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and  
the said

with a certain

which the said

in right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the  
of the said

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and  
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-  
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.



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Witnesses;

Andrew Thompson

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1890

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George W. Hughes

(2 cases)

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. D. Kayman  
Foreman.  
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Spencer & Sons  
2 yrs 4 mos 10 days  
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0502

Police Court— 4 — District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }

of No. 279-9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, aged 27 years,  
 occupation Machinist being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1890 at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by George H.  
Hughes (now here), who stabbed and  
 cut deponent three times with a  
 knife which he then and there  
 held in his hand.  
 Deponent further says that such  
 assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 4 dayof September 1890

Andrew Arguehart

A. J. Wisnahan Police Justice.

**Sec. 198—200.**

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George W. Hughes 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. George W. Hughes

*Question.* How old are you ?

Answer. 25 years

*Question.* Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. *Refused*

*Question.* What is your business or profession?

Answer. Decorator

*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

Geo. W. Hughes

Taken before me this 4 .....

~~day of the week~~ 1882

W. P. Michael

*Police Justice.*

ated. 18 Police Justice.

0505

PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.  
If this Subpcena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
Bring this Subpcena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

*Affidavit Wanted*  
SUBPCENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Andrew Arguehart*

of No. *279 - 9<sup>th</sup> Ave* Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the

day of *20* 1890, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

*George M. Hughes*

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *January* in the year of our Lord 1890.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*



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

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

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

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

0507

## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George W Hughes

City and County of New York, ss :

John J Madden

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 347 West 25<sup>th</sup> St  
 Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of  
 the City and County of New York. On the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 18 90.

I called at 279 - 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue in the City of New York  
 the alleged residence of Andrew Urquhart  
 the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

The lady in the house 279 - 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
that the said Andrew Urquhart hired  
a furnished room from her and that  
Andrew Urquhart had left her house  
three weeks ago Sunday and he  
told her he was going out west  
Therefore I was unable to serve  
the annexed Subpoena

Sworn to before me, this 19 day  
 of Nov 1890

W H Donoghue  
Notary Public N.Y.C.

John J Madden  
 Subpoena Server.

0508

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

vs.

*George W Hughes.*

Offence:

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

*John J Madden*  
Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

0509

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

John W. Taylor  
 of No. 27th Precinct Street, aged 32 years,  
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,  
 that on the 30 day of August 1880  
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested

George W. Hughes upon Com-  
 plaint of John A. Howard of No  
388-3rd Avenue charging said  
Hughes with Cutting <sup>and</sup> stabbing  
 him in the abdomen with a pocket  
 knife then <sup>and</sup> held in his  
 hand causing injuries from  
 which said Howard is now Con-  
 fined to Pellegrini Hospital and unable  
 to appear in Court as set forth in the  
 Certificate hereto attached  
John W. Taylor

Sworn to before me this 30 day of August 1880

Charles W. Whitely  
 Police Justice.



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Police Court, 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Geo. W. Hughes

AFFIDAVIT.

*Examined*

Dated Aug 30 1880

Garnier Magistrate.

Taylor Officer.

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

\_\_\_\_\_

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

2500 bond 4 Sept 4 2 P.M.  
BE DO Sept 10 9 am  
DO 18 2 P.M.

*Committed without bail  
to await injuries  
C. W. J.*

4 Sept. 2 2 P.M.

*The magistrate pre-  
siding at the Court  
will please hear and  
determine the case  
by reasoning my absence  
Charles N. Garnier  
Police Justice*

0511

John Howard. patient in Ward 9.  
Bellevue hosp. can not yet  
leave the hospital with safety -

Sept 10 - '90 -

Walter Wood M.D.  
House Surg -

05 12

Bellevue Hospital.  
September 4<sup>th</sup> 1890.

John Howard is  
not yet in a fit condition  
to leave the Hospital

Louis A. Fitzgerald.  
Acting House Surgeon.



05 13

Bellevue Hospital.

September 25 1890.

John Howard is not  
yet in a fit condition  
to leave the hospital.

Louis A. Jorga M.D.

Acting House Surgeon,

2nd Surgical Division.



05 14

Sept 1st 1890.  
Bellevue Hosp.

This is to certify that  
John Howard is not  
in a fit condition to leave  
the hospital  
Louis A. Jungblut.



05 15

Bellerose Hospital.  
August 30<sup>th</sup> 1890.

This is to certify that  
John A. Howard is a  
patient in this Hospital, and  
that he is not in a fit  
condition to be discharged.  
Lewis A. Dwyer, M.D.  
for Walter Wood, M.D.



0516

Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*George M. Hughes* 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. *George M. Hughes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *Refused*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Decorator*

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*

*Geo. M. Hughes*

Taken before me this *18*

day of *September* 18*94*

*W. J. Mahoney*

Police Justice.

0517

Police Court—4 District.City and County { ss.:  
of New York;

John A. Howard  
 of No. 388 Third Avenue Street, aged 26 years,  
 occupation Laborer being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1890 at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by George W.  
Hughes (now here) who cut and  
 stabbed deponent in the abdomen  
 with the blade of a knife then  
 held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 18 day  
 of September 1890.

W. M. Malone Police Justice.



0518

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

**THE PEOPLE, &c.,**  
*on the complaint of*

**08.**

### *Offence—Felonious Assault & Battery*

**Dated**

188

**Magistrate.**

**Officer.**

**Olerk.**

**Wine**

**No.**

**Street,**

No.

Street,

270.

Street.

1.

*to answer General Sessions.*

*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* \_\_\_\_\_ 188 . . . \_\_\_\_\_ *Police Justice.*

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

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

*There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named* \_\_\_\_\_

-----guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

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

0519

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

388 3rd Ave

George W. Hughes

2  
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Offence

Fel Assault

Dated Sept 18 1890

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses for defendant

No. 330 4th Ave

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

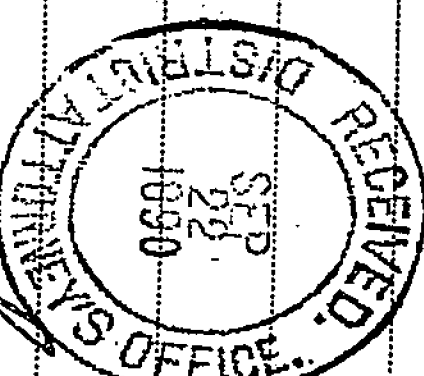
No. \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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



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

defendant

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

0520

**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 W. Hughes*

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

*George W. Hughes*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*George W. Hughes*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*thirtieth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and *ninety* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *John A. Howard*  
in the Peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *John A. Howard*  
with a certain *knife*

which the said *George W. Hughes*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and  
wound,

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*George W. Hughes*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*George W. Hughes*  
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of  
the said *John A. Howard* in the peace of  
the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make  
another assault, and *him* the said  
*John A. Howard*  
with a certain *knife*

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



## THIRD COUNT—

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

George W. Hughes  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

George W. Hughes  
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said  
John A. Howard in the peace of the said People then  
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and  
him the said John A. Howard  
with a certain knife

which

he, the said George W. Hughes  
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the abdomen  
of him the said John A. Howard  
then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and  
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-  
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said John A. Howard

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

**3818**

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hughes, James

**DATE:**

**10/29/90**



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Witnesses;

Officer Callahan

no 266

Counsel, E.E.P.

Filed

day of Oct.

1890

Pleads, Guilty 31

THE PEOPLE

35  
595 Greenwich St.  
N.Y.C.

James Hughes

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

The defendant in this case has heretofore had a good character. After an examination of the evidence, I think that a jury would convict of assault in 3<sup>rd</sup> degree. As the defendant offers that plea, I recommend its acceptance.

Nov 6/90

Vermon M. Davis  
Asst.

A True Bill.

Audrey Little

Part 2 - Foreman 6, 1890 Foreman.

Pleads assault 3<sup>rd</sup> deg.

Pen 30 days.



0524

Police Court—11 District.City and County  
of New York, } ss.:

of No. South River Street, aged 30 years,  
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on the 21 day of September 1889 at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James Hughes  
(now here) who cut and stabbed  
deponent on the hand with  
the blade of a knife which  
he then held in his hand  
and said assault was  
committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 22 dayof September 1889Patrick J. Callahan

Police Justice.

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

*THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
in the complaint of*

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*Offence*—Felony Assault & Battery

*Dated* ..... 188

Magistrate

**Officer.**

*Olerk.*

## *Wine & Beer*

No. .... Street,

No. .... Street,

No. .... Street,

..... to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*James Hughes* 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.

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 am not guilty.*  
*James Hughes*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



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BAILED,  
No. 1, by John Henry  
Residence 55 m 47 Street  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street

Police Court  
District

1486

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Christ Callahan

James Hughes

John Henry

John Henry

John Henry

John Henry

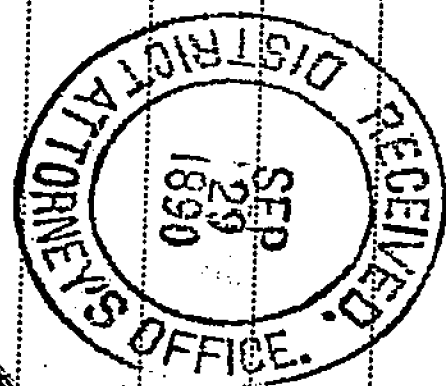
John Henry

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John Henry



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 \_\_\_\_\_

Referred  
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 Sept 22 1890 John Henry Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 22 1890 John Henry 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.



**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 Hughes*

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

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

The said

*James Hughes*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-first* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Patrick J. Callahan* in the Peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *him* the said *Patrick J. Callahan* with a certain *knife*

which the said

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

with intent

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

*James Hughes*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Patrick J. Callahan* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said *Patrick J. Callahan* with a certain *knife*

which the said

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
*District Attorney.*

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THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said  
in the peace of the said People then  
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and  
the said

with a certain

which the said

in right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the  
of the said

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and  
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-  
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3818

**DESCRIPTION:**

Huntress, William L.

**DATE:**

10/27/90



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Witnesses;

Wm. Wesley

Amelia Wesley

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1890

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William L. Huntress

Grand Larceny, second degree  
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Amos Little

Foreman.

Part 2 - Oct. 30, 1890

Fried and Acquitted.



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Police Court—6th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of John Haalar High Bridge Street, aged 57 years,  
occupation Locomotive Engineer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 4th day of August 1890 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: Three Coats

and one of the value of Thirty dollars; One  
Sacque of the value of Six Dollars;  
altogether of the value of thirty  
six dollars

the property of this deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by William L. Huntress (now

here) under the following circumstances:  
On August 4th of this year said Huntress  
who was boarding with deponent  
for about two weeks had free  
and easy access to all apartments.  
On said day deponent <sup>inferred by reason of the day</sup> noticed said  
Huntress with a bundle under his  
arm and <sup>he</sup> informed <sup>deponent</sup>  
wife that he was going to the laundry  
with his wash. Deponent's wife then  
became <sup>alarmed</sup> and searched for her  
clothing and thereupon discovered  
that her clothing had been taken  
from her closet which had been left  
open and a further deponent's wife told <sup>deponent</sup>  
deponent that when said Huntress said this he

Sworn to before me this  
4th day of August 1890

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Police Justice

Alvin Schumacher

he was going to the laundry she immediately went  
 up stairs & found his Hunter's Wash there. That was  
 gone. The deponent said wife further testified  
 that one half hour before Hunter's so went out with  
 said bundle that said Hunter's dress coats the coat  
 of the one Sague were hanging in the closet & when she  
 went down then & that to Hunter's were up stairs &  
 said Hunter's went out they were not there but  
 were gone.

Subscribed & sworn

before me Dec 19 1890

John A. Deane

John Healy

0534

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William L. Hunters*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty three*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Brooklyn.*

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

Answer. *No home.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Railroad Brakman.*

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. *Am not guilty.**W. L. Hunters*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 157 years, occupation House Keeper of New

Land Ave High Bridge Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William L. Hunter

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

Sworn to before me, this 14th

day of October 1898

Emile Healy

John Q. Jones

Police Justice.



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

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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 L. Huntress*

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

*William L. Huntress*

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

The said

*William L. Huntress*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth*  
day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*,  
, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*three coats of the value of  
nine dollars each, <sup>one</sup> vest  
of the value of three dollars  
and one sash of the value  
of six dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*John Healy*

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

*John P. Follows*  
District Attorney.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

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,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.