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Radecke, Charles H.

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Witnesses:

Chas a Stewart

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of May 189

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Charles H. Haas

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Nichols
Foreman.

May 20/93

Tried & convicted of assault 2 deg.
Recommended to mercy
Imp. Dec 10
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AMASA LYON & COMPANY,
Manufacturers of Fine Silk Umbrellas,
Parasols and Walking Sticks,
684 BROADWAY,
SANS VARIER
CABLE ADDRESS,
AMASA LYON, NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 31st 1895

My dear Recorder;

Some time ago we received back five of the six umbrellas which Bruggemann got from us. At detective Sheldon's request we sent a man over to Simpson's to identify the sixth one. It was there but they wanted two dollars, which they had advanced on it.

Sheldon came in this morn.g & requested me to send the $2 over and get the umbrella, he promising to get the money from Bruggemann's father and send it to us.

We now have the 6 umbrellas (some of them a little the worse of wear) and when we get back the $2 as promised by Sheldon we will be square on the transaction.

Yours Truly
T. J. Sullivan

Hon Fred Smyth
Recorder's Chambers

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State of New York.
Office of Agent and Warden
Auburn Prison,

Auburn, June 5,1893.

Hon.Frederick Smyth.

Recorder of the City of New York.

Dear Sir:-

We have a man in this Prison by the name of John Reubel,who is serving a five year sentence. There was a fine of $500 imposed on him and he is now serving out the fine. He wishes me to ask you to have his sentence commuted. He has been a good prisoner,never having made any trouble and I would cheerfully recommend clemency in his behalf. Anything that you can do for him would be an act of kindness.

Respectfully Yours
James L. Stout
Agt & Warden.

June 5,1898.

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Recorder of the City of New York.

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Respectfully Yours

Agt & Warden.

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[illegible] would not [illegible] the floor. So
then a party opened the door up stairs, and I looked out.
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I said, "Here, here, Stewart," and at the same time I had an old overcoat on, that I went to work with; I put my hand in my pocket, and got hold of the pistol; he was nearer the door, and he turned, quick as a flash, and made a blow at me; my pistol got caught in my pocket; he had me by the shoulder, and the motion of my hand came up like that (illustrating), and I fired; and the next time I fired the door was shut; I didn't know whether I shot him at all or not. I said, "You ought to have been killed, anyway," and with that I went to the station house. Did you ever have any talk with Stewart about your wife, previous to that day? In what respect? The same respect as you have been telling us now? No. That is the only time that you had a talk with Stewart about your wife? Yes; I saw my wife and Stewart together twice, but that was long before this happened, shortly after we moved in. How long before the shooting had you the talk with your father-in-law? On the previous Saturday night. The last time, where did Radecke hit you? On the left shoulder; I was looking down, because I couldn't get the pistol out; I didn't intend to kill him; I was going to tell him to leave my wife alone, and if he didn't I would blow his head off. Were you afraid of him? Yes; he is a boxer; he used to come in and practice on me, and he put on his gloves. Did you realize the fact that you were in danger of him? Yes; I was told that he would smash me if I ever went into his room.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

Where did you get this shooting -- where did you get this pistol, with which this shooting took place? I got that on Tuesday, noon-time, the very same day. Where did you get

it? On Eighth avenue, near 30th street; I went in and bought it, because I intended to go to see Stewart; I also bought a box of cartridges. Was the pistol loaded, when you bought it? No; I loaded it in the stable, after I put the horses up, before I went home, about half-past eight. Do you live on the floor above or the floor below Stewart? On the same floor; he lives on the left-hand side and I live on the right-hand side. I stayed in my house about twenty minutes, and then I put my hand in my pants pocket and I found the stable key, and I thought I had forgotten to lock it, and I put on my overcoat and started to go to the stable. You had the pistol at that time in your possession? Yes. What did you buy the pistol for? To defend myself against Mr. Stewart. Had Stewart threatened you? No, he hadn't threatened me, but he had ruined my house and home. When I was going out, I said, "Well, I will go back, anyway, and see him." You knocked at his door? Yes. You then called him out into the hallway? Yes. And then the first shot was fired? Yes; I don't know whether that shot struck him or not. And then you fired another shot, when the door was closed? No, I don't say that, whether or not it was closed; by the time I fired the second shot, I thought the door was closed; there was so much powder -- after the powder had gone away I saw the door shut. What did you fire that shot for? I don't know, I am sure. Had he assaulted you? No; he had struck me, of course, he struck me on the shoulder; that is how the pistol came out of my pocket. You went to the station house from there; did you? Yes. Did you tell anybody in the station house, at that time, that the complainant struck you? I was asked if there was a fight,

10 and I said no. You were taken to the Police Court? Yes.

Did you claim there that you had shot this man in self-defence? I did. You were asked, "Give any explanation which you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you may thing will tend towards your exculpation;" do you remember being asked that question? No; the clerk asked me would I plead guilty or not guilty. Did you ever see your wife and Stewart in your rooms together, more than once or twice? No. Did you see your wife and Stewart together in the street? No; No, only saw them on the stoop together, one night, when I was coming home from work.

BY COUNSEL: When you were in the station house, you answered the District Attorney by saying that you did not tell any one in the station house that you had been assaulted by Stewart; have you any explanation to make, why you didn't say it at that time? I was so nervous, and all the sergeant said to me was, "Did you kill the man?" I says, "I don't know; I don't know if I hit him at all." He said, "Did you fight?" I said, "No;" I thought he meant fighting with the fist.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty!

Testimony in the
case of
Charles H. Radecke

filed
May
1893

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Deft. committed without bail for Ex. May 4/93. G. Ell
Ex. May 6/93 G. Q. M
" May 7/93 G. Ell
" May 8/93 R. F. M.

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Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Chas. A. Stewart
124 E. 126th St.
Charles H. Mordecai

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Offense, Assault "felony"

BAILED.

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

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

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

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

Dated, May 8 1893

Arraigned
N. C. Burke
Magistrate.
Officer.
29
Precinct

Witnesses J. Maurice Dana
No. 21 East 126th
Street.

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

$ 1500 to answer

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

Dated, May 8 *189*3 C. E. Simms Jr. *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.*

N. Y. General Sessions.

The People

vs

Charles Radeika.

City and County of New York ss.:

Adelaide Thomas being duly sworn says I reside with my parents at No. 157 West 133d street in said City and am 20 years of age.

I am the sister of the defendant's wife and am acquainted with the said defendant for a period of say seven years last past. I have as also the balance of my family been on good and friendly terms with my sister and her husband and I as well as other members of my family frequently visited them at their home.

I recall at this time that upon one occasion some little time previous to that of the assault in question, I visited my sister at her home about 3 o'clock in the afternoon

and during my stay Mr Stewart, the complainant came in and remained in my said sister's apartments for about one hour —, during his stay he the said Stewart took from one of his pockets a flask, which contained whiskey and he poured into several glasses part of its contents — I simply tasted it — my sister also drank a little —

After leaving my said sister's home, I went to mine and when I reached there, I informed my parents of this occurance —.

The manner and conversation of the said complainant never impressed me, and I did not regard him in a very favorable light — his conversation was in a very low tone of voice —, no doubt from the fact that he did not wish to be heard by his wife who with him had apartments on the same floor with my

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said Lillie and her husband.
The complainant at the time I refer to above was the only male person in the house at this time, the defendant being away from home and absent.

Sworn to before me
this 30th day of May 1893
Geo. Washburn
N. Y. City Sessions
Adelaide Thomas

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Converse, Stanton & Cullen
Dry Goods Commission Merchants.
538 & 540 Pearl Street, New York. | 84 Franklin Street, Chicago.
62 Franklin Street, Boston. | 526 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

EDMUND W. CONVERSE.
WALTER STANTON.
THOMAS H. CULLEN.
E. W. CONVERSE, JR.

New York Jan 3 1895

Hon. Delancy Nicoll — District Attorney

My dear Mr Nicoll —

I am interested in the case of Charles Radecke, Ambulance driver at Presbyterian Hospital — It seems that he came home one night, found a strange man in bed with his wife and shot at him. I am informed he had no lawyer to defend him and the jury brought in a verdict of assault on the second degree, but offering strong recommendation for mercy.

His record and standing with the officials at Presbyterian Hospital is excellent and they are greatly interested in his case —

I venture to ask you to investigate his case, (he comes before Recorder Smyth for sentence Monday) and urge such clemency as you judge advisable.

Very Sincerely Yours
Walter Stanton

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N. Y. General Sessions.

The People

vs

Charles H. Radcliffe

City & County of New York ss:

Lucy Radcliffe being duly sworn says:—

I am the wife of the defendant above named to whom I have borne two children both girls respectively at this time aged four and two years. I have been married five years last August. I knew my husband about two years previous to my marriage. He has always made an honest living for me and my family.

My present home supplied by my said husband is at No 114 East 126th Street and Mr. Stewart the complainant occupied apartments on the same floor of said house with his wife and his five (5) children.

My husband during the past five years has been steadily employed and away from home during the

entire day—
at what employment Mr
Stewart the said complainant
has been employed at this deponent
is not acquainted with.
I was the janitress of the building
and for a period of say about
one month previous to the prosecu
charge against my husband
the complainant frequently
during the day time and in the
absence of my husband, the
complainant Stewart
entered my apartments—and
upon each and every occasion
had a flask of whiskey with
him, and upon one occasion
I now recall the fact that he
had three (3) flasks with him.
all of which I believe contained
whiskey— Upon one occasion
when he called and both he
and I drunked from one of the
flasks that he brought with him
he laid his hands upon me and
threw me on the beds in my
apartments—and against my
will and consent.

I solemnly swear that the first time I informed my husband of the assaults called and improper conduct and action on the part of Mr Stewart the complainant herein, was on monday Evening — that being only one day previous when my husband is charged with having assaulted said complainant. —

My husband has during my married life been continually employed and earned an honest living for myself and family and I have never had any cause to find fault with him either in word or action. and I implore you, Hon Frederick Smyth Recorder to meet out such sentence upon the conviction of my said husband as in your judgment shall seem fit. and if consistent with your duty to suspend sentence in his case —

Sworn to before me this 1st June 1873
Phil. Weisberger
Commissioner of Deeds

L May Radecke

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M.S. General Sessions

The People

&c

vs

Against

Charles Radeika

City and County of New York ss:

Charles Thomas

being duly sworn says:

I reside at No 157 West 133d Street

This City –

I am the father in law of the defendant above named, he having married my daughter.

For the past fourteen (14) years I have been engaged as an Engineer on the 6th Avenue Elevated Rail Road of this City –

I know the defendant for fully seven years last past and he has always been a good character, and has been in steady employment during all of said period.

I frequently visited my daughter and her husband and about two weeks, as near as I can recall at this time, I called at their residence No 124 ~~West~~ East

126 W. 102d St. Apt. 6 and as I reached the hall floor of their apartments I saw the complainant (Howard) leaning up against the door of the defendant and my daughter's rooms and as I believe listening to what talk was had between husband and wife — as soon as the complainant saw me approach he left and walked across the hall — this was between the hours of five and six P. M.

I venture to say that ~~[illegible]~~ were it not for the fact that the actions and words of the complainant between himself and my daughter, no trouble would have arose and no breach of the peace would have occurred and the assault as charged would never have been committed. The defendant has always been looked upon as a quiet and peaceable citizen of this community and accordingly for five or I have been called upon to be a witness in many [illegible] —

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Charles S. Thomas

Will McCutcheon,
Acting Publicity
Director.

N.Y. General Sessions.

The People

vs.

Charles Radeika. Apt.

City and County of New York ss:

James S. Knowles

being duly sworn says -

I am the assistant superintendent of the Presbyterian Hospital in this City and have held such position and connected with said institution for the past five years last past. The records of the Hospital show that the defendant was employed at different times for about four (4) years acting in the capacity of ambulance driver - and in the course of such employment I as also other officers, came in contact with him daily - He was by each and every one regarded as a sober, industrious and careful man and I venture to say that notwithstanding the present charge, he would be re-employed and placed in

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the service and in a left capacity as formerly reported by this. —

I never knew or heard of him ever before being charged or convicted of any crime.

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Alex. Woodbridge
Notary Public

James L. Kmoussen.

N. Y. General Sessions

The People

vs

— apt. —

Charles Radeicka

Recommendation
of Jury and
Affidavits.

Jacob Berlinger
Atty for Deft.
23 Chambers St
N.Y.

N. Y. General Sessions

The People

vs

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Charles Radeika

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N.Y.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

Against

CHARLES RADEIKE

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To the
Hon. Frederick Smyth,
Recorder.

Sir:-

We, the undersigned jurors, had the above named defendant in charge, and whom we convicted of the crime of Assault in the second degree with a recommendation to mercy.

While we are fully aware of the fact that the sentence to be imposed is a matter which rests solely with your Honor and furthermore, having full confidence in the discretion heretofore exercised by you; nevertheless we would respectfully ask your Honor that a very light judgment be meted out to this defendant or, should you deem it proper, a suspension of sentence.

Respectfully

A G Mathews
Edw. Schroeder
B. Holl Sander
Foreman Edward Gressing
Louis Mordlinger
Peter Müller

Dated, New York May 1893.

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE &c.,

-v-

CHARLES RADEIKE

Recommendation of Jurors

Jacob Berlinger,
Atty. for Deft.
25 Chambers St.
N.Y.City

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Office of Fred^k Smyth,
Counsellor at Law,
(POTTER BUILDING)
145 Nassau Street, (Rooms 159 & 161)

New York, June 2^d 1893.

Hon. Fred^k Smyth
Dear Judge

I am informed that one Charles Radeke was tried for felonious assault this week and the jury rendered a verdict of guilty and recommended him to mercy.

He is to come before you on Monday for sentence.

The Presbyterian Hospital officials (where he is now employed as a driver) express their willingness to retain him in their employ, should sentence be suspended.

I was requested to call on you and make this statement, which I do not understanding the facts at all, and knowing full well that you will act as the facts of the case demand

Very truly yours
John G. A. Meyer

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Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 2nd, 1895

Honorable Recorder Smythe,

My dear Sir:-

Please pardon my troubling you, but I have had the pleasure of meeting you at the Manhattan Club of which I am a member. I met with an accident on Broadway some five weeks ago and am confined in the Presbyterian Hospital. My attention was called a few days ago, to the case of one Charles Radecke, who was convicted of assault in the second degree with a recommendation to mercy by the jury. I believe he comes up for sentence before you on Monday next. Everybody connected with this hospital seems interested in this case and speak in the highest terms of him. He was employed as ambulance driver for five years at the hospital, and during that time his record was beyond reproach, he left of his own accord to better himself. Even the chaplain of this hospital is very much interested in this case and speaks in the highest terms of him.

In case you should see fit to suspend his sentence, they are willing to give him employment at once, which in itself is a very high recommendation.

Trusting that you can, in justice to the City of New York, see fit to suspend the sentence, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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Pasha
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Presbyterian Hospital,

70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 1st, 1893

Hon. Frederick Smythe,

Dear Sir:-

I wish to bear testimony in favor of Charles Radecke, who was convicted of an assault on a man named Stewart, whom he found in his wife's bedroom, and who is to be sentenced by you on next Monday.

Radecke was employed by me as ambulance driver for the Presbyterian Hospital for nearly four years, leaving here in April 1891 I found him a sober, honest, peaceable and thoroughly respectable man; well educated and said to be well connected in Germany, the last man from whom one would expect any deed of violence, and one who must have had great provocation.

I understand, from reliable sources, that his wife has given in the past, and since his encarceration, good grounds for his distrust. Whatever influence a previous good character, and the greatest provocation a man can have for committing violence, can exert in mitigating punishment, I trust you will allow in this case.

Yours very respectfully,

Thos. H. Walk

formerly Superintendent, now
Chaplain of the Presbyterian
Hospital.

Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 1st, 1893

Mr. J. Edward Simmons,

President of the Fourth National Bank.

My dear Mr. Simmons:-

You possibly will be surprised to receive a letter from me dated from the Presbyterian Hospital. I unfortunately met with an accident on Broadway some five weeks ago had my leg broken, have been confined here ever since. I am getting along very nicely and trust next week to be able to go out for a while and in a week or so more to return to my business. I have a favor to ask of you. In conversation with the officers of this hospital, they brought to my attention one of their former employees, an ambulance driver, who was in their employ for about five years. His record is beyond reproach. He married, and his marriage was an unfortunate one. In a fit of jealousy brought on him he assaulted another man and he was sentenced for assault with recommendation for mercy by the jury. He comes up before Recorder Smythe next Monday for sentence. The officials here speak very highly of him, for his faithful service &c., that I would like to do what I could to aid him. If you would write the Recorder in his behalf, it would be greatly appreciated by me.

Yours sincerely,

Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 1st, 1893.

My Dear Mr. Simmons:-

In addition to the enclosed letter I desire to state that, owing to the absence of my own stenographer, I dictated same to a young lady amanuensis, and was of necessity obliged to omit some of the details of the case. The former now being with me I can be more explicit. It seems that this young man, Charles Radecke, came home one night, found a strange man in bed with his wife, and quite naturally shot at him. He had no lawyer to defend him, and the jury brought in a verdict of Assault in the Second Degree, however offering the strongest recommendations for clemency.

My confinement here, listening to the whistle call for the ambulances three, four, and sometimes five times an hour, has taught me the value of the services of the drivers, and the faithful work they perform. The Superintendent and other officials in this hospital are greatly interested in this young man's fate, and assure me that his record is unimpeachable. I think that the Recorded could even be induced to suspend sentence.

Do what you can for me.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. F. KING.

H. F. I.

Perkes
v
Radcke

Ans to depos
Chandler

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Police Court— 5 District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Thomas A. Stewart

of No. 124 E. 126th Street, aged 50 years,

occupation Shipping Clerk being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 2 day of May 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Charles H. Nadeste (Name here) who wilfully and maliciously pointed and aimed a revolving pistol loaded with powder and ball, which he then and there held in hand, at deponent, and discharged two shots from said pistol at deponent. One of said shots struck deponent in the right shoulder.

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 be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 8th day of May 1893 } Thomas A. Stewart

C E Simms Jr. Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

S' District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Charles H. Radecke 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 sees 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 H. Radecke

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 124 E. 126th - 5 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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 Radecke

Taken before me this [illegible] *day of* [illegible] 189[illegible]

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 5 DISTRICT.

John McCabe

of No. 39th Street Police Street, aged years,

occupation Police officer being duly sworn, deposes and says

that on the 2nd day of May 1893

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

Charles H. Radecke (now here) on a charge of feloniously assaulting one Thomas A. Stewart of no 124 & 126th st. by shooting the said Stewart in the right shoulder. From the effects of such assault the said Stewart is now confined to his bed and unable to appear in court.

Deponent further says that he was informed by the said Stewart that this defendant had shot him. and that the defendant

Sworn to before me this day of 189

Police Justice

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admitted and confessed to deponent that he had shot the said Clement. Wherefore deponent prays the said defendant may be held to answer the result of the injuries of the said Thomas A Stewart.

Sworn to before me this 3 day of May 1893
C E Summerfield

John McCabe

Police Court, ... District,

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Police Judge

Dated 189

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness, ...

Disposition, ...

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21 E. 130th St.
May 3rd '93.

To All whom it may concern:—

This is to certify that Thos. A. Stewart is unable to attend hearing of case, but is in no immediate danger. He will probably be able to appear in two or at the most three days time.

J. Marvin Davis M.D.

Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 9th, 1893

Hon. Recorder Smythe,

Dear Sir:-

This will identify Charles E. Talbott, the clerk of this hospital, who will represent me in case you desire assurances of this hospital's good faith towards Charles Radecke, who, comes up before you this morning for sentence. ~~Unless~~ In case your honor feels justified afcer due consideration of this case to suspend sentence, this hospital stands ready now to receive him in its employment. We have quite an important position to be filled, which Radecke is thoroughly qualified for. Radecke's services in this hospital of between four and five years is extended over a period of nearly nine years. He was always found here to be a peacable, quiet and inoffensive man and we are slow to believe that he would have committed this crime unless under very grave provocation.

Yours very respectfully,

C. Irving Fisher
Supt
pro K.

Pacheco
v
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Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 1st, 1893

Hon. J. ~~G.~~ H. McCarthy,

~~Superior~~ Court, Part 111

My dear Judge:-

You no doubt will be surprised to receive a letter from me, but I have been confined here with a broken leg for five weeks. I met with an accident on Broadway, the truck being stronger than my limb, thus the consequence. I write you asking if you will see Recorder Smythe, in regard to one Charles Radecke, he was convicted of assault in the second degree, and I believe comes up for sentence next Monday. He was in the employ of the Presbyterian Hospital, as ambulance driver, for over five years, and during that time there never was a complaint against him, he giving entire satisfaction. His marriage was the direct cause of his crime. I understand that the jury brought in a verdict with a recommendation of mercy. He having such a good record here, I earnestly ask your sympathy and aid in his behalf.

This has been my first experience in the inside workings of a hospital, and I am very much interested in it. This hospital is doing excellent work.

I should be pleased to have you come and see me if you have

Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 1st, 1893

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time. I am always at home.

Trusting to hear from you favorably, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 1st, 1893.

My Dear Judge:-

In addition to the enclosed letter I desire to state that, owing to the absence of my own stenographer, I dictated same to a young lady amanuensis, and was of necessity obliged to omit some of the details of the case. The former now being with me I can be more explicit. It seems that this young man came home one night, found a strange man in bed with his wife, and quite naturally shot at him. He had no lawyer to defend him, and the jury brought in a verdict of Assault in the Second Degree, however offering the strongest recommendations for clemency.

My confinement here, listening to the whistle calling for the ambulances three, four, and sometimes five times an hour, has taught me the value of the services of the drivers, and the faithful work they perform. The Superintendent and other officials in this hospital are greatly interested in this young man's fate, and assure me that his record is unimpeachable. I think that the Recorder could even be induced to suspend sentence.

Do what you can for me.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. F. KING.

H. F. L.

Presbyterian Hospital,
70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 2nd, 1893

Hon. J. G. H. McCarthy,

~~Superior~~ Court Part 111

My dear Judge:-

I wrote at the same time to Mr. Simmons in regard to Charles Radecke and he wrote Recorder Smythe. In case the Recorder should feel inclined to suspend the sentence, the Presbyterian Hospital will give employment to the said Charles Radecke, which of itself is recommendation.

I sincerely trust you will use your influence with the Recorder, as in my opinion the case is one that every leniency should be shown to him, even the Chaplain, who is a very worthy man, upholds him for what he has done.

Thanking you in advance for any courtesy, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

City Court of New York,
Justices Chambers, City Hall.
June 3rd 1893

My Dear Recorder

William F. King one of the firm of Messrs Calhoun Robbins & Co 410 Broadway has sent to me the enclosed, in relation to one Charles Radeke. He appears before you Monday for sentence. I do not know him. I have known Mr

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King however for some years. He a respectable reliable gentleman. His letters enclosed state the case. I present them for your consideration. Knowing full well that whatever is just and proper will be done and if worth tempered with clemency.

With sincere admiration & respect I am Yours

John Henry McCarthy

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TOWNSEND, DYETT & EINSTEIN,
ATTORNEYS.

R. W. TOWNSEND.
A. R. DYETT.
B. F. EINSTEIN.

P. O. BOX 1530.

247 Broadway,
New York, June 6 1893

Hon Frederic Smyth
Recorder &c

Dear Sir

I am those been for many years a Manager and one of the Executive Committee of the Presbyterian Hospital.

I just learned yesterday that Chas Rodick formerly an Ambulance Driver at the Hospital had been convicted before you of shooting somebody under very great provocation. I learned from the Hospital people that

they have always had great confidence in him & are ready to employ him again if he could get his liberty. I am satisfied from the account of his character which I get there and the great provocation for the wrong which he did that if you see fit to exercise some indulgence & mercy that it would be upon a subject & individual who merits at the hands of the Courts some consideration & will not be abused by him.

Yours very truly

Randolph W Townsend

Presbyterian Hospital,

70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, June 13th, 1893

Mr. John G. H. Myers,
21 Park Row, City

My dear Sir:-

In reference to the case of Charles Radecke I would state, that he was convicted on May 25th for assault in the second degree. The Grand Jury 's indictment against him was assault in the first degree with intent to kill, but the trial jury evidently saw some mitigating features of this case and returned a verdict, as above stated, with a strong recommendation of mercy. The assistant attorney Bradley was in charge of the case. Mr. Radecke served this hospital in the capacity of ambulance driver in all about five years, extending over a period of nearly ten years, and during that time I cannot recall a single instance where he showed an agressive or disagreeable spirit. He was always very attentive to business, quiet and inoffensive and was one of the most reliable men ever in the employ of this hospital. He was unfortunate in marriage and at one time, two years ago, left his wife commencing proceedings for a divorce, but by the pleadings of his wife and her father he consented to live with her again, only on condition that she would remodel her ways of living and be as a mother should be to her children. So you can see that this assault, for which Radecke is charged, might seem premeditated yet under what was very grave provocation. This hospital is ready and anxious to receive this man back into its employ and in fact have been preserving an important position, awaiting the Recorder's disposition of Radecke's case hoping that possibly sentence might be suspended. I secured a letter to the Recorder from Mr. John Sloane by whom Radecke was employed at one time as a driver on one of their wagons. Mr. Sloane speaks very kindly of the man and was very much shocked when he learned what had been done.

I learned to-day that the Recorder says that he will surely

Presbyterian Hospital,

70th ST. and MADISON AVE.,

C. IRVING FISHER, M. D.,
SUPERINTENDENT.

New York, July 13th, 1893

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dispose of this case on next Monday. This man has two children, of whom he is very fond, and his confinement is a source of great worry to him not knowing what will become of those babies.

I have been investigating more closely the matters concerning his wife, of which I telephoned you a few days ago, and find that they are correct. We are taking a very great interest in this case because we feel and know that the man is worthy of all consideration that can be given.

Yours very respectfully,

Jas. L. Knowles

I would be pleased to call on Mr. Weeks and give any information I can - if you think proper.

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W. & J. Sloane
Broadway 18th & 19th St.

Carpetings and Upholstery.

New York June 5th 1893

Dear Sir:-

It has just come to our knowledge that a man, Charles Radicke, formerly in our employ is charged with a serious offense which is very surprising to us. Radicke was in our service for a period of three months and he discharged his duties faithfully and well; he was always sober, and attentive. He left us to go to the Presbyterian Hospital which Institution has in its management as Director our Mr. John Sloane. He has made inquiry there and find him a faifthful worker and an excellent driver. He is also assured that if liberated ~~he~~ Radicke will be restored to his former position.

This is to request that your Honor will, if consistent, suspend sentence and give him the benefit of good character. We feel sure from what we have heard that his offense ~~is~~ may be attributed to sudden and great provocation and not from any malice aforethought.

Humbly beseeching your leniency in his behalf, We are,

Very truly,

Hon. Recorder Smyth,

N. Y. City.

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 H. Radecke

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse Charles H. Radecke

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

The said Charles H. Radecke

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the [illegible] day of [illegible] in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-[illegible], with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Thomas C. Stewart in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against [illegible] the said Thomas C. Stewart a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Charles H. Radecke in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge with intent [illegible] the said Thomas C. Stewart 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 Charles H. Radecke

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

The said Charles H. Radecke

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 Thomas C. Stewart in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against him the said Thomas C. Stewart

a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Charles H. Radecke

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Regan, John
DATE:
05/22/93

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Witnesses:

Offa Kelly

Greenleaf Vorhees

Part II

June 7 1893. On the evidence in this case I do not think the deft can be convicted of any crime and I therefore recommend that the indictment be dismissed

H A MacDona
Asst

Counsel, J. F. Bontsky a
Carlton

Filed 22 day of May 189 3

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Regan

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Imbrie
Foreman.

Part 2 – June 7, 1893.
Tried and jury disagree
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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court—First District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Greenleaf Borkes

of No. 387 and 389 Broadway Street, aged 35 years, occupation Druggist being duly sworn deposes and says, that the premises No. 387 & 389 Broadway Street, 5th Ward in the City and County aforesaid the said being a fire stony brick building in part and which was occupied by deponent as a drug store on the ground floor ~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open a pane of glass in the window leading from the street

on the 15th day of May 1863 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of drugs, medicines, segars, and other articles of the value of about Eight Hundred Dollars

Also the property of William Wilson and others deponent's

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by attempted to be John Agan, from here

for the reasons following, to wit: That at about the hour of two o'clock PM on the 14th day of May deponent securely locked and fastened the doors and windows leading into the premises. That the said property was therein. That deponent returned to the premises about the hour of seven thirty PM on the 15th day of May and found that the premises had been

Police Court, ... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

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vs.

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Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated 188

..... Magistrate.

..... Officer.

..... Clerk.

Witnesses, ...

No. ..... Street,

No. ..... Street,

No. ..... Street,

$ ..... 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.*

Charles Allen Lamoria.
Police Officer Detail Detectives
in Precinct Also in Police Department
the crime of Burglary committed
at 315 Eldridge & Pleasant Streets
Affidavit Also he appears from the
Defendant Charles Johnson the prisoner
charged with the crime of Burglary
Also appears from Police Records
Affidavit Also out.
Affidavits corroborating Witnesses
Also Witnesses Also Officer
Charles Smith Also Officer

Charles Allen Lamoria
Also is duly sworn
Charles Smith
Witnesses Also Officer

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Michael Healy

aged years, occupation Officer, of ~~etc.~~

No 5 Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Gerald of Bowles

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

Sworn to before me this 15 *day of* May 1921

Michael Healy

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200. 1882 District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Regan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 133 Charlton St 3 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I am not guilty

John Regan

Taken before me this 13 *day of* April *1884*

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court--- 7 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Offense Burglary

Dated, May 15 189 3

[illegible] Magistrate.

[illegible] Officer.

[illegible] Prosecutor.

Witnesses [illegible] Street.

No. 25 Pleasant Street.

No. Street.

No. 23 Street.

8. to answer.

[illegible]

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 *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, May 16 *189* 3 [illegible] *Police Justice.*

I 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.*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Grumley Voorhees.

I live at 132 Jackson ave Jersey City. On 14th day of May 1893. I closed the store at 387 & 389 Bway N.Y. 2 P.M. by securely locking the doors and fastening windows.

On the full moon. I returned there at 7.30 A.M. I found the glass of one of the store doors broken. I did not find any thing missing in the store.

Officer Michael Healy. 5th Precinct

At about 2 o'clock on the morning of 15th of May 1893 I was standing on White St near Bway. when I heard a crash of glass breaking. I ran to corner of Broadway looking up & down I saw no one. I started up Bway. on west side of St. & two or three doors from corner. I saw the Deft come from the doorway of 387, ~~when I~~ and walk down toward me I asked him if he heard any glass break. He said no. I then asked him what he was doing in that doorway. He said

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He stopped to light his pipe.
I turned block at the windows along the ave. not knowing at the time that 387 was broken. I turned around to speak to Deft again and he was running down Bway
I hollered to Officer Rodgers to catch the Deft. The Deft then ran down Franklin St to Church to North to W. Bway to Thomas, to Hudson to Duane where he was stopped by Officer Sadlier, who turned him over to Officer Rodgers. I came running up and identified him as the man whom I saw come out of door way 387. Bway. We then brought him to 387 Bway showed him the window was broken & charged him with breaking it. He denied knowing anything about it.
We asked him why he ran he said he saw other running and he ran too. Took him to 5th Pct Station House. When we found that the toe of his right shoe was all cut. I asked him how it happened. He said he might have done it while he was running

Officer Toomey & Officer Healy.

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Officer James Rodgers. 5th Precinct.
On May 15th about 2 A.M.
I was on my post on Broadway
when I heard crash of glass I was
between Leonard & Franklin St.
~~St~~ I was investigating I saw
young Regan ~~the day~~ running
towards me. Off. Healy hollered
for me to get him, I ran towards
Franklin St to stop him he
ran down Franklin.
At Duane St he ran into
Off. Sadlier arms. He held him
till I came up. (I never lost sight
of him) I Off Healy & Sgt went
back to 387 Broadway. Showed him
the broken window he ~~denied~~
denied breaking it said he
knew nothing about it. I
found at Station House that he
had a fresh cut on his shoe
that he could not account for (right
shoe)

Officer James
Rodgers

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Regan

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

John Regan

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

The said John Regan

late of the 5th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the fifteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the store of one William Wilson

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 William Wilson in the said store then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statue in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:
Reilly, Patrick

DATE:
05/23/93

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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Barron, James
DATE:
05/23/93

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Witnesses:

Officer O'Neill

William L. Britton

Upon a careful examination of the proofs of this case I am constrained to say that I am of the opinion that the defendant James Barron is innocent of the charges contained in the indictment. There is no evidence that I can find, which would justify me in putting the defendant to the Bar for trial.

I recommend that as to the defendant James Barron this indictment be dismissed.

June 8th 1893 John P. McIntyre
Dep. Asst. Dist. Atty.

Counsel,

Filed 13 day of May 1893

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Patrick Reilly

and

James Barron

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

June 1/93
Nol. Pl. Pleads Not guilty 2 day

A TRUE BILL.

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Chas. F. Fisher
Foreman.

June 9/93
Nol Pl. Discharged on his own recognizance

Witnesses:

Officer O'Neill

William L. Britton

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June 8th 1893 Thos F McAlpin
Asst Dist Atty

Counsel,

Filed 7th day of May 189

Pleads, Not guilty, N.G.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Patrick Reilly
and
James Barron

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

June 1/93

Arl. Pleads N.G. 2 day

A TRUE BILL.

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June 9/93

Chas. F. Mahon
Foreman.

June 9/93

N.G. Discharged on his own recognizance

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court 5 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss:

William L. Pritm

of No. 63 E. 12 9th St. Street, aged 27 years, occupation Express Driver being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 18 day of May 1893 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 Livery horse one set of harness. one Express wagon one trunk. all of the value of three hundred dollars.

the property of William Wannie deponents employed and in deponents care and custody.

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Patrick O'Reilly and James Barrow. (both name here) from the fact that at about the hour of 4 O'clock P.M. said date deponent missed said property from in front of No 10 & 63rd St. Deponent is informed by Officer Hugh O'Neil 29 Precinct that at the hour of 5.40 O'clock P.M. said date he arrested these defendants together and in company with each other with the aforesaid property in their possession at the corner of 1st avenue & 113th St.

Deponent further says that he has since

Sworn to before me this day of 189

Police Justice.

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seen the property found in these defendants possession. and identified it as the property mentioned in this affidavit and charges these defendants with being together and acting in concert with each other. and feloniously taking stealing and carrying away said property.

Sworn to before me this 19th day of May 1893 — Wm L Britton

Wm G Burke
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Hugh O'Neil

aged ..... years, occupation Police Officer of No. 29 Pitt Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William L. Sutton and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Hugh O'Neill

Sworn to before me, this 19 *day of* May 1893

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James Barron

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 114 3 First Ave one year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Labrer

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 Barron

Taken before me this [illegible] *day of* [illegible] 189[illegible]

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Patrick Reilly

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 408 East 54 st Two Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Patrick Reilly

Taken before me this [illegible] *day of* [illegible] 189[illegible]

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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Police Court, 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm L. Britton 82 Ludlow

vs.

Patrick Reilly

2 James Barrett

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Larceny (Felony)

Dated, May 19 189 3

Burke Magistrate.

O'Neill Officer.

29 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 9 E 38 Street.

Adam Stahl

No. 320 E 12 Street.

No. Street.

$ 1000 Each to answer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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

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 New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, May 19 189 3

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 he to be discharged.

Dated, 189

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Patrick Reilly
and
James Barron

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Patrick Reilly and James Barron of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Patrick Reilly and James Barron, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one horse of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one wagon of the value of one hundred dollars, one set of harness of the value of forty dollars and one trunk of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one William Murnane

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Patrick Reilly and James Barron

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

The said Patrick Reilly and James Barron, both

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 horse of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one wagon of the value of one hundred dollars, one set of harness of the value of forty dollars and one trunk of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one William Munnie

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 Munnie

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said Patrick Reilly and James Barron

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Reilly, Walter A.

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Bail fixed at
$2000 RBC

Witnesses:
Wm H Roberts
Dr P. J. Lynch

The defendant was the cestui que trust of the estate whereof Mr Burke was executor, and while of course he had no legal right to act as he did, yet as a matter of fact the amount of the check was made good out of the estate funds and there is no one to prosecute the Madison Sq. Bank is defunct five years have elapsed and apart from my doubts as to a conviction by reason of failure of proofs and the relations of the parties no public interest requires the further prosecution of this case and I recommend defendant's discharge on his own recognizance
April 10/98
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Counsel,

Filed 5 day of May 1893

Pleads, Not guilty

ENTERED T. J. W.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Walter A. Reilly

Forgery in the Second Degree.
(Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)

Filed May 5/93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Pd $3 May 11
April 11/98

A TRUE BILL.

Paul Dyer Foreman
Chas. F. Smith
Foreman.

Part Dec. 12/93

Check in suit in private safe (inside) Chief Office Factory Street

off for day
JJB

Bail fixed at
$2000 X RSC

Witnesses:
Wm H Roberts
Dr P. J. Lynch

The defendant was the cestui que trust of the estate whereof Mr Clarke was executor, and while of course he had no legal right to act as he did, yet as a matter of fact the amount of the check was made good out of the estate funds and there is no one to prosecute. The Madison Sq. Bank is defunct, five years have elapsed and apart from any doubts as to a conviction by reason of failure of proofs, and the relations of the parties no public interest requires the further prosecution of this case and I recommend defendant's discharge on his own recognizance
April 10 98
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Filed and Noted

Counsel,

Filed 5 day of May 1893

Pleads, Arraigned

ENTERED T. J. W.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Walter A. Reilly

Forgery in the Second Degree,
(Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)

Opinion filed May 5 93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Pd in 3 May 22
April 11/98

A TRUE BILL.

Bail Discharged
Chas. F. Mills
Foreman.

Bail [illegible] 12/93

Check in suit in private safe (inside) Ch. Clks office [illegible]

off for day
J.B.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court, 2d District.

City and County of New York, } ss.

William H. Roberts

of Madison Square Bk ~~Street~~, aged 32 years,

occupation Paying Teller being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 24 day of April 1893, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Walter A Reilly

did present the annexed check to deponent as paying teller of said Bank and deponent did then and there pay him in money belonging to said Bank on said check the sum of $3500.00

Deponent charges that said Reilly at the time and place aforesaid did falsely make forge and counterfeit the annexed check purporting to be a check on the Union Trust Company whereby said Company was ordered to pay P. J Lynch $3500 and which check purported to be signed by Walter S Burke Executor Estate Clarence V Reilly dead and dated April 24. 1893 and said Walter A Reilly did then and there utter and publish said check with intent to defraud said Union Trust Company and the said Bank

Deponent further says that he called upon Walter S Burke Executor who is ill at No 157 Lexington Avenue and unable to appear and testify. That said Burke informed deponent that the signature Walter S Burke Executor on the annexed check on said Trust Company is forged. he never signing his name or authorized any person to sign his name to said check

Deponent is further informed by Patrick J Lynch that the endorsement

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on the check mentioned shown P. J. Lynch is a forgery the said endorsement not having been made by him or authorized

Sworn to before me W. W. Roberts
this 24 day of May 1893
[illegible] Police Justice

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Police Court--- 2 **District.**

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H Roberts
Franklin Hotel Bk. Dep't Quarantine

Walter A. Reilly

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Offense Felony

BAILED,

No. 1, by Richard G. Platt

Residence ~~96 Lexington Ave~~ Street.

No. 2, by 102 W 81 Street

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated, May 189 3

E Hogan Magistrate.

Mulvey & Mulvey Officer.

C 9 Precinct.

Witnesses Walter D Burke

No. 157 Lexington Ave

Patrick J Lynch M D

No. 216 E 13 Street.

No. Street.

$ to answer

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

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, 189

Police Justice.

I 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.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick J. Lynch

aged 65 years, occupation Physician of No. 216 E 13 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William H. Robuts and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 2 *day of* May 1893 } Patrick J. Lynch

Police Justice.

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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

Walter A. Reilly

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Walter A. Reilly of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Walter A. Reilly

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-fourth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with intent to defraud, feloniously did forge a certain instrument and writing, which said forged instrument and writing is as follows, that is to say:

No. New York, April 24th 1893

Union Trust Company of New York

Pay to the Order of P. J. Lynch

Three thousand five hundred 00/100 Dollars

$3,500 00/100 Walter D. Burke Executor

Estate Clarence V. Reilly decd.

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

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

SECOND COUNT—

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

Walter A. Reilly

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

The said Walter A. Reilly

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 intent to defraud, did feloniously utter, dispose of and put off as true, a certain forged instrument and writing, which said forged instrument and writing is as follows, that is to say:

No. New York, April 24th 1893

Union Trust Company
of New York

Pay to the order of P. J. Lynch
Three thousand five hundred 00/100 Dollars

$3500.00

Walter D. Burke
Executor
Estate of Clarence J. Reilly deed.

the said Walter A. Reilly

then and there well knowing the same to be forged, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Reitman, Theodore

DATE:
05/09/93

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Witnesses:

Officer Farrel

Counsel,

Filed, 7 day of May 1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Theodore Reitman

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW.
Selling, etc., on Sunday.
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

The Court of Special Sessions for trial and final disposition

Part 2 ..... 28 ..... 18 93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Imbert

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

Theodore Reilman

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

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said Theodore Reilman

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 19th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

~~and~~ to certain ~~other~~ persons whose names are 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 New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said Theodore Reilman

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

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and to certain other persons whose names are 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:
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DESCRIPTION:
Rider, James E.
DATE:
05/01/93

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Witnesses:

Part I May 3 1893
Recommend that
a plea of P.L. be
accepted in this
case
H D Macdonald
Asst

No. 1

Counsel,

Filed 1 day of May 189 3

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James E. Rider

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Ambrose
Foreman.

May 2/93
Plead P.L.
Pin one yr.

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Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss:

Minnie Robinson

of No. 115 East 12th Street, aged 19 years, occupation waitress being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 22 day of April 1893 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 dresses and two cloth Jackets the whole 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 James C. Rider (now here) from the fact that on the aforesaid date when deponent reached her room in the above named premises about noon and found the aforesaid property to be missing: that deponent is informed by officer Parks of the 16th Precinct Police that he found the defendant who also resided in the aforesaid premises about noon on said date at 7th Street and Eighth Avenue having in his possession dresses and jackets which deponent identifies as her missing property: that deponent is further informed by said officer that defendant admitted to him that he had stolen said property: Therefore deponent prays that defendant may be dealt with according to law.

Minnie Robinson

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of April 1893

Patrick Maxwell Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

1921

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Parks

aged — years, occupation police officer of No. the 16th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Minnie Robinson and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me this 24 *day of* April 1891 } Thomas Parks

John Bolton Lies *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court. 1882

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Jas. E. Rider

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 47 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U.S.

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

Answer. 115 E. 17 St. — 10 days

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Electrician

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

Jas. E. Rider

Taken before me this 24 *day of* April *1882*

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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Police Court--- 2 **District.**

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Albert Robinson
Patrick B. Kelly
Thomas G. Kelly

1. Grand Larceny

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Offense

Dated, April 24 1893

Yorkville Magistrate.

Parks Officer.

16 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

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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.

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, April 24 *189*3 John Ellwood Jr. *Police Justice.*

I 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.*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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 E. Rider

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse James E. Rider of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said James E. Rider

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

three dresses of the value of ten dollars each, and two jackets of the value of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Minnie Robinson

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

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said James E. Rider of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows: The said James E. Rider, 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, three dresses of the value of ten dollars each and two jackets of the value of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Minnie Robinson by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Minnie Robinson, unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said James E. Rider then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, taken and carried away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Riess, Max

DATE:
05/23/93

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DESCRIPTION:
Aron, Victor
DATE:
05/23/93

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Witnesses:

Officer Hussey

In this case necessary & material witnesses against defendant No. 1 live outside the State & although efforts have been made to obtain their presence they have been unsuccessful. Without this evidence which it seems impossible for the people to obtain a conviction would be hopeless. Therefore recommend that defendant Reiss be discharged on his own recognizance.

Thomas J. Bradley
Dep. Asst. Dist. Atty.

Counsel,

Filed 26 day of May 189

Pleads, Wrongly

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Max Reiss
(Case
and
Victor Aron

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Imbie
Foreman.

May 29 93

Not.

Dept Dang Judge
June 8/93 S.P. 2/2 [illegible]
Def. Discharged on his own recognizance

Witnesses:

Officer Hussey

In this case necessary & material witnesses against defendant No. 1 live outside the state & although efforts have been made to obtain their presence they have been unsuccessful. Without this evidence which it seems impossible for the people to obtain a conviction would be hopeless. Therefore recommend that defendant Reiss be discharged on his own recognizance.

Thomas F. Bradley
Dep. Asst. Dist. Atty.

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of May 189

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Max Reiss
Case
and
Victor Aron

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Imbrie
Foreman.

May 29 93

Not Guilty

Plea of Guilty Entered
June 8/93 S.P. 2/12 [illegible]
Ad. Discharged on his own recognizance

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Sec. 198—200. 1882

3 District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Victor Aron 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 a 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. Victor Aron

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Austria

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

Answer. 4 Rivington Street - 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Painter

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. All - Guilty
Victor Aron

Taken before me this 6th *day of* May *1893*

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Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.:

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Ambrose W. Hussey

of the 17th Precinct Police Street, aged years,

occupation police officer being duly sworn, deposes and says

that on the 15 day of May 1893

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

Max Reese (now here) on a charge

of having burglariously entered the premises

No. 168 Delancey Street, on this city

and stolen therefrom a horse valued at

One Hundred and twenty-five Dollars,

That deponent prays that defendant

may be remanded to enable deponent to

procure the arrest of an accomplice

in said burglary

Sworn to before me, this day

of 1893

Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court, 3 52 District.

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Max Reese

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated May 16 1893

Koch Magistrate.

Hussey Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

Remanded in custody of Off. Hussey
Ex. adj. to 17 May at 9
" " " 18 " 9 am

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Police Court— 3rd District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Harris Brenner

of No. 164 Bowne Street, aged 25 years,

occupation Express man being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 173 Delancey Street, 13th Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a one story wooden building of which part of said building ~~and which~~ was occupied by deponent as a stable

and in which there was at the time a human being by name ——

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the lock from the door of said building

on the 15th day of May 1883 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Horse and one set of Harness the Whole valued at one Hundred and Twenty five dollars $125 00

the property of R Brenner ——

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

Max Reis (Neither) and another person not yet arrested

for the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent securely locked said premises at about the hour of 11 pm on the 14th day of May 1883 that the hour of 3 am on said date deponent found said stable broken open and said property was missing.

Deponent is informed by Officer Hussey that he arrested the defendant

Police Court, ... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

.....

vs.

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2 .....
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Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated 188

..... Magistrate.

..... Officer.

..... Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. ..... Street,

No. ..... Street,

No. ..... Street,

$ ..... 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Augustus W. Hussey

aged ..... years, occupation Officer of No. 12th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Harris Brown and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this ..... day of May 189 } Ambrose W. Hussey

..... Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Max Reiss 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 sees 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. Max Reiss

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer U.S.

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

Answer. 147 Essex St 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Tailor

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

Answer. I am not guilty
Max Riss.

Taken before me this 18 *day of* Mar 1893

Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 3 **District.** 362

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. Harris Brewer 764 Bergen
2. Max Klein
3.
4.

Offense Burglary

Dated, May 18 1893

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses Officer Hurley 12 Precinct

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named 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, May 10 *189* 3 *Police Justice.*

I 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.*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

1912

Police Court— 3 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.

Benjamin Greenberg

of No. 14 Suffolk Street, aged 32 years.

occupation Horse dealer being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 14th day of May 189 3 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 night time, the following property, viz:

A wagon of the value of about Forty Dollars

the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Max Rees (now here) for the reasons that deponent missed said wagon from in front of 51 Ridge Street and deponent informed by Ambrose N. Hussey (now here) that he arrested defendant on suspicion of having stolen said property and that the defendant acknowledged to him that he stole said property while in company with a man ~~optanamme~~ not yet arrested.

his
Benjamin X Greenberg
mark

Sworn to before me, this 14th day of May 189 3

Police Justice

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1921

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Ambrose N. Hussey

aged ..... years, occupation Officer of No. 9th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Ray Greenberg and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this ..... *day of* ..... *189* } Ambrose N. Hussey

..... *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198—200.

3 District Police Court. 1882

City and County of New York, ss:

Max Riess 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. Max Riess

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U.S.

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

Answer. 147 Essex St. 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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
Max Riess.

Taken before me this [illegible]
day of [illegible] *189*[illegible]

[illegible]
Police Justice.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Benjamin Greenberg
144 Forsyth
Max Rice

1. Victor Cohen
2.
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Offense Grand Larceny

Dated, May 18 1893

Rock Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses 1. [illegible]

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. 1 Street.

$ 1000 — to answer

City Prison

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

Dated, May 18 *189* 3 *Police Justice.*

I 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.*

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 3d DISTRICT.

Edward Shelley

of No. 17th Street, aged years,

occupation Office being duly sworn, deposes and says

that on the 18th day of May 1893

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

Victor Aron (number)

charged with Burglary from the fact that defendant is the person mentioned as not yet arrested in the complaint made by Harris Brenner on said date. That defendant has admitted to deponent that he had committed said crime.

Edward Shelley

Sworn to before me, this 19th day of May 1893

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

Max Riess
and
Victor Aron

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Max Riess and Victor Aron of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Max Riess and Victor Aron, both late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fourteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one wagon of the value of forty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Benjamin Greenberg

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

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney.

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Witnesses:

Officer Hussey

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of May 189

Pleads, May 23rd day

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Max Riess

and

Victor Aron

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Mahe

Foreman.

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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,

Max Rice and Victor Aron

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

Max Rice and Victor Aron

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

The said Max Rice and Victor Aron, both

late of the 13th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the day time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the stable of one Harris Bremner

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 Harris Bremner in the said stable then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statue in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Max Rice and Victor Aron

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

The said Max Rice and Victor Aron, both

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

one horse of the value of one hundred dollars, and one set of harness of the value of twenty five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Harris Brenner

in the stable of the said Harris Brenner

there situate, then and there being found, in the stable 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.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:
Ringelmann, Hubert
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Witnesses:

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Counsel,

Filed, 16 day of May 189 3

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW.
Selling, etc., on Sunday.
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Smith

Foreman.

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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

Herbert Ringelmann

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

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said Herbert Ringelmann

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the [illegible] day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-[illegible], at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

~~and~~ to certain ~~other~~ persons whose names are 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 New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said Herbert Ringelmann

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

Thomas C. Callan

and to certain other persons whose names are 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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