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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2225

DESCRIPTION:

Alexander, Thomas

DATE:

08/13/86



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Witnesses:

G. L. Fowler

Counsel,

Filed 13 day of Aug 1886

Pleas

Guilty (17)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas J. Alexander
for the def.

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531 Pennl Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

pleads guilty

A True Bill

State of Pennsylvania
Clerk of Court

Foreman.

Sept 6th

Sept 5th

Sept 8th

Sept 9th

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Police Court

5th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of Shaft 21 King Bridge Street, aged 19 years,
occupation Electrician being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16th day of June 1886 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 pair of shoes, one eye-glass,
one pair of Spectacles and a
gold watch, chain and locket,
said property being in all of
the value of eighty 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 Thomas Alexander,

for the reasons following, to wit:
That said deponent then cohabited with deponent at the home of deponent's father at King Bridge, and had access to said property.

That on the afternoon of said day he left said premises and did not thereafter return, and about one hour after his departure deponent discovered the larceny of said property, which had been stolen from deponent's bed-room. That deponent was

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1886

Notary Public

thereafter informed by Precinct Manager
 [unclear] said [unclear] saw the
 said defendant on the afternoon
 of said day take off his own
 shoes and put on defendant's
 shoes and go away with said
 shoes of defendant on his feet; and
 defendant is further informed by
 George Maher, present, that
 about the hour of 5 o'clock P. M.
 of said day the said defendant
 came to him, said Maher, and
 offered him, Maher, a spy glass
 for sale. That defendant, therefore,
 may said defendant may be
 arrested and dealt with as the
 law directs.

Subscribed by me this 12 day of July, 1856
 [Signature] Gardiner & Gardner
 Police Justice

Dated _____ 188
 guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
 Police Justice

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
 Dated _____ 188
 I have admitted the above named
 to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
 Police Justice

Dated _____ 188
 of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
 Police Justice

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
 Police Justice

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

Police Court, District _____

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

vs.

1 _____
 2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated _____ 188
 Magistrate.

 Officer.

 Clerk.

Witnesses,
 No. _____ Street,
 No. _____ Street,
 No. _____ Street,
 to answer _____ Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Priscilla Mennear

aged *14* years, occupation *Domestic* of No.

Knigs Bridge Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Robert L. Fowler*

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

Sworn to before me, this *22nd* *Priscilla Mennear*
day of *July* 188 *8*

Sam'l O'Reilly
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Maher

aged 23 years, occupation Bar-tender of No.

Boston Avenue, King's Bridge Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Goehard L. Fowler

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

Sworn to before me, this 21st day of July 1888 } George Maher

Sam'l C. Kelly
Police Justice.

over

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

Thomas J. Alexander 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

Thomas J. Alexander

Question How old are you?

Answer

15 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New Jersey

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

Answer.

Ackerman at Kingsbridge

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Nothing

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

Thomas J. Alexander

Taken before me this

day of

March

188*6*

at

New York

City

Police Justice

W. J. ...

188*6*

at

New York

City

Police Justice

W. J. ...

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Sec. 151.

J. W.
District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:*

Whereas, Complainant on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by *Godham L. Fowler* of *Shaft No 21 King Bridge* Street, that on the *16* day of *June*

188*6* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following articles to wit :

one pair of shoes, one spy-glass, one pair of spectacles and a gold watch, chain and a pocket, said property being in all

to the value of *Eighty (80)* Dollars, the property of *the said Godham L. Fowler* was taken, stolen, and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by *Thomas Alexander*

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith bring *him* before me, at the *5th* DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this *22nd* day of *July*, 188*6*
Samuel C. Kelly POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT. 5 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Gordon L. Fowler

vs.

Mrs. Alexander

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated July 22nd 1886

O'Reilly Magistrate

Clapp, 35th Officer

The Defendant

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Sam'l O'Reilly Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, _____

Native of _____

Age, _____

Sex _____

Complexion, _____

Color _____

Profession, _____

Married _____

Single, _____

Read, _____

Write, _____

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

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

Dated Aug 9 1888 John Beck Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court *5th* District *11/19/86*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Goehard J. Taylor
King's Bridge
Mr. Alexander

Offence Larceny

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Dated

Aug 11 1886
C. R. Kelly

188*6*

Magistrate.

Colapp

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

Priscilla Marrier

No.

King's Bridge

No.

George Maher

No.

King's Bridge

No.

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10.00 to answer

Re. Aug. 10

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

0261

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Thomas J. Alexander

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

Thomas J. Alexander

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

The said *Thomas J. Alexander*,

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

two pieces of the value of three dollars each, one pair of the value of ten dollars, one pair of spectacles of the value of two dollars, one watch of the value of fifty dollars, one chain of the value of twenty dollars, and one pocket of the value of fifteen dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Stephen S. Bond,

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.

Randolph B. Martin,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Allen, Henry

DATE:

08/11/86



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Witnesses:
H. M. 1726
M. J. 1726

W. M. Cooper
J. M. Mace
F. S.

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Counsel, *R. B. Martine*
Filed *11* day of *Aug* 1886
Plends *Not guilty*

Henry Allen
vs.
THE PEOPLE
Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 53 - 4 - Pennl Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.
Plends Guilty
A True Bill.
Clair B. Murrell

Foreman.
John Smith Sept 2/86. J. F.
W. M. Cooper
J. M. Mace F. S.

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34 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Henry A. Cooper

of No. 259 Truitt Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 31 day of July 1886

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

of deponent ~~myself~~ *myself* ~~person~~ *with the assistance* the following property, viz :

Two Silver Watches of the value of twenty two dollars (of 9 Dollars)

Sworn before me this day of

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 *Henry Allen (name here)*

from the fact that the deponent was walking on the Bowery near delany street at the hour of 6.30 p.m. on said day when he was surrounded by four men and the deponent was here got in front of the deponent and snatched his watch from his left hand and pocket. The deponent seized.

Police Justice

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held of the defendant and
held on to him until officer
J. Brennan came along and
took him, the defendant in
custody.

Henry N. Cooper
Sworn to before me
this first day of August 1886.

J. M. Patterson Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

94 District Police Court.

Henry Allen 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 Henry Allen

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 52 Bowery one month

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer waiter

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
Henry Allen

Taken before me this

day of September 1886

Police Justice

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

Alfred Grant
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 August 1 1886 J. W. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

4266-34 110
 Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
 Henry H. Cooper
 250 1/2 Division
 Henry Alleg
 OFFICE OF THE CLERK
 DISTRICT COURT



Dated August 1 1886
 J. J. [unclear] Magistrate.
 J. J. [unclear] Officer.
 10 Precinct.

Witnesses _____
 No. _____ Street.

No. ~~Ex 3 P.M.~~
 Ex 3 P.M.
 No. August 2nd 1886 Street.
 \$1500 to answer G.P.
 Conrad

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GOOD TIME WORKS,
WM. H. M. MARSH,
SATINET PRINTER,
176 WORTH ST.

New York, Aug 10th 1856

To whom it may concern.

Henry Allen has been
in my employ about 3 years
during which time I found
him to be industrious, steady
and as far as I know honest.

He left my employ last April,
of his own accord.

Wm. H. M. Marsh.

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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

Danny Allen

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

Danny Allen

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

The said *Danny Allen*,

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

one watch of the value of

twenty two dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Danny N. Cooper*,
on the person of the said *Danny N. Cooper*,
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Danny N. Cooper*,
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.

David B. ...

District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Anderson, George

DATE:

08/04/86



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6 de. General

4 day of Aug 1886
George Anderson

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Anderson

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE

District Attorney

A True Bill.

Charles H. Martin

July 9th 1886 Foreman

George Anderson

5 P M 1886

Deputy in the ...
Degrees ...
506,522,45811

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Police Court—1st District.

City and County }
of New York, } 55.:

of No. 28 Mott Contra St. Ten Eyck Street, aged 36 years,
occupation Physician being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 28 Mott Street
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story and base-
ment brick building, the first floor of
and which was occupied by deponent as a Doctors Office
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Richard

Curran
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly raising a
window in the rear of deponents
office and entering therein

on the 19 day of July 1886 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Overcoat, a sack coat
and a derby hat, the whole
being valued at thirty-two
Dollars \$ 32 00

the property of Deponent and Richard Curran
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

George Anderson (now here)
for the reasons following, to wit: The said property was
in said premises, and deponent
is informed by Richard Curran
(his friend) that he Curran closed
the said window, and also the front
door leading to said premises. Said
Curran saw the said defendant
leaving the said office with the
said property in his possession

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Deponent is further informed
by Officer Craig that he Craig
found the said defendant at
Baxter Street, with the said
property in his possession, and
he was trying to sell them. Deponent
having since seen the said property
and having identified the same
charges the said defendant with
burglariously taking, stealing and
carrying away the aforesaid property

Sworn to before me
this 20th day of July 1888
W. H. L. Englek

Wm. H. Murray Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
Burglary

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Archibald Craig
aged 33 years, occupation Police Officer of No. South Street
Primer Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 20
day of July 1886 } Archibald M. Craig

Henry J. ...
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Richard Curran

aged 52 years, occupation Painter of No.

38 Madison Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Contra M. Ten Eyck

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

Sworn to before me, this 20
day of July 1886

Richard Keegan

Henry Freeman
Police Justice.

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Sec. 186-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, {

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *George Anderson*

Question How old are you?

Answer *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *Franklin House in Pearl St. 6 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waiter*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the charge*
George Anderson
Mark

Taken before me this

day of *July* 188*6*

Police Justice

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

Anderson
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 July 20 1886 Henry Morrison Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court 11071 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Arthur T. Lee Esq
38 North
George Anderson

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

James J. Murray
OFFICE

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *July 20* 188 *6*

Murray Magistrate.

Crang Officer.

6 Precinct.

Witnesses *Richard Curran*

No. *38* *Madison* Street.

Call the office

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

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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

Figoras Anderson

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

Figoras Anderson

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

The said Figoras Anderson,

late of the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the nineteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, with force and arms, about the hour of twelve o'clock in the day-time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Rantine H. Ventura.

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some human being, to wit:

one Richard Ruman.

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Rantine H. Ventura.

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away.

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Figoras Anderson —

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

The said *Figoras Anderson*.

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

one ~~overcoat~~ of the value of twenty five dollars, one coat of the value of ten dollars, and one hat of the value of three dollars, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Constantine St. Ben Eufa*, —

and one other overcoat of the value of twenty five dollars, one other coat of the value of ten dollars, and one other hat of the value of three dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Richard Furman.

in the dwelling house of the said

Constantine St. Ben Eufa.

there situate, then and there being found, from the dwelling house 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.

Randolph B. ...
Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Anderson, George

DATE:

08/09/86



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Witnesses:

C. Collins

W. Elliott

99 1/2 Spruce

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[Signature]
Counsel,

Filed
May 13/82 1886

Pleads
[Signature]

THE PEOPLE

v/s.

[Signature]
George Anderson

[Signature]
George Anderson

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

[Signature]

A True Bill.

[Signature]
C. B. Knrath

Foreman.

Aug 13/82

[Signature]
John L. ...

Pen 6 months.

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Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 476 First Avenue Street, aged 51 years,
occupation Stone Mason being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 23rd day of July 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

Good and lawful money of
the United States Consisting
of Six \$5.00 bank bills and
together of that amount and value
of thirty dollars
the property of deponent

Sworn to before me, this
1886 day

Police Justice.

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by George Anderson (now here)
from the fact that at about 5
o'clock P.M. of the above date deponent
met said defendant at the Corner
of Broadway and 25th street, and
deponent asked said defendant
when he could get the new 1-Cross
town Car and the said defendant
replied that he would show deponent
and then walked with him to
Broadway and 34th street, then
deponent invited said defendant
to go with him to a saloon on
Broadway between 35th and 36th streets
and get a drink said defendant

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and deponent remained together
at said Saloon and had several
drinks at about this hour of six
o'clock P.M. said defendant and
deponent went out of said Saloon
and walked together to the Corner
of Broadway and 34th street and
while standing in said Corner said
defendant asked deponent if he had
his money all right whereupon deponent
deponent took his money out of his
pocket and while hold it in his hand
the said defendant grabbed said
money from deponent's hand and ran
away. Deponent pursued him up Broadway
to 36th street. Deponent is informed by Officer
James Elliott of the 29th Precinct that he saw
said defendant running through West 36th
street and arrested him and Deponent fully
identifies said defendant.

Sworn to before me } Ben Tammie Collins
this 21st day of July 1888

Dated 1888 _____ Police Justice

guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order to be discharged.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Police Justice

Dated 1888 _____

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1888 _____ Police Justice

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court, District _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated 1888 _____

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness, _____
No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

to answer _____ Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Police Officer of No. James Elliott

the 29th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Constantine Collins

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of July 1886 by James Elliott

Soldier Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 196-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *George Anderson*

Question How old are you?

Answer *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *N^o 120 Swelfth St Brooklyn 5 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Nickel Buffer*

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

George Anderson

Taken before me this

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Justice

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Police Court District. *2 1094*

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Constantine Collins
647 vs. *et al*

George Anderson

Officer of the Peace

Dated *July 24* 188 *6*

Adriest Magistrate.
Elliot Officer.

29 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

1000 to answer *GS.*

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

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 *July 24* 188 *6* *Solo*

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Figoraz Anderson

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

Figoraz Anderson

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

The said *Figoraz Anderson*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Thursday* *third* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

six Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *United States Treasury Notes*, of the denomination of *six* dollars, and of the value of *six* dollars each,

and six Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *Bank Notes*, of the denomination of *six* dollars, and of the value of *six* dollars.

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

Rudolph Bernath
Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Asher, James

DATE:

08/05/86



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The People
vs.
James Asher.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.
Before Judge Cowing.

August 10, 1886.

Indictment for grand larceny.

Lizzie Hart sworn and examined. I was on Park Row on the morning of August 2 in this city about halfpast one o'clock and had a purse in my hand containing two dollars which belonged to me, I saw the prisoner, I went to Coney Island Monday afternoon and I happened to miss a train and I and my lady friend who lives in Brooklyn caught an excursion train, I crossed the bridge and heard some hissing and paid no attention, I got off the Bridge and heard somebody mention my name, as I did that Mr. Asher said, hello, what is your hurry, I said, this is no hour of the night to converse, I am in a hurry to get off; he says, you are getting independent. I says, no not at all, I must be off, I walked the distance of half a block, he stopped me and asked me, have you got change of five dollars, I said, all I had was two dollars and some odd cents. He took the purse and ran across the street. I chased after him and screamed, he used profane language and took out of his pocket a little penknife and said, I will dig you with this knife. I said, I will keep on and have you arrested, I walked down the street and asked the officer to arrest him that he took two dollars of my money and when he was searched it was found on him.

Cross Examined. I went to Brooklyn across the 23rd Street ferry to go to Coney Island and took a car, I am not very well acquainted in Brooklyn, that was my

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first time this summer, I live at 216 Crystie Street, I never was arrested and in the Tombs police Court, my business is working at purses and hand satchels for Schauer Bros. 39 & 41 Water Street for four years steady, I live with my mother, Clara Moore is the name of the lady friend I went with to Coney Island. When I crossed the Bridge to New York I was waiting for a car to go uptown; the prisoner accosted me about a block and a half from the Bridge. I have seen the prisoner twice before in New York, I had only a slight acquaintance with him, this lady friend in Brooklyn introduced me to him, I never spoke to him only saw him conversing with my lady friend, it is a mistake, I did not get an introduction to him. He snatched my purse out of my hand and went behind the milk wagon, I identified the two dollar bill, I had my purse in my hand when the policemen came up, I saw the prisoner drop the purse and I picked it up.

Henry Norton sworn. I am an officer of the 6th precinct and was on duty about half past one or two o'clock in the morning on Park Row upon August 2nd, I was at the corner of Chamber Street and Park Row, I heard someone scream and looking in that direction I saw the prisoner James Asher crossing Park Row to the same side of the street that I was on and the complainant was running after him, he was walking fast and the girl told me that he had stolen two dollars from her pocket book, she said it was a worn bill. I took him to the Station House and found this bill on him.

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(Asher)

Dennis Ring sworn for the defence testified I live 213 East Thirty Fourth St. and keep a saloon; have known the prisoner three years and never knew him to do wrong; he has always worked. I visited him at his house in Brooklyn.

Charlotte E. Asher sworn. I am the wife of the prisoner and have been married four years. I have had two children - one is living. My husband has been working for the last four years. His character has been very good. I have nothing to say against him. He has never been arrested since I have been married; he has always worked and supported me. James Asher sworn. I am a carpenter; have been in this country three years next Feb. I was married in England. I worked for Allen and Linn Party Fifth St. and Broadway. I never worked for Mr. Walker, but have had business transactions with him. He loaned me several amounts and I always paid him back again. I never saw the complainant before the night I met her in Chamber St. On this evening I went up from my house in Brooklyn to Seventy Sixth St. expecting to get employment. I did not get any and had a couple of glasses of beer with a friend and then took the Elevated and got off at Chatham Square. This girl accosted

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me on the street and said, "Daddy,
would I go and have a good time?
I asked her what it would cost and
she said a dollar. I finally consented
and she took me to a house in
Pearl St. and I had intercourse with
her. She demanded another dollar,
that was a two dollar bill. I told her
that was all the money I had. I
could get before my wife came from
Coney Island; she said she would
have to have another dollar before
she went to bed that night from some-
body else. She followed me. I went
from Pearl St to Duane St. I saw
two officers. I gave myself up. I said,
"This girl accused me of stealing two
dollars. I told the officer if he had
suspicion I would give him my
address and he could examine
me. I earn \$3.50 a day when I
am working. I sent my wife and
child down to Coney Island for a
week for the benefit of their health.
The jury rendered a verdict of
guilty with a recommendation
to mercy."

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Testimony in the case
of James White

filed Aug.
1916.

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STAPLE BRANDS OF CHEWING GUM

New York, ^{75 & 77 Murray St.} Sept 21 1886,

We do not know of
any person in our
employ. by the name
of Lizzie Hart.

Adams & Sons,

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HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
 Sanitary Bureau, Seventh Division, Vital Statistics.

Liber 7
 No. 2094

OFFICE, 301 MOTT STREET,

New York, Sept. 3, 1886

A Transcript from the Record of Marriages
 IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

DATE OF MARRIAGE.		NAME OF GROOM.	RESIDENCE.		AGE.	COLOR.
MONTH.	YEAR.		NUMBER.	STREET.	YEARS	
June	19, 1883	Daniel Arnold	134	Seventh	22	W
GROOM'S BIRTHPLACE.		NAME OF FATHER.	NAME OF MOTHER.			
New York City		Daniel Arnold	Marie Bischof			
OCCUPATION.	No. of Groom's Marriage.	NAME OF BRIDE.	RESIDENCE.		AGE.	COLOR.
			NUMBER.	STREET.	YEARS	
Photographer	1st	Lizzie Engelhardt	169	Forsyth	19	W
BRIDE'S BIRTHPLACE.		NAME OF FATHER.	NAME OF MOTHER.			
New York City		Nicolas Engelhardt	Margaret Buchner			
No. of BRIDE'S MARRIAGE.	BY WHOM MARRIED, AND OFFICIAL STATION OF PERSON SOLEMNIZING THE MARRIAGE.			WHEN RECORDED.		
1st	Rev. Francis J. Schneider			July 9, 1883		

The persons authorized to solemnize Marriages by the Laws of New York are the following:

1. Ministers of the Gospel and Priests of every denomination.
 2. Mayors, Recorders, and Aldermen of Cities.
 3. Judges of County Courts and Justices of the Peace.
 4. Jews and "Quakers (or Friends)," in a manner agreeable to the regulations of their respective societies.
- Hence, certificates of the solemnization of Marriages by Notaries, or by or before any other person or officers than those above named, ARE NO EVIDENCE OF SUCH MARRIAGES.

Walter Det. Day, M.D.
 Register of Records.

A True Copy,

[Signature]
 Secretary

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Pedigree of Lissie Hart, otherwise known as Englehart.

I respectfully report as follows: Her real name is Lizzie Englehart - her mother lives at 169 Forsyth street now. In 1883 she was married to a fellow named Arnold, who was afterwards arrested for burglary and sentenced on March 6th 1884, to the Elmira Reformatory, by Recorder Smyth. This Lizzie Englehart had two children, who died and they were both buried by Mr. Stalzenberger of 82 Stanton St., they were buried under the name of Arnold. On the 15th of this month she moved to No. 6 First St. with a man named Max Schwab, they lived there as man and wife, in a furnished room. On the 5th of July she sneaked down stairs in the kitchen and stole a silk dress, two skirts and one apron and a jersey, all of the value of \$20.. Mrs. Weiss the occupant of this house called upon Detective Bizzard of the 17th precinct and went with him to 230 Christy St. As soon as Lizzie saw the Detective with Mrs. Weiss she immediately called Mrs. Weiss, and said that she would return her property. Detective Bizzard knows her as a "cruiser" The house where she lived, 230 Christy St., she was dispossessed. The lady who she claims is her sister, is not her sister. She is known as a variety singer, has sang in a variety show in 59th street and at Adam Ganzer's. And in my opinion, based on information and belief, she is unworthy of belief.

I have subpoenaed Detective Bizzard, who will see Mr. Bedford on the day of the trial, and who will give her true character. Where she lived at 230 Christy St., where she was dispossessed.. The neighbors claim that she went out evenings but never saw her come in - heard a noise about one or two o'clock in the morning, and never got up until about twelve in the day. She claims now that she is pregnant, and this Max Schwab, who is living with her as her husband at No. 6 First St. is the father of the child Max Schwab lives at 247 Rowery and Mrs. Weiss lives at No. 6 First street - she is willing to testify. The last child died on the 17th of March and was buried on the 19, March, this year, its name was Arnold.

Very respectfully.

Jacob VonGreichten.

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*Requiesce at
Lizzie Hart.*

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S. SCHEUER & SON,
39 & 41 WALKER STREET,
NEW YORK.

August 11th 1886

Dear Blake & Sullivan
Gentlemen:

Replying to your favor of this date we beg to say that the name of Lizzie Hart does not appear upon our books as ever having been employed by us, but we have employed over a year ago one by the name of Lizzie Englehardt; nevertheless we are unable to pass an opinion upon the girls employed by us as we do not have any occasion to be among them. Believe us,

Truly Yours

S. Scheuer & Son
S. Scheuer

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District Attorney's Office
City & County of
New York

Aug 12th 1886

Hon. Judge Cowing,

I would respectfully
report the character of James Asher defendant
and Lizzie Hart Compl:

Lizzie Hart lives with a family named
Fuchs at 216 Chrystie Street. She moved
to the above no on July 17th of this year
the tenants in the house know
nothing about her character but
the house keeper says that she
and Mrs Fuchs goes out every
evening and is said they go to
Billy Mc Glory's Hall on Hester St.
Mr Scherer & Son of 39-41 Walker St.
states that they never had a girl
by the name of Lizzie Hart
in their employ. But tracing
back about 15 months they
find that a Lizzie Engelhard
had been employed and from
description is the same girl

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

and her reputation is not
the best and ^{the} rest of the Girls
at Schenck's employ would not
associate with her.

James Asher the defendant.

I seen Mr Charles Walker with
the Firm of Herman & Sternback 476
B'way has known Asher about three
years and saw him daily and
speaks of ^{him} as a honest hard working
man. is married and one child
living in Brooklyn.

Mr Dennis Ring 213 East 34th St.
has known him for three years
during that time seen him twice
or three times a week as a
honest simple hard working
man.

Mr Ring and Mr Walker will
be in Court this morning. You, D.

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Police Court 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 216 Chrystie Lizzie Hart Street, aged 18 years,
occupation Leather Bands being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 2nd day of August 1888 at the City of New

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

person of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:
One pocket book containing gold
and lawful money of the United
States consisting of one two dollar
bank bill of the value of two
dollars

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by James Ascher (now here)
from the fact that at about the hour
of one o'clock & thirty minutes of the
while deponent was walking along Park
Row the defendant accosted deponent
and snatched the aforesaid pocket
book containing said money from
deponent's hands and ran away
and deponent pursued said defendant
and caused defendant's arrest.

Lizzie Hart

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day of August 1888
of Lizzie Hart
Police Justice

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Sec. 196-200.

1 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

James Asher 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 James Asher

Question How old are you?

Answer 23 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer England

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

Answer 142 Tillam Street Brooklyn 3 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Carpenter

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

Answer I am not guilty
James Asher

Taken before me this
day of

[Signature]
Police Justice

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

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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 Aug 3 1887 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

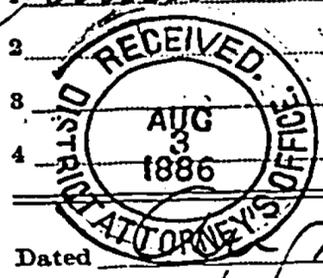
Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court 1st District 1157

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Lizzie Hark
vs. Private
James Ascher



Office *Arthur Jensen*

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated 3 1888

Duffy Magistrate.
Henry Morton Officer.
6 Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 500 to answer G. S.

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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

James Arthur

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

James Arthur -

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

The said James Arthur,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the second day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in the month of August, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pocket watch of the value of two dollars, and one promissory note for the payment of money of the kind called United States Treasury notes, of the denomination and value of two dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Maggie Hart, on the person of the said Maggie Hart, then and there being found, from the person of the said Maggie Hart, 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.

Handwritten signatures and names at the bottom of the document.