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No 152

Counsel,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Jacob  
Drimhant

INDICTMENT.  
Grand Larceny in the 2nd degree.

(MONEY.)

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JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Woodley

Foreman

Sept 13/83

John G. Gentry

Elmer R.

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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

*Jacob Brinkhamp*

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

*Jacob Brinkhamp*

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

The said *Jacob Brinkhamp*

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

*three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the  
kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars  
*each*; *five* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value  
of ten dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due  
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the  
value of five dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars,  
and of the value of two dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being  
then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination  
of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of  
money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty  
dollars *each*; *five* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank  
notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *ten* promissory  
notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of  
the value of five dollars *each*; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars ; *one*  
promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and  
unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar , *one watch of the value of*

*twelve dollars, one chain of the value of*  
*four dollars, and one pocket watch of the value of*  
*one dollar, and divers silver coins of the*  
*United States of America of a number kind*  
*and denomination to the Grand Jury*  
*aforesaid unknown, of the value of ten*  
*dollars*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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No 152 611

Police Court— 511 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Julia Reinhardt*  
1646 23<sup>rd</sup> St  
*Jacob Breithaupt.*

BAILED.

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Aug 30 1883

*Henry Murray* Magistrate.  
*Officer.*  
*23* Precinct.

Witnesses *John Becker*  
No. 1646 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave Street.  
*Otto Meierhauff*  
*234 Precinct. Police*

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 1000 to answer  
Committed

U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
S.D.N.Y.  
AUG 31 1883

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 *Jacob Breit-haupt*

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 Aug 30 1883 *Henry Murray* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Sec. 198—200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Jacob Breithaupt* 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. *Jacob Breithaupt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *1646 Third Ave 4 mo's*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Porter*

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*

*Jacob Breithaupt.*

Taken before me this

*30*

day of

*Dec*

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*J. J. J.*  
Police Justice.

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City and County of {  
New York }

John Basher of No 1646 Third Avenue  
and Otto Wenckhoff of the 23<sup>d</sup>  
Precinct Police being duly sworn  
says that they heard Jacob  
Breithaupt acknowledge and  
confess that he took stole  
and carried away the property  
described in the within affidavit  
of Anton Reinhardt and that there  
after they saw said Breithaupt  
return part of said property also  
described in said affidavit of  
Anton Reinhardt.

Testame Subscribed

Otto Wenckhoff

Severally Sworn to before me

this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1883

of *My* *Thomas* Police Justice

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5th District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. 1646 Third Avenue Street, Anton Reinhardtbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1883  
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 daytime

the following property, viz:

One silver watch and chain of the value of  
Sixteen dollars and a pocket-book con-  
-taining divers bills of divers denominations  
and silver coin all  
of the value of one hundred and two dollars  
all of the value of one hundred and  
Eighteen dollars

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the property of deponent who is 28 years old and is  
~~28 years~~ a Brewer by occupation

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 Jacob Breithaupt (now here)  
from the fact that said defendant acknow-  
ledged and confessed in the presence  
of John Bisher and Otto Wemkauff that  
he took stole and carried away  
said property and that immediately  
thereafter the said defendant gave  
to deponent the silver watch and  
chain and Sixty nine dollars part  
of the property described as aforesaid

Anton ReinhardtSworn before me this  
30<sup>th</sup> day of August-  
1883  
Police Justice.

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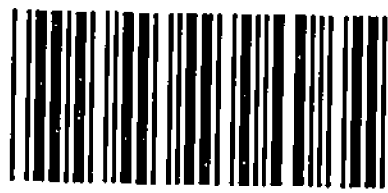
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Counsel,  
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16. THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
J. W. L. Wicks  
Frank Brown

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney  
In Sept. 12/83  
Under Gaily.  
A True Bill. S. P. 100410.  
Mrs. Morley  
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

Frank Brown

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

Frank Brown

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

The said Frank Brown

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~Second~~ day of ~~September~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms one ring of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Maria Simmons, and one coat of the value of nine dollars one vest of the value of two dollars, one hat of the value of three dollars, and one shirt of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one ~~Maria~~ ~~McMahon~~ then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McKeon  
District Attorney

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No 120 105-1  
Police Court 21 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Mama Simmons  
207 W 22 St  
1 Frank Brown  
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4  
Offence Grand Larceny

BAILED,  
No 1, by  
Residence  
No 2, by  
Residence  
No 3, by  
Residence  
No 4, by  
Residence  
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Dated September 3 1883  
Patterson Magistrate.  
Henry C. Moore Officer.  
16 Precinct.  
Witnesses Martin & Watson  
No 247 Street 22  
No 2 Street  
No 1000 Street 45  
\$ 1000 to answer

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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 Frank Brown

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

Dated September 3 1883 H. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Frank Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Eighteen years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. United States

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

Answer. 218 West 28th Street, about 7 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 but did not intend to steal them

Frank Brown

Taken before me this

day of

September 1918

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 34 years, occupation Police Officer of No.  
16<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 3<sup>d</sup>  
day of September 1883

M. Patterson  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Martin J Mc Mahon

aged 27 years, occupation Clerk of No.

207 west 25<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Maria Simon.

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

Sworn to before me, this 30  
day of September 1883

Martin J Mc Mahon

Am. Patterson  
Police Justice.



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District Police Court. Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. Maria Furman  
 of No. 207 West 22<sup>d</sup> Street, 34 yrs, House keeper  
 being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1883  
 at the Above mentioned premises In the day City of New York,  
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
 of deponent With intent to deprive the true & lawful owner  
thereof  
 the following property, viz :

Sworn before me this 188 day of September

One Diamond Cluster ring of the value  
of One hundred & fifty Dollars  
the property of Maria Furman.  
One coat vest, shirt & hat, the property  
of Martin J Mc Mahon, and of the  
value of Fifteen Dollars.  
The same being in the care & custody of deponent  
as housekeeper, & being together of the  
value of One hundred & sixty five dollars.  
 the property of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 Frank Brown (now here) from  
 the fact, that when said Brown was  
 arrested, said clothes the property of  
 said Mc Mahon were found on his person  
 which said Mc Mahon freely identified  
 as being his property, and; that said  
 Brown admitted & confessed to  
 Henry Aitken a detective of the  
 16<sup>th</sup> Police Precinct & in the pres-  
 ence of deponent that he had

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taken stolen and carried away said property  
and that he hid the said ring behind  
a picture on the wall of the dining  
room on said premises which was  
afterwards seized and which appears  
fully identified as her property and  
as the property taken stolen & carried  
away by said Brown

I now to before me  
this 3<sup>d</sup> day of September 1883  
J. M. Patterson

Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Bryce, James

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Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Sept 11th 1883

and for the purpose of

THE PEOPLE

vs.

INDICTMENT.

Grand Larceny in the second degree.

James B. Cox

(3 cases)

JOHN M. KRON,

Sept 11th 1883 District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Geo. W. Barlow

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

James Bryce

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

James Bryce

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said James Bryce

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

two promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each; four promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars each; eight promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each; two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each; four promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each; eight promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each; one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars and one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one Henry Ferris

then and there being found,

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.



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W. G. General Sessions

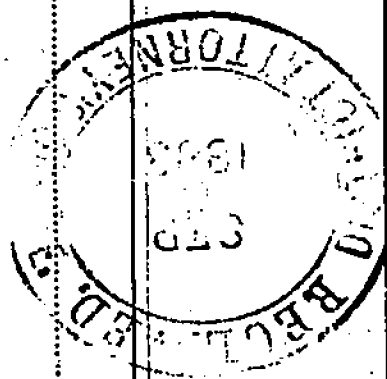
The People etc  
on the complaint of  
Henry Ferris

James Bryce

Witnesses

Henry Ferris

William A. Ferris



W. Reid Gould, Law Stationer, 103 Nassau St., N. Y.

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N. Y. General Sessions

The People vs }  
James Bryce }

City and County of New York ss.

Henry Ferris  
being duly sworn says that he resides  
at No 362 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street New York City  
That on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882  
at the City of New York in the County of  
New York was feloniously taken stolen  
and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, Henry J. Ferris and  
Charles W. Ferris co-partners the fol-  
lowing property viz a sum of money  
amounting to forty two dollars, the  
property of deponent and Henry J. Ferris  
and Charles W. Ferris co-partners doing  
business as Ale Brewers under the  
firm name of Henry Ferris and Sons.  
at number 249 and 251 Tenth Avenue  
New York City, and this deponent has  
a probable cause to suspect and does  
suspect that said property was fel-  
oniously taken stolen and carried  
away by James Bryce for the following  
reasons -

That said James Bryce, at the times here-  
inafter mentioned, and for a long time prior

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hereto and until about January 10, 1883 was in the employ of deponents firm at their place of business as aforesaid, as Cashier

That among other things it was the duty of said Cashier to receive all moneys coming into said firm on account of their business; to make payments; to enter into the books of said firm on each day all moneys received by him, with name of person paying same, and all moneys paid out with name of persons or corporation to whom same was paid.

That the books of said firm kept by said James Bryce were as follows. A Blotter, Cash Book, Journal and Ledger.

That, as deponent is informed by William A. Ferris, whose affidavit is hereto annexed, and which deponent believes to be true; one John Fitzpatrick paid to said William A. Ferris the sum of forty two dollars being the amount of his bill, as per Exhibit A, hereto annexed, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882; and that thereafter and on said day said William A. Ferris gave said sum of forty two dollars to said James Bryce as Cashier

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of said firm together with the name of John Fitzpatrick, the party paying same.

That said Bryce did not enter the receipt of said money upon the Blotter on said day, nor any other day, nor did he enter the receipt therey upon the Cash Book or Journal, but he did credit the account of said John Fitzpatrick upon the Ledger, referring in said Ledger to page 637 of the Journal, containing the transactions of said firm for December 12, 1882 but no entry was made in said Journal upon said page 637 or any other page of the receipt of said sum of forty two dollars from said John Fitzpatrick.

That said James Bryce did not pay said sum of forty two dollars to deponents firm nor did he ever account therefor but on the contrary appropriated the same to his own use without the knowledge or consent of said firm of Henry Ferris and sons or either of them.

Sworn to before me this } Henry Ferris  
1<sup>st</sup> day of September 1883  
William J. Hall  
Notary Public N.Y. County



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N.Y. General Sessions  
The People vs

James Bryce  
City & County of New York vs

William A.

Ferris being duly sworn says, I reside at number 1254 Franklin Avenue New York City. I am a collector for the firm of Henry Ferris and Sons, said Henry Ferris being my father. I know James Bryce above named, he was Cashier of said firm -

On the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882 I collected for said firm the following accounts.

Patrick Craven	\$ 72.00
John McCormick	12.00
B. Connolly	36.00
John Fitzpatrick	42.00
Thomas Mallon	46.50
M. J. Flannery	57.00
R. Leary	26.00
George Heitzman	72.00
Dennis Lehan	12.00

I gave a receipted bill therefore to the parties paying their accounts. The receipt on the bill hereto annexed is in my own handwriting. I received the sum



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of forty two dollars from said John Fitzpatrick, entered it, together with the other amounts I received on that day in my book, and on same day I gave said sum of forty two dollars together with the other amount before specified, to said James Boyce also handing him my book, in which he checked off each item. That upon an examination made by me I find upon the Blotter under the date of December 12<sup>th</sup> 1882 all the accounts and moneys entered therein with the exception of the account of John Fitzpatrick (42) forty two dollars, and on the Cash Book under same date all the accounts and moneys are entered therein excepting the account of John Fitzpatrick forty two (42) dollars, and that no entry of the account of John Fitzpatrick forty two dollars, appears in the Journal of the Date of December 12 1882 although the account of John Fitzpatrick is credited in the handwriting of said James Boyce, with forty two dollars as received on December 12<sup>th</sup> 1882.

The Blotter Cash Book Journal and

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Ledger are all in the hands of  
of said James Porce, with which  
I am familiar.

Sworn to before me

Wm A Ferris,

This 1<sup>st</sup> day of September 1883

William Dall

Notary Public

N.Y. County (191

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HIGHEST AWARD FOR PERFECTION IN COLOR, BRIGHTNESS AND TASTE, AND EXCELLENCY IN AROMA.

CANADA MALT GOLDEN B ALE.



New York, Nov 30 1885

*McMurtry & Co*

HENRY FERRIS,  
HENRY J. FERRIS,  
CHARLES W. FERRIS.



HENRY FERRIS & SONS,

Brewers of Ales and Porter,

249 & 251 TENTH AVE.

Empties not returned will  
be charged for.

Nov 1	1	CASKS.	44 Ale
13	1	"	" "
22	1	"	" "
22	1/2	"	Porter

12 00
12 00
12 00
6 00

\$240

*Dec 15 1885*

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HIGHEST AWARD FOR PERFECTION IN COLOR, BRIGHTNESS AND TASTE, AND EXCELLENCY IN AROMA.

# CANADA MALT GOLDEN B ALE.



New York, Nov 30 1885

*McMurtry & Co*

HENRY FERRIS,  
HENRY J. FERRIS,  
CHARLES W. FERRIS.



## HENRY FERRIS & SONS,

Brewers of Ales and Porter,

249 & 251 TENTH AVE.

Empties not returned will  
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Nov 13	1	CASKS.	Ale
22	1	"	"
22	1	"	"
22	1/2	"	Porter

12 00
12 00
12 00
6 00
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\$200

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John F. Ziegler  
John F. Ziegler



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No 66 707  
Counsel,  
Filed 7 day of Sept 1883  
Pleas *Not guilty (No. 1)*  
*with leave to enter a*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *P*  
*James Bryce*  
*[Beaver]*

INDICTMENT.  
Grand Larceny in the 2nd degree.  
(MONEY)  
(55284521)

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Wm. J. McKeon*  
*Sept. 1883.* Foreman  
*Wm. J. McKeon*  
*Pleas Guilty*  
*Pen 2 years.*

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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 Bryce*

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

*James Bryce*

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

The said *James Bryce*

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

*three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *twelve* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *twelve* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars *and one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Henry Ferris*

then and there being found,

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Bail fixed on  
the 3 indictments at  
\$6000  
Wrote Sept 20/83  
RBC  
JL

1883 Sep 6/83

No 67 707

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleads

For you only, each leave

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Bryce

INDICTMENT.  
Grand Larceny in the Second degree.  
(MONEY)  
(595280ms531)

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Sept 19/83  
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

James Bryce

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

James Bryce

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said James Bryce

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

two promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each; five promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each; two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each; five promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each; one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars, and one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one Henry Ferris

then and there being found,

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

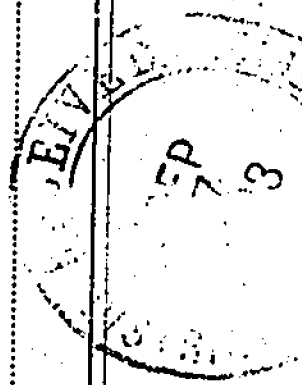
N.Y. General Sessions

The People etc  
on the complaint of  
Henry Ferris

vs

James Bryce

Witnesses  
Henry Ferris  
Henry J Ferris



W. Reid Gould, Law Stationer, 105 Nassau St., N.Y.

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HIGHEST AWARD FOR PERFECTION IN COLOR, BRIGHTNESS AND TASTE, AND EXCELLENCY IN AROMA.

CANADA MALT GOLDEN B ALE.



New York, Dec. 30 1883

M. W. Dolle

HENRY FERRIS,  
HENRY J. FERRIS,  
CHARLES W. FERRIS.



HENRY FERRIS & SONS,

Brewers of Ales and Porter,

249 & 251 TENTH AVE.

Empties not returned will  
be charged for.

Dec 5	1	CASKS.	Wale	12 00
12	1	"	" "	12 00
22	1	"	" "	12 00
28	1	"	" "	12 00
28	1/2	"	Porter	6 00
				<hr/> 54 00

As per  
New York  
Jan 2 1884

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Mr Dally

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N.Y. General Sessions

The People vs

James Bryce

City and County of New York. ss.

Henry Ferris

being duly sworn says that he resides  
at No 362 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street New York City.

That on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1883  
at the City of New York in the County  
of New York was feloniously taken stolen  
and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, Henry J. Ferris and Charles  
W. Ferris copartners the following  
property viz a sum of money amount-  
ing to fifty four dollars, the property  
of deponent. Henry J. Ferris and Charles  
W. Ferris copartners doing business  
as Ale Brewers under the firm  
name of Henry Ferris and Sons at  
Number 249 and 251 Tenth Avenue New  
York City and this deponent has a prob-  
able cause to suspect and does suspect  
that said property was feloniously taken  
stolen and carried away by James Bryce  
for the following reasons

That said James Bryce, at the times  
hereinafter mentioned and for a long time prior

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hereto and until about January 16<sup>th</sup> 1883 was in the employ of deponents' firm at their place of business as aforesaid as cashier.

That among other things it was the duty of said cashier to receive all moneys coming into said firm on account of their business; to make payments; to enter into the books of said firm on each day all moneys received by him with name of person paying same and all moneys paid out with name of person or corporation to whom same was paid.

That the books of said firm kept by said James Bryce were as follows. A Blotter Cash Book Journal and Ledger.

That a deponent is informed by Henry Ferris, and believes it to be true, one William Dole, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1883, paid to said Henry Ferris the sum of fifty four dollars being the amount of his bill, as per Exhibit A hereto annexed, and that said Henry Ferris thereupon receipted said bill, and thereafter gave the said James Bryce the said sum of fifty four dollars together with the name of William Dole as the party paying same, on said

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Wm Doll  
notary

Wm Doll  
notary

2<sup>d</sup> day of January 1882 for said firm  
that said Bryce did not enter the receipt  
of said money upon the Blotter on said  
day, nor any other day, nor did he enter  
the receipt thereof upon the Cash Book  
~~and~~ but he did credit the account  
of said William Doll <sup>with said sum</sup> upon the Ledger  
referring in said Ledger to page 656  
of the Journal containing the transaction  
of said firm for January 2 1883, ~~and~~  
<sup>an</sup> ~~no~~ entry was made in said Journal  
upon said page 656 ~~or any other page~~  
of the receipt of said sum of fifty four  
dollars from said William Doll.

That said James Bryce did not  
pay the sum of fifty four dollars received  
so as aforesaid, to defendants from nor did  
he ever account therefor but on the contrary  
appropriated the same to his own use  
without the knowledge or consent of  
said firm of Henry Ferris and Sons or  
either of them

Shown to before me  
this 1<sup>st</sup> day of September 1883 }

William Doll  
Notary Public  
Newport County

Henry Ferris



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The within named  
Defendant was  
arrested by me on  
this day committed to  
Domb. Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1883  
Officer Philip Reilly  
Police Headquarters

The officer executing this process will make his  
return to the Court forthwith.

Issued Sept 11 1883

Bench Warrant for Felony.

James Bryce

against

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING :

An indictment having been found on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept  
1883, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging James Bryce

with the crime of Grand Larceny second degree

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named James  
Bryce and bring him before that Court to answer the indictment, or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York.

New York City, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1883.

By order of the Court,

W. H. Packard  
Clerk.

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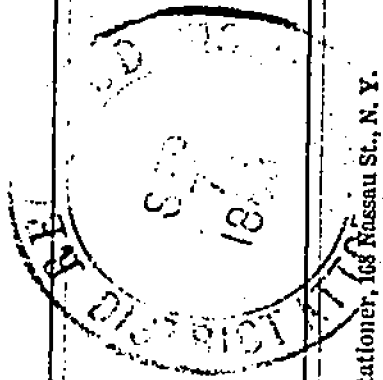
N. Y. General Sessions

The People etc  
on the complaint of  
Henry Ferris

vs

James Bryce

Witnesses  
Henry Ferris  
William A Ferris



W. Field Gould, Law Stationer, 100 Nassau St., N. Y.

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N.Y. General Sessions  
The People *vs*  
James Bryce.

City and County of New York, ss.

William A. Ferris

being duly sworn says I reside at number 1254  
Franklin Avenue New York. I am a collector for  
the firm of Henry Ferris & Sons, said Henry  
Ferris being my father. I know James Bryce  
abovenamed he was cashier of said firm.

On the 3<sup>d</sup> day of January 1883 I collected  
for said firm the following accounts.

John McCormick	\$ 30.00
John Funch	9.00
C. Levers	20.00
Timothy O'Leary	18.00
Thomas Malton	80.50
M. J. Flannery	63.00
R. Casey	102.00
Dennis Lehan	12.00
John Gavigan	63.00

I gave a receipted bill therefore to the  
parties paying their accounts. The receipt on  
the bill hereto annexed is my own hand  
writing. I received the sum of Sixty three  
(63) dollars, from said John Gavigan

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entered it, together with the other amounts I received on that day in my book, and on same day I gave said sum of sixty three (63) dollars together with the other amount before specified, to said James Bryce also handing him my book in which he checked off each item. That upon an examination made by me I find upon the blotter under the date of January 3<sup>d</sup> 1883 all the accounts and moneys entered therein with the exception of the account of John Gavigan sixty three (63) dollars — and on the Cash Book under same date all the accounts and monies are entered therein excepting the account of John Gavigan sixty three dollars and that no entry of the account of John Gavigan sixty three (63) dollars appears in the Journal of the date of January 3<sup>d</sup> 1883 although the account of John Gavigan is credited in the handwriting of said James Bryce, with sixty three (63) dollars as received on the 3<sup>d</sup> day of January 1883.

The Blotter Cash Book Journal and Ledger are all in the handwriting of said James Bryce with which I am familiar.

Sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of September 1883 } W<sup>m</sup> A. Ferris.

William D. Galt  
Notary Public (19)  
W.V. County



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N. Y. General Sessions

The People vs

agst-

James Bryce

City and County of New York ss.

Henry Ferris

being duly sworn says that he resides  
at No 362 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street in City of New  
York

That on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1883 at the  
City of New York in the County of New York  
was feloniously taken stolen and carried away  
from the possession of Deponent. Henry J. Ferris  
and Charles W. Ferris copartners the following  
property viz a sum of money amounting  
to Sixty three dollars the property of de-  
ponent, Henry J. Ferris and Charles W. Ferris  
copartners doing business as Ale Brewers  
under the firm name of Henry Ferris and  
Sons at Number 249 and 251 Tenth Avenue  
New York City, and this deponent here on  
probable cause to suspect and does suspect  
that said property was feloniously taken  
stolen and carried away by James Bryce  
for the following reasons.

That said James Bryce, at the times  
hereinafter mentioned and for a long time  
prior thereto and until January 10<sup>th</sup> 1883

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was in the employ of deponents firm at their place of business as aforesaid as Cashier.

That among other things it was the duty of said cashier to receive all money coming into said business; to make payments; to enter into the books of said firm on each day all moneys received by him with name of persons paying the same and all moneys paid out with name of person or corporation to whom same was paid.

That the books of said firm kept by said James Bryce were as follows, a Blotter Cash Book Journal and Ledger

That as deponent is informed by William A. Ferris, whose affidavit is hereto annexed and all the statements in which deponent believes to be true, one John Gavigan on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1883 paid to said William A. Ferris the sum of sixty three dollars being the amount of his bill as per Schedule "A" hereto annexed, and that said Ferris thereupon receipted the same and thereafter, and on said 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1883 said William A. Ferris gave the said Bryce the said sum of sixty three for and on

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account of said firm

That said Bryce did not enter the receipt of said money upon the Blotter on said day, nor any other day, nor did he enter the receipt thereof upon the least Book or Journal but he did credit the account of said John Gavigan with said sum upon the Ledger referring in said Ledger to page 655 of the Journal containing the transaction of said firm for January 3 1883, but no entry was made in said Journal upon said page 655 or any other page after the receipt of said sum of sixty three dollars from said John Gavigan.

That said James Bryce did not pay the sum of fifty four dollars received so as aforesaid, to deponents' firm nor did he ever account therefor but on the contrary appropriated the same to his own use without the knowledge or consent of said firm of Henry Ferris and sons or either of them.

Henry Ferris

Shown to before me  
this 14 day of September 1883 }  
William D. Ball  
Notary Public  
N.Y. County

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Joe Garigano  
63-

John Garigano

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763 HIGHEST AWARD FOR PERFECTION IN COLOR, BRIGHTNESS AND TASTE, AND EXCELLENCY IN AROMA.



# CANADA MALT GOLDEN B ALE.

New York, Dec 3, 1887

M. J. Gargan



HENRY FERRIS,  
HENRY J. FERRIS,  
CHARLES W. FERRIS.



## HENRY FERRIS & SONS,

Brewers of Ales and Porter,

249 & 251 TENTH AVE.

Empties not returned will  
be charged for.

Dec	2	1	CASKS.	4 Ale
	8	1	1	1
	16	1	1	1
	22	1	1	1
	22	1/4	1	1
	28	1	1	1

12	00
12	00
12	00
12	00
3	00
12	00

63.00

Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1888

New York, Dec 3, 1887



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Buck, Henry

DATE:

09/20/83



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*Wm. C. ...*  
*Wm. C. 243 ...*  
*7 ...*  
*4 ...*  
Counsel,  
Filed *20* day of *Sept* 1883  
Pleads *1st* *Chall* *34*

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and  
Receiving Stolen Goods  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*B*  
*Denny Buck*  
*Sept 1883*

*1st*  
JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney  
*May 24 To ...*  
A True Bill.  
*Wm. Woolley*  
Foreman.

*Check from 10 a Feb 19/87*

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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

*Henry Buck*

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

*Henry Buck*

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

The said *Henry Buck*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *24th* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

*twenty two gallons of Ice cream of the value of three dollars each gallon, and twenty two cans of the value of fifty cents each*

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

*John W. Sloan*

*District Attorney*

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against


*Henry Duck*

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

*Oct 5<sup>th</sup>*

1883

 The officer executing this process will make his  
return to the Court forthwith.

*Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> 1883*

*The within named  
defendant was  
arrested this day  
by Det. Von Gerichten  
& Reilly  
and brought to  
Court of General  
Sessions*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Henry Duck*

*1883*

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

*Oct 5th*

1883

The officer executing this process will make his  
return to the Court forthwith.

*Nov: 27<sup>th</sup> 1883*

*The within named  
defendant was  
Arrested this day  
by Det: Von Gerichten  
& Reilly  
and brought to  
Court of General  
Sessions*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING :

An indictment having been found on the 20 day of Sept  
1889, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging Henry Ruck

with the crime of Grand Larceny second degree

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named Henry  
Ruck and bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York.

New York City, the 5 day of Oct 1889

By order of the Court,

[Signature]  
Clerk.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nicholas Standen  
<sup>3rd</sup> Victor St.  
Henry Jones

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

Offence, *Breach of Peace*

Dated July 24 1883

J. J. J. Magistrate.

Witnesses,  
John Jackson of \_\_\_\_\_  
Comptable Irving him.

No. John Jackson Street  
378 Gold St Brooklyn

No. One Randolph Street,  
City New York

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

\$ 500 to answer \_\_\_\_\_

Allen Hance

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 Henry Duck

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 15 1883 J. Henry Pond Police Justice.

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

Dated July 25 1883 J. J. Henry Police Justice.

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

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

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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, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Nicholas Haufald

of No. 34 Hester Street, that on the 24 day of July 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

Twenty Cases Can Cream 20 Gallons  
of Ice Cream

of the value of Eighty Dollars,  
the property of Complainant  
was taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by Henry Bunch

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 3 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 28 day of July 1883  
J. Henry Bunch POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
OR THE COMPLAINANT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest,

July 25/1883

Native of

Henry Bunch  
1032 1st Avenue

Age,

25

Sex

Complexion,

Color

Profession,

Married

Single

Read

Write,

The Defendant  
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer  
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-  
tained in this Warrant.

Bell Officer

Dated July 24 1883  
John J. Bell Magistrate

Bell Officer

Dated July 25 1883

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK ss.

20 District Police Court.

*Henry Duck* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h *10* right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against h *11a*; that the statement is designed to  
enable h *1m* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *1m*  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h *10* waiver cannot be used  
against h *1m* on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer *Henry Duck*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *105 Stanton St about 9 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver of a truck*

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 of the  
Charge*  
*Henry Duck*  
*his  
mark*

Taken before me this

day of

*July*

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Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 17 years, occupation Cigar Maker of No.

378 Calhoun Street Brooklyn Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Nicholas Kaufold

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

24  
July 1883

John Angus

J. Henry Ford

Police Justice.



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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

aged 42 years *Nicholas Kaufold*  
of No. *34 1<sup>st</sup> St* Street, *Ice Cream Manufacture*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *24* day of *July* 188*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 the day time*

the following property, viz :

*Twenty two Cans containing twenty  
two gallons of Ice Cream of the  
Value Sixty 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 Buck*

*From the fact that on the morning  
of said 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1883 said  
Henry who was in the employ  
of deponent as a driver took  
said property from said premises  
and in to the wagon in his charge  
deponent ordered said Henry  
to deliver 10 Cans of said Cream  
to 10 several places, persons, and*

For Justice,

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to collect the money therefore  
Deponent is informed by John  
Lucas of No 348 Gold Street in  
the City of Brooklyn that he found  
the Horse and Wagon of deponent  
which was the horse and wagon  
in charge of said Buck abandoned  
in Fulton Street City of Brooklyn  
Deponent charges that said  
Buck did take and steal  
said property as aforesaid

Sworn to before me } Michael Murphy  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1883  
J. Henry Ford  
Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES :

DISPOSITION

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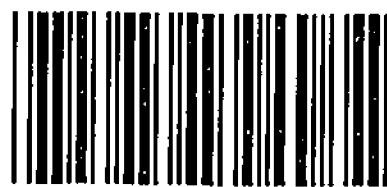
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Barry, Patrick

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vs THE PEOPLE

vs

David Buckle

N.A.

Patrick Barry

JOHN McKEON,

Dec. 20th 1883. District Attorney.

vs

Twenty Convicts.

A True Bill.

Wm. Blawie

Foreman.

Dec 20th 1883

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

*against*  
*David Buckley*  
*and*  
*Patrick Barry*  
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse  
*David Buckley and Patrick Barry*

\_\_\_\_\_ of the crime of Robbery in the first degree,  
committed as follows:

The said *David Buckley and Patrick Barry*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the *ninth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms, in and upon one *Max Shield*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault ~~and~~  
*[each of them being then and there*  
*aided by an accomplice actually*  
*present]* and, one watch of the  
value of *eighty* dollars, and one  
chain of the value of *twenty*  
*dollars*

\_\_\_\_\_ of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Max Shield*

from the person of said *Max Shield* and against  
the will and by violence to the person of the said *Max Shield*  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, against the  
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People  
of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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NOBIS & REID,  
STAIRBUILDERS,  
447 West 45th Street,

New York, Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 1883.

To whom it may concern.  
We are pleased  
to state that we have  
received your order for  
a set of stairs for  
your house at  
No. 123 West 45th Street.  
We will have them  
made by the best  
workmen and  
will have them  
ready for you in  
about ten days.

Yours truly,  
Nobis & Reid,  
Stairbuilders,  
447 West 45th Street,  
New York City.

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*223 242*  
*John Buckley*

Offence

Dated

*Sept 10 1883*

*John Buckley*

*19*

Witnesses

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

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

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

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer

*and*

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*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *75* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated

*Sept 10*

1883

Police Justice.

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

Dated

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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

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

*David Buckley* 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.

*David Buckley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*32 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Illiana*

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

Answer.

*437 East 59th Street 3 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Auto Roofer*

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*

*David Buckley*

Taken before me this

day of

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT—FOURTH DISTRICT.

May Sheld aged 23 years.  
of No. 223 East 42<sup>nd</sup> Street  
being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of September  
1883, at the ~~in the night time~~ <sup>attempted to be</sup> Ward of the City of New York, in the  
County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent,  
by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One double case Gold Watch  
one Gold Watch Chain

of the value of One Hundred Dollars,  
the property of deponent

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

David Buckley (now present), and  
Patrick Barry (not yet arrested), with the  
felonious intent to deprive deponent of said  
property, from the fact that about  
the hour of two o'clock A.M. of said day  
while deponent was in the hallway of  
said premises the said Barry seized  
hold of deponent by the throat with one  
hand and with the other hand the said  
Barry seized hold of the said watch and  
chain and pulled the said watch from  
deponent's pocket and said chain from  
deponent's vest said vest being then on  
the person of deponent. Deponent

Sworn to before me this

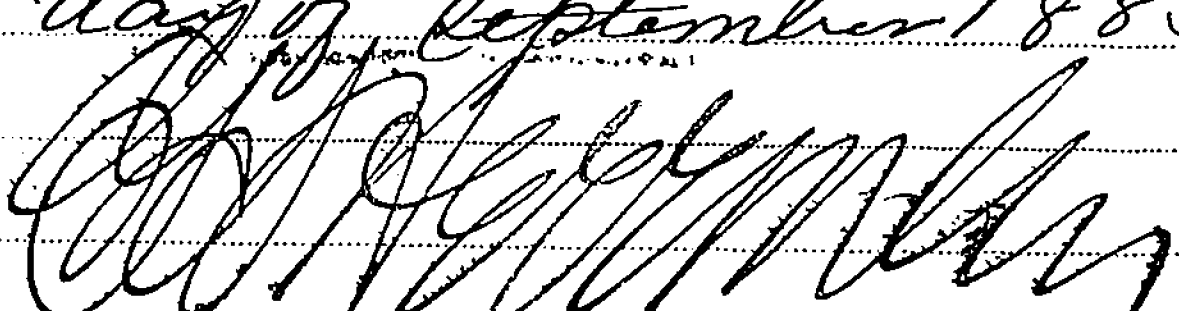
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further says that while attempting to  
get the said property from said Barry  
the said Buckley struck deponent  
a violent blow on the face with his  
fist, compelling deponent to let go of  
the said Barry. deponent says that  
he has reason to believe and does believe that  
said Barry and said Buckley did  
then and there act in concert and  
collusion with each other with the  
intent to steal said property from  
the possession of deponent

Sworn to before me  
10<sup>th</sup> day of September 1883 } May I held  
  
Police Justice

Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Robbery.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

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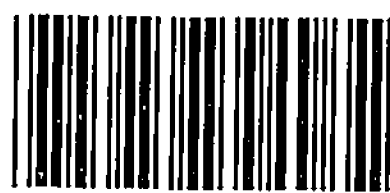
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McMahon, Frank

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Brady, Patrick

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In great haste, D. J. O'Connell

to Court, Oct 25

No 25

Counsel,

Filed day of

1883

Pleas in Chancery.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Buckley

Frank McMahon

and N.A.

Patrick Brady

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October 1883.

Wm. J. Buckley

Foreman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October 1883.

Wm. J. Buckley

Discharged by Court

Recd from Wm. J. Buckley

Mr. Buckley

633 West 46th St

10/16/83

W. J. O'Connell

Thomas Buckley mailed  
in \$100 to Patrick Buckley  
633 West 46th Street (father)

Oct 12th 1883

Mr. Mahan  
Defendant cannot be convicted  
on the evidence in possession  
of the People. The sole evidence  
against Mr. Mahan is that of an  
accomplice who says that Mr. Mahan  
stuffed the people's pockets with  
him (Buckley) to secure them.  
He can identify Mr. Mahan as the  
party who committed the burglary.  
I recommend that he be set free.  
Changed in his own recognizance  
W. J. O'Connell



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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

Frank McMahon  
Thomas Buckley  
and  
Patrick Brady

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Frank McMahon, Thomas Buckley and Patrick Brady

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

The said Frank McMahon, Thomas Buckley and Patrick Brady late of the 20th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 14th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three 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 Jacob German

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter,

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one Adolph Geiger within the said dwelling house, the said Frank McMahon, Thomas Buckley and Patrick Brady then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of the said Jacob German 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.

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SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Frank Mc Mahon, Thomas Buckley  
and Patrick Brady  
of the CRIME OF Petit Larceny, committed as follows:

The said Frank Mc Mahon, Thomas  
Buckley and Patrick Brady  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said four-  
teenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty- three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the  
day — time of said day, with force and arms, one coat  
of the value of ten dollars  
and one pair of trousers  
of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Jacob German  
Jacob German in the dwelling house of one  
Jacob German there situate, then and there being found  
in 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.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Frank Mc Mahon, Thomas Buckley  
and Patrick Brady —  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said Frank Mc Mahon, Thomas  
Buckley and Patrick Brady —  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said four-  
teenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-three, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, one coat of the value of  
ten dollars, and one pair of  
browsers of the value of six  
dollars —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Jacob German —

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen of the said Jacob German —

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have (the said Frank  
Mc Mahon, Thomas Buckley  
and Patrick Brady —

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

**JOHN McKEON,**

*District Attorney.*

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for 1000 Aug 1883  
10 a.m.

only 5 Substantive  
Aug 25 at 10 am  
by command of Justice

because Campbell and  
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No. 2, by  
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No. 4, by  
Residence  
Street.

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Street.

No 25  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank M. Mahon  
Thomas Buckley  
Edward M. Mahon  
Patrick Brady

Dated August 1883  
M. J. Conner  
Magistrate.  
Charles Ryan  
Officer.  
22 Precinct.

Witnesses  
Thomas Buckley  
No. 1, by  
No. 2, by  
No. 3, by  
No. 4, by  
Residence  
Street.

Charles Ryan  
No. 1, by  
No. 2, by  
No. 3, by  
No. 4, by  
Residence  
Street.

No. 407 St 40  
No. 501 St 40  
to answer  
No. 1, by  
No. 2, by  
No. 3, by  
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 Frank M. Mahon

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

Dated August 1883 M. J. Conner Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Ex. 10

State of New York  
 City and County of New York SS  
 Thomas Buckley of N. 633 West 36th Street  
 being duly sworn deposes and says. I was met  
 on the dock by McMahon and was asked  
 if I wanted to make a quarter and I  
 said I did. I then walked with McMahon to  
 where Brady was he Brady had a bundle  
 and asked me to take it to 49th Street  
 and 10th Avenue. I made a  
 statement that McMahon gave me  
 the bundle but I was excited and  
 mistaken at the time I made that  
 statement. McMahon had nothing  
 further to do with the matter <sup>except</sup> ~~further~~  
 than I have stated

Thomas Buckley

Sworn to before me this  
 29th day of August 1873.  
 J. C. [Signature]

Police [Signature]



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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thomas Buckley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*14 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*633 West 46th Street. I don't know*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I drive a horse, I don't know*

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 Buckley*

Taken before me this

day of

*August 1883*

*John Lewis*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Frank McMahon*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *501 Twenty Avenue, about two years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Brick - handler*

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 of the charge and demand an examination*

*his*  
*Frank McMahon*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of

*August* 188*9*

*at N. Y. City*

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Charles Ryan  
aged 24 years, occupation a Police Officer of No.

223 Bronx Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Jacob Hermann

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

Sworn to before me, this 15  
day of August 1883 } Charles J. Ryan

W. J. Conn  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Buckley  
aged 14 years, occupation none of No.

633 West 46 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Jacob Hermann

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

Sworn to before me, this 15  
day of August 188 3

Thomas Buckley

W. C. M.

Police Justice.

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Police Court—4 District,

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

Jacob Hermann

of No. 454 West 110 Street, aged 34 years,

occupation Lager Beer Saloon Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says that the premises No 454 West 110 Street, 20 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick tenement

building

and which was occupied by deponent ~~as~~ in part as a dwelling

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

Adolph Geiges,

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly entering

deponent rooms through a rear window

leading from the 3<sup>d</sup> floor of said premises

and leading into said rooms from a

way adjoining said premises

on the 14 day of August 1883 in the Day time, and the

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

One blue flannel coat. one pair

of blue flannel pantaloons.

of the value of sixteen dollars.

the property of Deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

Thomas Buckley <sup>(now here)</sup> and Patrick Brady

not arrested

for the reasons following, to wit: that said property was in

said room previous to said larceny.

and deponent was informed by Thomas

Buckley (now present), that the Buckley

received the said property from said

M<sup>r</sup>. Mahon, and said Brady, who told him

to bring the said property

to the pawn shop on 70 Avenue between

49<sup>th</sup> & 50<sup>th</sup> Street, and to pawn the



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aid property for their. defendant was  
also informed by Officer Charles Ryan  
of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Precinct Police that he Ryan  
found said property in the possession  
of said Thomas Buckley on West 48<sup>th</sup> Street.  
defendant was also informed by Mrs  
Elk 9452 West 40<sup>th</sup> Street that she saw  
a man entering defendants room as  
aforesaid

Sworn to before me } S. J. German  
this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1883

ccy. 15027

Police Justice

Police Court	District.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,	Degree.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF	Burglary
vs.	
Dated	188
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witnesses:	
Committed in default of \$	Bail.
Bailed by	
No.	Street.

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DESCRIPTION:

Burke, Thomas

DATE:

09/12/83



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Counsel, *Wm. J. [Signature]*  
Filed *12th* day of *Sept* 1883  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *P*  
*Thomas Burke*  
*Oct 5/83.*  
*Ordered & Requested*

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.  
*admitted 1875*

A TRUE BILL.

*Wm. B. [Signature]*  
*Sept 11/83* 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

Thomas Burke

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

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

The said Thomas Burke

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 27th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms in the night time of said day, one watch of the value of nineteen dol. two and one-half cents, the value of one dollar

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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County of General  
Sessions -  
New York County

The People  
In Complaint  
Of Michael J. Hyland  
Against  
Thomas Burke

Off - Lawrence

City & County of New York ss: Michael J.  
Hyland of 301 Mulberry Street New  
York City being duly sworn deposes that  
he is the complainant in the above  
action: That defendant alleged in  
the complaint that said Burke took  
his watch and that he saw him do it:  
deponent now deposes that the contrary  
he states that said Burke took his  
watch was that he saw said Burke  
standing behind a person a deponent  
unknown, and said unknown person  
stood between deponent and said  
Burke, said Burke having his hand  
resting on said unknown person's  
shoulder, and soon after that deponent  
misses his watch, and from the reason  
above stated he concludes that said



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Bunker had taken Alphonse's watch.  
 The unknown person or any other  
 person in the crowd around Alphonse  
 had an equal opportunity, if not a  
 better opportunity, than Bunker to take  
 said watch. The crime was done  
 at night in a crowded place at  
 a public ground at 42nd Street.  
 The place being lit by electric light.  
 Brought before me  
 this 14th day of September 1893 by M. J. Hyland  
 William J. Ferguson  
 Notary Public  
 N.Y.C.

County of New York  
 County of New York  
 The People  
 vs.  
 Thomas Bunker  
 Defendant

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**BAILED,**

 $\dot{N}_O, 1, by$ 

### Resilience

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## Resilience

No. 3, by

## Resilience

No, 4, by

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court..... District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael O'Flynn  
307 Wilkney St  
1 Unionville Bunde

Offence Larceny from  
the person in the  
night time F

Dated Sept-6 1887

*Morgan* Magistrate

Heavenly Magazine

3/  
Precinct.

## Witnesses

No. ....

**Direct.**

No. ....

Street,

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

**Subject,**

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to answer

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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 Thomas Burke

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 Sept 6 1882 J. B. Morgan Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198—200

J. H. District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Thomas Burke

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 114 East-14<sup>th</sup> St 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Blacksmith

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 Burke

Taken before me this

6<sup>th</sup>

day of

Sept 1888

W. H. Morgan Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael J. Hyland

of No. 301 Mulberry Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1883  
at the City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent and from his person in the night time  
the following property, viz :

One silver watch and composition  
chain attached of the value  
of Twenty dollars

the property of deponent who is 32 years old  
and is a bricklayer by occupation

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 Burke (now here) and  
another man whose name is unknown  
That deponent saw said defendant take  
steal and carry away said watch and  
chain from the pocket of the vest then  
and there worn by deponent and  
hand it said watch and chain to  
said unknown person who ran away  
with the same.

Michael J. Hyland

Sworn before me this

5<sup>th</sup> day of

Sept 1883

Police Justice,

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

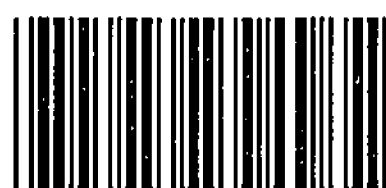
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DESCRIPTION:

Burrows, Blanche

DATE:

09/21/83



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Bail fixed at  
\$500. 1 Dec  
Sept 20/83  
Bailed by  
Henry Evers  
49 Browne Street  
Rose Corrigan  
138 1/2 Ferry Rd

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R. 261 (II) 739  
Day of Trial  
Counsel, J. H. [unclear]  
Filed day of [unclear] 1883  
Pleads 14th July, Oct 1

THE PEOPLE  
vs. D  
Blanche Burrows  
alias  
Blanche Burrell  
Keeping a Bawdy House.  
\$4322 and 385

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
J. H. [unclear]  
Dec 4/83  
Foreman.  
J. H. [unclear]  
Guilty - Suspended.  
Oct 15, 1883

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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*

*Blanche Burrows  
otherwise called  
Blanche Burrell*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Blanche Burrows, otherwise called Blanche Burrell*

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL FAME, committed as follows:

The said *Blanche Burrows, otherwise called Blanche Burrell*

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three* and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said *Blanche Burrows, otherwise called Blanche Burrell*

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

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Blanche Burrows, otherwise called Blanche Burrell*

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Blanche Burrows, otherwise called Blanche Burrell*

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *first* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three* and on divers other days and times between the said



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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against  
*Alauche Burrows*  
alias *Burrell*

Bench Warrant for Misdemeanor.

Issued *Sept 21<sup>st</sup>* 188*3*

Arrested *Sept 24<sup>th</sup>* 188*3*

Detectives *W<sup>m</sup> Adams*  
*Michael Crowley*

☒ The defendant is to be admitted to be bail  
in the sum of ..... dollars.

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING :

An indictment having been found on the 21 day of Sept  
1883, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging Mauchel Rumours alias Burrell  
with the crime of keeping a Bawdy House,

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named defendant  
\_\_\_\_\_ and her bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver her into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York, or if he require it, that you take her before any Magistrate  
in that County, or in the County in which you arrest her, that she may give bail to answer the  
indictment.

City of New York, the 21 day of Sept 1883.

By order of the Court,

[Signature]  
Clerk.



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Burton, Sarah

DATE:

09/20/83



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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No 225

John H. Lynch

Counsel, *J. Lynch*  
Filed *20* day of *Sept* 188*3*

Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Sarah Burton*

Grand Larceny, 3rd degree, and

Receiving Stolen Goods.

(6220 Aug 57)

JOHN McKEON,

*Ex-ct-8/83* District Attorney

*Trick & deputed*  
A TRUE BILL.

*Geo. Woodbury*  
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

*Sarah Burton*

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

*Sarah Burton*

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

The said *Sarah Burton*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, ~~on the~~  
*14<sup>th</sup>* ~~on the~~ day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
*one watch of the value of two*  
*hundred and fifty dollars*

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

*John McLean*  
*District Attorney.*

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No 225  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Alfred J. Kelly  
52 East 19th St.  
Stamford, Conn.  
Offence: Grand Larceny

Dated June 16 1883

Joseph H. Woodruff, Magistrate.

William H. Woodruff, Officer.

Witnesses

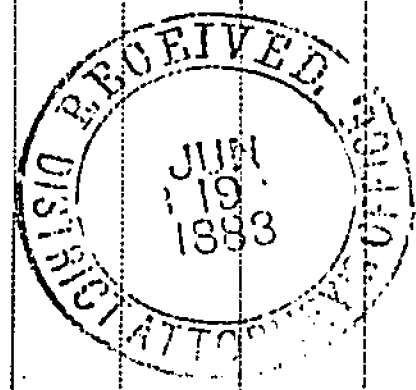
No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ 100 to answer

Alfred J. Kelly



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

Sarah Burton

guilty thereof, I order that she be held to answer the same and she 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 she give such bail.

Dated June 16 1883 Hugh Lawrence Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*J. M. D.*  
District Police Court.

*Sarah Burton*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Sarah Burton*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England.*

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

Answer. *12. East 9th Street 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Chambermaid*

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 of the charge.*

*Sarah Burton*

Taken before me this

day of

1883

*Hugh Gardner*

Police Justice.



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*Q. m.*

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss  
OF NEW YORK,

of No. *52 East 9th*

Street, *Allen St. Domestic*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *14th* day of *June* 188*3*

at the *above premises*

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 with intent to deprive the*  
*and owner of the same and benefit thereof*

the following property, viz:

*One Gold Watch of the*  
*value of two hundred and fifty-*  
*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 *Sarah Burton (now here)*

*from the fact that at or about the hour*  
*of nine o'clock A.M. on said date deponent,*

*placed the said property in a trunk*  
*in a room adjoining the kitchen of said*  
*premises and went into the kitchen, in*  
*about ten minutes afterwards deponent*  
*saw the said Burton pass through the*  
*kitchen and enter the said room where*  
*deponent had left said property, the*

Police Justice.

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Said Burton remained in said room  
about five minutes and then left  
the room. Deponent in about ten  
minutes went into the said room  
and discovered that the said property  
had been taken stolen and carried  
away

From before me & v Ellen Kelly  
This 16 day of June 1883  
Hugh Garner  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Butler, Edward

DATE:

09/20/83



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Brooks, James M.

DATE:

09/20/83



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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No 227

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of

Sept, 1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

*The People vs.*

*Edward Butler*

and

*James M. Brooks*

*vs.*

*Wm. M. Jones*

Grand Larceny, *Sec 520 and 521*  
Receiving Stolen Goods,  
and

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

*12 Sept 24/83*

*Perf. Head P.L.*

A True Bill.

*Wm. M. Jones*

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

Edward Butler  
and  
James M. Brooks

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
Edward Butler and James M.  
Brooks

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

The said Edward Butler and James  
M. Brooks

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
12<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
two pairs of curtains of the value of  
ten dollars each pair, two comics  
of the value of two dollars and  
fifty cents each, two sheets of the  
value of two dollars and fifty cents  
each, one spread of the value of  
two dollars and fifty cents, one com-  
forter of the value of one dollar and  
seventy five cents, and three tidies  
of the value of fifty cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Annie E. Morone  
then and there being found, then and there  
feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and  
their dignity. John McKeon  
District Attorney

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

No. 227 130.  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. E. Morgan  
251 W 38 St.

1 Edward Luther

2 James M. Brooks

3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence Grand Larceny

Dated

Sept 12 188

Magistrate

William O. Stanton Officer.

20 Precinct.

Witnesses

Loethe Officer

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

Street.

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

Street.

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

Street.

to answer

James M. Brooks

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 Edward Luther

guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they 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 they give such bail.

Dated Sept 12 188 Wm. O. Stanton 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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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James M. Brooks

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Albany

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

Answer. Albany

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Shoemaker

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

Answer. I have nothing to say to the charge  
James M. Brooks

Taken before me this

day of September 1883

John M. P. P. P.

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Edward Butler*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Jersey*

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

Answer.

*16 Clarkson Street 15 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Chair maker*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge*

*Edward Butler*

Taken before me this

day of

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*John J. Quinn*  
Police Justice



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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

Wonsaker 251 West 38

of No. Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 12 day of September 1883

at the said premises in the City of New York,

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

of the deponent

the following property, viz:

Two pair of lace Curtains of the value  
of twenty dollars two Cornices of the value  
of five dollars one pair of sheets of the value  
of five dollars one white spread of the  
value of two dollars and fifty cents one  
comforter of the value of one and seventy five  
cents and three tidys of the value one dollar  
and fifty cents in all of the value of  
thirty five dollars and seventy five cents

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

Edward Butler and James  
Brooks (both now here) from the fact that  
they came to deponent and engaged a  
large front parlor and they paid a deposit  
of one dollar of the room and said they  
would pay the balance on Saturday and deponent  
suspected them and looked through the  
key hole of the parlor and saw the two defendants  
one with his coat off and both of the defendants  
packing up the above property and deponent  
called an officer and caused the arrest of  
the said defendants

Amie E. Morane

Sworn before me this

day of

1883

Police Justice,

Mary M. Saxe



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Ind. Sept 19/83

Court of General  
Sessions of the Peace

The People, etc.

vs

James M. Brooks

Applicant and No-  
tor of Motion.

Sidney Abner  
Attorney at Law  
128 Broadway.

To  
John McLean,  
District Attorney,  
etc.



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State of New York  
City & County of New York, p.

In the Court of General Sessions

of the Peace, }  
The People, vs, }

vs } Upon an Indictment for grand  
Edw. Butler & } Larceny in the second Degree.  
James M. Brooks }

James M. Brooks being duly sworn deposes and says as follows, to wit: Deponent is one of the defendants in the above entitled action. Deponent and his codefendant Edward Butler, at the time mentioned in the indictment, were the occupants of a room at No. 251 West 38<sup>th</sup> street in the City of New York, which room they had rented of the prosecuting witness in this action, and the furniture in which belonged to the said prosecuting witness. On the said day the prosecuting witness aforesaid came into the said room with an officer, and found the following articles, part of the furniture of the said room tied up into a bundle, to wit: one spread, one comfortable, one pair of sheets, one pair of pillows, the said prosecuting witness and officer at the same time found deponent's codefendant in the act of removing one pair of case curtains from the cornice to which they were attached, which said cornice the said Butler had taken down from one of the windows of the said room. The curtains belonging to the other window were untouched.

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No article in the said room had been removed from its accustomed place, except as above stated. The said prosecuting witness immediately caused deponent to be arrested and deponent was taken to Jefferson Market Police Court and charged, as deponent with an attempt to commit grand larceny in the second degree.

Deponent fully and fairly stated the above facts to his counsel Sidney Osborne and Abraham Suydam, and was advised by them that he could not be convicted of any more serious offense than an attempt to commit petit larceny.

On the 21<sup>st</sup> day of ~~the~~ September instant, deponent was taken into the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be arraigned upon the indictment in this action. After deponent had reached the Court room, his counsel Sidney Osborne, advised him, as deponent understood, to plead guilty to an attempt to commit petit larceny, and assured him that there was a probability that the penalty inflicted upon such a plea would be lighter than what would be inflicted ~~upon~~ in case he should be convicted upon a plea of <sup>not</sup> guilty. Deponent accordingly pleaded, as he supposed, guilty of an attempt to commit petit larceny. Deponent supposed that he had been indicted for an attempt to commit

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grand larceny. Deponent was thereupon sentenced to imprisonment in the Penitentiary for one year.

Deponent has been informed, since the said sentence was imposed, that he was indicted for grand larceny, and that his said plea as it stands recorded, is a plea of guilty of petit larceny.

(Signed) James M. Brooks.

Taken, subscribed &  
sworn to before me this  
25<sup>th</sup> day of September 1883.

(Signed)

P. J. Hanbury  
Notary Public  
N. Y. Co.



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State of New York  
City & County of New York, ss.

In the Court of General  
Sessions of the Peace.

The People, vs,  
vs. Upon an Indictment  
Edward Butler & for Larceny.  
James M. Brooks

Abraham Suydam,

being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:  
Deponent is a lawyer by profession, and re-  
sides at No. 149 Waverly Place in the City of  
New York.

Deponent was employed by the above named  
James M. Brooks, as a retainer in the defense of  
the above entitled action, and in order to  
ascertain the facts in the case deponent  
asked the prosecutor in the said action  
what would be the substance of her  
testimony at the trial. The said prosecutor  
informed deponent that she would swear  
that the articles mentioned in her com-  
plaint, except the curtains and corn-  
ices, were found by her on the day named  
in her complaint, in the room occupied  
by the defendants, tied up in a bundle,  
and at the same time and place she  
found that one pair of curtains, with  
the cornices attached thereto, had been  
removed from one of the windows of the  
said room, but not from the said room.



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and that the other pair of curtains with its cornice, remained in its proper situation at the other window of the said room, and had not been in any manner disturbed or removed. Deposition thereupon advised <sup>the</sup> said Brooks that he could not be convicted of any more serious offense than an attempt to commit petit larceny, and that there was some reason to think that he might be acquitted absolutely.  
Given & before me (Signed) Abraham Suydam.  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1883.

P. H. Sperry

Notary Public

Kings & N. Y. Cos.

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State of New York  
City & County of New York, ss. In the Court of General  
Sessions of the Peace.

The People, vs. }  
vs. } Upon an Indictment  
Edward Butler } for Larceny.  
James M. Brooks. }

Sidney Osborne, being  
duly sworn, deposes and says as follows,  
to wit:

Deponent resides at No. 30 West Ninth Street  
in the City of New York, and is a lawyer by  
profession.  
Deponent appeared  
Defendant, in this action as counsel for  
James M. Brooks, the defendant, and from  
an examination of the facts which could  
be proved upon the trial was of opinion that  
the said Brooks might possibly be convicted  
of an attempt to commit petit larceny,  
but could not be convicted of any ~~more~~  
other offense. When the said Brooks was  
about to be arraigned upon the indictment  
in this action, deponent had a conversa-  
tion with Assistant District Attorney  
O'Byrne, in which the said O'Byrne, as  
deponent understood, agreed to accept  
a plea of guilty of an attempt to com-  
mit petit larceny, and deponent ac-  
cordingly informed the said Brooks  
that a plea of guilty of an attempt

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to commit petit larceny would be accepted, and the said Brooks did, as deponent understood, enter the said plea. Since judgment was rendered, deponent has learned that the plea as recorded is a plea of guilty of ~~and~~ petit larceny. Deponent would not have advised the said Brooks to enter a plea of guilty of petit larceny, and if he had been aware that the plea was understood by the Court to be a plea of guilty of petit larceny, deponent would have intervened to prevent its entry.

Given & before me (Jd) Sidney Abner.  
This 27<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1883.

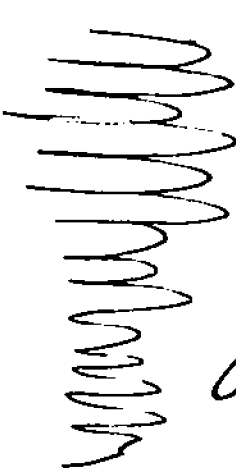
(Jd) J. P. Bay.

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State of New York,  
City & County of New York, ss. In the Court of  
general sessions of the Peace.

The People vs.  Upon an Indictment  
vs Edward Butler & for larceny.  
James M. Brooks.

To John McKim, Dist. Atty.

Take notice,  
that on Friday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September  
1883, at eleven o'clock A.M. or as soon  
thereafter as counsel can be heard,  
at the Court House, No. 32 Chambers  
street in the City of New York, in the  
Court of general sessions of the Peace,  
Part Two, upon the affidavits of which  
copies are hereto attached, and  
upon the record and papers hereto-  
fore filed in the case, I shall  
move the Court to vacate the  
judgment rendered in the said  
court in the above entitled action  
on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1883,  
against the defendant James M. Brooks.  
New York, Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> 1883. Sidney Osborn  
Atty for Deft.