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DESCRIPTION:

Oates, James

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Walsh, John

DATE:

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Chas. O. O'Neil

Counsel,
Filed 1 day of Dec 1880
Plends *W. & C. O'Neil*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Oates
John Welch

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
W. H. King
Foreman.
Dec. 1. 1880.

Wm. I. C. Phelps
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Form 112.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss:

Police Court—First District.

of *John H. Martenson*
the Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *19th* day of *November* 18 *89*

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 a truck*

the following property, viz: *passing along Water Street*
One iron stand with
revolving Callender attached

of the value of *Five* Dollars,

the property of *Some person unknown to deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *James Oates and*
John Walsh and another who escaped

that all acting in concert together
that deponent saw said other who
escaped jump upon a truck that
was passing along Water Street and
take therefrom the aforesaid property
that afterwards he handed it to
said Oates who in company with said
Walsh were following closely behind
that deponent arrested them and
found the property in the possession of the
prisoner said Walsh resisted deponent
and tried to escape John H. Martenson

Sworn to before me, this

day

Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

..... being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to h , states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer.

Taken before me, this

day of

Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Hartman
14 Precinct

James J. Davis
John Wilson

A Affidavit—Larceny.

Dated *Nov 20* 18*80*

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses: *Call the Officer*

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Call the Officer

at *Even* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

*James Oates and John
Walsh each*

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

*One stand (of the kind commonly
called an inkstand) of the value of
five dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John Doe* whose real name is
to the jurors aforesaid unknown, but who is here designated
as John Doe there being found, 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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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

James Oates and John Walsh
each

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

One stand (of the kind commonly called
an inkstand) of the value of five
dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *John Doe* whose real name is
to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, but who is here designated as John Doe
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said *John Doe* whose real name is to the Jurors aforesaid un-
known but who is here designated as *John Doe*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Brien, Annie

DATE:

12/02/80



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Council,
Filed 2 day of Dec 1877

Plends *Wm. G. Smith*

Grand Jurors of Money, &c.
INDICTMENT.
THE PEOPLE
vs.
38
62 Chambers
I
James Ogden

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

Part in Dec. 6. 1877
Heads P. Q. P. W. 6 ms
A True Bill
Chas. H. Tracy
Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY

THE TREASURY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

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Complainant in House of Detention

Form 112.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Police Court—First District.

of No. Thomas Flanagan
The Steamship Bristol at West 8th Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the Night of the 25 day of Nov 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent,

the following property, viz: Good and Lawful
Money consisting of Gold Coins
and bills of various denominations
all United States issue, and Collectively

of the value of Twenty four 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 Annie O'Brien now
here from the fact that deponent met
the prisoner in Chatham Square at
about ten O'clock on the aforesaid
night and accompanied her to a house
in Oliver Street where deponent paid
for a room in which he and the prisoner
slept. That the property aforesaid was in
a pocket of deponent's pantaloons which
upon retiring for the night deponent placed
beside him in the bed for safe keeping
That when deponent awoke about 4
O'clock on the morning succeeding said night

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he discovered that his Money was
Stolen. the prisoner also had gone
away that no person other than
the prisoner was in said room from
the time deponent last saw said
property until he discovered
the loss of the same which was
soon after the prisoner had left
said room and was allowed
to pass into the street by the
proprietor of said premises—

Thomas Morgan

Worn to before me this
2^d day of Novr 1880

J. M. P. (Police Justice)

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Amie O'Brien being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

Amie O'Brien
Chas. O'Brien
Mam

Taken before me, this
27th day of May, 1889
James J. Curran
Police Justice.

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to 277
Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James H. Hargrave
Hon. & Detention
vs. J. H. Hargrave

A. M. Davitt—Larceny.

BAILED

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

Paterson Magistrate.

W. J. Clark Officer.

4 Clerk.

Witnesses: *Complainant in*
Hon. & Detention in
discharged 2 P.M. 17
1897.

1897. to answer *James*

at *General* Sessions.

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:

That

Annie O'Brien

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,
in the County of New York, aforesaid on the *twenty fifth* day of *November* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *eighty* 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 one thousand dollars, and of the value of one
thousand dollars each: 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 five hundred dollars, and of the value
of five hundred dollars each: twenty 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 hundred dollars,
and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars,
and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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: sixty 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: eighty 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: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each:
one hundred 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:
one hundred and twenty 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: 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 hundred 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 fifty dollars: 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: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), be-
ing 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: ten
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsat-
isfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen 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 two dollars each: thirty 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 one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the
value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each:
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold
coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the
kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver
coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually
known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as
quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes),
of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five
cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of Amer-
ica, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomi-
nation of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States
of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the
denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills
of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as frac-
tional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Thomas Flanagan*
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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Brien, Daniel

DATE:

12/08/80



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Don't suppose of this case
without consulting me
Counsel H. K. K.
Filed 8 day of Dec 1880.
Pleas not guilty

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Daniel O'Brien
Dec 14 1880
Benevolent
BENJ. A. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Marshall W. Cooper
Foreman.
Indorsement
proceeds enclosed
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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Daniel O'Brien
Dec 14 1880
Benevolent
BENJ. A. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Marshall W. Cooper
Foreman.
Indorsement
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vs.
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A True Bill.
Marshall W. Cooper
Foreman.
Indorsement
proceeds enclosed
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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Daniel O'Brien
Dec 14 1880
Benevolent
BENJ. A. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

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Form 112.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Police Court—First District.

of No. 201 West 16 Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 2 day of December 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, and from complainant's
person

the following property, viz:

Twenty two dollars in money
of various denominations
of the United States

all of the value of Twenty two Dollars,
the property of complainant

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 Daniel O'Brien

from deponent's person the fact
that said O'Brien acknowledged
and confessed to deponent
to having taken stolen
and carried away the
above described money
from the possession of deponent
and from his person

Matthew J. Cornell

Sworn to, before me, this

of

1880

day

at

the

City of

New York

County of

New York

State of

New York

Police Justice

Matthew J. Cornell

1880

day

at

the

City of

New York

County of

New York

State of

New York

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Daniel O'Brien being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Daniel O'Brien

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty four years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Boston Mass -

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

54 Varick St

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Porter

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

I am guilty
Daniel O'Brien

Taken before me this

day of *December* 18 *80*

Police Justice.

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COUNSEL, FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL, FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles J. Somers
201 or 16th St.

Charles J. Somers
vs.

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Dated *Dec 4* 18*90*

Shuffy Magistrate.

W. J. ... Officer.

3 Clerk.

Witnesses:

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BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

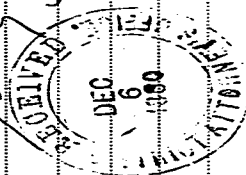
No. 6, by

Residence,

5-60 to answer

at *General Sessions*

Received at Dist. Atty's office



CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present :

Daniel O'Brien

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the second day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty and at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at the night time ~~on said day~~, 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 one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: 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 five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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: sixty 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: eighty 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: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred 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: one hundred and twenty 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: 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 hundred 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 fifty dollars: 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: 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 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: 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 three dollars each: fifteen 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 two dollars each: thirty 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 one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one Matthew J. Cornell then and there being found, on the person of the said Matthew J. Cornell then and there from the person of the said Matthew J. Cornell 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Connell, John

DATE:

12/15/80



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Counsel,

Filed 15 day of Dec - 1880

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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presented by

John O'Donnell
P.

INDICTMENT
Larceny from
the Person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part no Dec. 15, 1880

heads guilty.

A TRUE BILL.

Mansel W. Cooper

Foreman.

S.P. 2 1/2 years.

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

of No. 232 East 35th Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that on the 8th day of December 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent and from the person

the following property viz: One pocket book
Containing good and lawful
money of the United States

of the value of Thirty nine cents Dollars
the property of deponent's father,
Patrick Kearley,

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 John O'Connell
(now here) from the fact that
deponent is informed by Officer
William W. McLaughlin
of the Central Office Police
that he said officer saw
said John O'Connell take
said and carry away
the property aforesaid from
the left hand pocket of the
sleeve then and there worn
on the person of deponent
as a portion of deponent's bodily
clothing Irish Shawl

Sworn to, before me this 10th

day of December 1880

A. J. Morgan POLICE JUSTICE.

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City & County of New York

William M. McLaughlin
of the Central Office Police
being duly sworn says
that the facts stated
in the foregoing affidavit
are information given
by deponent and true
of deponent's own knowledge.

Worn to before me this 10th day
of December 1880

~~R. J. McLaughlin~~
Police Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

John O. Connell being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John O. Connell.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Canada.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Twister St. bet Wheeler & St.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Burton.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

I am guilty.

John O. Connell

Taken before me, this

14th day of *June*, 1880.

Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

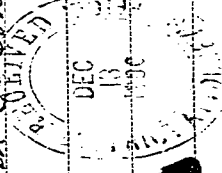
THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Seamus Murphy
232 E 35th St

From the Prison—
AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

John P. Connell



Dated *December 10th* 1890

Margary Magistrate.

160-24th St

Central Office

Witness
William M. Murphy

Central Office

\$ *1000* to answer

at *Grand* Sessions

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That *John O'Connell* _____

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *eight* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty _____ at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms

*sevens coins of a number, kind and
denomination to the jurors aforesaid
unknown & a more accurate description
of which cannot now be given of the
value of thirty nine cents* _____

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Patrick Mealey*
on the person of ~~one~~ *one Theresa Mealey* then and there being found,
from the person of said *Theresa Mealey* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Hara, Bernard

DATE:

12/08/80



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Counsel,
Filed 8 day of Dec 1880,
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

25.
50 1/2 N 36

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Bernard O'Hara

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part in Dec. 8, 1880

pleads G.L.

A True Bill Sp. 18 months.

Maurice W. Coppens

Foreman.

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

FORM 89½

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. 501 1/2 West 36th Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 22d day of November 18 80
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit:

One Gold Watch
with plaline chain &
gold Locker attached

of the value of 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 James O'Hara

(now here) who admits - the
larceny of said property
& informed deponent that
he had paroned the same
at No 98 Eighth Avenue
with Solomon & Co pawn
brokers at which place
deponent has called
& identified the said
property

Andrew Boucsein

Sworn to before me, this

of November 18 80

day

Police Justice.

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

FORM 89½

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Andrew Boussein
of No. *50 1/2 West 96th* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *22d* day of *November* 18 *80*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit:

*One Gold Watch
with plated chain &
Gold Locker attached*

of the value of

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

James O'Hara
(now here) who admits the
larceny of said property
& informed deponent that
he had pawned the same
at No 98 Eighth Avenue
with Solomon & Co pawn
brokers at which place
deponent has called
& identified the said
property

Andrew Boussein

Sworn to before me, this

26th
of *November* 18 *80*

day

W. M. Hall
Police Justice

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Record
Police Court Fifth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

James O'Hara being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James O'Hara*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *501 1/2 West 36th St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Driver a Mier. Wagon*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what,—relative to the charge here.

preferred against you?

Answer. *I am guilty, but I had been drinking*

Taken before me, this

day of

23rd Bernard O'Hara
November 1878

William J. [Signature] Police Justice.

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Form 994
POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Andrew Boncuk
504 1/2 N. 36
Blurred
Barney O'Hara
Affidavit—Larceny.

DATED *November 20*, 18 *80*

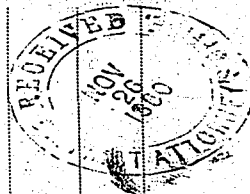
Wardell MAGISTRATE.

McCormick OFFICER.

2010

WITNESS:

Mr. Solomon 98 8th av



\$1000 TO ANS.

BAILED BY

No. STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, }

ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:

That

Bernard O'Hara

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

One watch of the value of forty dollars
One chain of the value of five dollars
One locket of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Andrew Roussein

then and

there being found, 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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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

Bernard O'Hara

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

*One watch of the value of forty dollars
One chain of the value of five dollars
One locket of the value of five dollars*

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

Andrew Brucein

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

Andrew Brucein

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Bernard O'Hara

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

DEPT. OF CORRECTIONS

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Oliver, William

DATE:

12/15/80



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ad 94
Wm. Peter R. Van Tine

Filed 15 day of Dec. 1880
Pleads *in Chancery* (16)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
22-11-87
405-11-87
P.
William Oliver.
Assault and Battery—Felonious.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.
Part in Dec 20, 1880
Plead Assault
A True Bill.
Marshall W. Cooper
Foreman.
Part in Dec 20, 1880

Sentence suspended
Prisoner discharged on
his recognizance

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE, ON MY COMPLAINT,
versus

William Flinn.

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. My reasons for desiring to withdraw the within complaint are that I believe the prisoner discharged the Post accidentally and without any intent to injure me. The prisoner at the time was under the influence of liquor and was returning from a ball. I have also found out that the prisoner is a young man of excellent character is well connected and has never before been charged with the commission of any offence. It is for these reasons that I commend him to the merciful consideration of the Court.

Subscribed December 20/80 Simon Radigan

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AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

Second District Police Court.

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

Simon Radigan of No. 748
Sixth Avenue, being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the 9th day of December in the year
1880 at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by
William Oliver (now here), who
aimed & fired a shot at
the body & person of de-
ponent from a pistol
loaded with powder and
ball, said pistol being
at the time held in
the hand of said Oliver
and so aimed and
discharged by him

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt
with according to law.

Sworn to before me this

of

9th day

1880

Simon Radigan

Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

William Oliver being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

William Oliver

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

22 years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York City

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

405 West 27th St

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Boat tender

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—

I am not guilty of the charge

Wm Oliver

Subscribed before me, this

27th day of Dec 1886

Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—Second District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Radigan

748 08 6th Ave.

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William Radigan

Designated Defendant

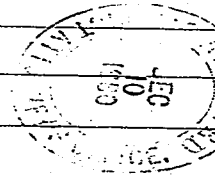
Dated *Dec 9th* 18*70*

Wm Radigan

Magistrate

Officer

Witnesses,



Committed in default of \$ *577* bail

Bailed by

No. *Dec* Street

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

William Oliver

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

on the *ninth* day of *December* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *ny* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Simon Radigan*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *Simon Radigan*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leaden bullet, which the said *William Oliver*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Simon Radigan*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said

William Oliver
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Simon Radigan*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Simon Radigan*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leaden bullet, which the said *William Oliver*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Simon Radigan*
thereby then and there, wilfully and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

William Oliver
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Simon Radigan*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Simon Radigan*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said
in *his* *William Oliver* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said
Simon Radigan
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New
York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

William Oliver
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Simon Radigan*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Simon Radigan*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said
in *his* *William Oliver* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and
discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said
Simon Radigan
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Orse, John

DATE:

12/01/80



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M. H. Thompson

Filed 1 day of Dec 1880

Pleas *not guilty.*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

W. H. Lawrence
carver

John Ore

*Indictment for Receiving
Stolen Goods.*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A. H. Carey

Foreman.

*Part in Dec 2, 1880
trial & ended Aug 3.
I. W. G. Mason*

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244
N. F. King

Filed 1 day of Dec 1880

Pleads Not Guilty.

THE PEOPLE,
vs.
W. Chatham
Casper
John Orze

Indictment for Receiving
Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

OK King

Foreman.

Part 3m Dec 2, 1880
Filed, entered Jury 3.
1. M. C. Wood

W. C.

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Police Office, Third District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

No. of 72 Denison Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 72 Denison
Street, 10 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick Building
the second floor
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling for himself and family

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means forcible breaking upon a window in
the hallway leading to a bedroom in the aforesaid
premises

on the Morning of the 20 day of November 1880,
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

Two Skirts of the value of four dollars
One Under Skirt of the value of two dollars
One Sack of the value of one 50/100 Dollars

the property of Mary Obermeyer, who is in the employ
of deponent as a Servant, said property being in care 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

John Ows (now here)

for the reasons following, to-wit: That deponent is informed by
Mary Kuttner of No. 72 Denison Street that
she saw said John Ows take and steal the
aforesaid property through said described
Window, and for the further reason that
deponent found the aforesaid property
in his possession and in his arm, when
deponent caused said Ows arrest.

Johna Weissenberger

known to before me this
20th day of November 1880

J. M. O'Connell
Notary Public

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City & County }
of New York }

Mary Kuttner of N^o 42 Second St.

being duly sworn says that she has
read the affidavit of Johanna Weisenburger
and knows the contents thereof that the
portion therein stated referring to deponent
is true to deponent's own knowledge

Sworn to before me this } Mary Kuttner
20th day of March 1880 }

J. V. Smith
Teller Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

John Ows being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*John Ows*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*31 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Germany*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*152 Chambers Str.*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Carver*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am not guilty*
J. Ows.

Taken before me, this

20

day of

March 1880

Police Justice.

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Form 115. No 24929
POLICE COURT -- THIRD DISTRICT,

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Leanne Wickburg
72 Division
John Ar

Offence, BURGLARY.

Dated *Nov. 20* 1930
William Magistrate.
Carsten 10 Officer.

Clerk.
Mary Kottner
72 Division Street.

Pillsbury Street.
NOV 22 1930
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never committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,
Carsten

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

John Orse

late of the *Twelfth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *November* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* with force and
arms, about the hour of *nine* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Johana Weissenberger
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter ~~by means of forcibly~~

he the said

John Orse

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and
personal property of

the said Johana Weissenberger

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.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, the said

John Orse

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

Three shirts of the value of two dollars
each

One sague of the value of one dollar
and fifty cents

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

Johana Weissenberger

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

And ^{aforesaid} THE JURORS ~~OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.~~
~~in and for the body of the City and County of New York,~~
upon their Oath, ~~aforesaid~~ do further present

That ^{the said John Orse}
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the ~~twentieth~~ day of ~~November~~ in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ eighty with force and arms, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid,

~~Three~~ shirts of the value of two dollars
each

One sague of the value of one dollar
and fifty cents

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of

^{berger}
by ~~a certain person or~~

~~and certain other persons.~~ to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

^{Johana Weissenberger}
unlawfully, unjustly and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have
(the said

^{John Orse}

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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Otis, James D.

DATE:

12/23/80



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Courtesy
Filed *23* day of *Dec.* 18*80*.
Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James D. O'Neil
John Edward Nash
De Vaughn
P.
Forfeited the third Degree.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

James is Vaughn.

A True Bill.

Marshall W. Cooper
Foreman.

Part two Dec. 27. 1880.

Pleads guilty.

C.P. 3 years
Jan 1881

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Police Court—First District.

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

Edward B. Patchen
of Windsor Hotel Cr 146 West 14th Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 14
day of December 1890, at the City and County of
New York,

James D. Otis alias Edward Nash
himself present, did feloniously
and falsely forge a certain
check by endorsing and counterfeiting
thereon the names of S W and
E Nash being a check drawn
upon the Importers and Traders
National Bank State of New York
and in favor of S W & E Nash
for the sum of one hundred and
fourteen dollars with intent to
defraud Samuel Hawk and
Gardner Wertheimer owners and
Proprietors of the Windsor Hotel
and of which deponent is Cashier
and under the following circumstances
Said Otis alias Nash came to the
Windsor Hotel on the morning of
the above date and was assigned
a room. And shortly afterwards
deposited for collection the annexed
check which purported to be
a check drawn by B Lernerstein
& Brothers of Memphis Tennessee
on the Importers and Traders
National Bank of New York
and to the order of S W & E
Nash for the sum of one hundred
and fourteen dollars, and in
presenting the check endorsed

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wherein the names of the firm
S. W. & E. Nash and stated
at the time will you collect
this money and place the
amount to my credit, all
of which dependent as Cashier
Edie, dependent has since
been performed by trustees
Nash of the firm of
W. & E. Nash and who
do reside at Boston Massachusetts
that the endorsement of said
check for the said amount
of money is a forgery.

Sum to Refuse me Edward S. Nash
this 17 day of December 1883
Wm. H. Rogers
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

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

Bernard Lernerstein
of No. 132 Church Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 6
day of December 1880, at the City and County of
New York, of Memphis State of
Tennessee, Dependent identified
check No 27126 and drawn
upon the Importers and Traders
National Bank of New York
(and produced in court.) Said
check being payable to the
order of S W & E Nash
and for the sum of one
hundred and fourteen dollars
as drawn by the firm of
B Lernerstein & Co in said
city of Memphis State of
Tennessee on said date and in
favor of S W & E Nash
during business in Boston Massa-
chusetts and the said amount
of money was then on deposit
to the credit of B Lernerstein
& Co in said Importers and
Traders National Bank New
York

Bernard Lernerstein
Sworn to before me
this 6 day of December 1880
J. H. Birney
Police Justice
State of New York
City and County of New York
S. W. & E. Nash
62 High Street Boston Massachusetts

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being sworn says that he has carefully examined the signature of S W & E Nash endorsed on the check of B Lowenstein & Brothers drawn at Memphis Tennessee on the 6th day of December 1880 and payable to the order of S W & E Nash for the sum of one hundred and fourteen dollars on the Importers and Traders National Bank New York and check numbered 27126, and pronounced said signature in every way a forgery and not the signature of S W and E Nash - of which said check is the legitimate property and of which deponent is a member -

Signed to Refuse me }
this 17 day of December 1880 }
C. W. M. M. M. M.
Robert Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James D Otis being duly examined before the undersigned,
according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty
to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James D Otis

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

forty four years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

New York city

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Salesman

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here
preferred against you?

Answer.

I am not guilty
J D Otis

Taken before me this

17 day of

December 1888

Police Justice

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

Police Court—First District S

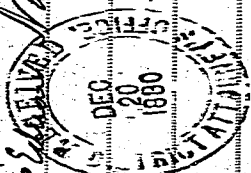
THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward B. Pate,
Prudner Hotel cor 46th & 47th Sts.

James D. Atis

John E. Elwell



Office,

Dated December 17 1880

Murray—Magistrate.

Henry J. Francis—Clerk.

Office,

William,

Bernard L. Bernstein

132 Church Street

Erasmus S. Smith

62 High Street

Anthony J. Thomas, N.Y. Attorney

General

Received in Dist. Atty's Office.

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Robert H. Roney

25 Chambers St

Address,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

James D. Otis otherwise known as
Edward Nash

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the ~~fourteenth~~ day of ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ ~~eighty~~ at the Ward, City, and County
aforesaid, having in his custody and possession a certain instrument and writing of
the kind commonly called a Bank check

which said

Bank check

is as follows, that is to say:

~~B. F. Foy & Bros~~ \$114.⁰⁰ ~~B. F. Foy & Bros~~ B. F. Foy & Brothers,
~~Wholesale Dry Goods, No. 101 N. 1st St.~~
Memphis, Tenn. Dec 6 1880
Pay to the order of S. W. & E. Nash
One hundred & fourteen Dollars
in currency
No. 24726
to the
Importers & Traders National Bank
New York.

the said

James D. Otis otherwise known as
Edward Nash

afterwards, to wit, on the
day and year last aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City, and County afore-
said, feloniously did falsely make, forge, and counterfeit, and did cause and procure to
be falsely made, forged, and counterfeited, and did willingly act and assist in the false
making, forging and counterfeiting on the back of the
said Bank check a certain instrument and writing
commonly called an endorsement which said false, forged, and
counterfeited instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement
is as follows: that is to say,

S. W. & E. Nash

to injure and defraud Erastus Nash, The Importers and Traders
National Bank of New York, Edward B. Patch
and divers other persons, to the jurors aforesaid unknown, against the form of the
Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York, and their dignity.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present:
That the said

*James D. Otto otherwise known
as Edward Nash*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and
year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, having in his custody and
possession a certain instrument and writing *of the kind commonly*
called a Bank check

which said
is as follows, that is to say:

Bank check

*Rhodens & Bros. \$114.⁰⁰ S. Rowland & Brothers
Wholesale Dry Goods & Notions &c Memphis, Tenn Dec 6 1880*

*Pay to the order of S. W. & E. Nash
One hundred & fourteen ————— dollars
in currency*

*To the
No. 27126 Importers & Traders National Bank }
New York. } S. Rowland & Bros*

and on the *back* of which said *Bank check*
was then and there written a certain false, forged, and counterfeited instrument and
writing, commonly called an *endorsement* of the said last
mentioned *Bank check* which said false, forged, and coun-
terfeited instrument and writing commonly called an *endorsement*
is as follows, that is to say:

S. W. & E. Nash

the
*James D. Otto otherwise known as
Edward Nash*

then and
there well knowing the premises last aforesaid, and that the said *endorsement*
was false, forged, and counterfeited, afterwards, to
wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City, and
County aforesaid, feloniously did utter and publish as true, the said false, forged, and
counterfeited *endorsement* of the said last mentioned
Bank check with intention to injure

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and defraud *Erastus Nash, The Importer and Trader*
National Bank of New York, Edwin B. Patch
and divers other persons, to the jurors aforesaid unknown; he the said *James D. Otis*
otherwise known as Edwin Nash at the time he so
uttered and published the said false, forged, and counterfeited endorsement
of the said last mentioned *Bank Check*
then and there well knowing the said endorsement
to be false, forged, and counterfeited, as aforesaid, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.